



The Parish of Holy Trinity and Sacred Heart

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| 7th—15th March 2020 Novena to Blessed Dominic Barberi | SECOND SUNDAY IN LENT YEAR A “YEAR OF THE WORD - THE GOD WHO SPEAKS” | Weekdays of Lent Psalter Week 2 |
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| Date | Holy Trinity | | Sacred Heart | | Fotherley Convent | |
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| Saturday 7th Vigil | 6:00pm | Jim & Roddy Devlin | 11-12nn | CONFESIONS | 5.00pm | Sr Maria Teresa Arana RIP |
| Sunday 8th 2nd Sunday Year A | 9:00am 11:00am 12:30pm 4:30pm 7:00pm | Patrick & Della Caldwell RIP Wladyslaw Szypulski <i>Baptism of Poppy & Leo Stevens</i> Stations of the Cross Tom Brady RIP | 10.00am 5:00pm | People of the Parish Station of the Cross | 11.15am | NO MASS |
| Monday 9 th St Frances of Rome | 10.00am | Denis O’Sullivan | 10:00am | Holy Communion | 7:30am | Sr Teodora de Gois |
| Tuesday 10 th | 10:00am | Brian Rooney Int. | 10.00am | David Mattock | 7.30am | Holy Souls |
| Wednesday 11 th | 10:00am | Stella Kimber RIP | 10:00am | Holy Communion | 11:30am | Edmund Ward |
| Thursday 12 th | 10:00am | Pat Scully RIP | 10:00am | THANKSGIVING | 7:30am | Fr Patrick Farrelly |
| Friday 13 th | 10.00am 12:30pm 7:00pm | Michael J Ahern (Anniversary) Funeral for Penny Parsons Streetly Catenians (Vocations) | 10.00am | Margaret Harding | 7:00am | For the Sick |
| Saturday 14 th Vigil | 10:00am 11-12.00 6:00pm | Canon Gerry Breen RIP CONFESIONS Tom Hassall (Anniversary) | 11:30am | FOR THE PARISH | 5:00pm | Anna Chieu & Andrew Cac (Ann.) |
| Sunday 15 th 3rd Sunday in Lent. | 9:00am 11:00am 12:30pm 1:30pm 4:30pm 7:00pm | Sarah McDonnell (Anniversary) George, Diane, Mary ,Ruby & babies <i>Baptism of Rose McNamara</i> <i>Baptism of Cerys Evans</i> Stations of the Cross <i>Apoloniusz & Wanda Wyszinski RIP</i> | 10.00am 5:00pm | Tom Brady RIP Station of the Cross | 11.15am | NO MASS |

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| GIFT AID Gift Aid UK tax payers can sign up to Gift Aid and we can collect 25% more from our collection. For more information Contact: Holy Trinity: Howard Drake 0121 3234205 | Holy Trinity Mass attendance 481 Offertory: £1,454.21 Cathedral Maintenance £272.36 THIS WEEK FOR CAFOD FAMILY FAST | Sacred Heart Mass attendance: 142 Offertory £604.00 Cathedral maintenance £371:37 THIS WEEK FOR CAFOD FAMILY FAST |
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Please pray for those who are sick: Mike O'Halloran, Matthew Perry, Little boy Zachary F Evans, Mary Margaret Perry, Miriam McDonnell, Molly Thomsen, Julia Cusack, Gloria Coombes, Sean Laverty, Frank Cookson, Kathleen Orbell, Elaine Bond, Melissa Manton, Tony Cabral, Dorothy Harris, Maureen Manton, Miriam Banner, Elvira Peiro, Madeleine Church, Barbara Fallon, Lisa Brown, Joan Brown, Angela Harvey, Patrick Kelly, Margaret Bailey, Christopher Manton, Noreen Madden, Lesley Quinlan, Margaret Keane, Marie Cope, Mary Ellis, Sylvia Bailey, Alan & Beverley Johnson, Brian Jones, Kathleen Reilly, Sheila Dudley, Mary Dickenson, Joan Gardner, Santino & Jean Di Blasio, Mo Oliver, Isabel & Nicholas Dominquez-Persiva **and all in Good Hope Hospital.**

Please pray for those who died recently: Fr Bob Wright, Florence (Dora) Riley, Elizabeth McCabe, Winifred Guest, Penny Parsons.

Anniversaries .Ann Latham, James Butler, Albert Watt, Marie Aldridge, Mary Doyle, Stephanie Stanley, Esme Spears, Bill Leary, Patricia Owens, Barbara Doyle, Glenda Smythe, Robert Drake, Teresa Aherne, Edwin (Cliff) Dixon,. Annie Campbell, John Fox, Deacon James Rowe, Deacon Philip Prince, Rev Christopher Thornton, Canon Gerard Hanlon, Rev Vaughan Lloyd, Rev Anthony Sims.

Lord, make those who are not well, get better and grant to those who have died eternal rest in your heavenly home. Amen.

PARISH NOTICE BOARD

PARISH

- **ANNUAL PARISH REPORT** If you would like to include a report about your group's activities during the year please send it to the parish email **before 15th March**. The Annual Meeting will be on **Tuesday 31st March at 7:00pm**.
- **PARISH SOCIAL NIGHT** on Wednesday 18th March in the **Townhouse** (previously the Royal) starting at 8pm - 10pm all are welcome to attend.
- **THE SOWER**; The latest edition of the Diocesan Newsletter is now available. Please take a copy.

HOLY TRINITY

- **WORSHIP AS ONE – THURSDAY 12 MARCH, 7:30PM – 8:30PM** Join our parish Choirs and Music Group for an evening of shared song, as we journey through Lent and prepare for Holy Week. If you sing or play an instrument, or just fancy sharing friendship and faith through music, do come along. All Are Welcome
- **PLEASE SUPPORT THE MISSIONS** If you took a Box in October last year it is **now due** for counting. Leave it in the Sacristy and collect from table in the Porch, Please include your name, address & Phone Number on the label. Any queries contact the following, Steve Marshall 308 1836 or Mike Daly 378 4925.
- **SANCTUARY REQUEST** the following have been asked for please. Cooking oil. Tinned tomatoes, Large umbrellas. Men's jeans & trainers. All received gratefully.

SACRED HEART:

- **CONGRATULATIONS** to the Sisters at Fotherley. Today is the feast of St. John of God, the inspiration of their founder, St. Benedict Menni.
- **60th ANNIVERSARY** We are almost there! On Thursday 12th March Father Cousins celebrates the Diamond Jubilee of his ordination as a priest. He has invited the Archbishop, who will celebrate the Mass at 11.30am, together with a number of priests. After Mass he will take them for lunch at a local restaurant. He does hope you, the parishioners of both Sacred Heart and Holy Trinity, will join us for this memorable Mass.
- **ON SATURDAY 14TH MARCH**, there will be a Parish Mass of celebration at 11.30am followed by a Buffet Lunch in the Hall.
- **WALK WITH ME** booklets are available to help us with our Lenten prayer. The Parish has paid £1 for each booklet. This is the last announcement, but copies will still be available in the Sacristy.
- **A DATE FOR YOUR DIARY**. Do you remember Alex Taylor whom I was asked to mentor some years ago when he began his studies for the priesthood? He is to be ordained at St. Chad's Cathedral on Saturday, 18th July at 12 noon, with three other students from Oscott. He says: "Your prayers and presence are requested." There is an article in the SOWER ABOUT ALEX.

OTHER NOTICES

- **ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL SUNSHINE CLUB** (before & after school) require two play workers. For further details and an application form, please email Kate McGrath at sunshineclub@hotmail.co.uk, or call directly on 07771 792013 during our opening hours. Visits to the club are warmly welcomed.

**CONGRATULATIONS TO MONSIGNOR DAVID COUSINS ON HIS DIAMOND JUBILEE OF HIS PRIESTHOOD ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY.
MAY THE LORD CONTINUE TO BLESS YOU AND KEEP YOU ALWAYS IN HIS LOVING CARE.. THANK YOU FOR YOUR DEDICATION AND YOUR SERVICES.
AD MULTOS ANOS!**

Useful Information

- ◇ **Hospital Chaplaincy:** If you or a family member is in hospital and would like a visit by a Priest and/or Eucharistic Minister please inform the parish office as the Hospital staff will not automatically let us know.
- ◇ **Baptisms:** Please complete the request forms (available in the porch) and leave at the Presbytery. You will be contacted to book a date but you must give at least two months notice as you will be required to attend a preparation course first.
- ◇ **Weddings:** please take a "Booking your Wedding" at Holy Trinity or Sacred Heart. booklet from the church porch which explains the process.
- ◇ **Bookings** for the parish hall or conference room must be made in writing/email
- ◇ **Newsletter** If you wish to place a **notice** in the Newsletter please send an email to the parish email address. Must be received by 12 noon on Thursday.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION DURING LENT

**O word of God come into this space,
O word of God, come send us your Grace
Open our minds, show us your truth,
Transform our lives anew.**

'THE GOD WHO SPEAKS'

**We are all encouraged to celebrate, live, and share
God's Word during this year 2020.**

Prayer: Living God you walk beside us and speak to us throughout the Scriptures. Your Son Jesus Christ listens to our hopes and fears and shows us how to live for one another. Send us the Holy Spirit to open our hearts and minds so that we may be your witnesses throughout the world. Amen

V. Your Word is our Path and your truth is our light

R. **This day and every Day**

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| Our Lady of the Assumption | Pray for us |
| St Matthew | Pray for us |
| St Jerome | Pray for us |

HOLY COMMUNION.

**BECAUSE OF THE CORONAVIRUS" (Covid-19)
THERE WILL BE NO CHALICE OF
PRECIOUS BLOOD GIVEN AT MASS,
NO HANDSHAKING
DURING SIGN OF PEACE
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS OF:

Florence (Dora) Riley (96), died on 24th Feb. *Her Funeral is on Tues. 10th March @ 1:45pm at Streetly*

Winifred Guest (100) died on 8th Feb. *Her Funeral will be Thurs. 12th March @ 1:45pm. At Sandwell Crem.*

Penny Parsons (76) died on 16th Feb. *Her Funeral will be on Fri. 13th March @ 12:20pm. At HT Church.*

ROTAS 14/15th March 2020

Readers:

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| 6:00pm | Ann Ryder |
| 9:00am | Margaret McConnell & Julie Collins |
| 11:00am | Anne Dunn & Michelle Naylor |
| 7:00pm | Elizabeth Fruer & Pat Salter |

Children's Liturgy Sarah Upton & Claire Ellis

Cleaning Team B

Important Contact Information:

Parish Office: Parish Administrator is available Tuesday and Friday 10.30am-1.30pm.

Parish Safeguarding Officers

Holy Trinity: Barbara Peel & Margaret McConnell.

Sacred Heart: Patricia Medcalf.

Clergy contact e-mails:

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