

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, and those that care for them. *Theresa Adams, Pauline Agg, Sheila Cooney, Bridget Cooper, Joan Dixon, Sean Hooper, Barbara Jarvis, Michelle Price, Veronica Smith, Pat Wilkins.*

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of PEGGY O'CONNELL RIP & MARIA O'BRYANT RIP both recently deceased, and for the souls of the faithfully departed whose Anniversaries occur in JUNE: †

Martha Abbotts, Anthony Burns, Jenny Clarke, Patrick Cooney, Margaret Davis, Jean Dixon, Adrian Evans, Patrick Evans, Sarah Fobka, Baby Daisy Fraser-Bacon, Baby Lily Fraser-Bacon, Carl Furnival, Mary Giles, Albert Green, Ronald Harrison, Fr Stephen Johnson (former PP), John Henry McNally, Anthony Mumford, Francis Peach, Joel Richards, Maureen Smith, Norman Speake, Dave Wallett.

FUNERALS:

Margaret (Peggy) O'Connell RIP, 10am Requiem Mass Wednesday 3rd July

Maria O'Bryant RIP, 10.45am Funeral Service Monday 15th July

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

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

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

The flowers this week on Our Lady's Altar (for 27th June) are in celebration of Pat & Roy Husted's Diamond Wedding Anniversary

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

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

www.saintmaryswednesbury.org.uk Please note the cut-off is **Thursday 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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TWELTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

23RD JUNE 2024

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| Saturday Jun 22 | 5.00pm Mass (Sr Beryl Baxendale RIP) |
| <i>Feria</i> | |
| Sunday Jun 23 | 10.00am Mass (People of the Parish) |
| <i>12th Sunday of the Year</i> | |
| Monday Jun 24 | <u>NO MASS</u> |
| <i>Solemnity of the Nativity of St John the Baptist</i> | |
| Tuesday Jun 25 | <u>9.30am Holy Rosary</u> |
| <i>Feria</i> | 10.00am Mass (People of the Parish) |
| Wednesday Jun 26 | 10.00am Mass (for a friend of a Parishioner) |
| <i>Feria</i> | |
| Thursday Jun 27 | 10.00am Mass (Pat & Roy Husted Diamond Wedding Anniversary) |
| <i>Feria</i> | <u>Schoolchildren in Attendance</u> |
| Friday Jun 28 | <u>9.00am – 9.45am Adoration & Benediction</u> |
| <i>Mem of St Irenaeus, Bishop, Doctor of the Church, Martyr</i> | 10.00am Mass (for all the sick of our Parish and those in recovery) |
| Saturday Jun 29 | 5.00pm Mass (The Costley Family) |
| <i>Feria</i> | |
| Sunday Jun 30 | 10.00am Mass (Christopher Moran RIP) |
| <i>Solemnity of Ss Peter & Paul, Apostles</i> | |

PARISH NEWS:

RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION:

EVERYONE IS WELCOME TO RECEIVE COMMUNION. TO AID DISTRIBUTION, THOSE WHO RECEIVE IN THE HAND, PLEASE COME TO THE ALTAR FIRST, FOLLOWED BY THOSE WHO RECEIVE ON THE TONGUE. IF YOU WISH TO HAVE A BLESSING ONLY, PLEASE PUT YOUR HAND ACROSS YOUR CHEST AND I WILL GIVE YOU A BLESSING ONLY. THANK YOU. FR MICHAEL.

SAFEGUARDING: The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Mary Jones. She can be contacted at sg.stmaryoth.wednesbury@rcaob.org.uk or the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted at safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk or on 0121 230 6240 if you have any concern.

HEALTH & SAFETY MESSAGE:

PARISHIONERS ARE ADVISED TO TAKE CARE WHEN ACCESSING CHURCH AS THERE ARE POTENTIALLY A NUMBER OF TRIP HAZARDS WITH DAMAGED MORTAR AND SLABS. AS THERE ARE MANY JOBS, IT IS ON THE "TO DO" LIST. THANK YOU.

TEA/COFFEE & TOAST EVERY THURSDAY AFTER MASS. **PLEASE NOTE THIS WILL**

CONTINUE UNTIL END OF JUNE, THEN THERE WILL BE A SUMMER BREAK. RE-COMMENCING IN SEPTEMBER

TEA & COFFEE AFTER MASS ON SUNDAYS.

FOOD BANK: BOX IN PORCH PLEASE SUPPORT IF YOU CAN.

SIMPLE ADORATION OF THE BLESSED

SACRAMENT AND CONFESSIONS

BETWEEN 9.15AM AND 9.45AM

TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, AND

THURSDAY, WITH LATIN ADORATION, AND CONFESSION, AND BENEDICTION AS NORMAL ON A FRIDAY 9AM-9.45AM.

DIARY:

SUMMER FAIR: SATURDAY 29TH JUNE 11AM IN PARISH HALL
WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE:
8-12th July 2024

OUR LADY OF LOURDES:
HEDNESFORD: SUNDAY 7TH JULY
MASS 4PM

LEAVERS' MASS:
YR6 WEDNESDAY 17TH JULY 6PM
- ALL WELCOME

BINGO NIGHTS: START ON WED 17TH JULY AT 6.30PM IN THE PARISH HALL.

POETRY NIGHT: FRIDAY 26TH JULY 7PM IN PARISH HALL.

HARVINGTON HALL: SUNDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER MASS 3PM

LUCKY SQUARE:

Proceeds to Church & Hall Restoration Fund, 3 cash prizes, if you wish to join, please see Tracey. Thank you for your support of our Parish.

*June winners: 1st 60 A. Devenney
2nd 77 A. Devenney
3rd 15 K. Devenney*



CHILDREN'S LITURGY:

STARTS PROMPT AT 10AM, DOORS OPEN FROM 9.50AM.

EVERY WEEK, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTIFIED. HELD IN PARISH HALL

PLEASE NOTE THIS WILL CONTINUE THROUGHOUT THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS. GARY, CHRISTINE & JOE

PARISH NEWS:

Offertory: £331.10 (Week)

Attendance: 44 + 84 = 128

Day for Life: £76.57

Standing Orders: (MONTHLY): £710 (MAR) Thank you for your continued generosity.

This Weekend: Second Collection for the Church & Hall Restoration Fund

Next Weekend: Retiring Diocese Collection for Peters Pence

IMPORTANT NOTICE:

PLEASE NOTE THAT THE PARISH HALL WILL BE CLOSED FOR THE FIRST TWO WEEKS IN JULY FOR DECORATION.



Due to Popular demand, we will be hosting another Cream Tea afternoon some time in August - details to follow.

ORDINATION OF TWO NEW BISHOPS AT ST CHADS: TUES 16TH JULY 12 NOON
MGR TIMOTHY MENZIES & CANON RICHARD WALKER WILL BE ORDAINED ON TUESDAY 16TH JULY - DUE TO RESTRICTIONS ON SPACE, IT WILL NOT BE POSSIBLE FOR OPEN INVITATIONS BUT IT CAN BE LIVESTREAMED FROM THE CATHEDRAL WEBSITE. PLEASE KEEP THEM IN YOUR PRAYERS.

FR MICHAEL'S PERSONAL WEBSITE:
www.frmichaelvaughan.com

OUR LADY OF LOURDES
HEDNESFORD PILGRIMAGE - SUNDAY 7TH JULY
REFRESHMENTS AVAILABLE. 2.15-3.45PM CONFESSIONS
3PM ROSARY 4PM MASS & SACRAMENT OF THE SICK
CELEBRANT: ARCHBISHOP BERNARD LONGLEY



POETRY NIGHT: FRIDAY 26TH JULY 7PM IN THE PARISH HALL.
REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED (ANY DONATIONS WILL BE APPRECIATED).



BINGO WILL RE-COMMENCE ON WEDNESDAY 17TH JULY 6.30PM IN THE PARISH HALL. ALL WELCOME



SATURDAY 29TH JUNE
AT 11AM IN THE PARISH HALL. ADMISSION: 50P
ANY DONATIONS CAN BE LEFT IN THE CHURCH PORCH OR IN THE HALL. ANY HELP ON THE DAY WOULD BE APPRECIATED. CAKE DONATIONS NEEDED ON THE DAY PLEASE.