



Ss Mary and Modwen's Catholic Church

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Parish Clergy

Parish Priest: Rev Fr Stephen Wright

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Parish Office

Open Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday

10.00am – 5.00pm

Parish Secretary: Margaret Barker

Sixth Sunday of the Year 16th February 2014

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Morning Prayer is said 20minutes before weekday Masses. Psalter Week 2.

Times of Mass and Intentions

Sunday 16th <i>Sixth Sunday of the Year</i>	Mass	9.00am	<i>Alan Buckley</i>
	Mass	11.00am	<i>Tina Laws</i>
	Baptisms	12.30pm	<i>Ronan Pratt & Harry Singleton</i>
	Polska Msza	2.00pm	<i>Polish Mass</i>
	Mass	6.00pm	<i>Carlo Morrone</i>
Monday 17th <i>Feria</i>	Mass	9.30am	<i>Bridie Doherty</i>
Tuesday 18th <i>Feria</i>	Mass	9.30am	<i>Win Simpson</i>
Wednesday 19th <i>Feria</i>	Mass	10.00am	<i>Evelyn Mathew (Birthday)</i>
	Holy Hour	6.00pm	
Thursday 20th <i>Feria</i>	Mass	9.30am	<i>Patricia Leahy</i>
Friday 21st <i>Feria</i>	Mass in Church	9.30am	<i>No School Mass</i>
			<i>Ann Armato</i>
Saturday 22nd <i>Feast of the Chair of St Peter</i>	Holy Hour	9.00am	
	Mass	10.00am	<i>Barry Pickering (Anniv)</i>
	Confessions until	11.00am	
Sunday 23rd <i>Seventh Sunday of the Year</i>	Mass	9.00am	<i>Mr & Mrs Bezster</i>
	Mass	11.00am	<i>Kathleen & Willie Duffy & Seamus O'Donnell</i>
	Baptism	12.30pm	<i>Francesca Maria Mayne</i>
	Polska Msza	2.00pm	<i>Polish Mass</i>
	Mass	6.00pm	<i>Ellen Nelson & Bet Conway</i>



*"You have learnt how it
was said to our ancestors;
but I say this to you."*

Please pray for all the sick and housebound of the Parish:

Kathleen Benson, David Hughes, Eileen Lee, Pat Bolton, Mary Burnside, David Hastilow, Maureen & Sidney Parker, Irene Hill, Olive Wilson, Eve Goode, Sarah Pursglove, Marjorie Staley, Marie Gibson, Martin Halligan, Martin Goddard, Merlin Joseph, Mary Hyde, Baby Katie, Betty Gould, Michael Wright, Tony Kerr-Delworth, Fr Bernard Shaughnessy, Mary Conway, Baby Tomasz Weedon, Kay Elizabeth Webster, Kirsty Freeman, Peter Hunt, Jonjo Finnegan, Michael Copley, Russ Simpson, Brian Baldock, Joe & Marg Emery, Baby Niamh Rodriguez, Sylvia Breen, John Wain, Fr Rob Taylerson, David Priest, Baby James Kersey, Baby Elsie Mae Freeman, Jean Jackson, Sr Mary Lobo, Anne Cope, Alastair Furness, Damian Walsh, Arthur Walsh, Thomas McHugh, Pete & Sue Hughes, Cillie Doyle, Viv Saunders, Janet Stanley, Roz Fleetwood, James Cull.

Lord Grant Eternal Rest to those who have died recently:

Offertory Collection: £362.27 (non Gift Aid); £402.68 (Gift Aid)
Standing orders £460 (Gift Aid) thank you for your generosity.

Building & Development Fund – £402.34

Building & Development Fund running total: £38,956.51

This Weekend – Retiring Collection – Catholic Education Service

Next Weekend – Second Collection – Building & Development Fund

2nd March – Retiring Collection – Cathedral Maintenance

For Next Sunday 23rd February: -

READERS

T Nash, P Molloy, W Moloney

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

J Fisher, M Noble, J Emery

J Dawe, J Gibson

K Farrell, A Dyche, J Mitcheson

TEA & COFFEE

Bruna & Kath/Betty & Caroline/Sue & Su

CASHIERS

Margaret & Carol

CHURCH CLEANING

Marie, Rose & Sarah

FLOWERS

Barbara & Lee

PIETY SHOP

Anne, Marion, 6pm on Request

Please Pray for the Priests and Seminarians of the Diocese:

Sunday – Rev Fr Paul Chamberlain

Monday – Rev Fr Mongkhon Charoentham

Tuesday – Rev Fr Paul Chavasse

Wednesday – Rev Fr Marcin Chodorowski

Thursday – Rev Fr Dominic Chukka

Friday – Rev Fr Edward Clare

Saturday – Rev Fr Eamon Clarke

Sunday Next – Rev Fr Ray Collier

CATHOLIC EDUCATION DAY OF PRAYER: Today is a Day of Prayer for all who are involved in education. We ask the Lord's blessing on our Catholic Schools and upon all the school communities in our town. The retiring collection will be for the Catholic Education Service that supports Catholic Schools throughout the country.

PROUD 2 PROFESS: Young Catholics aged 15-30 are invited to Oscott College on Saturday 12th April 2014 – 11am – 6.30pm for a day of praise and worship, catechesis and a social gathering with Archbishop Bernard and others. See poster for details and contact erin.doughty@bcys or speak to Rick Netherwood, ricknetherwood@yahoo.co.uk for more information.

DVD PRESENTATIONS AND DISCUSSION: We are offering a series of DVD presentations by Fr Robert Barron entitled "Catholicism" on Thursday evenings in the Parish Hall, with an opportunity for discussion and refreshments. We hope you find the evenings informative. The next dates are 20th Feb & 13th March - 7.15pm for a 7.30pm start.

PRAYER CARDS FOR VOCATIONS are available at the back of Church. Pray each day for a seminarian including Alex Taylor from this parish currently studying at Valladolid.

PARISH LOTTERY: Last week 117 numbers played. Winning Number - 166, Mary Toft - £58.50. Congratulations, your cheque can be collected this weekend.

200 CLUB: Prizes for January 2014 are: 1st – 95 – Mrs S McLoughlin, 2nd – 69 – Mrs A Gupta, 3rd – 30 – Mr P Baxter. January Prizes can be collected and subscriptions for 2014 can be paid after the 9am & 11am Masses on Sunday 23rd February. You can of course, place subscriptions in an envelope marked with your NAME & NUMBER & hand in at the presbytery, if you so wish. There are quite a few numbers not yet taken up. So if you would like to subscribe, please see Mike Pearson or contact the Parish Office. The subscription is £1 per month, with monthly prizes of £50, £20 and £10.

FLOWER ARRANGERS We are very grateful to all the volunteers who help with the flowers and helping make the Church look so beautiful. We are always looking for willing volunteers to help at a time convenient to you. You need not be an expert, just willing to learn. If anyone is interested in helping please let the priests or parish office know. Thank you to the volunteers who have already come forward.

UCM: The next meeting is Tuesday 18th February in the parish hall. All ladies welcome.

ASSISI MEETING: We have a meeting for all the pilgrims going to Assisi in the summer on Thursday 6th March at 7.30pm. We will sort out the luggage requirements at the meeting as you would have noticed from the revised letter from Anthony Coles the only luggage booked at the moment is the 10kg hand luggage. The costs for additional luggage are £50 for the 15kg and £70 for the 20kg. Please bring your passports to help with the booking process.

LIFE DONATION BOX: At the back of Church there is a Life Donation Box. The donations will be used by the Burton Life Group to provide "welcome packs" for needy mothers to be and mothers with small babies. The following items will be gratefully received: Good Quality Baby grows/Vests, Knitted Cardigans, Nappies, Nappy Cream, Baby Wipes, Baby Lotion, Shop tokens towards baby formula milk. For information about being involved in our local Life group please contact Anne Ward on 01283 813631.

SR. MARY PRESENTATION ON MYANMAR: After Sr Mary's recent return to Myanmar she will give a presentation of her work with the children in that troubled country on Thursday 27th February at 7.30pm in the Parish Hall.

ROBIN MILLS Robin will talk about the Kenya project at all Masses this weekend and will be asking for sponsorship for a 40 mile walk he will be doing to raise funds for his trip.

ST CHAD'S SANCTUARY DONATIONS: Winter clothes, shoes and toiletries can be donated for the homeless served by St Chad's Sanctuary, Birmingham. Items may be left at the back of Church. Please mark the bag, "St Chad's". Thank you.

WAYS OF PRAYING – St Thomas & St John's Lent Course. Five opportunities for reflection, discussion and devotion. Thursdays in St Thomas's Church 7.30pm – 8.45pm. Starts 13th March. See poster for details.

PARISH FUNDRAISING:

If you have any unwanted (unused) gifts or chocolates please bring them to the presbytery to assist with prizes for our fundraising events. Thank You.

QUIZ NIGHT: Friday 28th February in the Parish Centre 7.30pm. £10 per team of up to **SIX** members. Please feel free to turn up and we will put you in a team. Always an enjoyable night. Bar and refreshments available.