

### Parish Lottery Winners

**Saturday 27th March 2021 Week No: 17 Bonus Ball 29 Thunder Ball 6**

£150 will be divided between: W & E Catterson, R & J Holton, Charlie Sweeney, Michael McNabola, Mary McConnell (each receive (£30.00) **There was no winner of the Thunder Ball. Amount to be won next week £200.**

Fr Sean, Deacon Tim &  
the Parish Sisters wish  
you all Peace and Joy this  
Easter



### Pope Francis Prayer to St Joseph

*Hail, Guardian of the Redeemer,  
Spouse of the Blessed Virgin Mary.  
To you God entrusted his only Son;  
in you Mary placed her trust;  
with you Christ became man.  
Blessed Joseph, to us too,  
show yourself a father  
and guide us in the path of life.  
Obtain for us grace, mercy, and courage,  
and defend us from every evil. Amen.*

**Children's Liturgy via Zoom** Easter Sunday 10.00am To take part please email [marieghealy@outlook.com](mailto:marieghealy@outlook.com)

**Walk With Me Booklets** 'An Eastertide Journey of Prayer' are available please take a copy. **Thank you** to all our volunteer stewards and cleaners for their continued help in keeping everyone safe and the church clean.

**Confession** Saturday 10.45am -11.30am & 5.15pm - 5.45pm

**Sacrament of Baptism** Baptisms are being celebrated by appointment - the restriction on numbers attending is 6 people. This will increase to 30 people from 17 May, and after the 21 June there will be no restriction on numbers (However, please note government guidelines may change). Please contact the Presbytery to book or make an appointment for your child's Baptism. Preparation meeting on Tuesday 6th July at 7.00pm for families celebrating Baptism after that date. Subsequent meetings on the first Tuesday of each month.

**Requiem Masses** Please note that attendance is restricted to family (and to close friends only when numbers allow). The capacity number is 30 (until at least 21st June) social distancing applies. Face masks need to be worn at all times whilst in the church.

**Bishop Challoner TSA** is currently working with around 40 Primary and Secondary schools in the Birmingham area to help new teachers into the profession. Anyone is welcome to join for a free online information event on **Wednesday 28th April at 6pm** or **Thursday 13th May at 5pm** to find out more about the School Direct / PGCE route into this exciting and rewarding profession. See [www.bctsa.org](http://www.bctsa.org) for details, or email [teachingschool@bishopchalloner.bham.sch.uk](mailto:teachingschool@bishopchalloner.bham.sch.uk).

### Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre

Under the current government guidelines the Parish Centre will hopefully be able to open again from 17th May 2021. For anyone wishing to make an advanced booking please contact the Parish Centre Manager, Tom Carbery - 07434 667695

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



## OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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Parish Safeguarding Officers: Marie Sullivan - 0121 430 3955 Lorraine Freeman - 0121 436 7758



## Solemnity of the Resurrection of the Lord

Easter Sunday - 4th April 2021

### Masses this week

Sat 3rd Apr	6.00pm	Easter Vigil first Mass of Easter	Bill Looney RIP (Birthday) John Mockler (Anniv)	
Sun 4th Apr	9.00am	Easter Sunday Solemnity of the Resurrection of the Lord	Tom Donnelly (Anniv) Veronica Walsh RIP (70th Birthday) David & Beles Keegan Intentions	
	11.00am		Freda & Michael Keady Thelma Steele (10th Anniv) John Gorevan (Months Mind)	
Mon 5th Apr	10.00am		Colin Donnan (Anniv)	
Tue 6th Apr	10.00am		Peter Hannigan RIP	
Wed 7th Apr	10.00am		Christopher Geraghty Intentions	
Thur 8th Apr	10.00am		Thomas & Annie Kane RIP	
Fri 9th Apr	10.00am		People of the Parish Pray for William O'Halloran	
Sat 10th Apr	10.00am	Vigil Mass	Kevin Reaney Intentions	
	6.00pm		Patrick Kelly (Anniv) Catherine & Elsie Kelly RIP Nicholas & Mary McGrath (Anniv) Joseph McNamara (Anniv)	
Sun 11th Apr	9.00am	Second Sunday of Easter	Margaret Towey (Anniv) Helen Ann Lindsay (Months Mind)	
	11.00am		Michael & James Jeffers (Anniv) Thompson family	

**The Collection at all Easter Masses** will be your Easter Gift to Fr Sean.

## Pope's Prayer Intention for April - Fundamental Rights

We pray for those who risk their lives while fighting for fundamental rights under dictatorship, authoritarian regimes and even in democracies in crisis.

### Easter Sunday - The Resurrection of the Lord

**Response to Psalm:** This day was made by the Lord; we rejoice and are glad.

#### Sequence:

Christians, to the Paschal Victim offer sacrifice and praise.  
The sheep are ransomed by the Lamb; and Christ, the undefiled,  
hath sinners to his Father reconciled.  
Death with life contended: combat strangely ended!  
Life's own Champion, slain, yet lives to reign.  
Tell us, Mary: say what thou didst see upon the way.  
The tomb the Living did enclose; I saw Christ's glory as he rose!  
The angels there attesting; shroud with grave-clothes resting.  
Christ, my hope, has risen: he goes before you into Galilee.  
That Christ is truly risen from the dead we know.  
Victorious king, thy mercy show!

#### Gospel Acclamation Alleluia, alleluia!

Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed;  
let us celebrate the feast then, in the Lord. Alleluia!

#### Renewal of Baptismal Promises

Dear brethren (brothers and sisters), through the Paschal Mystery we have been buried with Christ in Baptism, so that we may walk with him in newness of life. And so, now that our Lenten observance is concluded, let us renew the promises of Holy Baptism, by which we once renounced Satan and his works, and promised to serve God in the holy Catholic Church. And so I ask you:

Do you renounce sin, so as to live in the freedom of the children of God? I do  
Do you renounce the lure of evil, so that sin has no mastery over you? I do  
Do you renounce Satan, the author and prince of sin? I do  
Do you believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth? I do  
Do you believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was born of the Virgin Mary, suffered death and was buried, rose again from the dead, and is seated at the right hand of the Father? I do  
Do you believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and life everlasting? I do

And may almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed on us forgiveness of our sins, keep us by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord for eternal life. Amen.

**Webcam - Live Streaming** [www.ourladyoflourdesbirmingham.co.uk](http://www.ourladyoflourdesbirmingham.co.uk) in the middle of the screen click on 'Watch Church Webcam' this will take you straight to the page.

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



#### Latelly dead:

Kevin Byrne (Shirley - Requiem Wednesday 14th April)  
John Gorevan (Watwood Road - Requiem Thursday 15th April)  
David Begley (Petersfield Road - Requiem Wednesday 21st April)  
Phillipe Thorp (Westridge Road - Requiem Friday 23rd April)  
Malcolm Sheehan  
John Khan (Uncle of Paul Freeman) Warren Tellgren (Dublin - Cousin of Paul Freeman)  
Susanna Osokoya (Nigeria - Mother of Mrs Ilesnami)  
Joan Collins (Dublin - sister of Gary Collins)



**Anniversaries:** 4th Apr - 10th Apr: Mary Kate Ryan, John McKenna, Sammy Byrne, Thelma Steele, John Connolly, Florence Burns, Colin Donnan, George Moss, James O'Kane, Pauline McHale, Mary Burton, Ailbe Norris, Henry Clarke, Frank Shryane, Philip Davies, Philip Guy, Raymond Tuckey, Liam Corrigan, Billy Kelly, Louisa O'Hora, Thomas Flanagan, Helen Leach, Margaret Wall, May Tolley, Patrick Byrne, James O'Connor, Jackie Masterson, Theresa Earlis, John Kelly, Ethel Caveney, Sheila Onions, Margaret Cox, Lyn Ashley-Pike, Veronica Loftus, Mary McGrath, Maureen Fullerton, Joseph Molloy, James Keenan, Brian Blocksidge, Francis Reilly

#### Masses this week

Easter Sunday 9.00am & 11.00am - **Public Mass** (booking required)

All weekday Masses this week will be at 10.00am and all are **Public Masses**

Saturday 10.00am - **Public Mass** 6.00pm (Vigil Mass) - **Public Mass**

#### Reconciliation, First Holy Communion & Confirmation

Parents are asked to note the following dates.

**First Confessions**, Saturday 8th, 15th, 22nd May, - families to attend 10.00am Mass, first confessions to follow afterwards.

**First Holy Communions** will be celebrated at 10.00am Mass on Saturday 5th, 12th, and 19th June. Arrangements will be made through the school after the Easter break.

**Sacrament of Confirmation** on Sunday 11th July at 4.00pm