

WELCOME ~ THE CATHOLIC FAITH COMMUNITY OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS, STOURBRIDGE
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PARISH - NEWSLETTER/BULLETIN/NEWSPAPER!!!!

Our Lady and All Saints Catholic Church
 13 New Road
 STOURBRIDGE
 West Midlands
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GO IN PEACE
*telling the Good News
 sharing in the Breaking of the Bread
 enriching the Community
 through our talents, treasure and time:
 transforming the Community
 by prayer and by action*

TODAY WE CELEBRATE PALM SUNDAY 13/14 APRIL 2019 YEAR C

DIVINE OFFICE OF THE CHURCH - [THE BREVIARY] WEEK 2

"A Judaeo - Christian Community in the Roman Catholic Tradition"

A REFLECTION FOR HOLY WEEK

On Christmas Day

Jesus was born - the Lord came down to earth. To all He brought the Good News of God's Peace.

On Palm Sunday

Jesus was greeted by the crowds who waved palm branches - they shouted - "Hosanna to the King".

On Holy Thursday


At the Last Supper Jesus knelt and washed the feet of his disciples as a sign of friendship, as a sign of service to others. He gave himself in the gifts of bread and wine - for the feast so that all could eat - so that all could rejoice.

On Good Friday

Jesus died on the Cross at Calvary - after being savagely beaten and tortured. On the Cross he took on all the burdens and the sins of our lives. On the Cross he opened his arms to give us all the treasures of God's love.

On Easter Day

Jesus rose from the dead - he is alive for evermore. He is with us each day - he is always on the side of life. He is the sign of new life - a new way to live, a new way to care for others. Jesus has risen - as he said he would. O that today - and always - you would listen to his voice - harden not your hearts.

MASSES/SERVICES	TIMES	INTENTIONS		FEAST
Saturday	13TH 5-00PM	Beatrice Barker RIP		PALM SUNDAY Divine Mercy Chaplet
Sunday	14TH 8-30AM	Mary O'Dwyer RIP		
	10-30AM	Amy + Ted Baker RIP		
	4-00PM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH		
Monday	15TH 7-00PM	Edmund Davies RIP		
	7-30PM	LENTEN HOUR OF PRAYER - IN THE PRESENCE OF JESUS Prayer - Silence - Adoration - Music - Reflection		
Tuesday	16TH 7-00PM	Pat/Peter/Ros Doyle RIP		
Wednesday	17TH 9-00AM	Dennis Barker RIP		
	11-30AM	ST CHAD'S CATHEDRAL		CHRISM MASS

**18TH
HOLY THURSDAY**

[Renewal and Commitments of Eucharistic Ministers and Readers / Washing of the Feet]

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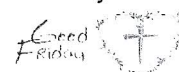
Maundy Thursday

WATCHING WITH THE LORD UNTIL MIDNIGHT

Sarah Sharkey RIP

NIGHT PRAYER 23-45PM

Good Friday



"Into your Hands, I commend my Spirit"

9-00AM

MORNING PRAYER

3-00PM

GOOD FRIDAY LITURGY

[The Passion - Liturgy of the Word / Veneration of the Cross / Holy Communion]

7-00PM

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

"Who are you looking for?"

9-00AM

MORNING PRAYER

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8-30PM

EASTER VIGIL AND MASS OF THE RESURRECTION

[Service of Light - Blessing of the Pascal Fire and Candle -

Liturgy of the Word - Renewal of Baptismal Promises - the Eucharist]

8-30AM

HOLY SOULS/FAITHFUL DEPARTED

10-30AM

Patrick/Catherine/Terence Devenney/Frank Mullin RIP

HOLY SATURDAY

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EASTER SUNDAY

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May the Lord's Touch Strengthen Us

May the Lord's Words Encourage Us

May the Lord's Ways Inspire Us

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OUR PARISH SECRETARY
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MONDAY/THURSDAY/FRIDAY 9-30AM – 12NOON

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WEEKEND 13/14 APRIL 2019 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

5-00PM Dee Bradley, Jacinta Gibbons, Charlotte Colesby, Sarah P-Denison, Chris Marsh
8-30AM Suzanne Horan, Glyn Lewis, Stuart Tibbetts
10-30AM Ian Oakes, Peter Parry, Sam Hull, Kathryn Keay
COFFEE Justine Clarke and Liz Hingley

READERS

Charlotte Colesby
Matthew Perkins
Morna Leckie
ALTAR LINEN

BELL RINGERS

Robert
Rosie Marshall
Joe Blank
Olive Price

WEEK COMMENCING 15 APRIL 2019

GIFT AID COUNTERS

Joan McIlwee and Harry Cox

NON GIFT AID COUNTERS

Mary Cox and Margaret Glynn

CHURCH CLEANING TEAM 3

Paul and Paulette, Jacque Biel, Kynan Fitzgerald and Pat Haglington.

GIFT AID £444-80

NON GIFT AID £584-61

Next Retiring Collection will be held on Good Friday for Holy Places and Shrines in the Holy Land.

WEEKEND 20/21 APRIL 2019 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS

8-30PM EASTER VIGIL Mary Lomax, Emily Higgins, Cathy Hounsell, Noreen Bowyer, Tom Price
8-30AM Nick Chater, Rosie Marshall, Matthew Perkins
10-30AM Julia Dymock, Andy Carry, Bernard Cartwright, Anne Tudor
COFFEE ROTA – Jo McCole and Sammi Cole

READERS

David O'Brien
Margaret Pakes
ALTAR LINEN

BELL RINGERS

Katherine Smith
Brian Osborne
Caroline McGuinness

WEEK COMMENCING 22 APRIL 2019

GIFT AID COUNTERS

Noreen Bowyer and Tricia Hull

NON GIFT AID COUNTERS

Deirdre McBride and Eileen New

CHURCH CLEANING TEAM 4

Josephine Etsibah, Brenda and David Cook, Mercy Wood and Elizabeth Fryer.

EASTER 'WALK WITH ME' BOOKLETS – these are now available from the back of Church. These are a gift from the Parish. Please do take one.

HAPPY EASTER FROM FR DES & DEACON TOM

We wish you a very happy Easter and the peace and joy of the Risen Lord, and take this opportunity to thank the many people of the parish who work so generously throughout the year to ensure that OUR CHURCH (and the Parish Centre) are clean, decorated appropriately and well looked after; that the altar linen is washed and ironed, and that the liturgy is of a high standard which helps us to give worthy praise and thanks to God. To each and every one - our grateful thanks!

EASTER FLOWERS - If you have any greenery please leave it outside the parish centre by Good Friday morning. **THANK YOU**
Can all flower arrangers meet in the Parish Centre at 9-00AM on Good Friday please? **THANK YOU**

HARVINGTON HALL, KIDDERMINSTER MANAGER, SALARY RANGE £ 26,000 TO £29,000 p.a.

We are seeking an experienced and talented individual to manage this unique Tudor Catholic Manor House. A Grade 1 listed building of great historic significance - it is owned by the Archdiocese of Birmingham, and the Hall and Malt house have been meticulously restored in the past 25 years. The manager is responsible for the business and financial management of the Hall. The job description and person specification and further details can be found on the website, www.harvingtonhall.com.

The March for Life is being held in central London on Saturday 11TH May and the theme this year is 'Every life is Irreplaceable'. The coach will be leaving the Oratory church, Birmingham at 7-30AM. The march itself is quite short and will take place in the afternoon. For more information and inspiration there are some excellent videos on the March for Life website - www.marchforlife.co.uk
Seats cost £18 per adult, £10 for under 12's and free for the under-fives.
Contact Alice Grennan 07845 706362 or email alice.grennan@googlemail.com

Stories from the Holy Land: CAFOD meeting for Dudley deanery volunteers and supporters - Tuesday 21 May, 6-30PM – 8-00PM in our Parish Centre, followed by a bring-and-share supper.
Caroline Collins will speak about her visit to the Holy Land, to encounter CAFOD projects, partners and communities supported there, looking too at our exciting new ambition No One Beyond Reach and our climate change campaign, 'Our Common Home'. All welcome!
To book your place, please email ewignall@cafod.org.uk or ring 01922 722944.

BELMONT ABBEY HEREFORD – Wednesday 15 May 2019 – Annual Torchlight Procession in honour of Our Lady at 9-00PM

Visit of the National Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima and the relics of St Francisco and St Jacinta. Preacher: Rev Fr Jason Jones. All Welcome.

RED MISSION BOXES

In the last year the members of the Red Box Family here at Our Lady and All Saints have raised £5112. Thank you! Our sisters and brothers across the world continue to need our prayer and support. Please continue to support the work of the Red Box. If you don't have a Red Box at home or would like other ways to give to the Red Box, please contact Diana Bloor on 01562 720208.

FOOD SHORTAGES

1L CARTONS OF FRUIT JUICE (thank you for all the donations this week), 500G BAGS OF SUGAR, CORDIAL/SQUASH, PACKETS OF MASH, TINNED POTATOES, TINNED FRUIT, SMALL JARS OF COFFEE, JARS OF PASTA SAUCE

TOILETRY SHORTAGES

ADULT TOOTHBRUSHES (SINGLE PACKS), SHAVING FOAM, ROLL ON DEODORANT, CONDITIONER, BUBBLE BATH.

DAVID McLOUGHLIN – Theologian. Talk: 'Renewing the Prophetic Imagination' Sunday April 28th at St Mary's Parish Centre, Vivian Road, Harborne, B17 0DN. Start: 1.30PM (tea/coffee) for 2-00PM, finish 4-0PM. Everyone welcome – ACTA members, friends, and visitors. No charge. Local coordinator: mjriordan@hotmail.co.uk National ACTA website: acalltoaction.org.uk

THE GIVING MACHINE – please sign up to the giving machine and donate to Our Lady and All Saints at no cost to yourself. Our 5 donors have raised over £35.00 towards Parish funds. Imagine what we could raise if we had 50 or even 100 donors. From small seeds grow large trees!! Thank you so much to those who have already signed up.

GIFT AID Envelopes for Financial Year 2019/2020 are now available at the back of Church – please pick up your named box. If you wish to Gift Aid please contact Noreen via the Parish Office on 01384 395308 or pick up an application form in the Porch.

SENIOR LUNCHEON CLUB – the next Lunch is on Wednesday 17 April at 1-00PM in the Parish Centre. Lunch is still only £3. Please contact May Sweeney on 01383 373143 by Monday 15 April, if you wish to attend.

Archdiocese of Birmingham Annual Pilgrimage to Walsingham – Saturday 11 May 2019 – Led by Bishop David McGough. Please see the poster at the back of Church for further details. If you wish to attend please sign the sheet in the Porch by Sunday 28 April 2019.

PIETY STALL **RELIGIOUS CARDS** – **OPEN AFTER THE 10-30AM MASS ON SUNDAY IN THE PARISH CENTRE. THERE IS A VARIETY OF RELIGIOUS OBJECTS, NEW GOODS HAVE ARRIVED - ITEMS FOR ALL OCCASIONS – DO PAY A VISIT! Come for coffee/tea after Mass.**

OLAS PARISH COLLECTIONS				
10/05 MAY	Parish SVP	11/12 MAY	Clergy Training Fund	01/02 JUNE
15/16 JUNE	Day for Life	29/30 JUNE	Peter's Pence	Catholic Communications

WALKERS PLEASE NOTE: Announcing a sponsored Emmaus Walk from 'Our Lady and All Saints' Stourbridge to Harvington on Saturday 27TH April 2019. Be a disciple for the day whilst supporting needy Christians through the agency of the Friends of the Holy Land. Registration and Sponsorship forms are available at the back of the Church after each Mass. Further information and the return of completed forms local contacts are: Peter Boszko on 01562 884821 or peter.boszko@hotmail.co.uk Tony Trafford on 01562 855616.

OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS TODDLERS GROUP Tuesday Morning 10-00AM – 12-00NOON
PARISH CENTRE – INFORMATION AND BOOKINGS – Sarah Price 01384 395308
Have a Good Week - Filled with Faith + Joy, Love + Peace Do Take Great Care Fr Des
13/04/2019 23-45PM. THANKYOU/VIelen DANK /GRACIAS/ GRAZIE/ MERCI/ OBRIGADO
 THE PARISH IS PART OF THE ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM - REGISTERED CHARITY NO. 234216

WEEKEND MASSES

Masses – Saturday Evening 5-00pm Sunday 8-30am 10-30am [Music Group / School / Fr Des / Choir]

WEEKDAY MASSES

Please see the Mass Times in the Parish Newsletter / Website

BAPTISMS

SUNDAY 12-30PMBAPTISMAL PREPARATION – 2ND + 4TH THURSDAYS YS OF THE MONTH

CONFESSION/RECONCILIATION – The Sacrament of God's Love - God's Friendship - God's Peace

[1] After Masses [2] On Request [3] Penitential Services [Advent/Lent/Summer] [4] Saturday 10-30AM 4-30PM

MARRIAGES/WEDDINGS – Saturdays 12-00NOON/1-00PM

VISITATION TO THE SICK /THE SACRAMENT OF THE ANOINTING OF THE SICK

We are most anxious to help anyone who cannot celebrate Mass with us because of illness or age or being house-bound. If you wish to receive this Sacrament – or are going into hospital – please contact Deacon Tom [CHAPLAIN] or Fr Des.

We remember all those who have died recently – and all those who have died because of violence, terrorism, and tragedy - and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time. ETERNAL PEACE AND HAPPINESS, GRANT UNTO THEM, O LORD.

We remember in prayer Families and Friends who miss the presence of someone they love.

May they be reassured always of the Lord's Love and Care.

We pray for those who are sick, unwell, house-bound in our Parish Community – we remember especially all who have asked our prayers.

COFFEE AND TEA IN THE PARISH CENTRE AFTER SUNDAY 10-30AM MASS – ALL WELCOME
MUSIC IN CHURCH – for LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS - Music must be chosen that is appropriate for Church. THANK YOU

Our Parish invites each person to be active and participating member in every aspect of Parish Life.

We care for each other and we want to worship and serve our Lord and one another.

Do please consider volunteering by participating wherever you feel you can help and serve.

OLAS Film Club – Thank you to everyone who joined us to watch the very moving story of Victoria and Abdul. Our next film on Wednesday 1 May at 2-00PM, be the Green Book -Set in America in 1962, Green Book tells the heart-warming true story of Tony Lip (Viggo Mortensen), a working-class Italian-American bouncer who takes on a job as a chauffeur for Dr. Don Shirley (Mahershala Ali), a world-class Black pianist. The mismatched pair embark on a two-month tour of concert venues in the racially charged Deep South and discover they are on the road to a meaningful and unique friendship. £2 for refreshments served before the film.



“Blessed is the King who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven and glory in the highest!”



GROWING IN FAITH – SHARING OUR FAITH *Proclaim 15:* **Building Missionary Parishes A PRAYER FOR LENT**
Loving Father, you so loved the world that you sent us your only Son that we might believe in him and have eternal life.
May we encounter Jesus Christ anew this day and live the Good News with joy.
Through the power of your Holy Spirit, help us 'to go out to the whole world and proclaim' our faith with confidence.
Give us the courage to witness to the Joy of the Gospel by our words and actions.
Help our parish to become more welcoming and missionary, so that you may be known and loved by all people.
We make this prayer through Our Lord Jesus Christ your Son who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit,
one God for ever and ever. Amen.
Our Lady, Star of the New Evangelisation - Pray for us. Blessed John Henry Newman - Pray for us.
St Therese of Lisieux - Pray for us. Our Lady and All Saints – Pray for Us.

A Simple Prayer – In Jesus' Name, we pray, In Jesus' Name, we serve, In Jesus' Name, we love. In Jesus Name, we live. Amen.
Don't Forget 6-00PM Each Day – The Our Father.

WELCOME AND CONGRATULATIONS TO NEW ADULT MEMBERS OF OUR PARISH!
They have been meeting for the JOURNEY IN FAITH each Wednesday since last November.
We congratulate them and pray for them, supported by our prayers, welcome and encouragement.
Please pray for all who are all to be received into the Catholic Church at Easter through the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion. In our Parish remember **SARAH COLLIGAN JULIE BENTLEY HELEN LOADER**
KEVIN PRICE ROD ARNOLD KATHRYN SARGENT
EMMA FITZGERALD DIANE HOWER AMANDA HODDER

The Birmingham Passion Play 2019
Birmingham has never seen anything like this before! Involving more than a hundred community actors alongside Saltmine Theatre Company, multiple choirs and dynamic live music, Birmingham Passion Play 2019 is by the city for the city. This unique contemporary retelling of the extraordinary Easter story will process from Grand Central to St Philip's Cathedral, on 16, 17 and 18 April 2019 at 12-30PM.
To find out more please contact Charlottet@saltmine.org

EXCITING NEWS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
A new Dudley Deanery Website has now been set up. On the site you will find contact details and links to websites, where they exist, for all the Catholic Parishes in the Deanery, together with Mass Times and details of our Catholic Schools.
Our website brings together the resources of the Deanery and provides information about Deanery wide activity.
The Dudley Deanery is one of eighteen deaneries which make up the Catholic Archdiocese of Birmingham.
The Dudley Deanery has the following parishes:

<i>Our Lady of Lourdes –</i>	<i>Cradley Heath,</i>	<i>English Martyrs –</i>	<i>Blackheath,</i>
<i>Our Lady and All Saints –</i>	<i>Stourbridge,</i>	<i>St Chad and All Saints –</i>	<i>Sedgley,</i>
<i>The Sacred Heart and Holy Souls –</i>	<i>Tipton,</i>	<i>Our Lady and St Hubert –</i>	<i>Warley,</i>
<i>St Francis Xavier –</i>	<i>Oldbury,</i>	<i>St Peter and the English Martyrs –</i>	<i>Lower Gornal,</i>
<i>Our Lady of Lourdes –</i>	<i>Kingswinford,</i>	<i>Our Lady and St Kenelm –</i>	<i>Halesowen,</i>
<i>Our Blessed Lady and St Thomas of Canterbury – Dudley,</i>		<i>St Mary – Brierley Hill.</i>	

To access the website please use this link <https://dudley-catholicdeanery.org.uk>
Fr Des Dean of Dudley and Parish Priest of Our Lady and All Saints.

www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk	[ARCHDIOCESE]	www.olas.org.uk	[OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS]
www.st-jo-st-dudley.sch.uk	[ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL]	www.hagleyrc.com	[HAGLEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL]
www.stnicholasowen-mac.org.uk	[SNOMAC]		

Please pray for the Deceased whose anniversaries occur at this time -

Bridget Barlow 04 April 2016	Ramon Duffin 05 April 2016	Patricia Garratt 11 April 2016
Charles Sheehan 17 April 2016	Peter Male 25 April 2016	John Byrne 07 April 18
Eileen Sweeney 07 April 2016	Mary O'Dwyer 09 April 2018	Eileen Slater 13 April 18

CHURCHES TOGETHER IN STOURBRIDGE

GOOD FRIDAY WALK OF WITNESS - 09-45AM meet at Our Lady and All Saints on the Ring Road,
10-00AM– Prayer by Rev Alex French -

We will then set off round the Ring Road, under the Underpass by the Bus Station and form up prior to walking (silently) behind the Cross down Stourbridge High Street and congregating by the Clock Tower.

Rev David Morris will then run the Service by the Clock Tower which will include: a short but powerful drama from friends at St. Michael's Norton, a Bible reading - Mark 15:24-39, a prayer, 3 songs to sing (When I survey, Songs of Fellowship (SoF), Book 1, 596 / How deep the Father's love for us, SoF Book 2, 780 / You chose the cross, SoF Book 3, 1661.

St Thomas' have kindly invited us all to join them at the end of the Walk of Witness for refreshments.
We would like as many people to come as possible. It will only take an hour out of the morning and imagine the impact if we had 500 or a 1,000 people walking down the High Street!

The collection next weekend is the annual Easter Offerings for our Priest, Fr Des.

"HE HAS RISEN – AS HE SAID HE WOULD!"

"The glory of God is man alive; but the life of man is the vision of God."—St. Irenaeus of Lyons, in the territory of France, in his great work Against All Heresies, written c. 180 A.D.