



**PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS,  
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Archdiocese of Birmingham Registered Charity Number 234216

**PARISH PRIEST** Fr Philip Griffin **PRIEST IN RESIDENCE** Fr Stephen Pimlott

**PARISH DEACON** Rev Mr Tom Tranter **PARISH SECRETARY** Mrs Sarah Price

**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](mailto:sg.olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk) or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 / [safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk)

**PARISH YOUTH WORKER** – Mr Liam Thomas [yth.olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:yth.olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk)

**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](http://www.emmausmac.com)

**Second Sunday of Easter – 6th/7th April 2024 Year B**

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Saturday 6th April 2024	5-00PM	Louise Broomhall (recently deceased)	Second Sunday of Easter
Sunday 7th	8-30AM 11-00AM	People of the Parish Donal O’Mahony (anniversary)	
Monday 8th	9-00AM	Tim O’Sullivan	Annunciation of the Lord
Tuesday 9th	12-30PM	Vivien Rynne	
Wednesday 10th	9-00AM	Intentions of Mary Nisbet	
Thursday 11th	9-00AM	Intentions of Loretta Law	St Stanislaus
Friday 12th	9-00AM 7-00PM	Intentions of David Moulton Holy Souls	
Saturday 13th	10-00AM 5-00PM	Mary Lee People of the Parish	Third Sunday of Easter
Sunday 14th	8-30AM 11-00AM	Patricia Maxwell Amy & Ted Baker	

**PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 259 OF THE MASS BOOK**

**Thank you for all the offerings for Fr Philip, Fr Stephen, and Deacon Tom.**

**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

**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 on Saturday 13th April.

**THEOLOGY ON TAP** – Come and join us for an evening of prayer, friendship, and fellowship. The Theme is “Road to Emmaus” Tuesday 9th April 6-30pm at the Old White Horse, Stourbridge. Please Text Liam on 07566 754220 if you wish to attend. Anyone over 18 is welcome.

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

**DATE FOR YOUR DIARY** – 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.

**GIFT AID AND NON-GIFT AID ENVELOPES** are available in the porch.

**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](mailto: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](http://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

**OLAS FILM CLUB** - Our next presentation will be The Great Escaper, starring Michael Caine and Glenda Jackson. This tells the true story of Bernard who leaves his care home to attend a World War II memorial reunion in France, alone! Showing on Wednesday April 10th at 1.30PM tea/coffee with biscuits. ALL WELCOME

**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** with the SVP Wednesday April 24th from 1.30 to 3pm in our Parish Centre. Students from Hagley Catholic High School will provide refreshments, sandwiches, cake, tea and coffee and some light entertainment. The 24th of April was chosen as St Vincent de Paul was born on 24th April 1581. ALL WELCOME

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

**ITALIAN NIGHT** on Saturday 27th April at 7.30 in our Parish Centre, three course Italian meal, tickets £10 each. Tickets will be on sale soon, 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 – [suemcdermott@aol.com](mailto:suemcdermott@aol.com) - or Alice on 07845 706362 – [alice.grennan@googlemail.com](mailto:alice.grennan@googlemail.com).

**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](mailto: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.