Parish Lottery Winners
Saturday 24th October 2026 Week No 47
Bonus Ball: 13 Thunder Ball: 02
The winners of the Bonus Ball receive £25: M Callaghan, B O'Neill, Z Parker, J Lloyd, M Tully.
Z Parker was the winner of the Thunder Ball and wins £100 plus a share of the Bonus Ball. Amount to be won next week £50.

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre

Sunday 1st November:
Live Music: Little Jimmy
Wednesday: Bingo 7.30pm

The Centre is available for Funeral Wakes, Baptism Celebrations, Charity Events, Weddings, Birthday parties etc. To book the Centre contact Thomas 07434 667695 or 0121 443 2199 follow us on https://www.facebook.com/ololparishcentre

Pope's Prayer Intention for November: For the proper use of wealth
Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service of common good and solidarity of those who have less.

Sacrament of Confirmation will be celebrated on Sunday 6th December at 3.00pm.

First Holy Communions will be celebrated on Saturday 12th and 19th June 2027. Preparation will begin in the new year.

Sacrament of Baptism We welcome into God's family **Isabella Healy, Kian Healy, Riley Seamus Kirby** and **Finlay Jax McGarry** who were Baptised recently at Our Lady of Lourdes.

Next Quiz Night ***in aid of Aid to the Church in Need*** Friday 20th November at 8.30pm in the Parish Centre. All welcome. The quiz in December will be on Friday 18th.

Afternoon Tea Saturday 7th November at Our Lady of Lourdes School Hall 2.00pm - 4.00pm to raise money for 'Let's Feed Brum' Sold Out

Bible Alive Nov/Dec double issue avl at the church porch cost £6

Next Heritage Group Outing Chester Christmas Markets Wednesday 18th November cost £30 per person. To book contact Alexe 07838 732830 or Jane 07753 674612

Aid to the Church in Need Deacon Tim will make an appeal at Masses next weekend on behalf of Aid to the Church in Need. There will also be ACN Christmas cards and Piety items available to purchase.

Our Lady of Lourdes School Open Mornings for Reception & Nursery Class September 2027. Tuesday 17th Nov 9.20am - 11.00am & Saturday 28th Nov 9.00am - 10.30am. Booking not required.

Monthly SEND Mass at St Brigid's Northfield. For people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities 4th Sunday of each month at 4pm. 22nd November 27th December Everyone welcome.

Mary's Meals are seeking a ***Church Engagement Volunteer*** to help coordinate relationships with churches across North and Central Birmingham. Please contact volunteer@marysmeals.org or call 0800 6981212 or complete form on volunteer webpage marysmeals.org.uk/get-involved/volunteer Marys Meals serve a nutritious daily school meal to some of the world's poorest children to attract them into the classroom where they can gain an education and a brighter future.

Archdiocese of Birmingham for latest news and events **www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk**

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



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Solemnity of All Saints
1st November 2026

Masses this Week

Sat 31st Oct	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Katherine Slattery (Anniv) John Leonard (20th Anniv) Kathleen Leonard & Maureen Gately, Anthony Bannerton RIP Mary O'Donoghue (Months Mind) Christina Toy (Months Mind)
Sun 1st Nov	9.00am	Solemnity of All Saints	Peter Feather Intentions Gavin Morrice RIP Marie Egan (L/D) Bill Doyle (Anniv)
	11.30am		Betty Timmons (Anniv) Michael McGuire (Anniv) David O'Driscoll (Anniv) Natalie McClean RIP Olive Fallon (Anniv) Patrick & Mary Leonard RIP
Mon 2nd Nov	9.00am 7.00pm	Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed	Daniel McCaffrey (Anniv) Holy Souls
Tue 3rd Nov	9.00am		James Slattery (Anniv)
Wed 4th Nov	9.00am	St Charles Borromeo	Una Coughlan (L/D)
Thu 5th Nov	10.00am		**Requiem: Marie Egan**
Fri 6th Nov	9.00am		Vincent Barron (Anniv)
Sat 7th Nov	10.00am		People of the Parish
	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Kay Doherty (40th Anniv) Mary Morgan (Anniv) James & Marion Heeney (Anniv) Dermott & Michael McBride RIP Lisa & John Wilson RIP
Sun 8th Nov	9.00am	Thirty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time	John Morgan & deceased of family John P Durcan (1st Anniv) Mary Collins (Anniv)
	11.30am		Joe & John Lloyd (Anniv) Stephen Flaherty (Anniv) Teresa Bradley (L/D) Frank McConnell (Months Mind)

Confessions Saturday 10.45am - 11.30am and 5.15pm - 5.45pm
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Saturday 10.30am - 11.30am.

All Saints p184
Response to the Psalm:
Such are the people who seek your face, O Lord.

Gospel Acclamation:
Alleluia, alleluia.
Come to me, all who labour and are heavy laden, says the Lord, and I will give you rest. Alleluia.

Preface of All Saints p71
Eucharistic Prayer III p27

Memorial Acclamation
We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again.

Solemnity of All Saints Today we celebrate the feast of all the unknown saints who are now in heaven. The Church reminds us that sanctity is within everyone's reach. Through the Communion of Saints we can help each other.

The Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls) Monday 2nd November Masses 9.00am & 7.00pm.

Retiring Collection this weekend will be taken for The Johnson Association which supports sick, infirm and retired priests of the Archdiocese. Please take one of the leaflets and use one of the special envelopes to Gift Aid your donation.

Blessing of Graves Commence this Sunday at Brandwood End 2.00pm.

Next Sunday is Remembrance Sunday
All those who have died as a result of war/ conflict will be remembered at the 9.00am Mass.

Baptism Preparation Meeting This Tuesday 3rd November at 7.00pm in the church. Parents and God parents are asked to attend.

Memorial Mass for Fr Chris Fitzpatrick
at St Chad's Cathedral this Wednesday (4th) at 12.15pm. All welcome to attend.

Mass of Remembrance for those who have died from 1st November 2025 - 31st October 2026 will be celebrated on **Thursday, 19th November at 7.00pm** If your loved one wasn't buried from Our Lady of Lourdes but you would like them included in the Mass please handing their name to Father Sean, Deacon Tim or Sheila.
November Dead List if you wish to have your loved ones remembered in prayer during the month of November, please place their names in an envelope marked 'Our Lady of Lourdes – November Dead' and post through the presbytery letterbox or hand to a warden. These will be placed on the altar and the deceased prayed for at Masses during November.

Blessing of Graves

Sunday 1st Nov	Brandwood End 2.00pm
Saturday 7th Nov	Quinton 2.30pm Oscott 3.00pm
Sunday 8th Nov	Widney Manor 2.00pm Quinton 2.00pm
Saturday 14th Nov	Lodge Hill 12 noon
Sunday 15th Nov	Kings Norton 2.00pm Widney Manor 2.00pm
Sunday 22nd Nov	Robin Hood 2.00pm Wythall 2.00pm

Widney Manor cemetery
Please note blessing of graves will take place over two Sundays.
Sunday 8th November:
Lawn 001-673, Lawn 674-1411 Lawn 2353-3433 and children's graves i.e. from car park to the roundabout by children's area and including lawn 2353-3433.

Sunday 15th November:
Lawn 3450-3525, Lawn 3530- ongoing i.e. from the roundabout to the railway line.

Pray for the sick - Eddie Byrne, Giovanna Casserley, Isabelle Chester, Ann Desmond, Owen Dolan, Michael Doyle, Amber Durrant, Tom Finnerty, Mary Fleming, Christopher Geraghty, Chloe Glendall, Bryan Grogan, Carmel Haines, Martina Hand, Patrick Harte, Helen Hayden, Dan Healy, Finbar Herron, Anne Holland, Ray Holton, Norman Hubbleday, Jason Hughes, Peggy Hughes, Marie Hume, Michael Kilgallen, Brian Kirk, Barbara Kopieczek, Maureen Maloney, Eugene McCarthy, John McCaul, Danny McCormack, Patrick McGarvey, Gemma McGeown, Francis McGillion, Con McHugh, John McNicholas, Danny Mulholland, John Murphy, Denis Murray, Darcie Nolan, Aidan O'Donnell, Anita O'Donnell, Patricia O'Donnell, Mary Pender, Mary Philpott, Philomena Ryan, Baby Aine Scanlon, John Shryane, Kath Smith, Julie Swinscoe, Nadine Terry, David Thorpe, Vincent Tierney, Andrew Walford, Mona Whitehouse

Lately Dead:
Marie Egan (Glastonbury Road) Requiem Mass Thursday 5th November at 10.00am Reception Wednesday 4th at 6.00pm
Bridie Withers (Brentford Road) Requiem Mass Tuesday 10th November at 11.00am
Eileen Jackson (Hullbrook Road) Requiem Mass Thursday 12th November at 10.45am
Maureen Hedigan Requiem Mass Friday 13th November at 12 noon
Frank McConnell Burial has taken place in Fermanagh. Months Mind Mass here Sunday 8th 11.30am

Anniversaries: 1st Nov - 7th Nov (2016 - to date) Martin Murray, Josephine Carty, Michael Queenan, Baby Romeo Phipps, Daniel McCaffrey, Maureen Bishop, Anne Seery, John Hughes, Brenda Kennedy Liam Byrne, Denis Barry, Teresa Mason, Anthony Flowers, Mary Byrne, Michael Hurley, Nuala Radnor

Readers	Weekend 1st November	Weekend 8th November
6.00pm	Y Brennan, L Mockler	T Bradley, T O'Connor
9.00am	M O'Connor, G McCann	T Oxley, J Oxley
11.30am	H Healy, W Ferreira	F Healy, E Healy
Ministers 6pm	Y Brennan, L Mockler	P Keane, Sr Clarissa
9.00am	T Kenna, A Hunt, D Macaulay	P Fitzpatrick, A Okonkwo, L Freeman
11.30am	Sr Clarissa, B Wood, K Price	Sr Clarissa, E Keating, J Duggan
Minibus Driver	F Stephenson, B Timmons	M Cunningham, J Cunningham
Counting	W Power, T Hickey	M Hannon, A Hannon
Church Cleaning	Friday 6th November 9.30am	Saturday 14th November 8.30am
	Team C: J Cunningham, F Rotherham, A Healy	Team A: S McGrath, P&C McDonald, C Hayden, E Sullivan

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Marie Sullivan and Lorraine Freeman. They can be contacted at: sg.ourladyoflourdes.bham@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.