

Parish Lottery Winners

Saturday 13th January 2024 Week No: 07 Bonus Ball: 07 Thunder Ball: 03
 £150 will be divided between: A Mitchell, P Dalton, P McGowan, C O'Sullivan (each receive £37.50) There was no winner of the Thunder Ball. Amount to be won next week £200.

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre

Sunday 21st: Live Premier League Football -

2.00pm Sheffield Utd v West Ham 4.30pm Bournemouth v Liverpool

Wednesday: Bingo 7.30pm Thursday: Music Group 7.00pm

Sunday 28th January Live Music 'Little Jimmy' 4.30pm - 7.30pm

'Declan Nerney'

Sunday 4th February from 8.30pm Tickets £10

The Centre is available for Funeral Wakes, Baptism Celebrations, Charity Events, Weddings, Birthday parties etc.

To book contact Melissa, Parish Centre 07434 667695 or 0121 443 2199 follow us on

<https://www.facebook.com/ololparishcentre>

**Week of Prayer for Christian Unity
 18-25 January 2024
 We Are One With You**

O God, we are one with you.
 You have made us one with you.
 You have taught us that if we are open to one another, you dwell in us.
 Help us to preserve this openness and to fight for it with all our hearts.
 Help us to realise that there can be no understanding where there is mutual rejection.



Help for the Homeless The following items are needed for the homeless. New or second hand in good/clean condition. Socks, underwear, gloves, hats, tops, t-shirts, jumpers, joggers, fleeces, footwear (all mainly for men) and sleeping bags/blankets. Please hand in at the presbytery.

The Sanctuary We are still collecting food and toiletries for the Sanctuary. Tinned fish and meat, tinned fruit and vegetables, cooking oil. Soap, toothpaste, toothbrushes, shower gel etc.

40 Days for Life Kick off event 'Abortion & Mental Health' Dr Calum Miller, Sunday 11th February at 3.00pm at St Joseph & St Helen's Church Hall, Station Road, B30 1JG. For more information contact Isabel 07773 501721. Please take one of the flyers.

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.



OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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 Sisters of the Immaculate Heart: Sr Clarissa, Sr Sebastian

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses this Week **21st January 2024**

Sat 20th Jan	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Dec'd of Kiely family (Phylis, Jim, Michael) Paula Daly Ints John Quang, Paul The Christine Jordan (Anniv)
Sun 21st Jan	9.00am	Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	Mary Carney RIP John Hegarty (Anniv)
	11.00am		Patrick Shanley (Anniv) John Timmons & Catherine Sheerin (Anniv) Kathleen Donnelly (Anniv) Phelim McCaffrey (Anniv) Tommy Joyce (Anniv) Arthur Callaghan (Anniv) Sean Gallagher RIP (Birthday) Special Intention (AD) Geraldine Ferrick Special Intention
Mon 22nd Jan	9.00am		Michael & Ethna McAleer RIP
Tue 23rd Jan	11.00am		Requiem: Thomas 'John' Morgan
Wed 24th Jan	9.00am	St Francis de Sales	Walsh family Intentions
Thu 25th Jan	9.00am	Conversion of St Paul	Helen Doyle Intentions
Fri 26th Jan	9.00am	Ss Timothy and Titus	Cox family
Sat 27th Jan	10.00am		Mark Timmons (Anniv)
	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Kate & Joe Creegan RIP Seamus O'Neill RIP Con & Maisie Haughey RIP John & Carol O'Neil Intentions
Sun 28th Jan	9.00am	Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Patrick Joseph Finnerty, Mary Teresa Walsh, Ann Mullagh Martin Lynch (Anniv)
	11.00am		Special Intention (CH) Joseph Naughton RIP Nonnie McLarnon (1st Anniv) Patsy Grant

Confessions Saturday 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:

Lord, make me know your ways.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia!
The kingdom of God is close at hand;
believe the Good News.
Alleluia!

First Holy Communion Preparation Meeting

This Tuesday 23rd January 2024 at 6.30pm in the church. Any children in non Catholic schools please attend the meeting. The children will attend the 11.00am Mass on Sunday 28th January as part of their preparation.

Sacrament of Baptism We welcome into God's family **Evie Kate Coggins** and **Jack Andrew Coggins** who were Baptised recently at Our Lady of Lourdes.

Next Baptism Preparation Meeting will be on **Tuesday 6th February** at 7.30pm in the church. Parents and Godparents are asked to attend.

Quiz Night in aid of Victim Support this Friday 26th January at 8.30pm in the Parish Centre. All welcome.

Crib Offerings of £210.39 and will go to Father Hudson's Society.

Holocaust Memorial Day Saturday 27th January commemorates the victims and survivors of the Holocaust and Nazi persecutions, as well as other genocides around the world. People across the UK are being asked to light a candle and safely put it in a window at 8pm, for a national moment of remembrance, and to share on social media using the hashtags #HolocaustMemorialDay and #LightTheDarkness. Birmingham City Council will be holding a remembrance event on Monday 29th January 11.00am - 12.30pm at the Banqueting Suite, Victoria Square B1 1BB. Everyone is welcome to attend.

Please note following dates
Ash Wednesday 14th February
Easter Sunday 31st March

Our Patronal Feast Day of Our Lady of Lourdes falls on Sunday 11th February. There will be Mass and anointing of the sick on Saturday 10th February at 12 noon. If any sick or infirm would like to attend the Mass and need transport, please let us know.

Bible Alive Lent 2024 Copies available at the church porch at reduced price of £2.00.

World Leprosy Day Sunday 28th January
The John Bradburne Memorial Society continue the work of John, a Franciscan layman, who cared for leprosy patients living in Zimbabwe. They help to provide essential items to the community at Mutemwa. **A retiring collection will be taken next weekend.**

Next SVP Meeting Monday 5th February at 7.00pm in the Parish Meeting Room. **SVP Contact number** 07949854349.

MCN Media Live stream The web address has now changed, please go to www.mcn.live on your web browser. To watch Mass on our Parish website there will be no change everything remains the same.

Tabor Living Volunteer open event Wednesday 14 February 11am Interesting in volunteering? Invitation to find out more information about joining the team of fabulous volunteers offering support to homeless individuals at the project in Birmingham. The event will be held at Tabor Living, St Catherine of Siena on Bristol Road. Confirm your interest and attendance via email to taboradmin@fatherhudsons.org.uk or by calling 0121 647 5106.

Archdiocese of Birmingham for all the latest news and events go to the Diocesan website www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk

Pray for the sick - Margaret Barron, Pat Berns, Eddie Byrne, Rita Carroll, Giovanna Casserley, Isabelle Chester, Pat Clarke, Jennifer Cox, Ann Desmond, Bridget Doherty, Owen Dolan, Josie Douglas, Michael Doyle, Owen Dunne, 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 Huddleday, Jason Hughes, Marie Hume, Michael Kilgallen, Brian Kirk, Barbara Kopieczek, Maureen Maloney, Adrian Mannion, Mary Mazurkiewicz, Eugene McCarthy, Helena McCaughey, Gemma McGeown, Francis McGillion, Pat McGlone, Kathleen McHale, John McNicholas, Danny Mulholland, James Murphy, John Murphy, Denis Murray, Michael Noga, Siobhan O'Connell, Patricia O'Donnell, 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:

Thomas 'John' Morgan (Selby Grove) Requiem Tuesday 23rd January at 11.00am
Thomas Murray (Amsley Court, Shirley) Requiem Tuesday 30th January at 10.30am
Mildred O'Connell (Rivendale Court) Requiem Tuesday 6th February at 10.00am.
Michael Brennan (Leominster Road) Requiem Thursday 8th February at 11.30am Reception 7th at 6.00pm
Joan Sutton (Moorside Road)

Anniversaries: 21st Jan - 27th Jan 2014 - to date: Ethna McAleer, Kevin Long, Jean Brennan, Arthur Callaghan, John Hegarty, Joe Moriarty, Patrick Shanley, Rachel Preston, John McGahey, Patricia Ahern, Michael Connolly, Diane Rigby, Maura McNamara, Patricia Treacy, Veronica Gall, Catherine Gaynor, Mark Timmons

Readers	Weekend 21st January	Weekend 28th January
6.00pm	T Bradley	E Evans, G Evans, E Flaherty
9.00am	A Bailey, E Bailey, C Martin	I Harley, A Parker
11.00am	P Stephens, S Harkin	H Healy, W Ferreira, E Healy
Ministers 6pm	P Keane, M Moran	P Keane, Y Brennan
9.00am	A Hunt, T Kenna, Sr Clarissa	D Ryan, P Freeman, L Freeman
11.00am	Sr Clarissa, E Keating, J Duggan	Sr Clarissa, B Wood, P Stephens
Minibus Driver	P Carbery, A Carbery	M Cunningham, J Cunningham
Counting	P Fitzpatrick, P Fitzpatrick	W Power, T Hickey
Church Cleaning	Thursday 25th January 9.30am	Thursday 1st February 9.30am
	Team B: A Parker, K Watt, P Oldacres, C Chinn, J Gallon, E McBride	Team C: J Cunningham, F Rotherham, M Nguyen

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