



**PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS,
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HEALTH AND SAFETY Mr Steve McNally

SAFEGUARDING - The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies and procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Mr. Paul Shannon and Mrs. Kathryn Sargent. They can be contacted at sg.olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 / safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk

PARISH YOUTH WORKER – Mr Liam Thomas yth.olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk

ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL Principal Mr Anthony Wilkes 01384 431980

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Both schools are part of Emmaus Catholic MAC www.emmausmac.com

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time - 10th/11th February 2024 Year B

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Saturday 10th February 2024	5-00PM	People of the Parish	Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 11th	8-30AM 11-00AM	Joan Lewis Betty Parsons (recently deceased)	
Monday 12th	9-00AM	Intentions of the SVP UK	
Tuesday 13th	9-00AM	Mary Lee	
Wednesday 14th	9-00AM 12-30PM 7-00PM	Giuseppe Carlo Intentions of Deacon John Brindley Seamus McCann	Ash Wednesday
Thursday 15th	9-00AM	Intentions of Mary Nisbet	
Friday 16th	9-00AM 7-00PM	Intentions of Murphy & Noakes family Holy Souls	
Saturday 17th	10-00AM 5-00PM	Intentions of Erin Mary Hatton	First Sunday of Lent
Sunday 18th	8-30AM 11-00AM	Intentions of Giga family People of the Parish	

PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 137 OF THE MASS BOOK

The second collection this weekend will be to support those attending the Altar Servers Retreat

The second collection next weekend will be for the H.C.P.T Lourdes pilgrimage taking place at Easter.

CONFESSIONS – Saturday 10-30am – 11am. Also, confession is available after any Mass.

DIVINE MERCY – After Mass on Thursday **ROSARY** – 6.35pm on Friday.

ADORATION – After Saturday 10am Mass & Wednesday 8-30am

BIBLE STUDY – Wednesday at 10am in the Parish Centre

ADULT INSTRUCTION - Thursday 7pm in the Presbytery

CHILDREN'S LITURGY – There will be no children's liturgy this weekend.

ALL SAINTS Youth Group next meets on Tuesday 20th February 6-30pm in the parish centre.

CHURCH OPENING – Church is open all day from 8-30am – 4pm on Fridays.

FEBRUARY PRAYER INTENTIONS – Pope's Intentions for February – We pray that those with terminal illness, and their families, received the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment. Parish Intention; We pray for the children who celebrated the Sacrament of Confirmation on the 2nd of February.

FEB. SCRIPTURE COMMENTARIES available on our website olas.org.uk, "newsletter" page and in the porch.

LENT WALK WITH ME available this weekend at a cost of £1. Lent Calendars are also available for those children would do not attend St Joseph's Primary School.

MASS FOR VOCATIONS – Tuesday 20th February, Sacred Heart Tipton, 7pm. All Welcome

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME – If you have a child who does not attend St Joseph's and wishes to join the First Holy Communion programme, please speak to Fr Philip to obtain an application form. This is open to those children who have already celebrated the sacrament of First Confession. Session will start after Easter.

PARISH YOUTH FUNDRAISING EVENT - We are hosting a sleep-in fundraiser for youth group activities. This will run from Holy Thursday Mass on 28th March to the Walk of Witness on Good Friday. There are sponsorship forms in the Church porch for parishioners to sponsor our young people, please do give generously.

ONLINE STUDY OF THE BOOKS OF SAMUEL – Fr Stephen is looking to hold an online group reading through the books of Samuel, if you are interested, please email fr.stephen.pimlott@rcaob.org.uk. Date and time TBC.

TODDLERS - Tuesday mornings term time only in the Parish Centre. Please contact Shelagh on 07742 988204

THE PARISH IGNATIAN PRAYER - Meet every 1st and 3rd Wednesday evening at 7pm on Zoom. Please contact either Sue on 07450 656757 – suemcderm@aol.com - or Alice on 07845 706362 – alice.grennan@googlemail.com.

LUNCHEON CLUB – The next lunch will be held on Wednesday 21st February 2024 in the Parish Centre. If you wish to attend, please contact Elaine on 07941 833026 by Monday 19th February

GOING INTO HOSPITAL – It is important that you notify the parish if you or a member of your family are admitted into hospital; For admissions to Russell's Hall, please notify Deacon Tom - 07415 211098 For admissions to other hospitals, please notify Fr Philip - 01384 395308

FOODBANK DONATIONS We are open on Tuesday, 12:30pm -3:00pm and Friday 10-00am – 12-30pm. Please drop your donations to the back door of the parish centre. Thank you for your continued support.

STOURBRIDGE FAIRTRADE are hosting a Coffee Morning at St. Thomas's Church Hall, 10:30-12:00 on February 17th to celebrate and promote Fairtrade products in Stourbridge. If we choose Fairtrade, we can really make a difference to Farmers around the developing world. Do come along and enjoy cakes, company and committing to putting Fairtrade in your trolley! Offers of cakes and to help with refreshments to Jane Williamson on 07799 965748.

DEANERY MONTH FOR PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS In February, the Dudley and Wolverhampton Deanery will be hosting a series of vocation events, *"Listening to God's Call"* There will be three online sessions on Tuesday evenings at 7pm: 20th Feb: **Consecrated Life**, 27th Feb: **Marriage and Single Life**. 5th March: **Priesthood and Diaconate**, Everyone is welcome to join the sessions. The Zoom link is <https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88033199202?pwd=Bkfm1pgM2iXaYczxemTzmzdH7lJSld.1> Meeting ID: 880 3319 9202, Passcode: 218505

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES – 27th May – 1st June 2024 – For further details and booking information visit www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/lourdes-pilgrimage

ANNUAL INTERCULTURAL MASS – Celebrating the international nature of the Church – Saturday 24th February, 12noon, St Mary the Mount Church and Centre, Glebe Street, Walsall, WS1 3NX. Please email Fr.malcolm.glaze@rcaob.org.uk or contact Monsignor Daniel McHugh 07812 110640 if you wish to attend.

ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM Safeguarding Advisor vacancy - Permanent/Full-time (35 hours per week) Salary range: £33,000 to £40,000 p.a. plus benefits The Birmingham Diocesan Trust (BDT) is looking to appoint an experienced safeguarding professional, with a social work, police, LADO, probation, or other relevant background, with multiagency safeguarding experience, to join its Safeguarding Team. For more a detailed job description and application please visit [Jobs & Volunteering Opportunities | Birmingham Diocesan Trust \(birminghamdiocese.org.uk\)](https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/jobs-volunteering)

LITTLE SAINTS PRE-SCHOOL QUIZ - Friday 23rd February, Our Lady and All Saints, Parish Centre, 7.30 pm quiz starts at 8 pm, £5 a ticket from Lizzie Lodge 07305 356259 Bring own drink and nibbles, Raffle and prizes on the night. Please support them if you can.