

**Parish Lottery Winners**

**Saturday 22nd April 2023 Week No: 21 Bonus Ball: 46 Thunder Ball: 13**

£150 will be divided between: P McDonald, A O'Neill, D Hislop, L Arigho (each receive £37.50) There was no winner of the Thunder Ball. Amount to be won next week £150.

**Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre What's On**

**Saturday 29th April Charity Night in aid of Marie Curie 7.30pm**

**Live Sport Sunday**

**Fulham v Man City 2.00pm Liverpool v Spurs 4.30pm**

**GAA Hurling: Kilkenny v Galway 2.00pm Cork v Waterford 4.00pm**

**Wednesday: Bingo 7.30pm Thursday: Music Group 7.00pm**

The centre is available for Funeral Wakes, Baptism Celebrations, Birthday parties, Charity Events, Weddings etc. To book a function contact Adam McSharry,

Parish Centre Manager 07434 667695 or 0121 443 2199

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**Diocesan Prayer for Vocations**

Heavenly Father,  
we ask you to send labourers  
into your harvest.

Inspire, in the hearts of your  
people, vocations to the  
priesthood, diaconate and  
religious life.

Bless our families with a spirit of  
generosity, so that those whom you call  
have the courage to give themselves to  
your Church in faith.

Through Christ our Lord.  
Amen.

**The Regina Coeli**

Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia!  
For he whom you were worthy to bear,  
alleluia!

Has risen as he said, alleluia!  
Pray for us to God, alleluia!

V. Rejoice and be glad, O Virgin Mary,  
alleluia!

R. For the Lord is truly risen, alleluia!

Let us pray.

O God, who through the Resurrection  
of your Son,  
our Lord Jesus Christ,  
did vouchsafe to give joy to the world;  
grant, we beseech you,  
that through his Mother, the Virgin  
Mary,  
we may obtain the joys of everlasting  
life.  
Through the same Christ our Lord.  
Amen.



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

**Fourth Sunday of Easter - 30th April 2023**

Masses this Week

Sat 29th Apr	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Special Intentions (EM) Regan & Reilly families (Anniv) Sean McGuckin (Anniv) Tom & Bridget Byrne (Anniv)
Sun 30th Apr	9.00am	Fourth Sunday of Easter	Ina Glennon RIP (Birthday) Private Intention John Quang (Anniv)
	11.00am		Mary McCarron (Anniv) Maureen Hegarty (Anniv) Giovanni Antoniazzi (Anniv) Martin Kelly RIP Anne Mitchell (Birthday Intention) Special Intention (Paul D)
Mon 1st May	10.00am		John Quinn Intentions
Tue 2nd May	9.00am	St Athanasius	People of the Parish
Wed 3rd May	9.00am	Ss Philip & James, Apostles	Frank Sadio RIP (Birthday)
Thu 4th May	9.00am 11.30am	Feast of the English Martyrs	Karen Braddon Intentions <b>Requiem: Florence Renehan</b>
Fri 5th May	10.00am		<b>Requiem: Elizabeth Daly</b>
Sat 6th May	10.00am 6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Special Intention (Maureen, Ken & family) Bridie McAdam (L/D) Mary Donohue RIP Michael McNally (Anniv)
Sun 7th May	9.00am	Fifth Sunday of Easter	Catherine Kenny (Anniv) Philomena Maloney Intentions
	11.00am		Josephine Devine (Anniv) Theresa Lyons (Anniv) Bridget & Thomas Byrne (Anniv) Walsh family Intentions

**Please note** Mass on Monday will be at 10.00am.

**School Mass** Thursday at 9.00am.

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** Saturday 10.30am - 11.30am.

**Confessions** Saturday 10.45am - 11.30am and 5.15pm - 5.45pm

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### Response to Psalm:

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

**Today is Vocations Sunday** This weekend in Scripture we hear of Jesus, the shepherd who calls each of us to follow him.

**Pastoral Letter** on the theme of '**Vocations**' from Archbishop Bernard Longley will be read at all Masses this weekend.

**Retiring Collection this weekend** will be the annual collection taken for the Clergy Training Fund.

**A Deanery Holy Hour of prayer for Vocations** will be held here at Our Lady of Lourdes and in all the parishes of the Deanery on Thursday (4th) 7pm - 8pm which is the Feast of the English Martyrs. During the month of May the parish and our Deanery are praying especially for Vocations.

**The Coronation of King Charles III** Please take one of the prayer cards, available at the back of church.

**SVP Meeting** Tuesday (2nd May) at 7.00pm in the Parish Centre.

**Baptism Preparation Meeting** This Tuesday 2nd May at 7.30pm in the church. Parents and God parents are asked to attend.

**Sacrament of Baptism** We welcome into God's family **Emilia Cogan** who was Baptised at Our Lady of Lourdes last weekend.

**Josie Rattigan RIP** The family of Josie wish to thank you all for the Mass Intentions, sympathy cards, prayers and words of comfort. Donations of £562.20 will go to Cancer Research.

### Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia!  
I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;  
I know my own sheep and my own know me. Alleluia!

**Latest News and Events** from the Archdiocese please visit [www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk](http://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk)

**APF Mission Boxes** may be handed in for emptying. Please leave with the lottery collector, hand in at the piety shop or at the presbytery. Please ensure your name, address and contact number are on the box

**A Guardian Angel necklace** has been found in the school carpark. Please call to collect it if you think it may belong to you.

**Resurfacing work** has commenced on Trittiford Road which may lead to some traffic disruption over the next week.

**Helping the Homeless** We are still in need of men's clothing i.e. fleeces, joggers, trainers, socks, gloves (new or clean second hand). Please hand items in at the presbytery or piety shop, please do not leave bags in the church.

**Weekday Mass Readers** A rota will be drawn up for readings at weekday Masses. If you who would like to read please contact Fr Sean.

**The Catholic Post** free copies of the May edition are available at the church porch. Please take one as you leave church.

**Our Lady of Lourdes School Job vacancy** Lunchtime Supervisory, 5 hours per week,. For details go to <https://www.ourladyoflourdesprimary.com/vacancies-at-olol/>

**Kenelm Youth Trust Training Courses** Please visit their website [www.kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk](http://www.kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk) to register for any of the following courses Bahtsaida and Mental Health First Aid.

**Pray for the sick** - Margaret Barron, Vincent Barron, Pat Berns, Eddie Byrne, Peggy Byrne, 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 Hubbleday, 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 McGown, 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 Quinn, John Shryane, Ian Smith, Simon Spillane, Mary Spratt, Julie Swinscoe, Nadine Terry, Vincent Tierney, Baby Daisy Williams

### Lately Dead:

**Jane Browne** (Haslucks Green Road) Funeral Robin Hood Crematorium Wednesday 3rd May 10.00am

**Florence Renehan** (Highbury Nursing Home) Requiem Thursday 4th May 11.30am Reception 3rd 6pm

**Elizabeth Daly** (Hollybank Rd) Requiem Friday 5th May at 10.00am Reception 4th at 5.00pm

**Patrick Condon** (Dene Hollow) Funeral at Robin Hood Crematorium Friday 5th May at 1.00pm

**Angela O'Keeffe** (Shenstone Road) Requiem Tuesday 9th May at 2.00pm.

**Sean Gallagher** (Firth Drive) Requiem Friday 12th May at 11.00am Reception 11th at 7.00pm

**Julie Brookes** (Baldwins Lane) Requiem Tuesday 16th May at 10.30am.

**Mary Hegarty** (formely Spillane - Swinford, Co Mayo) Requiem Friday 19th May 10.30am Reception Thursday 18th at 6.00pm.

**Kitty Carroll** (Pendeen Road) Requiem Friday 26th May at 12 noon.

**Yvonne Dann** (Yarnfield Road) Funeral at Robin Hood Chapel Friday 26th May at 12 noon.

**Frank Foy** (Sligo, Ireland)

**Anniversaries:** 30th Apr- 6th May 2013 - 2023: William Swan, Lawrence Allen, Marlene Lynch, John Donnelly, Slawomir Kasprzak, Margaret Kunciw, Bridget Byrne, Maureen Hegarty, Giovanni Antoniazzi, Jean Shepherd, Angela Culm, James Fogarty, Mary McCarron, John Madden, Olive Byrne, Marie Ierston, Eamon Ruane, David Goley

Readers	Weekend 30th April	Weekend 7th May
6.00pm	J Silvey, M Moran	L Mockler, Y Brennan
9.00am	Z Parker, A Carbery	T Oxley, J Oxley
11.00am	D Thompson, S Harkin	E Keating, R Wood
Ministers 6pm	P Keane, Y Brennan	P Keane, L Mockler
9.00am	A Treacy, P Freeman, L Freeman	A Treacy, A Hunt, D Macaulay
11.00am	Sr Clarissa, M Shalvey, K Price	Sr Clarissa, P Stephens, R Flanagan
Counting	P Fitzpatrick, P Fitzpatrick	W Power, T Hickey
Church Cleaning	Thursday 11th May at 9.30am	Saturday 27th May at 8.30am
	Team B: A Parker, K Watt, P Oldacres, C Chinn, J Gallon, E McBride	Team A: S McGrath P & C McDonald, A Treacy, C Hayden, E Sullivan

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**Webcam - Live Streaming** [www.ourladyoflourdesbirmingham.co.uk](http://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