

Parish Lottery Winners

Saturday 30th Apr 2022 Week No: 22 Bonus Ball 52 Thunder Ball 14

£150 will be divided between: Peter Talbot, Dahra Meecham, Mary Jackson, Delia Ryan, Alexe Parker (each receive £30.00) No the winner of the Thunder Ball. **Amount to be won next week £200.**

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Centre What's On this week

Sunday Live Sport

Arsenal v Leeds 2.00pm

Man City v Newcastle 4.30pm

GAA Hurling:

Limerick v Tipperary 2.00pm

GAA Football:

U20 Kerry v Tyrone 1.00pm

Cavan v Donegal 4.00pm

Live Music

'Declan Gaynor'

from 6.30pm free entry

contact Adam McSharry, Parish Centre Manager 07434 667695
if you wish to make a booking.

Bar open late for private functions (by prior arrangement).

Wednesday:

Bingo 7.30pm

Thursday:

Music Group 7.00pm

Saturday (14th) Live Sport

F A Cup Final

Chelsea v Liverpool 4.45pm

GAA Hurling

Dublin v Kilkenny 7.00pm



OUR LADY OF LOURDES

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Fourth Sunday of Easter- 8th May 2022

Masses this Week

Sat 7th May	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Catherine Kenny (Anniv) Joe Langan (Anniv) Michael McNally (Anniv)
Sun 8th May	9.00am	Fourth Sunday of Easter	Adelaide Tracey RIP Walter Naughton (Anniv)
	11.00am		Josephine Devine (Anniv) John Joe McColgan (Months Mind) Thanksgiving 40th Wedding Anniversary
Mon 9th May	11.30am		Requiem: Sarah Lavery
Tue 10th May	9.00am		James McCarron (L/D)
Wed 11th May	9.00am		People of the Parish
Thur 12th May	10.00am		Requiem: Gina Porzi
Fri 13th May	9.00am		Thanksgiving
Sat 14th May	10.00am	Feast of St Matthias, Apostle	Private Intention
	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Jennima Comerford (Anniv)
Sun 15th May	9.00am	Fifth Sunday of Easter	Brendan McAuliffe (Anniv) Ann Connolly (Anniv)
	11.00am		Sarah Maxwell RIP Tom Joyce (Anniv)

School Mass on Friday (Feast of Our Lady of Fatima, with procession to the Grotto afterwards and recitation of the Rosary)

Confessions Saturday 10.45am - 11.30am and 5.15pm - 5.45pm.

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

Diocesan Prayer for Vocations

Heavenly Father,
we ask you to send labourers
into your harvest.

Inspire, in the hearts of your
people,
vocations to the priesthood,
diaconate and religious life.

Bless our families with
a spirit of generosity,
so that those whom you call
have the courage to give
themselves to your Church in
faith.

Through Christ our Lord.

Amen.



**4th Sunday of Easter -
Parish Mass Book : p268**

Response to Psalm:

We are his people, the sheep of his flock.

Today is Vocations Sunday - we pray for vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life. Please take one of the prayer cards from the back of church. **A retiring collection will be taken today**, cards with details of other ways to give also available.

Sacrament of Baptism We welcome into God's family **Joshua Masiala Matoko** who was Baptised at Our Lady of Lourdes last weekend.

Heritage Group Waddesdon Manor this Thursday 12th May coach will leave church at 9.30am, National Trust members please remember to bring your membership card.

Church Cleaning Team B Please note cleaning this week will be Friday instead of Thursday.

Sacrament of Confirmation A preparation meeting will be held on Thursday 19th May at 7.00pm for Confirmandi, parents and sponsors. Those who attend non Catholic schools please attend this meeting also. Confirmation will be celebrated on Sunday 17th July at 3.00pm.

First Holy Communions Preparation Meeting on Tuesday 7th June at 7.00pm - First Holy Communions will be celebrated on Saturday 11th, 18th, 25th June at 10.30am.

Ukraine Appeal Father Hudson's Society A fund is being set up by the Diocese to recruit a worker to assist Father Hudson's in their work to support refugee and host families. The monies will be used only for the Ukrainian crisis. **A retiring collection will be taken next weekend.**

Palm Sunday Sponsored Walk all monies are to be handed in by 10th June.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the good shepherd, says the Lord;
I know my own sheep and my own
know me.
Alleluia!

Parish Pilgrimage to Lourdes

Friday 30th Sept - Friday 7th Oct. Approx cost £600 per person sharing a room (insurance extra) Firm bookings with deposit of £100 and copy of your passport required by the end of May. Limited places still available.

Next Quiz Night in aid of HCPT will be on Friday 20th May at 8.30pm in the Parish Centre. All welcome.

Quo Vadis? - Where are you going?

A series of three zoom sessions for university students on the theme of discernment.

Tuesday 10th May Bl. Carlo Acutis
Monday 16th May Bl. Chiara Badano
Thursday 26th May Bl. Pier Giorgio Frassati
All at 8.00pm. For further information and to register www.vocations.org.uk/quo-vadis

Walsingham Pilgrimage 14th May 2022

A limited number of places are available on the diocesan pilgrimage to England's national shrine of Our Lady, next weekend. Cost will be £30 for the day's coach trip departing from St Chad's Cathedral (a lift into the city may be possible). If you would like to take part in this pilgrimage as a day trip to East Anglia, please speak to Deacon Tim after the weekend Masses today, or email dcn.tim.anthony@rcaob.org.uk. We need to know numbers by Tuesday morning.

Annual Solemn Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help

at St Francis of Assisi, Handsworth B19 1EB. Weekday services Monday 9th - Wednesday 18th May 12 noon and 7.00pm. Mass for the Sick and housebound Saturday 14th May at 10.30am.

Prayers for the Sick Please let us know if you require anyone to be prayed for or if anyone currently being prayed for can now come off the newsletter sick list.

Pray for the sick - Pat Berns, Frances Bigby, Daniel Breen, Eddie Byrne, Peggy Byrne, Giovanna Casserley, Isabella Chester, Pat Clarke, William Coniry, Peter Conlon (Derby), Jennifer Cox, Bridget Doherty, Mary Dolan, Josie Douglas, Michael Doyle, Bernadette Duggan, Amber Durrant, Mary (Ria) Finglas, Tom Finnerty, Mary Fleming, Kevin Foley, Patricia Freeman, Robert Gallon, Christopher Geraghty, Mary Gilligan, Chloe Glendall, Bryan Grogan, Carmel Haines, Martina Hand, Dan Healy, Finbar Herron, Anne Holland, Ray Holton, Norman Hubbleday, Jason Hughes, Marie Hume, Alan Kelly, Brian Kirk, Josephine Kirk, Barbara Kopieczek, Maureen Maloney, Adrian Mannion, Mary Mazurkiewicz, Michael McAleer, Helena McCaughey, Francis McGillion, Pat McGlone, Kathleen McInerney, John McNicholas, Ann Moffitt, Mary Morgan, James Murphy, John Murphy, Denis Murray, Michael Noga, Siobhan O'Connell, Margaret O'Grady, Mary Pender, Doug Prosser, Mrs Puzzo, Martin Ryan, Frank Sadio, John Shryane, Jeanette Smyth, Simon Spillane, Mary Spratt, Cath Street, Julie Swinscoe, Nadine Terry, Baby Daisy Williams, John Wilson



Lately Dead:

Sarah Lavery (Holder Road, Yardley - Requiem 9th May at 11.30am)
Dennis Buckingham (Elliott House Care Home, Cremation at Robin Hood Weds 11th May 10.00am)
Gina Porzi (Bramley Court - Requiem Thursday 12th May at 10.00am Reception 11th at 6.00pm)
Josephine McGurran (Shirley - Requiem at Our Lady of The Wayside Wednesday 25th at 11.00am)
Kathleen Pearson, John McNicholas (Fr Taaffe House and Swinford, Co Mayo)
Fr Laurence Crowe (Retired Priest of the Diocese)



Anniversaries: 8th May - 14th May: Beatrice Ryan, Patrick Carroll, Stephen Pender, Roy Pearson, Kathleen Saleh, Billy Maher, William Carless, Leslie Steele, Kevin Duffy, William Kelly, Lily Burke, Frederick Busby, Robert Skelly, Joseph Ryan, George Mynott, Lucy Bunten, Antonio Agnello, Clare Moylan, Brendan McAuliffe, Rita Duffy, Pauline Freeman, Margaret Butler, Frank Ginty, Mary Milton

Readers	This weekend 8th May	Weekend 15th May
6.00pm	Y Brennan, L Mockler	E Dalzell, H Mockler
9.00am	Z Parker, A Parker	T Oxley, J Oxley
11.00am	R Wood, E Keating	P Stephens, S Harkin
Children's Liturgy	M Healy, T Flaherty	M Healy, T Flaherty
Church Cleaning	Friday 13th May 9.30am	Saturday 28th May 8.30am
	Team B: A Parker, C Chinn, K Watt J Gallon, P Oldacres, J Crouch	Team A: P&C McDonald, S McGrath C Hayden, A Treacy, E Sullivan

Marriage Care - Volunteers Needed! Catholic Marriage Care are looking for Marriage Preparation facilitators to present and facilitate courses for engaged couples, Centre Coordinators to lead and support teams, and Trustees to join our board. Find out more at www.marriagecare.org.uk or email volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk

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