## PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS, 13 NEW ROAD STOURBRIDGE DY8 1PQ

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**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 <u>sg.olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk</u> or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 / <u>safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk</u>

PARISH YOUTH WORKER – Mr Liam Thomas <u>yth.olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk</u> ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL Principal Mr Anthony Wilkes 01384 431980 HAGLEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL Principal Mr James Hodgson 01562 881820 Both schools are part of Emmaus Catholic MAC www.emmausmac.com

Third Sunday of Easter – 13th/14th April 2024 Year B

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Saturday 13th	5-00PM	People of the Parish	Third Sunday of Easter
April 2024			
Sunday 14th	8-30AM	Patricia Maxwell	
	11-00AM	Amy & Ted Baker	
Monday 15th	NO MASS	NO MASS	
Tuesday 16th	12-30PM	Derek Smith (1st Anniversary)	
Wednesday 17th	9-00AM	Timothy Hernan	
Thursday 18th	9-00AM	Lawrenzina Fernandez (4th Anniversary)	
Friday 19th	9-00AM	Holy Souls	
	7-00PM	Intentions of Oliver Anderson	
Saturday 20th	10-00AM	Intentions of Christine Killick	
	5-00PM	People of the Parish	Fourth Sunday of Easter
Sunday 21st	8-30AM	Carole & Dennis Barker	Day of Prayer for
	11-00AM	Gordon Mills	Vocations

PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 262 OF THE MASS BOOK The second collection next weekend will be for the Clergy Training Fund

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

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

BIBLE STUDY – Wednesday at 10am in the Parish Centre

DIVINE MERCY – After Mass on Thursday HOLY HOUR – Thursday 3pm

ADULT INSTRUCTION – Thursday 7pm

**CHURCH OPENING** – Church is open all day from 8-30am – 4pm on Fridays. Please join our team of volunteers, a sign-up sheet for just an hour can be found in the porch.

ROSARY - Friday 6.35pm CHILDREN'S LITURGY - Saturday 5pm Mass

**DIOCESAN DAY PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM - Saturday 11th May**. Depart 7am; return c 9pm. Cost - £10 per person, children & servers free. Booking sheet available in the porch.

**CHURCH WEBCAM** - Sincere apologies for the webcam being unavailable over Easter. With the help and support of Richard Harley Electrician and MCN the camera is now back on. We are very grateful to you all for your patience and understanding.

**FR STEPHEN** – Online Bible Study – Book of Samuel, started on Tuesday 9th April at 8pm. If you wish to join him (and haven't contacted him already) please email <u>fr.stephen.pimlott@rcaob.org.uk</u> and he will send you the link.

**GIVING TO THE PARISH** – If you are currently donating by envelope (either gift aid or non-gift aid), by loose plate, or paying your 400 Club subscription by cash/cheque would you consider changing to standing order? This is more cost effective for the parish, as the bank charges us more for paying in weekly cash/cheques. Please email us at olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk or call the parish office (Tuesday or Friday) for more details.

**APRIL PRAYER INTENTIONS** – Pope's Intentions for April We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognised in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world. Parish Intention; Vocations to the Priesthood.

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

## ACTIVITIES TAKING PLACE IN OUR PARISH CENTRE

**TODDLERS** - Tuesday mornings term time only in the Parish Centre. Please contact Shelagh on 07742 988204 **ALL SAINTS** Youth Group next meets on Tuesday 16th April 6-30pm in the parish centre.

**LUNCHEON CLUB** – The next lunch will be held on Wednesday 17th April in the Parish Centre. If you wish to attend, please contact Elaine on 07941 833026 by Monday 15th April.

**AFTERNOON TEA** Please come along and support the Afternoon Tea on April 24th 1.30 till 3pm, which is being organised by our junior SVP group of students from Hagley Catholic High School.

Sandwiches, cakes, tea, coffee and some light entertainment will be provided.

**POETRY GROUP** – next meets on Thursday 25th April at 7pm, everyone is welcome to join them.

**ITALIAN NIGHT** on Saturday 27th April at 7.30pm in our Parish Centre, three course Italian meal, tickets £10 each. Tickets will be on sale now, after all Weekend Masses.

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

**CHURCH GROUNDS** - We are seeking help to maintain the church grounds and you may have seen the article in the Parish Alive 2023 magazine about this. You do not need any expertise (can you use a brush or sprayer etc?) nor do you have to attend each session. We are aware not everyone can do all dates, but many hands mean sessions are shorter and easier. If you want to join the group or ask more about this, please email Ron at ronald.pate@btinternet.com

**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 you continued support.

DUDLEY PASSION PLAY 2024 - A unique contemporary retelling of Jesus' last days death and resurrection live on the streets of Dudley. Friday 19th and Saturday 20th April 12.30pm-2pm. Starting at Duncan Edwards memorial. There is still time to get involved Alpha Group Leaders (dinner included), we need you! Dudley churches are joining together to put on a follow-up Alpha Course after The Dudley Passion Play 2024. Location: Provision House Dates: Every Tuesday for 10 weeks starting on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April. Times: 7-9pm For more information and to get involved contact <u>mail@saltmine.org</u> Pray - Join one of the weekly prayer meetings, For more information, visit thedudleypassionplay2024.org Invite! – Share Saltmine's posts on Facebook, tell you friends, put the date in your diary! Thank you for your partnership in this vision. It is coming to life – just under 3 weeks until live performances! Let's bring the gospel to the streets of Dudley together in 2024.

**LIVING SPRINGS** – Day of Support and Prayer for Living Springs Wednesday 17th April, for more information please visit <u>www.livingsprings.co.uk/day-of-support-and-prayer.</u>