

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

Kevin Aldridge, Mary Sheila Cashmore (Noon), Sheila Cooney, Terry Dixon,
Fr Michael Doherty, Lorraine Haken, Eileen Hall, Carl Hickman, Sean Hooper,
Barbara Jarvis, Michelle Price, Matthew Pritchett, Rose Ratcliffe, Glen Smickersgill,
Dave Wallett, Moya Wells, Pat Wilkins, Dawn Wood.

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of MAUREEN LEWIS RIP,
JOAN SMITH RIP & MARIE ANGELL RIP all recently deceased, and for the souls of
the faithfully departed whose anniversaries occur in MARCH:† (Please give Fr Paul details
of any additions to the list)

Lino Advantaggiato, Rev Canon Stuart Bathurst (built our Church), Lileth Biggs, Cecilia
Bridgwater, William Alfred Davies, Margaret Davies, Harold Davis, Monica Green,
Marjorie Harrison, Dorothy Ilsley, Theresa Ingamels, James Mason, Rev George
Montgomery (Founder of our Church), Thomas Moran, Pop Pallet, Albert Peach,
Maureen Peach, Michael Leonard Peach, David Severn, Monica Severn, Catherine Varley,
Elvira Watson, Terry & Jenny Wilks, Canon Brian Withers (former PP)

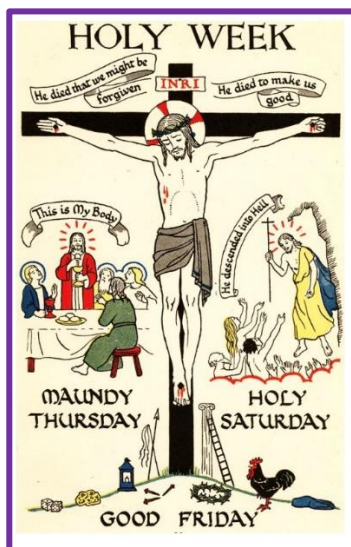
The Altar of Our Lady and the Sacred Heart – to have the candle lamp burn for your
intentions or loved ones for the week - £10 - please see Fr Paul or Cate.

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

Maureen Peach RIP (Anniversary) (27th)

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

For all our Stewards & Sanitisers



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



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

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Parish Priest: Fr Paul Lester

PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD

28TH MARCH 2021

HOLY WEEK

- Saturday Mar 27 5.00pm Mass (People of the Parish)
Sunday Mar 28 10.00am Mass (William of Glasshampton RIP – Anniversary)
Bookings only ** 11.30am Traditional Latin Mass
for 10am Mass
- Tuesday Mar 30 10.00am Stations of the Cross followed by Mass
(Canon Brian Withers RIP – Anniv - 31st March - former Parish Priest)
- Thursday Apr 1 6.00pm Mass (Leslie Wright RIP)
Maundy Thursday - Mass of the Lord's Supper
- Friday Apr 2 3.00pm The Lord's Passion **FULLY BOOKED**
Good Friday
- Saturday Apr 3 6.00pm Vigil Mass (Molly Forester RIP) Bookings only
Sunday Apr 4 10.00am Mass (People of the Parish) **FULLY BOOKED**
Solemnity of the Resurrection of the Lord ** 11.30am Traditional Latin Mass
- USUAL PROCEDURES WILL BE FOLLOWED RE HOLY COMMUNION ON THE HAND ONLY,
SANITISING, STEWARDS, ONE-WAY SYSTEM, FACE COVERINGS TO BE WORN, SOCIAL
DISTANCING AT ALL TIMES ETC. PLEASE NOTE THAT THE TOILETS ARE NOT IN USE. DUE
TO THE CURRENT RESTRICTIONS BAPTISMS & WEDDINGS ARE SUSPENDED UNTIL FURTHER
NOTICE.**
- PLEASE KEEP TO THE 2 METRE DISTANCING AT ALL TIMES (INSIDE AND OUTSIDE OF
CHURCH) - STAY SAFE.**
- ** Please note that Holy Communion WILL NOT be given at this Mass while the current
guidelines are in force** These Masses will be at the Sacred Heart Altar**

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.



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

YOUR PARISH STILL NEEDS YOUR HELP FINANCIALLY.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO CONSIDER SETTING UP A STANDING ORDER, PLEASE CONTACT CATE ON 07773 712936 IF ANYONE HAS ANY ENVELOPES THEY WOULD LIKE COLLECTING, PLEASE CONTACT CATE TO ARRANGE. THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROUS SUPPORT AT THIS TIME.

IF YOU WISH TO PURCHASE ANYTHING FROM PIETY, PLEASE ARRANGE BY CONTACTING TONY DEVENNEY 07531 461366 PLEASE NOTE PIETY IS CLOSED DURING HOLY WEEK.

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.

MARCH WINNERS: 1ST 89 M. Green 2ND 3 W. Smith 3RD P. Bradley
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.



EASTER FLOWERS:

IF ANYONE WOULD LIKE TO BOOK FLOWERS FOR A SPECIFIC INTENTION AT EASTER, OR MAKE A DONATION TO THE EASTER FLOWERS, PLEASE SEE ANNE OR CATE TO ARRANGE.

PLEASE CHECK THE WEBSITE FOR REGULAR UPDATES!

The website is regularly updated and the newsletter is on usually every Thursday or Friday. www.saintmaryswednesbury.org.uk Please note the cut-off is Wednesday lunchtime

PARISH NEWS:

EASTER SERVICES WILL BE:

PALM SUNDAY 10AM, MAUNDY THURSDAY 6PM, GOOD FRIDAY 3PM, EASTER VIGIL 6PM, EASTER SUNDAY 10AM.

PLEASE NOTE THE FOLLOWING WILL BE BOOKINGS ONLY, PALM SUNDAY, GOOD FRIDAY, EASTER VIGIL & EASTER SUNDAY. PLEASE NOTE THAT GOOD FRIDAY & EASTER SUNDAY ARE NOW FULLY BOOKED. If you have booked and cannot attend for whatever reason, please let Cate know ASAP because someone else can have the place. Thank you.

THE SAME PROCEDURE AS CHRISTMAS WILL BE FOLLOWED: A SEATING PLAN WILL BE DRAWN UP, PLEASE ALLOW PLENTY OF TIME TO BE SEATED BEFORE MASS, ONE WAY SYSTEM, ALL LEAVING AFTER HOLY COMMUNION OR BLESSING BY FR PAUL.

ON PALM SUNDAY, PALMS WILL BE GIVEN OUT AT THE EXIT, AND ON GOOD FRIDAY A BASKET IS PROVIDED FOR HOLY PLACES DONATIONS.

PLEASE NOTE: COULD YOU PLEASE ARRANGE TO PURCHASE ANY REQUISITES YOU NEED FOR EASTER FROM THE PIETY AS THE PIETY WILL BE CLOSED FOR HOLY WEEK, RE-OPENING AFTER EASTER.

THE OFFERTORY AT EASTER IS YOUR GIFT TO YOUR PARISH PRIEST.

CONFESSIONS DURING HOLY WEEK: FR PAUL WILL BE IN CHURCH TO HEAR CONFESSIONS (IN THE SACRISTY):

GOOD FRIDAY: 11.00AM-12NOON & 2.00PM-2.30PM

HOLY SATURDAY: 2.00PM-3.00PM

ALSO AVAILABLE BEFORE MASSES AS DETAILED BELOW.



CONFESSIONS: FR PAUL IS AVAILABLE FOR CONFESSIONS BEFORE EVERY MASS – COULD YOU PLEASE ALLOW TIME BEFORE MASS, IF YOU INFORM A STEWARD WHEN YOU COME IN FOR MASS THEY WILL DIRECT YOU TO FR IN THE SACRISTY, CONFESSION WILL IN PRIVATE AND SOCIAL DISTANCING, A NOTICE WILL BE PLACED ON THE DOOR. THANK YOU.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS:

SATURDAY 26TH JUNE Y4 AND SATURDAY 10TH JULY Y3

ANY CHILD NOT ATTENDING A CATHOLIC SCHOOL WHO WOULD LIKE TO JOIN THE CHILDREN WHO ARE MAKING THEIR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION, MUST GIVE THEIR DETAILS OF BAPTISM ETC TO FR PAUL FOR ENROLMENT.