

Parish Lottery Winners

Saturday 4th April Week No: 18 Bonus Ball 25 Thunder Ball 4

£150 will be divided between: Charlie Fogarty, Veronica Wallace, Bernie McGinnity, Chris Parsons, Maureen McGlone (each receive £30)

There was no winner of the Thunder Ball. Amount to be won next week £100.

As the Lottery is linked to the National Lotto we will continue as usual for the time being but will review on a weekly basis. All those currently in the parish lottery will still be included, winnings will be kept for collection and outstanding payments be made when we return to attending Mass.

Prayer for ourselves

*Merciful God,
come to the help of your people.
Be our shelter in this time of peril and
strengthen the bonds of our community.
Bring healing to all who suffer the ravages of
disease
and assist those whose skill and art can put
an end to this affliction.
Through Christ our Lord. Amen.*

Catholic- in hospital In this busy and demanding time for hospitals, it is particularly important that you ask explicitly if you or anyone you know is a Catholic and in hospital and would like to see the Chaplain. You are not causing trouble by asking! For the QE, hospital, if it is not urgent, please ring Fr Charles Miller on 0121 371 4568 and leave a message. For Heartlands hospital contact Fr Roger Raven on 0121 424 1369. For both hospitals in an emergency, please ask a nurse to call the Catholic priest who is on call.

Newspapers We are still having a few Catholic newspapers delivered to us each week. Anyone who would like one posted out or put through their letterbox please let us know.

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



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Easter Sunday

The Resurrection of the Lord

12th April 2020

"He is not here: he is risen" Luke 24:6



Sat 11th Apr	6.00pm	Holy Saturday Easter Vigil - First Mass of Easter	Andy Gaffney (1st Anniv)
Sun 12th Apr	10.00am	Easter Sunday Solemnity of the Resurrection of the Lord	Margaret Towey (Anniv) Frank Reilly (Anniv) Harold Court (Anniv) Mary Fleming Intentions Freeda & Michael Keady RIP
Mon 13th Apr	10.00am		Mary Matthews (Months Mind)
Tue 14th Apr	10.00am		Jim Spillane RIP & family Intentions
Wed 15th Apr	9.00am		People of the Parish
Thu 16th Apr	9.00am		Colin Grady (Anniv) Maureen Shryane RIP & family Intentions
Fri 17th Apr	9.00am		Sean Callaghan RIP
Sat 18th Apr	10.00am		Nicholas McGrath (Anniv) & Mary McGrath (L/D) Patricia (Trish) Madden (1st Anniv)
Sun 19th Apr	10.00am	Second Sunday of Easter	Sharon Gregory (1st Anniv) Frank Cunningham (Anniv)

Mass times for this week:

10.00am Monday, Tuesday

9.00am Wednesday, Thursday, Friday



Fr Sean, Deacon Tim & the Parish Sisters

Wish you all a Happy & Holy Easter

(stay safe)

No Public
Celebration of Mass

until further notice

Mass will be live streamed:

To access webcam go to www.ourladyoflourdesbirmingham.co.uk

On home page click on 'watch church webcam'

Masses will also now be recorded, they will be
available to view for up to a week.

Easter Sunday morning Cardinal Vincent Nicholls, Easter Service at 8.00am will be broadcast on local radio stations (not on BBC radio 4).

Angelus At 12 noon on Easter Sunday the Angelus will be prayed and church bells will be rung (live streamed on parish webcam)

Easter is a feast which gives us hope and encouragement. In this world of pain, sorrows and tears, Easter reminds us that life is worth living. It is our belief in the Real Presence of the Risen Jesus in our souls, in His Church, in the Blessed Sacrament and in Heaven that gives meaning to our personal, as well as to our common, prayers. Our trust in the all-pervading presence of the Risen Lord gives us strength to fight against temptations and freedom from unnecessary worries and fears. The prayer of St. Patrick, the Apostle of Ireland, reads: "Christ before me, Christ beside me, Christ within me, never to part."

*Easter Reflection by Fr. Antony Kadavil
Taken from vaticannews.va*

Weekly envelopes for the new tax year, will be distributed in due course please do not call to collect them.

The Elderly & Vulnerable if you are aware of anyone who needs contacting or shopping delivered please let us know as a number of people have volunteered to help.

**The Year of the Word -
'The God Who Speaks'**



Living God,
you walk alongside us
and speak to us throughout the
Scriptures.
Your Son, Jesus Christ, listens to our
hopes and fears
and shows us how to live for one another.
Send us the Holy Spirit to open our
hearts and minds
so that we may be your witnesses
throughout the world.
Amen
V. Your word is our path and your truth is
our light.
R. This day and every day.

Our Lady of the Annunciation
Pray for us

St Matthew
Pray for us

St Jerome
Pray for us

Pray for the sick - James Barry, Dyphna Beggan, David Begley, Pat Berns, Daniel Breen, Sally Burke, Eddie Byrne, Nellie Cassidy, Isabella Chester, Pat Clarke, Gary Collins, William Coniry, Josie Douglas, Ann Duggan, Mary (Ria) Finglas, Mary Fleming, Baby Chloe Glendall, Terea Griffin, Bryan Grogan, Dan Healy, Finbar Herron, Colette Hickey, Ray Holton, Jenny Keane, Marie Kelly, Brian Kirk, Josephine Kirk, Barbara Kopieczek, Mary Mazurkiewicz, Kathleen Maclnery, Ethna McAleer, Michael McAleer, Mary McGoldrick, Derek McKenna, Ann Moffitt, Michael Noga, Siobhan O'Connell, Meg O'Dowd, Margaret O'Grady, Mary Pender, William Pender, Maureen Rushe, John Shryane, Patrick Colm Smyth, Simon Spillane, Julie Swinscoe, Nadine Terry, John Wilson



Lately Dead: Jim Spillane (Sherwood Road) Maureen Shryane (Bronte Close) Noreen Hetherington (Cleeve Road) William Hannon (Cleeve Road) Theresa Hannah (Brookmeadow Court) Patrick Murray (Quarrington Grove) John Connolly (Westridge Road) Mary McGrath (Cubley Road) Babe Healy (Sister of Joe Fogarty) Mary Nicholl (formerly of Cubley Road) John Kelly (Brambley Court) Fr Tim Burke (Retired priest of the Diocese)

Funeral Services:

Jim Spillane Tuesday 14th April **Maureen Shryane** Thursday 16th April **Noreen Hetherington** 23rd April
William Hannon Tuesday 28th April **John Connolly** Thursday 30th April
John Patrick Murray Thursday 30th April



Anniversaries: 12th Apr - 18th Apr: Barbara O'Neill, Harold Court, Martina Bowers, Michael Skehill, Margaret Towey, Juris Seils, Nelius Moriarty, Eugene Comiskey, Eleanor Ham, Sean Courtney, Gladys Holwell, Michael McCormack, Anthony Hudson, Reg Swinscoe, Bridget Lyons, Pat Hickey, Anne Adams, Sharon Gregory, James Doherty, Paul Jeffcott, Dermot Fitzpatrick, Arthur Minor, Margaret Biddle, Michael Doyle, David Greene, Eileen Stewart, Mary Donohoe, Mary Kelly, Mary Devitt, Catherine Cahill, Natale Baldin, Doris Seeney, Linsey Swan, Margaret Burke, Patricia Madden

**Spiritual Communion
(Prayer of St Alphonsus)**



My Jesus,
I believe that you are present in this
Holy Sacrament of the altar.
I love you above all things
and I passionately desire to receive you into my soul.
Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally,
come spiritually into my soul
so that I may unite myself wholly to you now and
forever.
Amen.