

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.

*Theresa Adams, Pauline Agg, Sheila Cooney, Margaret Cooper, Chris Dickens,
Joan & Terry Dixon, Frances Groves, Sean Hooper, Barbara Jarvis, Norma Jeynes,
Michelle Price, Dave Wallett, Moya Wells, Pat Wilkins.*

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the souls of BISHOP DAVID McGOUGH RIP and OLIVE MELLINGS RIP both recently deceased and for the souls of the faithfully departed whose anniversaries occur in APRIL †

Elsie Basford, Fr Timothy Burke, Malcolm Black, Agnes Brown, Brian Callaghan, Tegwen Devenney, Agnes Davies, William Haken, Anne Jennings, Paul & Yvonne Laffan, Josie Langan, Gerard Mason, Bishop Leo McCartie, Edna McNally, Agnes Mary Moran, Michael Mullins, Michael O'Connor, Clarice May Peach, Marion Turner.

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 Fr Paul or Cate.

The candle lamps on Our Lady's Altar burn this week for:

Gary, Margaret & Pamela Piddock RIP

Deceased Members of the Mason & Maddox Families RIP

The candle lamps on the Sacred Heart Altar burn this week for:

Olwen & Frank Borg RIP

Dominic Chapman RIP (1st Anniversary)

Tegwen & Patrick Devenney RIP

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 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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SOLEMNITY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

9TH APRIL 2023

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| Saturday Apr 8 | 11.30am Polish Blessing of Food |
| Holy Saturday | 8.00pm Easter Vigil Mass (<i>Dec'd Members of the Sambrooks Family RIP</i>) |
| Sunday Apr 9 | 10.00am Mass (<i>Mollie & Albert Diggett RIP</i>) 11.30am Traditional Latin Mass (<i>People of the Parish</i>) |
| Monday Apr 10 | NO MASS |
| Tuesday Apr 11 | <u>9.30am Holy Rosary</u> 10.00am Mass (<i>Anne Jennings RIP - Anniversary 12th April</i>) |
| Wednesday Apr 12 | 10.00am Mass (<i>Vicki Joan Tate RIP – 1st Anniversary</i>) |
| Thursday Apr 13 | 10.00am Mass (<i>Holy Souls</i>) |
| Friday Apr 14 | <u>9.00am-9.45am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</u> 10.00am Mass (<i>Ints of Pat & Bob Connelly</i>) |
| Saturday Apr 15 | <u>Baptism -1pm – Jesse Shay Walker</u> 5.00pm Mass (<i>Bill Allcock RIP- Birthday Remembrance</i>) |
| Sunday Apr 16 | 10.00am Mass (<i>People of the Parish</i>) |
| 2 nd Sunday of Easter | 11.30am Traditional Latin Mass (<i>Rose & Henry Shinton RIP</i>) |

PARISH NEWS:

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY FAMILY CATECHISM:

A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY FOR CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES TO LEARN THE CATHOLIC FAITH TOGETHER ACCORDING TO THE CLASSIC BALTIMORE CATECHISM PLEASE VISIT: www.olrfamilycatechism.com

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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

BAPTISMS:

BAPTISMS CAN NO LONGER BE BOOKED OVER THE PHONE OR VIA EMAIL, IF YOU WISH YOUR CHILD TO BE BAPTISED AT ST. MARY'S, PLEASE ATTEND MASS AND SEE FR PAUL IN PERSON EITHER BEFORE OR AFTER MASS.

FOOD BANK: THERE IS A BOX IN THE CHURCH PORCH FOR ANY DONATIONS OF TINNED OR DRIED FOODS, TOILETRIES ETC WHICH WILL BE GRATEFULLY RECEIVED. THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT IN THIS TIME OF NEED

The Guild of St Clare meetings are held every 4th Saturday at 11am in the Hall, preceded by Mass at 10am. All welcome. For more info contact Julie on: julieroberts1708@hotmail.com

TEA/COFFEE & TOAST EVERY THURSDAY AFTER MASS.
TEA & COFFEE AFTER MASS ON SUNDAYS.

DIARY:

CHILDREN'S LITURGY:

7th May, 4th June, and 2nd July
CREAM TEAS: Coronation Day
Saturday 6th May 2.30pm in the
Parish Hall – more details later
WALSINGHAM 2023:

22ND – 26TH MAY

FIRST HOLY COMMUNIONS:

SUNDAY 11TH JUNE 10AM MASS

CONFIRMATIONS:

TUESDAY 13TH JUNE 7PM

PARISH MEETING:

WEDNESDAY 14TH JUNE 6PM IN
PARISH HALL

PARISHIONERS CAN GO UP FOR HOLY COMMUNION IN ANY ORDER – LIKE PRE-COVID - BUT WE WILL RESPECTFULLY ASK THAT ANYONE RECEIVING ON THE TONGUE TO PLEASE GO UP LAST. THE STEWARDS WILL BE THERE AT WEEKEND MASSES TO HELP YOU IF NEEDED.

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. 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.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: 10AM MASS

RUN BY TERESA & ANNA MULLINS. ALL WELCOME, PLEASE BRING YOUR CHILDREN TO ENJOY AND LEARN, BUT MAY WE PLEASE ASK YOU TO BE PROMPT BEFORE MASS COMMENCES. THANK YOU. SEE DATES UNDER "DIARY"

PARISH NEWS:

Offertory: £295.50 (Week)

Attendance: 150

STANDING ORDERS (MONTHLY) £690

Thank you for your continued generosity. *The Easter Offering is for your Parish Priest.*

THANK YOU TO ALL THE CLEANERS WHO PREPARED THE CHURCH FOR EASTER.

PARISH MEETING:

WEDNESDAY 14TH JUNE AT

6PM IN THE PARISH HALL –

ALL PARISHIONERS WELCOME.

CREAM TEAS CORONATION

DAY:

SATURDAY 6TH MAY 2.30PM IN
THE PARISH HALL – MORE
DETAILS LATER.

FR PAUL'S EASTER

MESSAGE:

THANK YOU ALL FOR ALL YOUR KINDNESS AND SUPPORT IN MAKING OUR PARISH A PLACE OF PRAYER AND WELCOME. IN SUPPORTING EACH OTHER YOU CAN TAKE PRIDE IN OWNING YOUR PARISH, AND LOOK FORWARD TO THE FUTURE IN HOPE. MAY THE JOY AND PEACE OF THE RISEN LORD BE WITH YOU. FR PAUL.



EASTER FLOWERS:

MAIN ALTAR: (TOP):

In Memory of the Sambrooks Family RIP

(FRONT): In Memory of the Devenney & Lambley Families RIP

OUR LADY'S ALTAR:

In Memory of Eileen Mole RIP, Joshua Clarke RIP & Terry Wellings RIP

SACRED HEART ALTAR:

In Memory of Derek Wilkins RIP
ST PADRE PIO:

In Memory of the Mason & Maddox Families RIP

ST PATRICK'S WINDOW:

In Memory of Ken Baxter RIP

LOURDES WINDOW:

In Memory of Frank & Olwen Borg RIP

OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM:

In Memory of the Alexander & Knowles Families

ST. JOSEPH:

In Memory of the Scott Family RIP

ST TERESA:

Carless & Spray Family for health & wellbeing

MARRIAGE AT CANA WINDOW:

For former Parish Priests of St Mary's
ST ANTHONY:

In Memory of William & May Nickless RIP

JESUS & THE CHILDREN WINDOW:

In Memory of the Williams & Withers Families RIP

LAST SUPPER WINDOW:

In Memory of the Sedgwick & Butler Families RIP

THANK YOU TO ALL WHO SO

GENEROUSLY CONTRIBUTED TO THE CHURCH FLOWERS FOR EASTER.

THANK YOU TO ANNE & HER TEAM FOR ARRANGING THE FLOWERS & DECORATING THE CHURCH.