

### Parish Lottery Winners

**Saturday 21st October 2023 Week No: 47 Bonus Ball: 06 Thunder Ball: 06**  
 £150 will be divided between: M Callaghan, B O'Neill, P Shears, M Chinn (each receive £37.50) M Callaghan was the winner of the Thunder Ball and wins £150 plus their share of the Bonus Ball. Amount to be won next week £50.

### Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre

#### Sunday 29th October:

#### Live Football

West Ham v Everton 1pm  
 Man Utd v Man City 3.30pm

Live Music 'Ian Casey'  
 4pm - 7pm free entry

Wednesday Evenings: Bingo 7.30pm

Thursday Evening: Pat Brennan

Music Group 7.00pm

#### Sunday 5th November:

#### Live Music 'Mark Taggart'

4pm - 7pm free entry

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

**Brunch with Santa** Sunday 17th December 12-4pm in the Parish Centre. Tickets available from next Sunday (in the club) from 12 noon. Adults £6 children £3.

**Publications** available at the church porch  
**The Catholic Post** October edition free copies  
**The Universe Newspaper** price £3.50  
**Bible Alive** November edition £3.00  
**Catholic Herald Magazine** is now being published monthly at a cost of £5 per issue. A limited number of copies magazine will be available from the November issue. A recommended read.

**Our Lady of Lourdes School - Admissions**  
 The school will be holding a series of Open Sessions for parents who are in the process of looking for a Nursery or Reception Class for their child to start in September 2024. Dates: **11th November 9.00am - 10.00am** **24th November 2.30pm - 3.30pm** For details of admission go to <https://www.ourladyoflourdesprimary.com/admissions/>

**SVP Contact number** for emergency help only 07949854349.

**Next Quiz Night in aid of HCPT** Friday 24th November at 8.30pm all welcome. HCPT take children with disabilities and disadvantaged children to Lourdes at Easter each year. Proceeds of the quiz will be used towards the Pilgrimage.

**HCPT Group 712** is our local youth service group who go to Lourdes at Easter to support children's groups from the Midlands by marshalling processions, providing music and games for the children, and assisting experienced group helpers in caring for and entertaining the children who are the focus of the pilgrimage. Young people aged 16 and above who would be interested in joining the group for Easter 2024 should email Deacon Tim group712@hcpt.org.uk. We will assist with fundraising and bursary grants to support you in raising the fare of £645. See [www.hcpt.org.uk](http://www.hcpt.org.uk) for further information about the whole pilgrimage.

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](mailto:sg.ourladyoflourdes.bham@rcaob.org.uk) or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 [safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk) if you have any concern.

**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



## OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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## Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### 29th October 2023

Masses this Week

Sat 28th Oct	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Dermot McBride RIP Michael Gibbons RIP John Wilson (1st Anniv)	Hazel Deeley (L/D) Bridie Dillon (Anniv)
Sun 29th Oct	9.00am	Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Bill Doyle (Anniv) George Parsons (Anniv) Adelaide Tracey (Anniv)	Mark Boyle RIP
	11.00am		Michael Burke (Anniv) Thomas Courtney (Anniv) Olive Fallon (Anniv) Daniel Keane (L/D)	Moirá McDaid (Anniv) Frances Bigby (1st Anniv)
Mon 30th Oct	9.00am		People of the Parish	
Tue 31st Oct	9.00am		Mary McCaughey RIP (Birthday)	
Wed 1st Nov	9.00am 7.00pm	All Saints	People of the Parish Thompson family Intentions	Elizabeth Spillane (Anniv)
Thu 2nd Nov	9.00am 11.30am 7.00pm	All the Faithful Departed All Souls	Daniel McCaffrey (1st Anniv) <b>Requiem: Gertrude Butler</b> Holy Souls Mary Lynskey	
Fri 3rd Nov	9.00am		Martin Finglass RIP	
Sat 4th Nov	10.00am 6.00pm	St Charles Borromeo Vigil Mass	Casserley & Dorigo families Alan Kelly RIP Michael Kieilty RIP Nora Mayne (L/D)	Patrick & Bridget Treacy RIP
Sun 5th Nov	9.00am 11.00am	Thirty first Sunday in Ordinary Time	Deceased of Ryan, Fleming & Rafter families Caroline Boyle (Anniv) Bernadette Jinks (Months Mind) Anne Sims (Months Mind)	Johnny Hughes (1st Anniv)

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

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

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**Response to Psalm:**

I love you, Lord, my strength.

**Pope's Prayer Intention for November: For the Pope** We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfils his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.

**Gospel Acclamation:**

Alleluia, Alleluia!  
Open our heart, O Lord,  
to accept the words of  
your Son.  
Alleluia!

**Communion Antiphon:**

We will ring out joy at  
your saving help and  
exult in the name of our  
God.

**Wednesday 1st November** is The Solemnity of All Saints and a Holy Day of Obligation. Mass at 9.00am and 7.00pm.

**Thursday 2nd November** is The Commemoration of the Faithful Departed (All Souls). Mass at 9.00am and 7.00pm.

**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 envelopes marked 'Our Lady of Lourdes - November Dead' or use one of the envelopes available from the back of church. Please post through the presbytery letter box or hand in to a warden. These will be placed on the altar and the deceased prayed for at Masses during November.

**Mass of Remembrance** for those who have died from 1st November 2022 - 31st October 2023 will be on Tuesday 21st 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 hand in their name to Fr Sean, Deacon Tim or Sheila.

**Blessing of Graves** - all commence at 2.00pm

<b>5th November</b>	<b>12th November</b>	<b>19th November</b>	<b>26th November</b>
Brandwood End	Widney Manor (Service 1)	Widney Manor (Service 2)	Wythall
Quinton	Lodge Hill	Kings Norton	Robin Hood

For full list of cemeteries covered see poster on noticeboard.

**Widney Manor cemetery** Please note that blessing of graves will take place over two Sundays.

**Sunday 12th November** - Lawn 001 - 673, Lawn 674 -1411 Lawn 2353-3433 and children's graves. i.e. from the carpark to the roundabout by children's area and including lawn 2353 - 3433.

**Sunday 19th November** - Lawn 3450 - 3525, Lawn 3530 - ongoing. i.e. from the roundabout to the railway line. (See poster on noticeboard Sunday 12th (orange area) Sunday 19th (green area))

**Blessing of Graves at Oscott Cemetery: Saturday 4th November at 3.00pm.**

**Retiring Collection** next weekend will be taken for the Johnson Association, which helps support infirm, sick and retired clergy of the Archdiocese.

**Next Baptism Preparation Meeting** will be on Tuesday 7th November at 7.30pm in the church. Parents hoping to have their child Baptised in the next few months are asked to attend, along with the God parents.

**Sacrament of Baptism** We welcome into God's family **Lorenzo Shawn Patrick Francis** who was Baptised at Our Lady of Lourdes last Sunday.

**Tabor House** Thank you to everyone who supported the recent afternoon tea. A total of £950 was raised which will help Tabor House support people experiencing homelessness.

**Church carpark resurfacing** The carpark will be closed as from tomorrow (Monday morning) until Tuesday 7th November. Please use the school carpark or side roads for parking. For week day Masses this week please use the church side door entrance by the presbytery. Disabled access will be through the front side door by the Sacred Heart Chapel.

**The retiring collection** taken recently for Friends of the Holy Land raised £900.00. Thank you.

**Congratulations to**

**Alex McKenna & Lorna Sheridan**  
who married at Our Lady of Lourdes  
on Friday

**Pray for the sick** - Margaret Barron, Pat Berns, Eddie Byrne, Peggy Byrne, Rita Carroll, Giovanna Casserley, Isabelle Chester, Pat Clarke, Jennifer Cox, Ann Desmond, Bridget Doherty, Owen Dolan, Josie Douglas, Michael Doyle, Amber Durrant, Noah Edwards, Philomena Egan, 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, Baby Heyaan Heath, Finbar Herron, Anne Holland, Ray Holton, Norman Hubbleday, Jason Hughes, Marie Hume, Michael Kilgallen, Brian Kirk, Barbara Kopieczek, Joe Lloyd, Maureen Maloney, Adrian Mannion, Mary Mazurkiewicz, Eugene McCarthy, Helena McCaughey, Gemma McGeown, Francis McGillion, Pat McGlone, Kathleen McHale, John McNicholas, 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:**

**Gertrude Butler** (Chinn Brook Road) Requiem Thursday 2nd November at 11.30am  
**Rosemary Newns** (Olton) Funeral Service at Redditch Crematorium Tuesday 7th November at 2.45pm  
**Carol Heppollette** (Richmond Road) Requiem Wednesday 8th November at 11.00am  
**Pauline Moody** (Yardley Wood Rd) Requiem Thursday 9th November at 12 noon  
**Isabelle Wragg** (Ellersley Road) Requiem Friday 10th November at 11.30am  
**Hazel Deeley** (Manor House Lane, Sheldon) Funeral at Robin Hood Chapel Tuesday 14th Nov at 1.00pm  
**Andrea Byrne** (Sunderton Rd)) Wednesday 15th November at 10.30am  
**Daniel Keane** Requiem Thursday 16th November 11.00am Reception 15th at 7.00pm  
**Gerard Creegan** (Boden Road) Requiem Friday 24th November at 11.00am Reception 23rd at 6.00pm  
**Kathleen Rotherham** (Middleton Road) Funeral at Robin Hood Crematorium Friday 3rd November 10.30am  
**Vincent Barron** (Wake Green Road) **Kathleen Pawlowski**

**Anniversaries:** 29th Oct - 4th Nov 2013 - 2023: Terence O'Loughlin, Tom Nolan, Joseph Naughton, Michael Burke, Frances Bigby, George Murray, Thomas Courtney, Susan Cremins-Bolton, Olive Fallon, Peter Horan, Martin Murray, Josephine Carty, Michael Queenan, Baby Romeo Phipps, Daniel McCaffrey, Maureen Bishop, Anne Seery, John Hughes

Readers	Weekend 29th October	Weekend 5th November
6.00pm	J Silvey, M Moran	L Mockler, Y Brennan
9.00am	J Oxley, T Oxley	I Harley, A Parker
11.00am	S Harkin, P Stephens	R Wood, E Keating
Ministers 6pm	P Keane, L Mockler	P Keane, M Moran
9.00am	P Fitzpatrick, A Hunt, D Ryan	D Macaulay, P Freeman, L Freeman
11.00am	Sr Clarissa, B Wood, K Price	Sr Clarissa, E Keating, J Duggan
Minibus Driver	R Mattison, G Mattison	P Carbery, A Carbery
Counting	M Hannon, A Hannon	P Fitzpatrick, P Fitzpatrick
Church Cleaning	Thursday 2nd November at 9.30am	Saturday 11th November at 8.30am
	Team C: J Cunningham, F Rotherham, M Nguyen	Team A: S McGrath, P & C McDonald, A Treacy, C Hayden, E Sullivan