

Parish Lottery Winners

Saturday 11th March 2023 Week No: 15 Bonus Ball: 49 Thunder Ball: 8

£150 will be divided between: C Parsons, C Wallace, H Dalzell, K Reilly, J Reidy (each receive £30.00)

J Reidy was the winner of the Thunder Ball and wins £200 plus their share of the Bonus Ball.

Amount to be won next week £50.

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre - What's On

Saturday GAA: Kerry v Roscommon 7.30pm

Sunday: Live Sport

GAA Football from 1.45pm

Monaghan v Tyrone Donegal v Mayo

FA Cup Quarter Finals from 12 noon

Sheffield Utd v Blackburn

Brighton v Grimsby

Man Utd v Fulham

Wednesday: Bingo 7.30pm Thursday: Music Group 7.00pm

The centre is available for Funeral Wakes, Baptism Celebrations, Birthday parties, Charity Events, Weddings

To book a function contact Adam McSharry, Parish Centre Manager 07434 667695 or 0121 443 2199

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Being a Welcoming Church: New Workshops Father Hudson's Care (FHC) is working with the Archdiocese on a new project and wants to encourage the social mission of the Church by sharing their experience in areas of need and the experience of parishioners around the Diocese, to foster the great work in parishes. You can join in one of four online, Zoom, evening meetings, from Monday 20th March 7.30pm - 8.30pm. First session is on 'supporting older people and living well with dementia' email kevinhateley@fatherhudsons.org.uk to register.

Readers	Weekend 19th March	Weekend 26th March
6.00pm	L Mockler, Y Brennan	E Dalzell, H Dalzell
9.00am	B Martin, C McCann, E Bailey	A Carbery, Z Parker
11.00am	D Thompson, P Stephens	R Wood, E Keating
Ministers 6pm	M Moran, P Keane	P Keane, L Mockler
9.00am	A Treacy, J Palmer, D Ryan	A Treacy, P Freeman, L Freeman
11.00am	Sr Clarissa, B Wood, K Price	M Shalvey, P Stephens, Sr Clarissa
Counting	P Fitzpatrick, P Fitzpatrick	W Power, T Hickey
Church Cleaning	Saturday 1st April at 8.30am	Thursday 13th April 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

Live Music this weekend

Saturday 18th March 7pm

'The Stephen Smyth Band'

Tickets £10 on the door

Sunday 19th March 6pm

'Mark Taggart'



OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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Sisters of the Immaculate Heart: Sr Clarissa, Sr Sebastian, Sr Pedro

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

Masses this Week **Fourth Sunday of Lent - 19th March 2023**

Sat 18th Mar	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	The Walsh family Bridget Helen Kearns RIP Fr James Hannigan RIP Julia Finnegan (L/D)
Sun 19th Mar	9.00am	Fourth Sunday of Lent	Vincent Brady RIP Michael Deegan (L/D) Liam Collins (Anniv)
	11.00am		Ann Quinn (Anniv) Michael Treacy (Anniv) Joe & Helen O'Sullivan RIP Mary Duffy (Anniv) Michael Kennedy (L/D)
Mon 20th Mar	9.00am	Solemnity of St Joseph	Walsh family Intentions
Tue 21st Mar	9.00am		Martin O'Malley (1st Anniv)
Wed 22nd Mar	9.00am 10.30am 7.00pm		James Spillane (Anniv) Requiem: Bridie Queenan People of the Parish
Thu 23rd Mar	9.00am 10.30am		John, Kathleen & Bernard McCrann Eileen Finnegan (Months Mind) Requiem: Bridie Maher
Fri 24th Mar	9.00am 10.30am		Patrick Healy RIP Requiem: Julia Finnegan
Sat 25th Mar	10.00am 6.00pm	Annunciation of the Lord Vigil Mass	Maura Walsh (1st Anniv) Dermott McBride RIP Thomas McDermott RIP Susan Fitzgerald Intentions
Sun 26th Mar	9.00am 11.00am	Fifth Sunday of Lent	John McAuliffe (Anniv) Gillian Mulroy (Anniv) Ian Bambury (1st Anniv) Nan McKenna (1st Anniv) Nonnie McLarnon (Months Mind) Ray Holton (Birthday Intentions)

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Gospel Acclamation

Response to Psalm:

The Lord is my shepherd;
there is nothing I shall want.

Glory to you, O Christ, you are the Word of God!
I am the light of the world, says the Lord;
anyone who follows me will have the light of life.
Glory to you, O Christ, you are the Word of God!

Services each week during Lent

Daily Mass Mon - Fri 9.00am preceded by Rosary at 8.40am.

Evening Mass Wednesday at 7.00pm.

Stations of the Cross Friday at 7.00pm.

Saturday morning Mass at 10.00am

Evening Prayer and Benediction

Sunday at 4.00pm.

Pastoral Letter This weekend we have a Pastoral Letter from His Grace Archbishop Bernard Longley on developing a Diocesan vision for the future The Diocesan vision statements says:

We are called to be a Catholic diocese which is: faithful to the mission entrusted to us by Jesus Christ full of missionary disciples who work together co-responsibly in vibrant communities of faith, joyful in their service of God and neighbour.

Parish Visitation Bishop David Evans will visit our parish next weekend 25th/26th March. The visitation is part of the ongoing planning for the future of our Diocesan parishes. All invited to the school hall after each Mass to meet Bishop David.

Today is Mothering Sunday We pray for all Mothers and families of our Parish.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Saturday 10.30am - 11.30am.

Confessions

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

Gift Aid Weekly envelopes will be available for collection from next weekend. If you are a taxpayer and not currently on the scheme please consider joining. For every £1 that is given, the Church can claim a further 25p from the government. Last year the parish were able to reclaim £13,376.45 in tax. Our parish gift aid coordinator, Tommy Hickey, will be at all Masses next weekend. Please speak to Tommy if you wish to join the scheme, also if your circumstances have changed i.e. tax status, name, address. **Annual cheques for current tax year need to be in by Sunday 2nd April.**

Retiring Collection this weekend will be taken towards the cost of the Walk With Me Lenten booklets.

Quiz Night in aid of World Youth Day This Friday (24th) at 8.30pm in the Parish Centre. All welcome. Proceeds will be used towards the cost of sending our youth to Portugal for World Youth Day in August.

St Vincent De Paul Group Will be at all Masses next weekend selling raffle tickets for their Grand Easter draw, first prize will be a hamper of chocolates. The draw will take place on Saturday 8th April. Monies raised will go to the SVP.

SVP fundraising The SVP group invite you all to the parish centre after 11.00am Mass on Sunday 16th April for bacon baps, tea & coffee. They will be taking donations of non perishable food items to give to food banks.

Palm Sunday Sponsored Walk Sunday 2nd April after the 9.00am Mass (or at a time of your convenience) Sponsor forms are now available after weekend Masses from Deacon Tim or Sheila or from the presbytery during the week. Walk for a charity of your own choice.

Lenten Penitential Services - 7.00pm

Our Lady of Lourdes: Monday 3rd April

St Dunstan's: Tuesday 28th March

St Edward's, Selly Park: Tuesday 4th April

Pray for the sick - Margaret Barron, Vincent Barron, Pat Berns, Eddie Byrne, Peggy Byrne, Kitty Carroll, Rita Carroll, Giovanna Casserley, Isabelle Chester, Pat Clarke, Simon Coulson, Jennifer Cox, Ann Desmond, Bridget Doherty, Owen Dolan, Josie Douglas, Michael Doyle, Amber Durrant, Noah Edwards, Mary (Ria) Finglas, Tom Finnerty, Margaret Flavin, Mary Fleming, 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 Huddleday, Jason Hughes, Marie Hume, Alan Kelly, Michael Kilgallen, Brian Kirk, Barbara Kopieczek, Maureen Maloney, Adrian Mannion, Mary Mazurkiewicz, Michael McAleer, 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, John Shryane, Simon Spillane, Mary Spratt, Julie Swinscoe, Nadine Terry, Vincent Tierney, Baby Daisy Williams



Lately Dead:

Bridie Queenan (Peacock Road) Requiem Wednesday 22nd March at 10.30am Reception 21st 6.00pm
Bridie Maher (Colebourne Road) Requiem Thursday 23rd March at 10.30am Reception 22nd at 6.45pm
Julia Finnegan (Delamere Road) Requiem Friday 24th March at 10.30am Reception 23rd at 7.00pm
Eileen Finnegan (Coleside Ave) Requiem Wednesday 29th March at 10.30am Reception 28th 6.00pm
Josie Rattigan (Colebourne Road) Requiem Thursday 30th March at 11.00am Reception 29th at 6.00pm
William Coniry Requiem Thursday 6th April at 10.00am Reception 5th at 7.00pm
Honor 'Nora' Jones (Pear Tree Crescent) Requiem Thursday 6th April at 1.30pm
James O'Neill (Alvechurch Road) Requiem Thursday 20th April at 11.30am Reception 19th at 6.00pm
John Tierney (Haunch Lane - formerly of the parish) **Eileen Mundy** (Redditch - Sister of Peter Mohan)
Marion Brennan (Sister of Des Brennan)



Anniversaries: 19th Mar - 25th Mar: Michael Treacy, Thomas O'Shea, Seamus Kirby, Maura Coniry, Bridget Doherty, Johnny Treacy, Mandy Corduff, Philip Thorp, Edward Murray, Catherine Thompson, Ann Quinn, John Brenna, Norma Cullaly, Ellen Kerin, Robert Kerrigan, Mary Duffy, Bridget Tancred, Edward Ricketts, Jim Spillane, Winifred Hughes, Mavis Connolly, Olive Rossiter, Bridget 'Kirk' Browne, Gerry Doyle, Gerard Dunne, Elizabeth Colley, Sally Bowen, William Hannon, Maureen Shryane, Felix McTernan, Gladys Lees, George Joannides, Maria Delia Sa, Mary Coveney, Michael Brady, Mary 'Christie' Casey, David Begley, Alice Cassidy

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.



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