

**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.

Mary Sheila Cashmore (Noon), Sheila Cooney, Terry Dixon, Frances Groves, Eileen Hall, Lynne Harper, Sean Hooper, Barbara Jarvis, Norma Jeynes, Michelle Price, Matthew Pritchett, Kathleen Riley, Dave Wallett, Moya Wells, Pat Wilkins, Dawn Wood.

**Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of BETTY JOYNES RIP recently deceased and for the souls of the faithfully departed whose anniversaries occur in JANUARY:-**

Trudie Burns, Archie Burrows, William Clarke, Michaela Cole, Margaret Cousins, Mary P. Dalton, Sid Davies, Albert Diggett, Kathleen Garbett nee Mason, Raymond Gayden, Rose Giddins, Lola Haken, Rene Hall, Gordon Holt, John Patrick Kelly, Con Kiley, Mary Kirk, John Joseph Lane, Raymond Peter Lester, Joyce Maddox, James McNally, Marian Maczka, Monica & Joseph Moran, Norman Morris, Alan Payne, George Payne, Albert Peach, Bernard George Peach, John Peach, Fr John Piris - former Parish Priest, Roland Vernon, Bridget Ward, Derek Wilkins, Clara Withers, Margaret Woodcock, William Whorriskey.

**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:

**Deceased Members of the Dalton, Hall & Ward Families RIP**

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

**For all the Sick of our Parish**

**If you would like flowers in memory of a loved one or for a special 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](http://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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**3<sup>RD</sup> SUNDAY OF THE YEAR**

**23<sup>RD</sup> JANUARY 2022**

Saturday Jan 22	5.00pm Mass (Anna Devenney RIP)
Sunday Jan 23	10.00am Mass (Mary Bridget Dalton RIP) 11.30am Traditional Latin Mass (People of the Parish)
Monday Jan 24	<b>NO MASS</b>
Tuesday Jan 25	9.30am Holy Rosary Feast of the Conversion of St Paul, the Apostle 10.00am Mass (Bridget Ward RIP)
Wednesday Jan 26	10.00am Mass (Derek Western RIP) Memorial of Ss Timothy & Titus, Bishops
Thursday Jan 27	10.00am Mass (Bridget McDonagh RIP)
Friday Jan 28	9.15am-9.45am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Memorial of St Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Doctor of the Church 10.00am Mass (Renee Hall RIP)
Saturday Jan 29	5.00pm Mass (Derek Wilkins RIP)
Sunday Jan 30	10.00am Mass (People of the Parish) 4 <sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year 11.30am Traditional Latin Mass (Steve Holt Ints)

## PARISH NEWS:

### UPDATED INFORMATION:

USUAL PROCEDURES WILL BE FOLLOWED, STEWARDS ON DUTY SATURDAY & SUNDAY. ONE-WAY SYSTEM. SOCIAL DISTANCING AT ALL TIMES ETC. TOILETS ARE NOW OPEN BUT MUST BE SANITISED AFTER EVERY USE, HOLY COMMUNION AT THE ALTAR RAILS IF SEATED ON LEFT GO ON LEFT, IF SEATED ON RIGHT, GO TO RIGHT. THOSE RECEIVING ON TONGUE RECEIVE LAST. STEWARDS WILL LEAD TO HOLY COMMUNION AT WEEKENDS, BUT EXIT AT THE END OF MASS WILL BE FREE FLOW DUE TO MASKS BEING MANDATORY. PLEASE REMEMBER TO KEEP YOUR DISTANCE. STAY SAFE! NO STEWARDS DURING WEEK BUT USUAL GUIDELINES APPLY. MAY WE PLEASE REMIND YOU THAT FACE COVERINGS ARE NOW MANDATORY – PLEASE BRING ONE WITH YOU. (UNLESS YOU ARE MEDICALLY EXEMPT)

WE ARE STILL TAKING MASS INTENTIONS AND ALSO THE ALTAR LAMPS WHICH ARE LIT FOR THE WHOLE WEEK FOR INTENTIONS. YOU CAN PUT ANY MASS STIPENDS THROUGH THE PRESBYTERY LETTER BOX OR HAND TO A STEWARD TO PASS ON TO FR PAUL. THANK YOU.

### YOUR PARISH STILL NEEDS YOUR HELP FINANCIALLY.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO CONSIDER SETTING UP A STANDING ORDER, PLEASE CONTACT CATE ON 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 CATE. THE GIFT AID IS A VALUABLE EXTRA SOURCE OF INCOME TO THE CHURCH EMAIL: [ga.stmarvoth.wednesbury@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:ga.stmarvoth.wednesbury@rcaob.org.uk)  
IF YOU ARE A GIFT AIDER AND YOUR CIRCUMSTANCES CHANGE, PLEASE LET CATE KNOW SO THAT SHE CAN INFORM THE OFFICE. THANK YOU.

IF YOU WISH TO PURCHASE ANYTHING FROM PIETY, PLEASE ARRANGE BY CONTACTING TONY DEVENNEY 07531 461366

HOLY WATER IS NOW AVAILABLE, PLEASE BRING YOUR OWN BOTTLE OR PURCHASE ONE FROM PIETY – A STEWARD WILL FILL THE BOTTLE FOR YOU.

LUCKY SQUARE – THREE CASH PRIZES OF £25, £12 AND £7.  
PLEASE NOTE THE DRAW WILL BE MADE ON THE 3<sup>RD</sup> 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.

## PARISH NEWS:

**CHURCH CLEAN:** AFTER MASS ON FRIDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY – ANY HELP WOULD BE VERY MUCH APPRECIATED, THANK YOU.



### **WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE: 16<sup>TH</sup> – 20<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2022**

**THERE ARE A FEW PLACES REMAINING FOR THIS PILGRIMAGE, IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, PLEASE CONTACT PAT MORRIS 021 556 0705 FOR FURTHER DETAILS.**

**PLEASE NOTE THAT DUE TO CURRENT RESTRICTIONS SCHOOL MASSES HAVE BEEN SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE. THURSDAY MASSES WILL BE IN CHURCH.**

### **HOLY SOULS:**

**PLEASE PLACE MASS OFFERINGS FOR THE HOLY SOULS WEEKLY MASS IN THE WALL BOX IN THE OUTER PORCH. THANK YOU.**

**COFFEE & TEAS AFTER MASS - IN THE CHURCH HALL ON SUNDAYS.**  
**TEA/COFFEE & TOAST - IN THE CHURCH HALL AFTER MASS ON THURSDAY MORNINGS. ALL ARE WELCOME – EVEN IF YOU HAVEN'T ATTENDED MASS.**  
**STRICT SAFETY MEASURES ARE IN PLACE.**



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**