

Parish Lottery Winners

Saturday 21st January 2024 Week No: 08 Bonus Ball: 18 Thunder Ball: 6
 £150 will be divided between: M Gargan, F Lindsay, N Furey, B Hurley, B O'Neill (each receive £30.00)
 There was no winner of the Thunder Ball. Amount to be won next week £100.

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre - What's On

Live Sport

Saturday GAA Football: Mayo v Galway 7.30pm

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Roscommon v Tyrone 1.30pm Donegal v Kerry 2.00pm

FA Cup: Brighton v Liverpool 1.30pm Wrexham v Sheffield Utd 4.30pm

Wednesday Evenings: Bingo 7.30pm

Thursday Evenings: Music Group 7.00pm

The centre is available for Funeral Wakes, Baptism Celebrations,

Birthday parties, Charity Events, Weddings etc

To book a function contact Adam McSharry, Parish Centre Manager

07434 667695 or 0121 443 2199

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Help the Homeless Thank you for your donations so far, we still require hats, scarves, glove. Please drop off at the presbytery or give to a steward in the church. Please do not just leave bags in the church.

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Readers	Weekend 29th January	Weekend 5th February
6.00pm	J Silvey, M Moran	L Mockler, Y Brennan
9.00am	I Harley, A Parker	C Martin, B Martin
11.00am	R Wood, E Keating	D Thompson, S Harkin
Counting	M Hannon, A Hannon	P Fitzpatrick, P Fitzpatrick
Church Cleaning	Saturday 4th February at 8.30am	Thursday 16th February at 9.30am
	Team A: S McGrath, P&C McDonald, C Hayden, A Treacy, E Sullivan	Team B: A Parker, K Watt, P Oldacres, C Chinn, J Gallon, E McBride



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Parish Safeguarding Officers: Marie Sullivan - 0121 430 3955 Lorraine Freeman - 07932438564

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time - 29th January 2023

Masses this Week

Sat 28th Jan	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Hayes & Taylor family Intentions Special Intention David Flanagan Maggie Roberts (Anniv) Eamonn Murphy RIP Martin Lynch (Anniv) Con & Mary Sullivan (Anniv)
Sun 29th Jan	9.00am	Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Jack Johnson, Finley & Samuel Butler, Thomas Stewart (Babbs Mill Lake Boys RIP and their families intentions)
	11.00am		Deceased of Kiely family John Gorevan RIP Rian family Chris Phelan (Anniv) Clive Parsons (Anniv) Brendan Feron (Anniv) Kathleen Donnelly (Anniv)
Mon 30th Jan	9.00am		Deceased of the Lynch family
Tue 31st Jan	9.00am	St John Bosco	Jerry Murphy RIP
Wed 1st Feb	10.00am		Requiem: Ann O'Brien
Thu 2nd Feb	9.15am	Feast of the Presentation of the Lord	Mary Lavelle RIP
Fri 3rd Feb	9.00am 12 noon	St Blaise	George and Marie Maxwell Requiem: Maureen Hill
Sat 4th Feb	10.00am 6.00pm	Vigil Mass	People of the Parish Maureen Hill RIP Private Intention Fr Terence McGuckin Ints, George & Kathleen McGuckin Elsie & Catherine Kelly (Anniv) Robert Emmett (Anniv) Anne Davis RIP (Birthday)
Sun 5th Feb	9.00am 11.00am	Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Martin Corrigan (Anniv) Gareth Kesterton (L/D) Paddy Sheerin (Anniv) Christopher Carroll (20th Anniv) Eamon Fagan RIP

4th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Parish Mass Book: p130

Response to Psalm:

How happy are the poor in spirit;
theirs is the kingdom of heaven.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!
Blessed are you, Father,
Lord of heaven and earth,
for revealing the mysteries of the
kingdom to mere children.
Alleluia!

Pope's Prayer Intention for February: For parishes

We pray that parishes, placing communion at the centre, may increasingly become communities of faith, fraternity and welcome towards those most in need.

Thursday is the Feast of the Presentation of the Lord Mass at 9.15am (School Mass)

Friday is the Feast of St Blaise The Blessing of throats will take place after the 9.00am Mass.

St Vincent De Paul Follow up meeting this Tuesday (31st Jan) at 7.00pm in the Parish Centre. If you were unable to attend the initial meeting and are interested in the SVP please come along.

First Holy Communion Preparation Meeting The initial meeting for parents and children will take place this Thursday (2nd Feb) at 6.30pm in the church. Parents of children attending schools other than our parish school please also attend. Children are also to attend 11am Mass next Sunday 5th February.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Saturday 10.30am -11.30am.

Confessions Saturday 10.45am - 11.30am and 5.15pm - 5.45pm.

Baptism Preparation Meeting The next meeting will be on Tuesday 7th February at 7.30pm in the church. Parents and Godparents are to attend.

Sacrament of Baptism We welcome into God's family **Eliza Rose Fox-Kent** and **Freya Diana Miller** who were Baptised at Our Lady of Lourdes last weekend.

The Retiring Collection taken towards the cost of the Walk With Me books raised £327.80. Thank you.

Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes/Parish Patronal Feast - Saturday 11th Feb
To celebrate the special parish feast day we will celebrate Mass & Anointing of the sick at 12 noon.

Thank you to all who attended the quiz night in aid of HCPT. £561.00 was raised. The next quiz will be on Friday 17th February at 8.30pm in the Parish Centre.

Rethink Abortion Training Day: Saturday 4th Feb, 10am - 5pm (optional Mass at 9am). An interactive event equipping you to talk about abortion in a meaningful and productive way in your everyday life. Venue: Oscott College, Birmingham B73 5AA. Lunch and refreshments provided, cost per person £25. Booking required. Find our more and book your place at marchforlife.co.uk

Marriage Care - Volunteers needed Catholic Marriage Care are looking for Marriage Preparation Facilitators in the Birmingham Team to present and facilitate courses for engaged couples. If you are interested, please contact Christina - birmingham.admin@marriagecare.org Find out more how you can help support couples and families at: www.marriagecare.org.uk or email volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk

Pray for the sick - Margaret Barron, Vincent Barron, Pat Berns, Eddie Byrne, Peggy Byrne, Kitty Carroll, Rita Carroll, Giovanna Casserley, Isabelle Chester, Pat Clarke, William Coniry, Simon Coulson, Jennifer Cox, Ann Desmond, Bridget Doherty, Josie Douglas, Michael Doyle, Amber Durrant, Mary (Ria) Finglas, Tom Finnerty, Margaret Flavin, Mary Fleming, Kevin Foley, Patricia Freeman, Christopher Geraghty, Mary Gilligan, Chloe Glendall, Bryan Grogan, Carmel Haines, Martina Hand, Patrick Harte, Dan Healy, Finbar Herron, Anne Holland, Ray Holton, Norman Hubbleday, Jason Hughes, Marie Hume, Baby Rosie Keating, Alan Kelly, Michael Kilgallen, Brian Kirk, Barbara Kopieczek, Maureen Maloney, Adrian Mannion, Mary Mazurkiewicz, Michael McAleer, John McCaul, Helena McCaughey, Anne McGarvey, Gemma McGeown, Francis McGillion, Pat McGlone, Kathleen McInerney, John McNicholas, Ann Moffitt, Mary Morgan, Danny Mulholland, James Murphy, John Murphy, Denis Murray, Michael Noga, Siobhan O'Connell, Margaret O'Grady, Baby John Thomas O'Neill, Mary Pender, Doug Prosser, John Shryane, Simon Spillane, Mary Spratt, Julie Swinscoe, Nadine Terry, Vincent Tierney, Baby Daisy Williams



Lately Dead:

Ann O'Brien (Doris Rd) Requiem Wednesday 1st Feb 10.00am Reception 31st Jan at 5.00pm
John 'Sean' Reilly (Connaught Hse) Funeral at Robin Hood Thursday 2nd February at 12 noon
Barbara Dixon (Chapel Lane, Wythall) Funeral at Robin Hood Thursday 2nd February at 1.00pm
Maureen Hill (Sister of Vera McAlinden) Requiem Friday 3rd February at 12 noon
Eileen Connelly (Adria Road) Memorial Mass on Wednesday 8th February at 2.00pm.
Eileen Garvey (formerly of Doveridge Road) Funeral Thursday 9th February at 12.30pm
Margaret 'Greta' Fowler (Doris Road) Requiem Friday 10th February at 10.30am
Nancy Duggan (Tandy Court) Funeral at Robin Hood Monday 13th February at 11.00am
Joseph O'Neill (Allenscroft Rd) Requiem Tuesday 14th Feb at 11.00am Reception Monday 13th 6.00pm
Edward Murphy (Pembroke Way) Requiem Wednesday 15th Feb at 12 noon Reception Tue 14th 7pm
Patricia Anne Harold (Glastonbury Road) Requiem Wednesday 22nd February at 11.00am
Russell Challenor (Cole Valley Road) Requiem Monday 27th February at 11.00am
John McGahey (New Rd, Solihull) Requiem Friday 3rd March at 11.00am
Michael Gavigan (Kings Heath) **April Power** (Oakcroft Road)
Canon Garry Byrne (Priest of St Joseph the Worker, Bidford upon Avon)
Please pray for the family of Baby Finlay-James Gamsby Mass of the Angels will be celebrated for Baby Finlay on Tuesday 21st February at 12.15pm.



Anniversaries: 29th Jan - 4th Feb: Martin Barrett, Joan Ryan, Nicholas Garvey, Bridget Barrett, Baby Valentine Anthony Carroll-Sheehan, Christopher Murphy, John Smith, John Beale, Gerald Harris, Patrick Cunningham, Gertrude Tandy, Rosanna Cummings, Clive Cook, Mary Sullivan, Maureen Mannion, Martin Lynch, Peter Treacy, Vera Mayhew, Robert Emmett, John O'Reilly, Mary Lowe, Francis Leek, Christopher Tancred, Florence Smith, Martin Dirrane, Deborah McCone, Joseph Loftus, Mary Bonneville, Barbara McVeigh, Patrick Conaghan, Malcolm Haynes, Edith Connolly, Joe McGrath, Elsie Kelly, Michael Caffery, John Edwards

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