

Parish Lottery Winners

Saturday 19th Jan Week No 8 Bonus Ball 45 Thunder Ball 13

£150 will be divided between: Mary Gallagher, Ann McLaughlin, Emma O'Neill, Pat Sadowski, Eugene Colgan (each receive £30) **There was no winner of the Thunder Ball. Amount to be won next week £100.**



Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre

Two Function Rooms available for:
Weddings, Christenings, Birthday Parties (inc 21st) Charity Dances,
Presentation & Fund-raising Evenings.
Contact Daryl Heeney on 443 2199
(evenings Wednesday to Sunday-answering machine other times) mobile 07808007083

Wednesday: 7.30pm Bingo
Thursday: 7.00pm Musical Instrument Classes

Club open from 7.00pm on Saturday's (unless advertised afternoon games)
12 noon Sunday for Live Sport

Live music St Patrick's Night (Sunday 17th March)
Matthew O'Donnell & Band (on tour from Co Galway)
support Tommy Flaherty (Co Longford)
Admission £10

A Prayer for Priests

God our Father, we praise you for the gift of the priesthood in your Church, and for the ministry of priests in service of your people. We thank you for the precious gift of your Son, received at the hands of your priests.

We pray for all the priests of the Archdiocese of Birmingham. May they find inspiration and encouragement from the laity, deacons and religious, and from each other. We recall, with gratitude, the priests who have been a source of grace in our lives. We pray especially for Fr Sean. Be watchful over your priests, Lord, we pray. Give courage to those who serve you, and grant them their eternal reward. Have mercy on those who have struggled to stay close to you.

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, we place all priests of the Archdiocese of Birmingham under your protection. Be present in the hearts of all our priests. May their hearts burn with love for you. We pray that all priests experience the joy of the gospel in their lives, and are constantly enriched by your Word.

Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, renew all priests in their service of God.
Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, guide all priests along the right path.
Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, grant all praise patience and fortitude.
Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, teach us compassion and understanding for our priests.
Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, open our hearts to respond to our own call to your service.
Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, nurture vocations to the priesthood in our families, parishes and schools.
Most Sacred Heart of Jesus, bless the priests and people of our parishes, and fill our hearts with your mercy. Amen



OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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Parish Priest: Canon Séan Grady Permanent Deacon: Rev Mr Tim Anthony
Sisters of the Immaculate Heart: Sr Flora, Sr Clarissa, Sr Tonia, Sr Sebastian
Parish Safeguarding Officers: Marie Sullivan - 0121 430 3955 Lorraine Freeman - 0121 436 7758

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 27th January 2019

Masses this week

Sat 26th Jan	6.00 pm	Vigil Mass	Con & Mary Sullivan (Anniv) Peter Clarke (Anniv) Ted O'Neill (Anniv) Robert Emmett (Anniv)
Sun 27th Jan	9.00 am	Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	Joe Moriarty (Anniv)
	11.00am		Jim Bourke RIP Seamus Kirk RIP Susan McAleer (L/D) Kathleen Dillon (Months Mind)
Mon 28th Jan	9.00am	St Thomas Aquinas	People of the Parish
Tue 29th Jan	9.15am		Chris Carroll (Anniv) Rosanna Hughes RIP
Wed 30th Jan	9.00am		Nancy Dolan RIP
Thu 31st Jan	9.00am	St John Bosco	Maureen Hegarty (Anniv)
Fri 1st Feb	9.00am		Maurice Quinn (Anniv)
	10.45am		Requiem: Maureen Maguire
Sat 2nd Feb	10.00am	Feast of the Presentation of the Lord	Angela Ravenhill (L/D)
	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Kathleen Bowyer RIP Deceased of McCrann family
Sun 3rd Feb	9.00am	Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Andy & Bridie Henry RIP
	11.00am		Barbara McVeigh (1st Anniv) Susan McConnell (Anniv) Delia, Patrick & Kathleen Clarke (Anniv)

Requiems: Maureen Maguire on Friday at 10.45am. Reception Thursday at 6.00pm.

School Mass on Tuesday at 9.15am.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Saturday morning 10.30am - 11.30am.

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

3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time: Mass Bk p129 Preface p15 Eucharistic Prayer p24

Responsorial Psalm:

Your words are spirit, Lord, and they are life.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

The Lord has sent me to bring the good news to the poor, to proclaim liberty to captives. Alleluia!

Feast of the Presentation of the Lord next Saturday 2nd February. (Candlemass day) The Feast and Blessing of candles will be celebrated at the 10.00am Mass.

Feast of St Blaise is normally on 3rd February but is not celebrated this year due to the feast falling on a Sunday. Fr Sean and Deacon Tim will give the traditional blessing of throats after Mass on the day.

Next Baptism Preparation Meeting will be on Tuesday 5th February at 7.30pm in the church.

First Holy Communion Preparation If your child is in year 3 and attends a non Catholic school and wishes to be prepared for their First Holy Communion please contact Fr Sean immediately.

Mass and Anointing of the Sick on Sunday 10th February at 3.00pm. This is to celebrate our Parish Feast of Our Lady of Lourdes - Feast Day on Monday 11th - which is also World Day of Prayer for the Sick.

Weekly Offerings for last weekend were £991.54 of which £449.60 was gift aided.

Retiring Collection this weekend will be taken towards the Churches Together levy.

Clergy Training Fund monthly envelopes may be handed in next weekend.

Next Quiz Night in aid of charity will be on Friday 8th February at 8.30pm in the Parish Centre.

Thank you to all who support the parish quiz nights. The December quiz raised over £400 for the Neonatal Unit, Heartlands Hospital, the January quiz raised £381 for Our Lady of Lourdes School.

Modern Slavery is all around us and the Archdiocese is about to launch 'Look Up' a campaign with Catholic anti-slavery charity The Medaille Trust. All are invited to come and join the Archbishop, representatives from Medaille Trust and others to mark the feast of St Josephine Bakhita, the patron saint of trafficking victims, 8th February 6pm at St Chad's Cathedral, followed by refreshments in the Grimshaw Room. All welcome rsvp to comms@medaille-trust.org.uk

Job Vacancies

Our Lady of Lourdes School: Lunchtime Supervisor to commence 4th February 45 minutes per day 12.30pm - 1.15pm. See school website for more information (from the menu select governors/staff then vacancies at OLOL)

St Peter's Catholic School, Solihull: Deputy Headteacher required from September 2019. Closing date Thursday 7th February 2019. For further details see poster on noticeboard or visit school website www.st-peters.solihull.sch.uk

St Mary's Catholic Primary School, Harborne: Deputy Headteacher see school website www.stmaryrc.bham.sch.uk/web/vacancies for further details.

Birinus (Communitas Wellbeing Project) two job vacancies both based in central Birmingham with travel to partners within Birmingham.

- 1. Communitas Project Volunteer Coordinator & Administrator** 14 (flexible hours with occasional weekend/evenings) contract for 3 years salary £18,000 pro rata.
- 2. Communitas Project Coordinator** 17.5 (flexible hours with occasional weekend/evenings) contract for 3 years salary £28,000 pro rata. Extension possible on both contracts subject to funding.

For more details and a background to this community based project see adverts on parish noticeboard.

Birmingham City Mission two job opportunities

- 1) Youth Worker
- 2) Shop Manager - to run charity shop in Kingstanding

Closing date Friday 1st March for more information contact Derek Duke 0121 766 6603 or derekduke@birminghamcitymission.co.uk

Pray for the sick - Mark Arstall, James Barry, John Beale, Dyphna Beggan, Pat Berns, Hannah Bowden, Eddie Byrne, Nellie Cassidy, Isabella Chester, Gary Collins, Josie Douglas, Mary Finglas, Baby Chloe Glendall, Bryan Grogan, Dan Healy, Finbar Herron, Ray Holton, Jenny Keane, Margaret Kelly, Brian Kirk, Josephine Kirk, Barbara Kopieczek, Norah Laffoley, Mary Mazurkiewicz, Baby Harry Mitchell, Michael Noga, Peter O'Donnell, Meg O'Dowd, Sandy Ormsby, Mary Pender, John Quinn, John Richards, Patrick Colm Smyth, Simon Spillane, Stan Startin, Peter Sutton, John Wilson

Lately Dead: Maureen Maguire (Shirley Road)



John Edwards (Evesham - Requiem Monday 4th February at 12.00pm. Reception before Mass)

Mary Hegarty (Sherwood Road - Requiem Monday 11th February at 11.00am Reception Sunday at 7.00pm)

Ian Grassom (Hillborough Road - Funeral at Robin Hood Friday 1st Feb 3.00pm)

Patrick Shanley (Baldwins Lane - Requiem Tuesday 26th February at 10.30am. Reception Monday at 6.00pm)

Kitty Galvin (Co Cork - Aunt of Simon Spillane)



Anniversaries: 27th Jan - 2nd Feb: Ivy Harrison, Frances Donnan, Ferdinand Recci, Veronica Gall, Bernard Collins, James Mohan, Patricia McGuinness, Martin Barrett, Joan Ryan, Nicholas Garvey, Baby Valentine Anthony Carroll-Sheehan, Bridget Barrett, Christopher Murphy, John Smith, Gertrude Tandy, Rosanna Cummings, Clive Cook, Mary Sullivan, Peter Treacy, Vera Mayhew, Robert Emmett, John O'Reilly, Mary Lowe, Francis Leek, Christopher Tancred

Children's Liturgy	This Weekend 27th Jan	Next Weekend 3rd Feb
11 am	Marie Healy, Thérèse Flaherty	Mary, Hannah, Claire Leonard
Readers	This Weekend 27th Jan	Next Weekend 3rd Feb
6 pm	Tony Bradley	Mary Anthony, Michael Anthony
9 am	Mary McGrath, Mary Preece	Edward McNamara, Maureen Quinn
11 am	Parish Sisters	Julia Bennett
Music 9 am	Ian Sutton	Jenny Long
Eucharistic Ministers	This Weekend 27th Jan	Next Weekend 3rd Feb
6 pm	P Freeman, L Freeman, Sr Clarissa	Y Brennan, M Moran
9 am	P Fitzpatrick, T Oldacres, A Hunt, A Parker, M Wilson	P Stephens, J Ryan, A Okonkwo, P Fitzpatrick, A Hunt
11 am	J Palmer, S Timson	S Timson, J Palmer
Minibus Driver	Martin Cunningham	Martin McGrath
Counting Team	Tommy Hickey, Billy Power	Pauline Fitzpatrick, Annette Hannon
	Friday 1st Feb	Saturday: 9th Feb
Cleaning Team	Team 3: Catherine Mullen, Christine Moore	Team 4: Marie Fenton, Isobel Farrell, Finola Lyons, Mary Lynch

Pilgrimage to Fatima/Lisbon 5th -13th Sept 2019 led by Fr Cecil Rogerson, parish priest of St John Fisher, West Heath & St Brigid's Northfield. Information evening about the pilgrimage on Tuesday 5th Feb at 7.15pm in the Lower Meeting room at St Brigid's Church, Northfield for anyone who is interested in going.