Parish Lottery Winners

Saturday 17th December 2022 Week No: 03 Bonus Ball: 32 Thunder Ball: 7 £150 will be divided between: E O'Neill, C Ferrari, P Gormley, B Gill, M Moran (each receive £30.00) There was no winner of the Thunder Ball. Amount to be won next week £100. Saturday 24th December 2022 Week No: 04 Bonus Ball: 19 Thunder Ball: 14 £150 will be divided between: J Gunning, P Mannion, P Cunnington, S Harvey, A Gorevan (each receive £30.00) There was no winner of the Thunder Ball. Amount to be won next week £150.

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre - What's On

<u>New Year's Day</u> (family day): 12pm - 7pm Live Music 'Dominic Crane' 4.30pm Live football: Spurs v Aston Villa 2.00pm

Wednesday 4th: Bingo 7.30pm

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.

Part time Carer/ Home help required to care for an elderly lady in her own home. Four days per week Mon-Thur two calls per day at breakfast and dinner (approx 2.5 hrs per day) to also undertake light housework, meal prep arranging appointments. If interested please contact 777 4372 or mobile 07990670159.

Helping the Homeless Thank you to all who have donated items for the homeless. We are still in need of scarves and men's glove (new or clean second hand).

Bishop Challoner TSA Are working with schools in the Birmingham area to help new trainee Teachers into this rewarding profession. Join us for a hot drink and biscuits at our new training venue for more information on Thursday 20th January 2023 at 5.30pm. Email us at trainingschool@bishopchalloner.bham.sch.uk to book a place.

<u>Tea Party at Bishop Challoner Catholic College</u> Wednesday 11th January 1.30pm - 3.00pm if you would like to attend please email s.mayor@bishopchalloner.bham.sch.uk

Webcam - Live Streaming www.ourladyoflourdesbirmingham.co.uk 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



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Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God

Masses this Week

1st January 2023

Sat 31st Dec	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	George McDonnell (Anniv) Bridget & Bertie O'Beirne (Anniv) Sr Mary Roache, Pat Roache, deceaed of Roache & Tunney families
Sun 1st Jan	9.00am	Solemnity of Mary, the Holy Mother of God	Patrick Fleming (Anniv) Doreen Naughton (Anniv) Carrie Isaac RIP
	11.00am		Richard Mullen RIP (Birthday) Patrick Duffy & Maggie Maguire Tony Seeney (Anniv)
Mon 2nd Jan	10.00am	St Basil the Great & St Gregory Nazianzen	People of the Parish
Tue 3rd Jan	9.00am Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion		
Wed 4th Jan	10.00am F		Phil Seabright RIP
Thu 5th Jan	9.00am		Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion
Fri 6th Jan	9.00am 7.00pm	Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord	Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion Kathleen McCrann
Sat 7th Jan	10.00am		People of the Parish
	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	John Smith (Anniv) Stephen Walsh (Anniv) Ann Hayden RIP
Sun 8th Jan	9.00am	Feast of the	Jackie Doyle (Anniv)
	Baptism of the 11.00am Lord		Francis Gilligan (Annv) Jim McHale (Anniv) Peter Whitehouse (Anniv) and dec'd of Whitehouse / Brennan families Patrick Reilly (Months Mind) Martin Kelly Grant family

Please note Mass on Monday and Wednesday will be at 10.00am.

Mary, the Holy Mother of God Parish Mass Book: p109

Response to Psalm: O God, be gracious and bless us.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

At various times in the past and in various different ways, God spoke to our ancestors through the prophets; but in our own time, the last days, he has spoken to us through his Son. Alleluia!

Pope's Prayer Intention for January: For educators

We pray that educators may be credible witnesses, teaching fraternity rather than competition and helping the youngest and most vulnerable above all.

Wishing you all a happy and healthy 2023

We welcome and thank Fr Latham who will celebrate Masses this weekend.

Thank you to Fr Roger Raven who celebrated Masses on Christmas Eve and during last week. Fr Roger will be here this week on Monday and Wednesday at 10.00am to celebrate Mass and at 7.00pm on Friday for the Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord.

Thank you to Fr Dennis Carter who celebrated the Christmas Day Masses.

Friday 6th January is The Solemnity of the Epiphany of the Lord A Holy Day of Obligation. There will be Liturgy of the Word with Holy Communion at 9.00am and Mass at 7.00pm.

Next Sunday is The Feast of the Baptism of The Lord which marks the end of the Christmas season in the Church.

Thank vou The Parish Sisters wish to thank all who attended their coffee morning on 18th December.



Congratulations to: Daniel Uates and Zoe Kennedy John Donnelly and Alana Kurila who married at Our Lady of Lourdes recently

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Baptism Preparation Meeting The next meeting will be on Tuesday 7th February at 7.30pm in the church. Parents and Godparents are to attend. Please note there will not be a meeting in January.

Our Lady of Lourdes School will reopen to all pupils on Tuesday 3rd January.

First Holy Communion and Confirmation 2023 Meeting There will be an initial meeting on Thursday 12th January at 7.00pm, for parents and their child who is preparing for First Holy Communion or Confirmation in June 2023.

Offerings

October: Online donations £40.00 Envelopes £5,023.68 Gift Aid £1,600.16 S/O £2.600.50 Gift Aid £2.419.50

November: Online donations £130.00 Envelopes £3,998.00 Gift Aid £1,124.20 S/O £2,371.75 Gift Aid £2,190.75

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, 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 McCauchey, 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:

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Stephen (Mack) McInerney (Effingham Road - Requiem Tuesday 10th January at 11.00am, Reception Monday 9th at 6.00pm)

John O'Reilly (Swallows Meadow Care Home - Requiem Wednesday 11th January at 10.30am) Patrick Tunney (Cherry Lodge Care Home - Funeral at Robin Hood Thursday 12th Jan at 1.00pm) **Eamon Fagan** (Fallowfield Ave - Requiem Thursday 19th January at 12 noon) Teresa Leeper (Bissell Close - Requiem Tuesday 24th January 11.00am Reception Mon 23rd 6pm) **Maureen Hill** (Sister of Vera McAlinden - Requiem Friday 3rd February at 12 noon) Jenny Foley (Acocks Green - Requiem at Holy Souls, Acocks Green Monday 9th Jan 10.00am) Jim Kilkenny (St Peter's Close) Brian O'Kelly (Bramley Court) Bridie Green **Piet Houghton** (Devon - Brother-in-Law of Elizabeth Huxtable)

Anniversaries: 1st Jan - 7th Jan: Tom Quinn, John McGonigle, Patrick Duffy, Kitty McGonigle, Robert Burton, Frances Hoccom, Joan Lewis, Ciara Davy, Robert Glynn, Wilfred Goulding, Lilian Donovan, Robert Byrne, Mary Frain, Denis Byrne, Tom Smith, Maureen Moran, Hugh Gaynor, Austin Grady, Kieran Hughes, Annie O'Sullivan, Teresa Serapuk, Noel Lenaghan, Kevin O'Hara, Peter Sullivan, Maurice Quinn, Maureen Winter, Brian McDaid, Stephen Walsh, Philip Bennett, Jacqueline Doyle, Angela May, John Smith, Joan O'Shea, Bridget Hetherington, Anne Davis, Ellen McLeod, John Donovan, John Grogan, Thomas Cuddihy, Elizabeth Elliman, Maureen Hearne, Anthony Forletta, Irene Rainey, Owen Morgan, John Smith, Alice Barrett, Trevor Ollis, Daisy Hardy, Ann Howley, Ann Begley

Readers	Weekend 1st January	Weekend 8th January
6.00pm	E Dalzell, H Dalzell	M Moran, J Silvey
9.00am	D Macaulay, C Martin	C McCann, E Bailey, B Martin
11.00am	R Wood, E Keating	P Stephens, S Harkin
Counting	-	A Hannon, M Hannon
Church Cleaning	Saturday 7th January at 8.30am	Thursday 19th January at 9.30am
	Team A: S McGrath, P & C McDonald, A Treacy, C Hayden, E Sullivan	Team B: A Parker, K Watt, P Oldacres, C Chinn, J Gallon, E McBride