



The Parish of Holy Trinity and Sacred Heart

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8th 16th April 2017	PALM SUNDAY OF LENT	Weekdays of Holy Week Psalter Week 2
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Date	Holy Trinity		Sacred Heart		Fotherley Convent	
Saturday 8th Sunday Vigil	6:00pm	Jim Devlin RIP	11-12pm	Confessions.	5.00pm	Mary Ellis
Sunday 9th Palm Sunday	9.00am 11.00am 4:00pm 7.00pm	Tom Reilly (Anniversary) Anthonia Afolabi (1st Anniversary) Stations of The Cross Bert Jordan (Anniversary)	10.00am 5:00pm	People of the Parish Stations of the Cross	11.15am	Fr. Yen's Intention
Monday 10 th	10.00am	People of the Parish	10:00am	<i>Holy Communion</i>	11.30am	Ted O'Sullivan
Tuesday 11 th	10.00am	David Ellis (Anniversary)	9:00am	Maura Maher	7.30am	Peter Vung Le.
Wednesday 12 th	11.30am	Mass of Chrism St Chad's Cathedral	10.00am	<i>Holy Communion</i>	7.30am	Ann Gaskin
Maundy Thursday 13th	7:00pm -12:00	Mass of the Last Supper Watching at the Altar of Repose Night Prayer	8.00pm	Mass of the Last Supper 9- 12 midnight Watching at the Altar of Repose		NO service
Good Friday 14th	3:00pm 7:00pm	Liturgy of the Lord's Passion Stations of the Cross	3:00pm 8:00pm	Good Friday Liturgy Stations of the Cross		NO service
Holy Saturday 15th April EASTER VIGIL	10:00am 11:00am 7:30pm	Morning Prayer Confessions Easter Vigil	11-12pm 8:00pm	<i>Confessions</i> Easter Vigil	5.00pm	NO MASS
Sunday 16th EASTER SUNDAY	9:00am 11:00am 7:00pm	People of the Parish Christians in the Holy Land Elizabeth McGreevy RIP	10.00am	Benefactors of the parish.	11.15am	Fr. Yen's Int.

ON GOOD FRIDAY THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL COLLECTION FOR THE HOLY PLACES IN JERUSALEM

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 on 323 4205 Sacred Heart: Isobel Walsh on 308 8014	Holy Trinity Mass attendance: 553 Offertory: £1,977 32p Church Maintenance £217:12p This week for the Easter Flowers Next week for your Clergy	Sacred Heart Mass attendance: 164 Offertory £792. Next Week for your Clergy
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Please pray for: those who are sick: Kathleen Davidson, Edith Gilmour, John Constantine, Rose McDermott, Sean Mahoney, Rita O'Connor, Lilian Bownes, Jill Calderbank, Monica Meany, David Rhead, Mandy Jones, Margaret Keane, John Gallagher, Mary Cooper, Pat Mitford, Jya Mitford, Margaret Fraser, Philippa Martin, Philip Bishop, Philomena Sharpe, Joanna Taylor, Michael McMullen, Tony Cabral, Josephine Moran, Mary Millin, John Fawdry, Tony Stridgen, Christopher Manton, Jean Hassall, Joan Brown, Betty Dwyer, Elizabeth Davis, Sarah Davis, Dominic Mooney, Laura Brooks, David Kenny, Roddy Devlin, Mary Ellis, Marie Cope, Anne Dowd, Elizabeth Christopher, Sheila Flynn, Joan Gardner, Sally O'Leary, Anne Wilson, Kathleen Reilly, Kathleen Keane, Ann Cosgrave, Margaret Kelly, Paul Coleman, Bridie O'Sullivan, Paul Bui Trac, Albert Hinchley, Fr. Tony Haycock, Santino & Jean Di Blasio, Mary & Bill Maxwell, Maura Edwards and **all in Good Hope Hospital.**
 (NB: Names will be removed from the sick list after 2 months, unless the parish office is notified. Thank you).

Those who have died recently: Elizabeth McGreevy, Sister Mary Teresa McCarthy, Seamus Tully, Anita Gee.

Anniversaries: Canon Peter Jones, Revv. Kenneth Collins, Anthony Browne, Peter McGreevy, Bert Jordan, Rosemary Coulborn, Michael Faulkner, David Ellis, Donald Reilly, Eileen Brown, Daisy Lilian Watt, Charles Tonna, James Hayes.

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 & PARISHIONERS

- **A THOUGHT FOR HOLY WEEK** "If we keep the memorial of the Lord's paschal solemnity in this way, listening to his word and celebrating his mysteries, then we shall have the sure hope of sharing His triumph over death and living with him in God. (Opening Prayer of the Easter Vigil).

HOLY TRINITY

- **GIFT AID: Envelopes for the next Tax Year are now available in the porch**
- **GOOD FRIDAY WALK OF WITNESS** at 11:00am from Holy Trinity CoE Parish Centre to Gracechurch Mall Lead by Students from Bishop Walsh Catholic School and Churches Together in Sutton Coldfield.
- **ALTAR SERVERS** Will all those servers who will be attending the Holy Week and Easter Masses please come to the respective rehearsals. For Maundy Thursday and Good Friday the rehearsal will be on Wednesday 12th April 7-00pm to 7-30pm in Church and for the Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday 15th April 10-30am to 11-00am in Church.

SACRED HEART

- **The Annual Meeting was well attended.** Minutes will be available after Easter
- **GIFT AID ENVELOPES** are still available in the hall for collection. Donations ensure 25% extra income for the Parish as a tax rebate.
- **Easter Cleaning** of the church will take place on Tuesday week 11th April from 9.30 onwards. All hands on deck!
- **WASHING OF FEET** on Maundy Thursday. We need six volunteers but only have one so far!
- **JOINT SERVICE ON GOOD FRIDAY** A group will leave Sacred Heart at 11:00am to walk to St James for the Service with other Christians of the area at 11.30am.
- **TEA AND COFFEE** after the Good Friday Liturgy. Any donations will go to the cost of Easter Flowers. Many thanks for the donations at earlier tea & coffee—£87. has been given to the SVP.
- **EASTER CARDS** from the Churches Together in Four Oaks to every home in the area. Sacred Heart has been allocated roads to be covered. If you live in one of them please take a bundle to deliver. Thank you.

OTHER NOTICES

Fully Escorted **Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine**, 24th April 2017. £599.00 per person sharing. Includes flight from Birmingham, taxes, transfers, 5 nights' Knock House Hotel with Breakfast and Dinner. All tours included. Contact Patricia on 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com. Knock Pilgrimages ATOL T7613.

The Bridgettine Sisters Concert on Friday 21st April at Maryvale Institute, Birmingham; Tickets £5 including Refreshments...started at 6.00pm. Thank you for supporting the Bridgettine Sisters.

HAVE A BLESSED AND FRUITFUL HOLY WEEK. May the Lord keep us all in his love as we are accompanying Him during his Passion and death towards the triumphant and glorious Resurrection.

Useful Information

- ◇ **Mass intentions:** To request a Mass for your Intentions please use one of the envelopes available in the church porch or parish hall at Sacred Heart.
- ◇ **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 Hospital staff will not automatically let us know.
- ◇ **Baptisms:** Please complete the request forms (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.
- ◇ **Bookings** for the parish hall or conference room must be made in writing/email FAO Parish Administrator.
- ◇ **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.

Wedding bells



Congratulations to
Lucy Calderbank and Christopher Charles
Who were married on Friday 7th April.

ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to sponsor the flowers for a special occasion or in memory of a loved one please use one of the forms available in the porch.

VOLUNTEERING IN THE PARISH

There are several groups in the parish looking for more volunteers.
They would be very glad of your help!

- * **St Vincent de Paul** visiting the housebound,
 - * **Eucharistic Ministers** to assist at all Masses
 - * **Eucharistic Ministers** For the Hospital Rota.
 - * **Readers** - To read at the weekend Masses.
 - * **Altar Servers** To assist at Mass
 - * **Musically by singing or playing the organ/piano (11.00am or 7.00pm Mass)**
 - * **Children's Liturgy 9.00am**
 - * **Altar Linen** - Laundering the Altar linen.
 - * **Church Wardens** taking the collection at Mass
 - * **Cleaning Teams** once a month
 - * **Gardening team**
- PLEASE DON'T WAIT TO BE ASKED**
CONTACT Fr MICHAEL, Fr DAVID OR LEAVE A MESSAGE IN THE OFFICE.

Rotas 15/16th April

Readers:	Vigil 9:00 am	Arranged by Pat Salter Margaret McConnell Julie Collins
	11.00 am 7:00pm	John D'Ambrogio Jackie Rankin Liz Norry
Children Liturgy		None
Cleaning Team		B

Important Contact Information:

Parish Office: Holy Trinity Parish Administrator is available Tuesday and Friday 10.30am-1.30pm.
Parish Safeguarding Officers
Holy Trinity: Barbara Peel & Margaret McConnell.
Sacred Heart: Patricia Medcalf.

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