

Parish Lottery Winners

Saturday 4th Dec 2021 Week No: 1 Bonus Ball 47 Thunder Ball 6

£150 will be divided between: Billy Power, Chris Seeney, Pat McGlone, Pat Sadowski (each receive £37.50) There was no winner of the Thunder Ball.

Amount to be won next week £450



OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre: Opening Times this week

Sunday: 12 noon - 8.00pm

Wednesday, Thursday, Friday: 7.00pm - 11.00pm

Saturday: 5.00pm - 11.00pm

What's On this week

Sunday 12th:

Live Premier League Football from 2.00pm

Wednesday: Bingo 7.30pm

Thursday: Music Group 7.00pm

Boxing night: Live music

"The McGraths"

8:45pm-late. free entry

(open 7.30pm)



New Year's Eve: Live Music

"The Hurling Boys"

9pm-late (£10 per ticket) including light buffet.

Please contact the Parish Centre Manager, Adam McSharry -

07434 667695

if you wish to make a booking. Bar open late for private functions.

Third Sunday of Advent - 12th December



Masses this Week

Sat 11th Dec	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	John Kielty (Anniv) Michael Reidy (Months Mind)	Ann Ffrench (Anniv)
Sun 12th Dec	9.00am	Third Sunday of Advent	Paddy Coyne (Anniv) Deceased of Towey & Collins families	Catherine Whelan (Anniv)
	11.00am		Martin Monaghan RIP Mary Houston (Months Mind) Thanksgiving (JC)	Eileen Slattery RIP
Mon 13th Dec	9.00am	St Lucy	Pat & Kate Finglass RIP John Quang & Paul The (Anniv)	
Tue 14th Dec	9.0am	St John of the Cross	Nicola Crehan Intentions	
	12.15pm		Requiem: Mary Smith	
Wed 15th Dec	9.00am		Olivia Hume (1st Anniv) Simon Oldacres (Anniv)	
	12 noon		Requiem: Mavis Milner	
Thur 16th Dec	9.00am		Special Intention	
	1.00pm		Requiem: Maurice Hartnett	
Fri 17th Dec	9.00am		People of the Parish	
	12 noon		Requiem: Veronica Smith	
Sat 18th Dec	10.00am		Philip & Jean Brady (Anniv)	
	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Margaret Teresa Reilly (1st Anniv) Sr Mary Roache & dec'd of Tunney/Roache families Owen Grant (Anniv) Winston Davies (Anniv) George & Kathleen McGuckin (Anniv)	
Sun 19th Dec	9.00am	Fourth Sunday of Advent	Sr Sabina Staff (Anniv) James Fahy (Anniv)	
	11.00am		Peter Bennett RIP Michael Burke (Months Mind) Eddie Breslin (Anniv) Thanksgiving (JC)	John Gorevan RIP Caroline Power (Anniv)

Third Sunday of Advent

Response to Psalm:

Sing and shout for joy for great in your midst is the Holy One of Israel

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

The spirit of the Lord has been given to me.

He has sent me to bring good news to the poor.

Alleluia!

Please note Mass on Thursday 16th December will not be a public Mass.

This will be a school Mass and may be watched by parents and parishioners via the livestream

Today is the Third Sunday of Advent

Today we light the 3rd candle on the advent wreath for *Joy* " If anyone has two tunics he must share with the man who has none, and the one with something to eat must do the same." *Luke 3:11*

Gracious God

we thank you for your gifts, teach us to trust you

more than possessions or wealth.

Give us generous hearts, Inspire us to share what we have, and work for justice, so that all people may flourish and live in dignity. Amen (taken from cafod.org.uk/advertcalendar)

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

on Saturdays 10.30am to 11.30am.

Retiring Collection last weekend for Poor Parishes of the Diocese raised £307.03. Thank you

Piety Shop Christmas stock now available, Christmas Mass bouquets, cards, candles, calendars, advent calendars, diaries etc.

Advent Confessions

There will be no Penitential Services in the Deanery this year, instead the priest of each parish in the Deanery will hear confessions on Friday 17th December between 5.30pm - 7.00pm. There will of course be the regular Saturday confessions 10.30am - 11.30am & 5.15pm - 5.45pm.

Advent Carol Service - Sunday 19th December 6.00pm in the church. Please join us afterwards for mulled wine and mince pies in the Parish Centre.

Quiz Night Friday 17th December at 8.30pm in the Parish Centre. Proceeds will go to charity. All welcome.

Altar Servers Albs Could parents of our Altar Servers please arrange to take home and wash their alb in readiness for Christmas. Thank you.

Church Cleaning in preparation for Christmas will take place on Monday 20th at 9.30am and Wednesday 22nd 7.00pm. If you are able to help at all please come along at either time.

Christmas Masses

Christmas Eve: 3.00pm 5.00pm 8.00pm

Christmas Day: 9.00am 11.00am

A booking system will be in place for all these Masses. You will be able to book in person before/ after 6.00pm Vigil Mass this Saturday and before/after 9.00am and 11.00am Masses this Sunday. **Please do not phone or email to make a booking.**

Pray for the sick - Pat Berns, Frances Bigby, Daniel Breen, Eddie Byrne, Peggy Byrne, Giovanna Casserley, Isabella Chester, Pat Clarke, William Coniry, Jennifer Cox, Bridget Doherty, Mary Dolan, Josie Douglas, Michael Doyle, Mary (Ria) Finglas, Mary Fleming, Kevin Foley, Patricia Freeman, Robert Gallon, Christopher Geraghty, Mary Gilligan, Baby Chloe Glendall, Terea Griffin, Bryan Grogan, Carmel Haines, Martina Hand, Dan Healy, Finbar Herron, Anne Holland, Ray Holton, Norman Hubbleday, Jason Hughes, Marie Hume, Brian Kirk, Josephine Kirk, Barbara Kopieczek, Kathleen MacInerny, Maureen Maloney, Adrian Mannion, Mary Mazurkiewicz, Michael McAleer, Ellen McLeod, Ann Moffitt, Andrew Morgan, Mary Morgan, James Murphy, John Murphy, Michael Noga, Siobhan O'Connell, Margaret O'Grady, Mary Pender, Doug Prosser, Martin Ryan, Frank Sadio, John Shryane, Janette Smyth, Rosemary Smyth, Simon Spillane, Mary Spratt, Cath Street, Julie Swinscoe, Nadine Terry, John Wilson



Lately Dead:

Mary Smith (Severne Road - Requiem Tuesday 14th Dec 12.15pm Reception Monday 7.00pm)
Mavis Milner (Priory Road - Requiem Wednesday 15th Dec 12 noon)
Maurice Hartnett (Baldwins Lane Requiem Thursday 16th Dec 1.00pm Reception Weds 6.00pm)
Veronica Smith (Clifton Green - Requiem Friday 17th December at 12 noon)
Liam Fallon (Hockley Heath - Requiem Tuesday 21st December at 11.00am)
Michael Coyne (Acheson Road - Requiem Thursday 23rd December at 1.30pm)
Gary Collins (formerly of Sherwood Road) Douglas Harrison (Highgate)



Anniversaries: 12th - 18th Dec: Harry Doran, Hughina Byrne, John Conlon, Desmond Cowan, Theresa Clift, Irene Rice, Baby Amelia Lloyd, Agnes Mazurkiewicz, Joe Douglas, Lucy Currie, Fr Cyril Barlow, Mary Brady, Teresa Lovell, Irene Cassidy, Annette McGeever, Richard Carlton, Robert Boyle, Hanna Boyle, Jadwiga Mazurkiewicz, William Daly, James McCann, James Burke, Rita Cosgrave, Patrick Healy, Ian Fishwick, James John Byrne, James Duffy, Michael Meally, Ceri Williams, Brian McMullin, Winston Davies, John Walsh, Patrick Reilly, Peter Kenny, Margaret Reilly

Walk with Me Prayer

Lord God, our light and our salvation,
we praise you for your gifts of life and
faith.

We thank you for the desire
that you have planted in our hearts,
our yearning to see your face.

Help us to meet you in prayer,
to walk in your ways,
and to speak to others of our joy

and consolation in your presence.
Give us faithfulness in this present life
so that we may come to know
and praise your beauty,
will all our brothers and sisters,
in the life to come.

We make this prayer through
Christ our Lord.

Amen.

Webcam - Live Streaming www.ourladyoflourdesbirmingham.co.uk in the middle of the screen click on 'Watch Church Webcam' this will take you straight to the page or go to **MCN Media**, click on England, then West Midlands then Our Lady of Lourdes, Yardley Wood

This church live streams Mass and other events. Please see notices in the church for more details