

Parish Lottery Winners

Saturday 20th Feb 2021 Week No: 12 Bonus Ball 10 Thunder Ball 6

£150 will be divided between: Peggy Oldacres, Eileen Powers, Graham Locke, Paddy Keane, Pat Sadowski (each receive £30.00) **Pat Sadowski was the winner of the Thunder Ball. Pat wins £50 plus her share of the Bonus Ball. Amount to be won next week £50.**

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.



Parish Lottery & Weekly Offerings Sheila Treacy, Parish Secretary can be contacted Mon, Tue, Thur, Fri on 07434 667695 or by email pt.ourladyoflourdes.bham@rcaob.org.uk to deal with the Parish Lottery, church offerings or any other queries.

Spam emails/text messages If you receive any request via email or text message purporting to be from any member of clergy or staff in our Archdiocese requesting financial help you are advised not to respond directly to any such request, even if the person who might be contacting you, seems to be your close friend, another parishioner or employee of the diocese. Prior to responding to the message/request for help, please always contact the parish to verify the person who asks for support and the purpose of any donation.

Ask your MP to support a NEW amendment to help stop forced abortion in Xinjiang, China There is extensive evidence that many women in the Uyghur Muslim community in Xinjiang, China are being subjected to forced abortions. Lord Alton is currently championing a new amendment to the Trade Bill, to help put international pressure on the Chinese Communist Party to stop the practice of forced abortions and wider human rights abuses that evidence shows is being perpetuated against the Uyghur community. The amendment passed in the Lords on 23 February by 367 votes to 214, and is likely to be voted on in the Commons shortly. If you would like to email your MP asking them to support the amendment, you can do this easily using a tool which has been set up on the Genocide Response campaign website, which can be accessed by visiting the link: <https://genocideresponse.org/>

World Day of Prayer Friday 5th March 'Building on a strong foundation' to obtain details of Services that will be live streamed on the day go to www.wwdp.org.uk

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



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Second Sunday of Lent - 28th February 2021

Masses this week

Sat 27th Feb	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Helen Emmett (Anniv) Sam Baneham (Anniv) PJ Rushe (Anniv)
Sun 28th Feb	9.00am	Second Sunday of Lent	Mary Fleming Intentions Pat & David Collins (Anniv)
	11.00am		Eileen Stephens (L/D) Christopher Carroll (Anniv) Ethna McAleer (Months Mind) Patrick Walsh (1st Anniv)
Mon 1st Mar	9.00am	Feast of St David	Nora Laffoley (1st Anniv)
	10.30am		Requiem: Martin Lynch
Tue 2nd Mar	9.00am	Feast of St Chad	Paddy Moffitt RIP (Birthday)
Wed 3rd Mar	9.00am		Margaret O'Donohue (L/D)
	10.45am		Funeral Service: Lillian Riando
Thur 4th Mar	9.00am		Sean Callaghan RIP
Fri 5th Mar	9.00am		People of the Parish
Sat 6th Mar	10.00am		Pat Fitzpatrick RIP
	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Michael Davis, Anne & Deceased of the family Olive Shaughnessy (L/D) Owen Grant (1st Anniv)
Sun 7th Mar	9.00am	Third Sunday of Lent	Michael McAvinney (Anniv) Tony Towey (Anniv)
	11.00am		Rose Fogarty (L/D) James McLaughlin (Anniv) Bernie Wren (Anniv)

Tuesday is The Feast of St Chad Patron saint of our Diocese, public Mass at 9.00am our school children will participate via Live stream.

Second Sunday of Lent

Responsorial Psalm:

I will walk in the presence of the Lord
in the land of the living.

Pope's Prayer Intention for March: Sacrament of Reconciliation

Let us pray that we may experience the sacrament of reconciliation with renewed depth, to taste the infinite mercy of God.

Gospel acclamation:

Glory and praise to you, O Christ!
From the bright cloud the Father's
voice was heard: 'This is my Son the
Beloved. Listen to him.'
Glory and praise to you, O Christ!

Masses this week

Saturday 10.00am & Vigil 6.00pm - **Public Mass**

Sunday 9.00am & 11.00am - **Public Mass**

Monday 9.00am - Live streamed 10.30am - **Requiem** Live streamed

Tuesday 9.00am - **Public Mass**

Wednesday 9.00am - Live streamed 10.45am **Funeral Service** Live streamed

Thursday 9.00am - **Public Mass**

Friday 9.00am - Live streamed

Friday 7.00pm - Stations of the Cross - **Public** and Live streamed

Saturday 10.00am & Vigil 6.00pm - **Public Mass**

CAFOD Family Fast Day envelopes may be handed in this weekend.

Next weekend a collection will be taken for Cathedral Maintenance. Please use your second collection envelopes or put your donation in an envelope clearly marked 'Cathedral Maintenance'.

Collection taken for Peter's Pence and Holy Places raised £280.50. Thank you.

Stations of the Cross at 7.00pm each Friday during Lent. Public and Live streamed.

Please note our new email address for the Parish
ourladyoflourdes.bham@rcaob.org.uk

Walk With Me 'Lenten Journey of Prayer' booklets are now available. Please take a copy when next at church.

Our Lady of Lourdes School Nursery 2021

The deadline for Nursery applications for September 2021 is Wednesday 31 March. Please collect application forms from the school office or download from the school website and return with your child's birth certificate, baptismal certificate and a current utility bill. Offer letters will be posted on Friday 30th April.

Pray for the sick - Dyphna Beggan, David Begley, Pat Berns, Daniel Breen, Eddie Byrne, Peggy Byrne, Isabella Chester, Pat Clarke, Gary Collins, William Coniry, Bridget Doherty, Mary Dolan, Josie Douglas, Michael Doyle, Mary (Ria) Finglas, Mary Fleming, Patricia Freeman, Mary Gilligan, Baby Chloe Glendall, Terea Griffin, Bryan Grogan, Carmel Haines, Martina Hand, Dan Healy, Finbar Herron, Ray Holton, Jason Hughes, Marie Hume, Marie Kelly, Brian Kirk, Josephine Kirk, Barbara Kopieczek, John Lynch, Adrian Mannion, Mary Mazurkiewicz, Kathleen MacInerny, Maureen Maloney, Michael McAleer, Ann Moffitt, Andrew Morgan, Mary Morgan, Michael Noga, Siobhan O'Connell, Meg O'Dowd, Margaret O'Grady, Mary Pender, Josie Rattigan, Maureen Rushe, John Shryane, Janette Smyth, Rosemary Smyth, Simon Spillane, Mary Spratt, Julie Swinscoe, Nadine Terry, John Wilson

Lately dead:



Martin Lynch (Palmer's Close - Requiem Monday 1st March)
Lillian Riando (Freasley Close, Shirley - Funeral Service Wednesday 3rd March)
Patrick Conaghan (Northfield - Requiem Thursday 11th March)
Philomena McDowell (Aldis Close - Requiem Friday 12th March)
Malcolm Haynes (Chinn Brook Road - Requiem Thursday 18th March)
Pamela Cade (Madden) (Highfield Road - Requiem Wednesday 24th March)
Ann Duggan (Glastonbury Road - Requiem Friday 26th March)
Ellen Slattery (Robin Hood Croft)
Ann O'Sullivan (Haunch Lane)
Fr Oliver Kemp (Retired priest of the Diocese)



Anniversaries: 28th Feb - 6th Feb: Mary Barnett, Clement Alberici, Helen Emmett, Michael McAvinney, Nancy Gormley, John Kane, Win Gates, Sheila Windle, Nora Laffoley, Ellen Moriarty, Eugene Coveney, Carol Szwaba, Bridget O'Shea, Rev Denis Murphy, Bridget Cusack, Gerard Ryan, Mary Gallagher, Albert Donnan, Anna O'Shea, Eileen Farmer, Francis Kefford, Christopher Hannon, Peter Reaney, Mary Heekin, Owen Grant, Phillip Winsper, Henry Taylor, Mark Dodds, Marie Doyle, Patrick Lambe, James Tonge, Rose Hames

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.



Requiem Masses

Please note that attendance is restricted to family (and to close friends only when numbers allow). The capacity number is 30 as social distancing applies. Face masks need to be worn at all times whilst in the church.



Webcam - Live Streaming www.ourladyoflourdesbirmingham.co.uk in the middle of the screen click on 'Watch Church Webcam' this will take you straight to the page.