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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 / safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk

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

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time – 8th/9th February 2025 Year C

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Saturday 8th	5-00PM	People of the Parish	Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
February 2025			
Sunday 9th	8-30AM	In thanksgiving – John Boyle (80 th birthday)	
	11-00AM	John Geoffrey Whelan	
Monday 10th	9-00AM	Elizabeth Moult – Special intentions	St Scholastica
Tuesday 11th	9-10AM	Mass at Hagley School	Our Lady of Lourdes
	9-00AM	Intentions of Helen Minnock & family	
Wednesday 12th	9-00AM	Ann Quinn (recently deceased)	
Thursday 13th	9-00AM	Intentions of Lisa Duffin	
Friday 14th	9-00AM	Paul Jones	St Cyril and St Methodius
	7-00PM	Holy Souls	
Saturday 15th	10-00AM	Walsh family	
	5-00PM	Louise Broomhall (1st Anniversary)	Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 16th	8-30AM	Judi Atkins (RIP – 50 th birthday	
	11-00AM	People of the Parish	

PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 135 OF THE MASS BOOK

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

ADORATION - After Saturday 10am Mass, Wednesday 8-30am,

BIBLE STUDY – Wednesday 10am in the Parish Centre.

DIVINE MERCY – After Mass on Thursday. **HOLY HOUR** – Thursdays 3pm - Adoration and Benediction before the blessed Sacrament. **ADULT INSTRUCTION** – Thursday 7pm, in the Presbytery.

CHURCH OPENING – Church is open all day from 10am – 4pm next Friday. <u>Please join our team of volunteers; a sign-up sheet for just an hour can be found in the porch.</u>

ROSARY – Friday 6.35pm **CHILDREN'S LITURGY** – 5pm Saturday.

RECENTLY DEPARTED -

Peter Steele, Funeral Service Friday 14th February 10-20am Stourbridge Crematorium.

Anthony Reilly, Funeral Service, Wednesday 26th February 11.40am Stourbridge Crematorium.

PLEASE JOIN US IN THE PARISH CENTRE FOR THE PARISH MEETING 6PM THIS SATURDAY 8th FEBRUARY

FACEBOOK AND INSTAGRAM PAGE – Please follow us on our parish Facebook page – Our Lady and All Saints Catholic Church, Stourbridge and our Youth Matters Instagram page @youthmattersolas

PARISH CENSUS FORMS – A polite reminder for our existing and any new parishioners - If you haven't already done so, please complete one of our parish census forms. Our parish database gives us another way of communicating with parishioners; however, we cannot add your details without a signed census form.

FEBRUARY CATHOLIC HERALD MAGAZINES – are available in the porch - £5 each

FEBRUARY DEANERY MONTH OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

During this month we are asked to pray especially for vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate, Consecrated and Religious life. There are two special opportunities to pray for vocations with others from our deanery: Wednesday 12th February 11.30am: Mass for Vocations with schools from the deanery at St Michael's Penn. Friday 28th February 7.00pm – 8.00pm: Youth Prayer Vigil at SS Mary & John's. All Welcome! DUDLEY AND WOLVERHAMPTON DEANERY VOCATIONS PRAYER O Holy Spirit, Spirit of wisdom and divine love, impart your knowledge, understanding, and counsel to our young people, that they may know the vocation wherein they can best serve God. Give them courage and strength to follow God's holy will. O Mary, Mother of all vocations, PRAY FOR US.

2025 YEAR OF JUBILEE – Information about Diocesan events on the Diocesan website introductory booklets available in the porch £1. If you have any ideas for social or spiritual events you would like to see in the parish this year, please contact Fr Philip.

FEBRUARY SCRIPTURE COMMENTARIES on our website, olas.org.uk and in the porch.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR FEBRUARY – For vocations to the priesthood and religious life – Let us pray that the ecclesial community may welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life.

ACTIVITIES TAKING PLACE IN OUR PARISH CENTRE

TODDLERS - Tuesday mornings term time only. Please contact Shelagh on 07742 988204 ALL SAINTS YOUTH GROUP - Tuesday 11th February - 6-30pm – 8-30pm. New members welcome (Yr 5-9) FRANCISCAN GROUP – Next meet on Tuesday 11th February, at 7pm in the Assisi Room.

OLAS FILM CLUB – On Wednesday 19th February 1.30pm our next presentation will be THE LAST BUS, tells the story of Tom's (Timothy Spall) journey from John o' Groats to Lands' End, using his trusty free bus pass to take a series of local buses.

LUNCHEON CLUB – The next lunch will be held on Wednesday 26th February, this will be fish and chip lunch. If you wish to attend, please contact Elaine on 07941 833026 by Monday 24th February with your order.

THE IGNATIAN PRAYER GROUP - 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.

LOURDES FUNDRAISING GROUP QUIZ NIGHT Friday 28th February 6pm – 8-30pm at Hagley Catholic High School. Tickets £5 each available on arrival. 6 people per team. Please bring cash for the raffle and your own drinks. Please contact Liam Thomas by email yth.olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk or call 07566754220 to book your tickets.

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.

On our doorstep, Harvington Hall presents the 3rd History Festival: Exploding the Myths, July 23 - 27 2025 19 historians, many famous authors & broadcasters, will reveal new insights into the Gunpowder Plot, St. Thomas More, Spycraft, Shakespeare, Tudor fashions and so much more. Also, a beautiful festival concert in St Marys church by one of the UK's top small vocal groups. Tickets on sale now at harvingtonhall.digitickets.co.uk

FOODBANK DONATIONS - We are open on Tuesday, 12:30pm -3:00pm and Friday 10-00am – 12-30pm. Please drop your donations of food to the back door of the parish centre. Thank you for you continued support. If you wish to donate other items, please check with the foodbank volunteers first.



CONTACTLESS AND ONLINE DONATIONS - We are now able to offer contactless payments in the porch. You can also donate online to the offertory, second/retiring collection, general parish donation, and youth activities, using the following link https://donate.mydona.com/our-lady-all-st-stourbridge or using this QR code.

There is a 24/7 Live Internet Camera Operating in this Church.