

ANTHEM TO OUR LADY

**Alma Redemptoris Mater, quae pervia caeli
Porta manes, et stella maris, succurre cadeti,
Surgere qui curat, populo: tu quae genuisti,
Natura mirante, tuum sanctum Genitorem
Virgo prius ac posterius, Gabrielis ab ore
Sumens illud Ave, peccatorum miserere.**

**Loving Mother of the Redeemer,
Gate of Heaven, Star of the Sea,
help the falling people that strives to rise up,
you who brought forth your holy Parent
as nature looked on astonished,
Virgin before and afterwards,
who heard from Gabriel's lips the greeting 'Hail',
have mercy on sinners.**

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

Anita Anderson, Peter Davies, Graham Humphries, Barbara Jarvis, Anne Jennings,
Janice Lambley, Edna McNally, John Noakes, Michelle Price, Dave Wallett.

**Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of the faithfully departed whose
anniversaries occur in JANUARY: †**

(Please give Fr Paul details of any additions to the list)

**Michaela Cole, Margaret Cousins, Mary B. Dalton, Albert Diggett, Raymond Gayden,
Lola Haken, Rene Hall, John Patrick Kelly, Mary Kirk, John Joseph Lane, Joyce Maddox,
James McNally, Marion Maczka, Monica & Joseph Moran, Norman Morris, Alan Payne,
George Payne, Albert Peach, Bernard George Peach, John Peach, Fr John Piris,
Roland Vernon, Bridget Ward, Derek Wilkins, Clara Withers, Margaret Woodcock.**

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**OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS PRAY FOR US
Saint Mary's Catholic Church, Wednesbury**

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Parish Priest: Fr Paul Lester

2ND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR 2019

- Saturday Jan 19** Confessions will be heard before Mass
11.00am Traditional Latin Mass (*St Wulstan*)
5.00-5.45pm Confessions
6.00pm Vigil Mass (*Joyce Piggott RIP*)
- Sunday Jan 20** **8.30am** Traditional Latin Mass (*People of the Parish*)
10.00am Mass (*Seamus O'Malley RIP - Anniv*)
- Monday Jan 21** **8.00am** Traditional Latin Mass (*Holy Souls*)
St Agnes, Virgin, Martyr
- Tuesday Jan 22** 10.00am Mass (*Lisa-Marie Killeen RIP*)
- Wednesday Jan 23** 10.00am Mass (*Michael Ryan RIP*)
- Thursday Jan 24** **9.15am** Mass (*Joan Jones RIP*)
St Francis de Sales, Bishop
- Friday Jan 25** **9.00am** Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
The Conversion of 10.00am Mass (*Christopher, Bernard & Margaret Lynch RIP*)
St Paul, Apostle
- Saturday Jan 26** Confessions will be heard before Mass
11.00am Traditional Latin Mass (*St Polycarp*)
12 noon *Leo Anthony Jones* } *Baptism*
Kellan Stuart Anthony Jones } *Baptism*
5.00-5.45pm Confessions
6.00pm Vigil Mass (*Brian Piggott RIP*)
- Sunday Jan 27** 10.00am Mass (*People of the Parish*)
3rd Sunday of the Year

The Altar of Our Lady and the Sacred Heart – to have the candle lamp burn for your intentions or loved ones for the week - £10 - please see Fr Paul.

The candle lamp on Our Lady's Altar burns this week in memory of:

Mary Bridget Dalton RIP

The candle lamp on the Sacred Heart Altar burns this week in memory of:

Archdiocese of Birmingham Year for Priests

Day of Prayer for Vocations 2019

St Mary's Wednesbury – Thursday 1st August

There will be exposition of the Blessed Sacrament on this day.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Children's Liturgy & Family Mass - 20th January, 3rd February, 17th February, 3rd March

Marriage Encounter - 19th February, 19th March, 21st May, 18th June, 16th July

29th/30th June Marriage Encounter Weekend – details from Mike & Margaret Cooper

Jumble Sale – Saturday 9th February 11am Admission 50p

Walsingham Pilgrimage – 26th–30th August

Confessions are heard 30 mins before every mass on request.

CONFESSIONS are now heard at the confessional at the back of the church which is located near the statue of St Padre Pio.

The website is regularly updated and the newsletter is on usually every Friday.

www.saintmaryswednesbury.org.uk

PLEASE READ FR PAUL'S BLOG ON THE WEBSITE WHICH IS UPDATED REGULARLY.

Please note for any inclusions in the newsletter, the cut-off is **Thursday lunchtime.**

PARISH NEWS:

This week's collection raised £439 for the Parish. Thank you for your continued generosity.

IF ANYONE WOULD BE WILLING TO OFFER A LIFT TO A PARISHIONER WHO FINDS IT DIFFICULT TO GET TO CHURCH FOR MASS, THIS WOULD BE APPRECIATED, PLEASE SEE FR PAUL.

JUMBLE SALE: TO BE HELD IN THE CHURCH HALL ON SATURDAY 9TH FEBRUARY AT 11AM, ADMISSION 50P, ANY HELP WOULD BE VERY MUCH APPRECIATED, THE HALL WILL BE OPEN AT 9AM TO SET UP. DONATIONS MAY BE LEFT AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH PORCH. THANK YOU.

CHURCH HEATING: IT IS NOW TIME TO PUT SOME MONEY IN THE METER! IF YOU HAVE A FEW COINS TO SPARE, PLEASE PUT THEM IN THE WALL BOX BY OUR LADY'S ALTAR. THANK YOU.

ST MARY'S BROWNIES ARE LOOKING FOR A NEW BROWN OWL TO START IN SEPTEMBER, IF YOU ARE INTERESTED OR WOULD LIKE MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE SPEAK TO MARGARET HOLDEN.

Your Prayers are asked for MICHAEL ARMSTRONG & RACHEL WILKES who are preparing to be married here on Saturday 16th February at 12 noon.

THANKSGIVING MASS FOR MARRIAGE: His Grace the Archbishop will celebrate a special Thanksgiving Mass for Marriage at St Chads Cathedral on Sunday 3rd February, 2019 at 11am. Anyone who is celebrating a milestone marriage this year, (10,15,20,25,30,40,45,50,60 and every year over 60) are welcome to attend, also anyone newly married or preparing for marriage this year, please contact lianne.pap@rc-birmingham.org marking the email "marriage mass".