

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, Pat Wilkins.*

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of GRAHAM DAVIES RIP, CHRISTOPHER MORAN RIP & LEE MARTIN BREARLEY RIP, all recently deceased, and for the souls of the faithfully departed whose Anniversaries occur in May:

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

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:

Lee Martin Brearley RIP funeral service 12.30pm Wednesday 12th June
Christopher Moran RIP funeral service at Sandwell Valley Crematorium 12.30pm Thursday 20th June

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:

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



OUR LADY HELP OF CHRISTIANS PRAY FOR US
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SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

26TH MAY 2024

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| Saturday May 25 | 5.00pm Mass (People of the Parish) <i>Memorial of St Bede the Venerable, Doctor of the Church</i> |
| Sunday May 26 | 10.00am Mass (Fr James Ward RIP (10th Anniversary) <i>Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity</i> <i>27th May</i> |
| Monday May 27 | <u>NO MASS</u> <i>Feast of St Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop</i> |
| Tuesday May 28 | <u>NO HOLY ROSARY OR MASS</u> <i>Feria</i> |
| Wednesday May 29 | <u>NO MASS</u> <i>The Solemnity of Dedication</i> |
| Thursday May 30 | <u>NO MASS</u> <i>Feria</i> |
| Friday May 31 | <u>NO ADORATION & BENEDICTION OR MASS</u> <i>Feast of the Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i> |
| Saturday Jun 1 | 5.00pm Mass (Graham Davies RIP) <i>Memorial of St Justin, Martyr</i> |
| Sunday Jun 2 | 10.00am Mass (People of the Parish) <i>Solemnity of the Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ</i> <u>11.00am Adoration</u> <u>11.30 am Benediction</u> |

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.

TEA & COFFEE AFTER MASS ON SUNDAYS.

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

CHILDREN'S LITURGY:

EVERY WEEK, UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTIFIED. HELD IN PARISH HALL GARY, CHRISTINE & JOE

DIARY:

CONFIRMATIONS: THURS 6TH JUNE 6PM CANON PAUL MCNALLY, EPISCOPAL VICAR FOR STAFFORDSHIRE & THE BLACK COUNTRY
WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE: 8-12th July 2024
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.

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.

FR MICHAEL'S PERSONAL WEBSITE:

www.frmichaelvaughan.com

CHURCH CLEAN:

TUESDAY 4TH JUNE AFTER MASS
MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK – IF YOU COULD SPARE AN HR TO HELP US, WE WOULD BE VERY GRATEFUL.
THANK YOU.

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

PARISH NEWS:

Offertory: £365.27 (Week)

Attendance: 45 + 228 (FHC) = 273

Standing Orders: (MONTHLY):

£710 (MAR) Thank you for your continued generosity.

Church & Hall Restoration Fund: £332.85

COULD WE KINDLY ASK PLEASE IF YOU ARE USING THE HALL, WHEN LEAVING COULD YOU PLEASE CHECK THAT ALL DOORS ARE LOCKED AND LIGHTS ARE SWITCHED OFF. THANK YOU.

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO ORGANISED, HELPED AND SUPPORTED THE CREAM TEAS. WE RAISED £223.50 FOR THE CHURCH & HALL RESTORATION FUND.

GIFT AID:

WOULD YOU CONSIDER BEING A GIFT AIDER? THE CHURCH CAN RECLAIM 25P FOR EVERY £1 YOU GIVE, FROM THE TAX YOU HAVE ALREADY PAID. THIS IS A GREAT FORM OF EXTRA INCOME FOR YOUR CHURCH. YOU OR YOUR PARTNER CAN GIVE WHAT YOU WANT, WHEN YOU WANT. ENVELOPES OR STANDING ORDER, IF YOU ARE INTERESTED, FORMS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE CHURCH PORCH, OR SEE CATE.

ON THURSDAY EVENING 6TH JUNE

WE WELCOME TO ST MARY'S CANON PAUL MCNALLY WHO IS THE EPISCOPAL VICAR FOR STAFFORDSHIRE & THE BLACK COUNTRY, TO ADMINISTER THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION TO OUR YR6 PUPILS OF ST MARY'S SCHOOL. ALL ARE WELCOME TO ATTEND. MASS 6PM

CLERGY TRAINING FUND

IF ANYONE IS INTERESTED IN SUPPORTING THE TRAINING OF OUR FUTURE PRIESTS, PLEASE SEE CATE FOR ENVELOPES FOR THE CLERGY TRAINING FUND. YOU CAN GIVE WHAT YOU WANT AND WHEN YOU WANT. THANK YOU.

THE HOLY TRINITY

