

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK OF OUR PARISH, MAY GOD BLESS AND COMFORT THEM.

Also remember in your prayers, those who bear their illness privately.

Pauline Agg, Mary Sheila Cashmore (Noon), Sheila Cooney, Chris Dickens, Joan & Terry Dixon, Frances Groves, Sean Hooper, Barbara Jarvis, Janice Lambley, Norma Jeynes, Michelle Price, Matthew Pritchett, Kathleen Riley, Dave Wallett, Moya Wells, Pat Wilkins.

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of KENNETH THOMAS GIBBS RIP recently deceased, and for the souls of the faithfully departed whose anniversaries occur in MAY †

Thomas Bennett, Frank & Olwen Borg, Catherine Byrne, Charles Byrne, Mary Clarke, Thomas Clarke, Ann Adenia Coll, Jane & Angela Cowley, Lorraine Darby (nee Haken), John & Pat Gaunt, Eddie Haken, Graham Harper, Roger Howell, Mary Elizabeth Ilsley, Maurice Ilsley, W.J. Ilsley, Marian Kilvington, Catherine Mason, Joseph Moore, Walter Anthony Peach, Beatrice Mary Peach, Mary Philage (nee Hirrill), Margaret Piddock, Joyce Piggott, Fr James Ward.

The Altar of Our Lady and the Sacred Heart – to have the candle lamp burn for your intentions or loved ones for the week - please see Fr Paul or Cate.

The candle lamp on Our Lady's Altar burns this week for:

Domíníc Chapman RIP

The candle lamp on the Sacred Heart Altar burns this week for:

Deceased Members of the Agg & Taylor Families RIP

If you would like to have flowers in Church in Memory of a loved one or for any intention, please see Anne or Cate.

CONFESSIONS ARE AVAILABLE UP TO 10 MINUTES BEFORE EACH MASS – OR CONTACT FR PAUL

PLEASE CHECK THE WEBSITE FOR REGULAR UPDATES! The website is regularly updated and the newsletter is on usually every Thursday.

www.saintmaryswednesbury.org.uk

Please note the cut-off is Wednesday lunchtime

The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham registered Charity No. 234216



**OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS PRAY FOR US
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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

1ST MAY 2022

Saturday Apr 30	<u>9.30am Baptism & Confirmation</u> <i>Stephen Christopher Michael Holt</i> 5.00pm Mass (For the Health & Wellbeing of Carole McGirr)
Sunday May 1	10.00am Mass (People of the Parish) 11.30am Traditional Latin Mass
Monday May 2	<u>NO MASS</u>
Tuesday May 3	<u>9.30am Holy Rosary</u> <i>Feast of Ss Philip & James, Apostles</i> 10.00am Mass (Vicki Joan Tate RIP) <u>12.00 noon – Funeral Service – Kenneth Thomas Gibbs RIP</u>
Wednesday May 4	10.00am Mass (Holy Souls) <i>Feast of the English Martyrs</i>
Thursday May 5	<u>9.00am Mass (In School)</u> **PLEASE NOTE TIME & LOCATION**
Friday May 6	<u>9.15am-9.45am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</u> 10.00am Mass (For the Health & Wellbeing of Pauline Agg)
Saturday May 7	<u>Baptism – 12 noon – Aoife Elizabeth Hill</u> 5.00pm Mass (Patrick Green RIP)
Sunday May 8	10.00am Mass (People of the Parish) <i>4th Sunday of Easter</i> 11.30am Traditional Latin Mass

PARISH NEWS:

UPDATED INFORMATION:

AFTER FURTHER CONSIDERATION, IT HAS BEEN DECIDED TO KEEP TO THE CURRENT ARRANGEMENTS WITH STEWARDS BEING ON DUTY SATURDAY & SUNDAY, AND SUPERVISING HOLY COMMUNION. WE THANK THE STEWARDS FOR AGREEING TO CONTINUE WITH THEIR DUTIES FOR A WHILE, AND GIVING THEIR TIME MOST GENEROUSLY DURING THE PANDEMIC TO ENSURE THE SAFETY OF ATTENDING ST MARY'S. PLEASE CONTINUE THE PRACTICE OF SANITISING ON ENTRY & EXIT. PLEASE HAVE REGARD TO SOCIAL DISTANCING, THE WEARING OF FACE COVERINGS IS OPTIONAL. TOILETS ARE OPEN BUT MUST BE SANITISED AFTER EVERY USE. DURING THIS TIME PLEASE NOTE COULD THOSE RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION ON THE TONGUE, PLEASE CONTINUE TO RECEIVE LAST.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES:

IF YOU PREFER TO USE ENVELOPES FOR THE OFFERTORY, THE BOXED SETS ARE AVAILABLE ON THE TABLE IN THE PORCH – THESE ARE FOR GENERAL USE AND NOT GIFT AIDED.

TEA/COFFEE & TOAST EVERY THURSDAY AFTER MASS.
TEA & COFFEE AFTER MASS ON SUNDAYS.

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY FAMILY CATECHISM:

A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES TO LEARN THE CATHOLIC FAITH TOGETHER ACCORDING TO THE CLASSIC BALTIMORE CATECHISM PLEASE VISIT: www.olrfamilycatechism.com



FR PAUL INVITES YOU ON A JOURNEY TO SHARE WITH HIM THE WAYS OF PRAYER ON HIS YOUTUBE CHANNEL “IN MONTEM SANCTUM” TO GIVE HOPE AND ENCOURAGEMENT IN THE WAYS OF FAITH. FR PAUL LESTER - YOUTUBE CHANNEL - IN MONTEM SANCTUM

DIARY:

WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE:
16TH.20TH MAY 2022
HRH QUEEN ELIZABETH II PLATINUM ANNIVERSARY: 2ND.5TH JUNE 2022 Flower Festival in Church
CREAM TEAS: – SATURDAY 4TH JUNE – 3PM
FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS:
SATURDAY 18TH JUNE 2022
12noon
CONFIRMATIONS:
THURSDAY 23RD JUNE 2022 7PM
SUMMER FAIR: 2ND JULY – details to follow
RELIQS OF ST BERNADETTE:
8TH/9TH OCTOBER AT HEDNESFORD

PARISH NEWS:

LAST WEEKEND:

OFFERTORY £457.59 (WEEK)

STANDING ORDERS (MONTHLY) £490

Thank you for your continued generosity.

CHURCH CLEAN: FRIDAY 6TH MAY AFTER MASS

LUCKY SQUARE: – THREE CASH

PRIZES OF £25, £12 AND £7.

PLEASE NOTE THE DRAW WILL BE MADE ON THE 3RD SUNDAY OF EACH MONTH, SO PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL MONIES ARE PAID PRIOR TO THIS. OTHERWISE THE NUMBER WILL NOT BE INCLUDED. IF ANYONE WISHES TO JOIN THE LUCKY SQUARE, PLEASE SEE TRACEY OR ONE OF THE STEWARDS. THANK YOU ALL FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT OF OUR PARISH.

YOUR PARISH STILL NEEDS YOUR HELP FINANCIALLY.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO CONSIDER SETTING UP A STANDING ORDER, PLEASE CONTACT CATE 07773 712936 THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT AT THIS TIME.

IF ANYONE IS INTERESTED IN BECOMING A GIFTAIDER AT NO EXTRA COST TO YOURSELF, PLEASE CONTACT CATE. THE GIFT AID IS A VALUABLE EXTRA SOURCE OF INCOME TO THE CHURCH EMAIL:
ga.stmarvoth.wednesbury@rcaob.org.uk

CELEBRATIONS FOR HRH QUEEN ELIZABETH II PLATINUM ANNIVERSARY:



We will be putting a display in the Church Porch and decorating our beautiful Church with red, white & blue flowers in honour of Her Majesty, if you would like to make a small arrangement of flowers to put on a window sill, please let Anne know, or if you would like to donate towards flowers, please see Anne. Thank you.

CREAM TEAS:



Saturday 4th June at 2.30pm in the parish hall.
Adults £4 Children £1.50
Proceeds to Church Funds.

Any donations of jam, cream or scones, would be appreciated please let Anne know. Thank you.