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Reading Year A
Weekdays Lent

Fifth Sunday of Lent 'A'

Saturday 5th April	Vigil of The 5th Sunday in Lent	6.00pm	Diamond and Bisconti Family Intentions
Sunday 6th April Fifth Sunday in Lent		9.00am 11.00am 12.30 1.30 4.00 pm 7.00pm	Lena Rowley (Birthday Ann.) Frank Lennon RIP <i>Baptism of Isaac Christopher Saunders</i> <i>Baptism of Grace Mary Taylor</i> Stations of the Cross People of The Parish
Monday 7th April <i>Lent Feria (St John Baptiste de la Salle)</i>		10.00am	Breda Smith RIP
Tuesday 8th April <i>Lent Feria</i>		10.00am 12.00 noon	Donald Reilly (Anniversary). Memorial Mass for Mary Cuddihy
Wednesday 9th April <i>Lent Feria</i>		10.00am	Victoria Margaret James RIP
Thursday 10th April <i>Lent Feria</i>		12:00 pm 1:30 pm	Bridget Cogger Requiem for Bernard Michael Hayes
Friday 11th April <i>Lent Feria St. Stanislaus, Bishop & Martyr</i>		10.00am 12:00 noon 7.00 pm	Nancy Bateman (anniversary) Requiem for Thomas Reilly Penitential Service
Saturday 12th April <i>Lent</i> Vigil of Palm Sunday—The Sixth Sunday in Lent		10.00 am 11—11.30 am 5.0—5.45 pm 6.00 pm	Peter and Paul McGreevy (Anniversaries) Confessions Confessions Bert (John) Jordan (Anniversary)
Sunday 13th April Palm Sunday Sixth Sunday in Lent—Year A		9.00am 11.00am 4.00 pm 7.00pm	People of the Parish Grace & Charles Gaffney Stations of the Cross Margaret & Michael McHugh (Anniversary)

Mass attendance Last week 590 Collection: 1st: £1,734.03p 2nd: Tower Fund £386.45p
2nd Collection today: **Tower Fund** **Next Sunday - Palm Sunday HOLY PLACES IN JERUSALEM**

Gift Aid: UK tax payers can sign up to Gift Aid and we can collect 25% more from our collection. Contact Father Michael
GIFT AID - ENVELOPES FOR THE COMING TAX YEAR ARE NOW AVAILABLE IN THE PORCH. PLEASE TAKE YOURS

Please pray for:

Those who are Sick: Father Gerry Breen, Gerry Brady, Nikola McKiernan, Richard King, Bridget Moran, Frank Cope, Jim Diamond, Susan Bannon, Sally O'Leary, Maureen Jarvis, Elizabeth McGreevy, Cliff & Liz Dixon, Jim Chamberlain, Mary Larkin, Anne Wilson, Margaret Cassidy, Melissa Manton, Kathleen Reilly, Peter Simm, Paul Gilson, Elizabeth Christopher, Kathleen Keane, Ann Parish, Julia Doherty, Geraldine Roy, Ann Cosgrave, Margaret Kelly, Paul Coleman, Theresa Moran, Derek Bryan, George Pope, Sean Mahoney, Salvatore Cassisi, Pasca Ghergina, Anne McCarthy, Clive Hearn *and all in Good Hope Hospital.*

Those who have died: Tom Reilly, Bernard Michael Hayes, Norah Davies, Peter Kenny Catherine Sweeney. (Funeral Service at Streetly Crematorium Friday 11th at 10.45 am)

Anniversaries: Pat Saunders, Peter McGreevy, Paul McGreevy, Bert (John) Jordan, George Egleton, Alan Davies, Donald Reilly, Rosemary Coulborn, Bishop James McGuinness Nancy Bateman

All who have asked for our prayers and those who have no-one to pray for them.

Lord, help the sick to get better, give them your strength and healing. Bring those who have died to heaven and let them rest in peace with you. Amen.

Weekend 12/13th April

Readers:

6pm: Carol Martin
9am: Abe Cutajar
Tope Soyannwo
11am Mary Blakemore
Fred Kettell
7pm: Claire Noble
Peter Westbrook

Children's Liturgy: None

Cleaning Team **A**
plus volunteers



PARISH NOTICE BOARD

Parish and Parishioners

- **Parish Spring Clean:-** Next Saturday 12th April from 11.0 am until 2:00 pm. To thoroughly clean the church and tidy up the gardens and church grounds . Please bring your garden tools or feather dusters and spare an hour of your time in preparation for Easter.
- **Robert Drake RIP.** Jenny and Howard wish to thank Fr Michael, Fr David and Fr Gerry and all those parishioners who have requested Masses and offered prayers and condolences on the loss of their son Robert, who was lovingly cared for during his last days at Marie Curie Hospice in Solihull. It is a great comfort to the family at this very difficult time.
- **New Parish Website** www.htrc.org.uk please visit.
- **Ladies Guild Raffle** Winner Mrs Griffith 11.00 am Mass please claim your prize from Mary Blakemore.
- **New Readers and Eucharistic Ministers are needed**—if you would like to volunteer for either please speak to Fr Michael or Fr David.
- **Red Box Collection Need to be emptied now.** . For security please leave them in the Sacristy. Receipted boxes will be left for your collection. Fred Kettell 0121 241 3424 or fredmocket@yahoo.co.uk
- **Thinking about the Catholic Faith?** Perhaps you are interested in finding out more, may be you are seeking Baptism for yourself or your school-aged child: possibly you are a teenager who has not been Baptised or made your First Holy Communion, or an adult wanting to be Confirmed? Whatever your reasons, you are warmly invited to come a long talk to Fr. Michael or Fr David contact them 0121 354 1211.
- **STATIONS OF THE CROSS**— During LENT, we have Stations of the Cross on Sundays evening at 4.00pm. Please make effort to come.
- **Today** Coffee Morning and Cake Sale after Mass in our Conference Room, served by Students from Bishop Vesey Grammar School to raise money and awareness for the **Freshwinds Charity**. Which provide additional care and treatment to patients, both old and young, who suffer from life-limiting or threatening diseases. Alongside helping those faced with discrimination due to offending history refugee status or HIV and Aids. Please support them.
- **Holy Name Catholic Primary School**, Great Barr are looking for a class teachers with a TLR2a (£2,561) for EYFS or Science to start in September 2014. Please contact Mr Andrew Neenan, Head teacher, on 0121 357 3216 or andrew.neenan@holyname.sandwell.sch.uk for further details.

Cycle of Prayer for Lent
 During Lent we are asked to pray for:
 Candidates for the Sacraments
 Women
 The needy and hungry of the world

PENITENTIAL SERVICES FOR EASTER

Holy Trinity Friday 11th April 7.00 pm

Holy Cross Monday 14th April at 7.00 pm

The Abbey—Tuesday 15th April at 7.0 pm

What are you doing for LENT this year?

Perhaps you might have asked yourself what I should do to keep this Lent special. There are 3 things the Lord mentioned in the Gospel on Ash Wednesday which gives us the idea what we can do: **PRAYER:** we can make an effort to come to Mass daily during Lent. **CHARITY:** help the poor with our generosity. **FAST:** give up something to use money to help others.

PARISH DIARY

Monday 10.00 am	Toddlers Art Class
Tuesday 7:30 pm	Irish Set Dancers
Wednesday 10.00 am 1.30 pm 6.15 pm 7.30	Trinity Singers Social Singers Tai Chi Beginners class Knights of St Columba
Thursday 10.00 am 7.30 pm	Social Singers Choir Practice
Friday 10.00 am 6.00 pm 7.45	Italian Class Adventure Unit (7-10) Adventure Unit (10-14)
Saturday 4.30 pm	Catechism Class.

Useful Information

- **Parish Safeguarding Officers are Barbara Peel and Margaret McConnell** Contact details in the porch
- **Parish Office:** is in The Presbytery at 69 Lichfield Road. The Parish Administrator is available Tuesday and Friday 10.30am-1.30pm.
- **Event Bookings** for the parish facilities must be made in writing/email - FAO Parish Administrator.
- **Sacraments:** Please Complete the request forms (found at back of church) for all Baptisms and Weddings and deliver to the Presbytery. You will then be contacted. Bookings will NOT be taken informally.
- If you wish to place a notice on the bulletin please complete a Bulletin Request Form and return to Presbytery or send an email to the parish email address. Must be received by 12 noon on Thursday.
- **Hospital Chaplaincy:** If you or a loved one is in hospital and wish to be visited by a Priest and/or Eucharistic Minister please inform the parish office as the wards do not automatically lets us know.