

### Parish Lottery Winners

**Saturday 2nd Oct 2021 Week No: 44 Bonus Ball 43 Thunder Ball 5**

£150 will be divided between: Maisie Greavy, Barbara O'Neill, Marie Healy, Tom Barrett (each receive £37.50) There was no winner of the Thunder Ball. **Amount to be won next week £300**

### Our Lady of Lourdes Parish

#### Centre

#### Opening Times

Sunday: 12 noon - 8.00pm

Wednesday: 7.00pm - 11.00pm

Friday: 7.00pm - 11.00pm

Saturday: 5.00pm - 11.00pm

**Please contact the Parish Centre**

**Manager, Tom Carbery -**

**07434 667695**

**if you wish to make a booking. Bar open late for private functions.**

### Pilates Tuesday 6.00pm - 7.00pm

Pilates class return this Tuesday 5th October 6.00pm - 7.00pm in the school hall. Please bring your own mat. For more details contact Margaret McGarry 07812 728235

### Bingo Wednesday 7.30pm

#### Live Football

### Saturday 9th Oct World Cup Qualifiers

7.45pm Andorra v England  
Switzerland v Northern Ireland

Friday 15th Oct Championship  
8.00pm West Brom v Birmingham City



## OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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Parish Priest: Canon Séan Grady Permanent Deacon: Rev Mr Tim Anthony [dcn.tim.anthony@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:dcn.tim.anthony@rcaob.org.uk)

Sisters of the Immaculate Heart: Sr Tonia, Sr Sebastian, Sr Pedro

Parish Safeguarding Officers: Marie Sullivan - 0121 430 3955 Lorraine Freeman - 07932438564

## Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Masses this week

10th October 2021

Sat 9th Oct	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Lynne & Patricia Ebenezer 60th Wedding Anniversary Maureen Hayes (Anniv) David Egan RIP (Birthday)
Sun 10th Oct	9.00am	Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sean Callaghan, David Yates, Jim & Dora Ryan RIP
	11.00am		Patrick Joseph & Mary Moran Patrick Snowe (20th Anniv) Mary Tolladay (Months Mind) Pat Ralph RIP Jeremiah & Josephine Nash (Anniv)
Mon 11th Oct	9.00am		Danny Graham
Tue 12th Oct	9.00am		Mary Tolladay (L/D)
Wed 13th Oct	9.00am		Patrick Treacy (Anniv)
Thur 14th Oct	9.00am		Wheatley family Intentions Sr Callista Intentions (feast day)
	11.00am		<b>Requiem: John Lynch</b>
Fri 15th Oct	9.00am	St Teresa of Jesus	Mohamed Khaleel (1st Anniv)
Sat 16th Oct	10.00am		People of the Parish
	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Special Intention Mary Logue (L/D) Thanksgiving - Ilesanmi family Patricia Cassidy (L/D) Richard and Eileen Cotter (Anniv)
Sun 17th Oct	9.00am	Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time	John Byrne (Anniv) Martin Ryan Intentions
	11.00am		Special Intention Pat Leonard (Anniv) Tommie Scally (Anniv)

**Confessions** - Saturday 10.30am to 11.30am & 5.15 - 5.45pm

**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament** on Saturdays 10.30am to 11.30am

**Mass Count** will take place at weekend Masses this week.

### Our Lady of Lourdes School - Job Vacancies

**Building and Grounds Manager** (caretaker) to start in late November/early December 2021. The vacancy is 30 hours per week and would suit someone who is happy working indoors and outdoors, who can be flexible with their working pattern, handy with minor repairs and decorating. Anyone interested can find more details and an application form at the school vacancy page <https://www.ourladyoflourdesprimary.com/vacancies-at-olol/>. Interested candidates are very welcome to contact Mrs David to discuss the post and take a look around school (COVID risk assessments will apply and visitors will need to wear face masks or a shield)

**SEND Teaching Assistant** who can join us as soon as possible to work with one child. The TA will need to be experienced in teaching & managing children with autism and SEMH. The role is fixed term and renewable on a termly basis for one year while funding exists. Interested and qualified applicants should read the advertisement and job description on the school website

<https://www.ourladyoflourdesprimary.com/vacancies-at-olol/>

**Maternity Cover Required** OLOL School is looking for a suitably qualified teacher to cover a Maternity Leave from January 2022. The post is fixed term for more information & application pack go to the vacancy page of the school website <https://www.ourladyoflourdesprimary.com/vacancies-at-olol/>. Interested teachers can contact Mrs David to discuss the post or to arrange a school visit on 01214442684.

**Our Lady of Lourdes School Open Mornings 2021/2022** invite families who have an interest in sending their child to the School Reception or Nursery Class in September 2022, to an Open Morning session with the Head Teacher on **Friday 22nd October 2021 at 10.00 am** or **Saturday 13th November at 9.00 am**. There is no need to book, please arrive on time for the welcome from the Head Teacher (Office staff will welcome parents from 15 minutes before the session). All visitors to our school are to wear face masks (except the children) - if you are unwilling to wear a face mask or shield, we are sorry but we will not be able to accommodate you on these visits and invite you instead to visit our website and Twitter feed to find out more about the school. We ask you to visit [www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions](http://www.birmingham.gov.uk/schooladmissions) and submit an online application from 1 October 2021 and by 15 January 2022 (final closing date).

## 28th Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Response to Psalm:

Fill us with your love that we may rejoice.

**Today is Prisoner Sunday** a National day of Prayer and Action for prisoners and their families. Today we direct our thoughts to the needs of prisoners, their families and their children, to pray for them and to reflect on the ways we can make a difference to the lives of those who are affected by the criminal justice system.

**Retiring collection last weekend** taken for CAFOD Family Fast raised £843.25.

**Retiring Collection this weekend** will be taken for Father Hudson's Care. A few gift aid envelopes are available. You can also give online for details go to

[www.fatherhudsons.org.uk](http://www.fatherhudsons.org.uk)

**Next Baptism Preparation Meeting** will be on Tuesday 2nd November at 7.30pm in the church. Parents and Godparents are expected to attend a meeting before arranging their child's baptism.

**Sacrament of Baptism** We welcome into God's family **Willow Jean McSweeney, Hannah Caughey, Malachy Caughey, Pixie Stephanie Thomas, Teddy Philip Thomas and Jude Marcelli McInerney** who were Baptised at Our Lady of Lourdes last weekend.

**Covid 19** With the continual relaxation of restrictions, we are still encouraged to wear face coverings as it is important to create a safe environment. People must hand sanitise when entering the church.

**Quiz Night** will return to the Parish Centre on Friday 5th November at 8.30pm. The quiz will be held in memory of Peter Bennett RIP who was our dedicated quizmaster for many years, raising much needed funds for many charities. Peter will be greatly missed especially for his great knowledge and humour that he brought to each quiz. We look forward to welcoming our new quizmaster Mark who was a friend of Peter's and also attended his quizzes here.

### Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia!

Blessed are you, Father,  
Lord of heaven and earth, for  
revealing the mysteries of the  
kingdom to mere children. Alleluia!

### The Catholic Universe newspaper

The Universe Catholic Weekly for just £20 a quarter subscription (13 copies) paid simply and directly to the publisher. Visit their new website to subscribe

<https://universecatholicweekly.co.uk>

**Webcam - Recorded events** will remain on the website for seven days. (Requiem Masses normally recorded - other celebrations on request) Recordings can be downloaded. Go to the recording and double click then choose the option 'download'

**Marriage Care** - are a Catholic Charity providing marriage preparation and relationship counselling services both locally and across England and Wales. They are in need of volunteers to join the local centre team and help enable the vital relationship support work they do. In particular they are looking for those interested in training as counsellors. If you or anyone you know may be interested in supporting them or if you would like to know more about the charity, please do contact us [Christina Francis - [birmingham.admin@marriagecare.org](mailto:birmingham.admin@marriagecare.org)]

Congratulations to  
Lynne & Pat Ebenezer  
who celebrate their  
60th Wedding Anniversary  
on  
14th October 

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

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



**Lately Dead:** John Lynch (Corbett Road - Thursday 14th October at 11.00am)

Peter Geary (Requiem Monday 18th October at 10.00am)

Allan Hussey (Church Road, Moseley - Requiem Friday 22nd October at 11.00am)

Joseph McDonagh (Acocks Green) Maria Fernanda De-Jesus (Heybarnes Road)

Johnny Burke (Carlow) Ron Brookes (Cambridge - Brother of Margaret Wilson)

Delia Ward (Glenfin, Co Donegal - Sister in Law of Grainne & Michael McMenamin)

**Please pray for** Jamie and Bernadette Freeman, parents of baby Kieran. Mass of the Angels for baby Kieran will be on Thursday 21st October at 11.00am.



**Anniversaries:** 10th Oct - 16th Oct : Bridget Connolly, Patrick Ralph, Hilda Seenev, Jeremiah Nash, Richard Butler, Pauline Coogan, Margaret Hunt, Hubert Coleman, John Ryan, Rebecca Ryan, Timothy Henegan, Mary Benton, Ernest Spratt, Mary Walters, Edward Palmer, Mary Burn, John Markey, Herbert Barlow, Cornelius Driscoll, Theresa Rowledge, Marie Culloo, Richard Traynor, John Molloy, John Recci, Ron Watt, Anthony Feeney, Pauline Patton, Winifred Nash, Maureen Greene, William Harford Patrick Maloney, John Roche, Frank Moylan, Mary Capper, Alice Keogh, Joe McKinney

**Assisted Dying Bill 2021** The Bill is likely to have its second reading debate in the House of Lords on the 22 October 2021. If approved, it will proceed to a Committee stage on a later date where it can be scrutinised and amended line by line. The Bill raises a number of serious questions about law and society's ability to protect the most vulnerable. How can the law ensure that a person is free from pressure from ending their life prematurely due to societal attitudes and perceptions about 'quality' or 'worth' of life? How can the law ensure person is acting voluntarily and not out of a sense of 'being a burden' to family, to health and social care services and to society? In essence it permits an adult who is terminally ill (less than 6 months to live) to be assisted in ending their life, provided a declaration is signed by them, a witness, two doctors (one attending and one independent) and a Judge of the High Court Family Division has then consented to the request. Full details of the Bill can be found on the [UK Parliament website](http://UK Parliament website).

**Please consider writing to Members of the House of Lords or Commons** and asking them to oppose this Bill. Don't be afraid to share your own experiences of 'dying well' and 'end of life care' if you have them through your work or personal life. Guidance on how to do this can be found on Parliament's website: [parliament.uk/get-involved/contact-an-mp-or-lord/](http://parliament.uk/get-involved/contact-an-mp-or-lord/) Copies of suggested wording for a letter opposing the bill are available at the back of the church and on the parish website.

**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 or go to **MCN Media**, click on England, then on West Midlands and then Our Lady of Lourdes, Yardley Wood image.