

**WELCOME ~ THE CATHOLIC FAITH COMMUNITY OF OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS,  
STOURBRIDGE A COMMUNITY OF LOVE, PRAYER AND SERVICE  
– A COMMUNITY OF CHRIST'S FAITHFUL**

**WEBSITE** [www.olas.org.uk](http://www.olas.org.uk)

**LIVE WEBCAM**

[www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/our-lady-all-saints](http://www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/our-lady-all-saints)

**PARISH - NEWSLETTER/BULLETIN/NEWSPAPER!!!!**

**GO IN PEACE**

*Our Lady and All Saints*  
13 New Road  
STOURBRIDGE  
West Midlands  
DY8 1PQ

*Further Along*  
THE  
**ROAD LESS  
TRAVELED**

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 THE FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR**

**06/07 JULY 2019**

**YEAR C**

*"A Judeo - Christian Community in the Roman Catholic Tradition"*

DATE	JULY	TIME	MASS INTENTION	FEAST
Saturday	06TH	5-00PM	Teresa + James Bough RIP	FOURTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR
Sunday	07TH	8-30AM	John Scarborough RIP	
		10-30AM	Stanley Bonsar RIP	
Monday	08TH	8-45AM	MORNING PRAYER	
		9-00AM	Intentions Edwards Family	
Tuesday	09TH	9-40AM	VOCATIONS	
		12-30PM	Intentions Parish SVP Group	
Wednesday	10TH	9-10AM	Kevin, Dennis, Frances Arthur Barker RIP	ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL
Thursday	11TH	9-00AM	Pam + Victor Maleszewski RIP / Gladys + Stanislaus Bozsko RIP	
Friday	12TH	7-00PM	ROSARY	
		7-30PM	EUCCHARISTIC SERVICE	
Saturday	13TH	9-30AM	ADORATION	
		10-00AM	EUCCHARISTIC SERVICE	
		4-30PM	CONFESSIONS	
		5-00PM	Intentions Gary + Alison Basford	FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR
Sunday	14TH	8-30AM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH	
		10-30AM	Lynn Comyns RIP	

**SERVED by and Contact Details:**

**OUR PRIEST** DEAN OF DUDLEY DEANERY  
**CHAPLAIN** HAGLEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL  
**OUR DEACON** RUSSELLS HALL RC CHAPLAIN

Fr Desmond Devenney  
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**OUR PARISH SECRETARY**  
**PARISH OFFICE HOURS** [SCHOOL TERM TIME ONLY]  
**MONDAY/THURSDAY/FRIDAY** 9-30AM – 12NOON  
**PARISH CENTRE – INFORMATION AND BOOKINGS –**  
**OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS TODDLERS GROUP**

Mrs Sarah Price  
E-mail  
**TUESDAY**  
Sarah Price  
Tuesday Morning

01384 395308  
olasoffice@talktalk.net  
12NOON – 2-30PM  
01384 395308  
10-00AM – 12-00NOON

**HAGLEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL/ PRINCIPAL**  
**ST JOSEPH'S RC PRIMARY SCHOOL/ PRINCIPAL**

Mrs. Suzanne Horan MEd BA  
Mr. Andrew Carry BA

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**OUR PARISH SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES**  
**OUR PARISH GIFT AID ORGANISER**

Mrs. Jill Harris

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

Have a Good Week - Filled with Faith + Joy, Love + Peace  
29/06/2019 23-45PM.

Do Take Great Care

Fr Des

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 12-30PM BAPTISMAL 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

" I thank you, Lord, for the wonder of my Being !! "



### 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 – **PATRICK MURPHY, NOREEN BOWYER, MARY JONES, MAY SWEENEY, JOHN BAYLISS, and JEAN MITCHELL RIP** - 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.

A Simple Prayer – In Jesus' Name, we continue to pray,

In Jesus' Name, we continue to love,

In Jesus' Name, we continue to serve,

In Jesus Name, we continue to live. Amen.

**Don't Forget 6-00PM Each Day – The Our Father.**

**NEW DEANERY WEBSITE**

<https://dudley-catholicdeanery.org.uk>

[www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk](http://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk)

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[www.olas.org.uk](http://www.olas.org.uk)

[OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS]

[www.st-jo-st.dudley.sch.uk](http://www.st-jo-st.dudley.sch.uk)

[ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL]

[www.hagleyrc.com](http://www.hagleyrc.com)

[HAGLEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL]

[www.stnicholasowen-mac.org.uk](http://www.stnicholasowen-mac.org.uk)

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### **WEEKEND**

**06/07 JULY 2019**

#### **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

**5-00PM** Dee Bradley, Jacinta Gibbons, Charlotte Colesby, S P-Denison, C Marsh

**8-30AM** Suzanne Horan, Glyn Lewis, Joe Woodall

**10-30AM** Ian Oakes, Peter Parry, Sam Hull, Kathryn Keay

**COFFEE ROTA** Jo McCole and Sammi Duff

#### **READERS**

John Tringham

Rose Whyman

Chad Lesley

**LINEN ROTA**

#### **BELL RINGERS**

Jim Spencer

Rosie Marshall

Brian Osborne

Helen Powley

### **WEEK COMMENCING**

**08 JULY 2019**

#### **GIFT AID COUNTERS**

Sylvia Abdullah and Sheila Lloyd

#### **NON GIFT AID COUNTERS**

Simon Tudor and Rob Price

#### **CHURCH CLEANING TEAM 7**

Bob and Helena Hudyba and Luke and Freya Morris

**GIFT AID £294-62**

**NON GIFT AID £318-71**

The Collection next weekend will be for the Apostleship of the Sea. Please pick up a prayer card available at the back of Church.

### **WEEKEND 13/14 JULY 2019**

#### **EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

**5-00PM** Mary Lomax, Emily Higgins, Cathy Housell, Sarah Price, Tom Price.

**8-30AM** Nick Chater, Rosie Marshall, Matthew Perkins

**10-30AM** Julia Dymock, Stuart Tibbetts, Bernard Cartwright, Anne Tudor

**COFFEE ROTA** Robert and Anna Morley

#### **READERS**

Ian Oakes

Rosie Marshall

Robert Morley

**LINEN ROTA**

#### **BELLRINGERS**

Geoff Gibbons

Katherine Smith

Barbara Alcock

Diana Bloore

### **WEEK COMMENCING**

**15 JULY 2019**

#### **GIFT AID COUNTERS**

Joan McIlwee and Harry Cox

#### **NON GIFT AID COUNTERS**

John Polychronakis and Rob Price

#### **CHURCH CLEANING TEAM 8 –**

Geraldine Hayes, Olwen Davis and Diana Bloore

**SENIOR LUNCHEON CLUB** – The next Lunch will be held on Wednesday 17 July at 1-00PM in the Parish Centre. If you wish to attend please contact Margaret Glynn on 01384 423326 by Monday 15 July 2019.

We have received the news that John Bayliss who was a parishioner here for a number of years has died aged 90.

His Funeral Mass will be celebrated at Holy Family Catholic Church, High Street Bewdley at 10-00AM on Monday 8 July 2019.

### **JESUS SAYS IN TODAY'S GOSPEL-**

**"THE HARVEST IS RICH BUT THE LABOURERS ARE FEW, SO ASK THE LORD OF THE HARVEST TO SEND LABOURERS TO HIS HARVEST".**

PEACE  
love

JOY  
HOPE

Prayer, as the authentic expression of a right relationship with God and with others, is already a positive contribution to peace.



**FOOD BANK SHORTAGES THIS WEEK –** *They are really low on supplies of 1L CARTONS OF UHT MILK.*

**FOOD SHORTAGES** *1L CARTONS UHT MILK, 1L CARTONS OF FRUIT JUICE, TINNED MEAT, TINNED FISH, TINNED VEG READY MEALS (e.g. MACARONI CHEESE, VEG CURRY), BOTTLES OF SQUASH/CORDIAL, TINNED CUSTARD, TINNED POTATOES, TINNED FRUIT.*

**TOILETRY SHORTAGES** *SHOWER GEL, SHAMPOO/CONDITIONER, ADULT TOOTHPASTE, TOILET ROLLS, DEODORANT, SMALL BOXES OF WASHING POWDER/LIQUID, CLEANING PRODUCTS*

**Prayer Support Online** - Are you struggling to pray daily? Do you get to the end of the day and your good intention to pray is still unfulfilled? Then the websites listed below may be for you as they are all designed to help us to pray in the midst of our busy lives.

<https://pray-as-you-go.org>  
<https://jesuitprayer.org>

<https://www.sacredspace.ie>  
<https://www.jesuit.org.uk/where-will-god-find-you-july>

Thank you to everyone for their kind offers of help and support since the sad death of Noreen. Please be aware that in the interim Sarah will be running the Gift Aid Scheme. Any queries or if you wish to Gift Aid please contact the Parish Office on 01384 395305. To put everyone's minds at rest the Gift Aid Claim has now been made. This is due to the hard work and dedication of Noreen.

**Fully escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland, 14TH September 2019.** £599-00 pp sharing. Price includes flight with 10kg hand luggage, from Manchester or Liverpool, 4 nights' in Knock House Hotel with full board. All entertainment/ guided tours are included. WCHR rooms on request. Single room supp. £100. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com.

Knock Pilgrimages is a member of the Travel Trust Association and is fully protected by ATOL T7613.

#### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

**MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT FOR STOURBRIDGE – Margot James – Surgery Dates**

To be held on Stourbridge during June and July – Saturday 06 July and Friday 19 July 2019.

To make an appointment Email - [margot.james@parliament.uk](mailto:margot.james@parliament.uk) Telephone: 01384 370574 – Further details see poster in the Porch.

Lord, teach us to remember the past with gratitude – to live the present with enthusiasm – and look forward to the future with confidence.

Pray – for a deeper understanding between Christians and Jews – for those who suffer Persecution and Oppression – for those who are denied Human Rights – for Europe – for Human Life – for Seafarers.

#### **Time of Joy – a 14 year old**

Lord, may this be a special time of joy in my life.  
Forgive my slowness to learn from you and change for the better.  
Purify me Lord of everything unworthy of you – unfaith in you.  
Then I can smile all day long – a long genuine smile,  
Knowing I am loved by you,  
Sensing your peace in my Heart,  
Your Forgiveness in my Soul.

"We walk with Christ, not simply as individuals but as God's pilgrim people, a band of disciples, conscious that the master is in our midst. Like the first disciples listen and learn."

+Bishop Francis Thomas



#### **SREBRENICA MEMORIAL WEEK, 07-14 JULY 2019**

Remembering Srebrenica, is a charitable organisation funded by the Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government. Their aims are to raise awareness of the Srebrenica genocide in July 1995, while bringing communities together to tackle hatred and intolerance, to help build a safer, stronger Britain.

Srebrenica Memorial Week runs from 07-14 July 2019. The theme this year is Bridging the Divide: Confronting Hate. It will celebrate people like headteacher, Lazar Manojlović, who opposed the exclusion of Bosnian Muslim pupils and teachers in his school, and subsequently lost his job. You will find more information and resources on the

Remembering Srebrenica website:

[https://url.emailprotection.link/?baPraZXngnoldqAhMgcq0X3PE5R5c52gHK1hyrqia6h4lk5MDni\\_mJ9xea/c2QozpO2yk9co\\_ajV2Bov eq7bbZ6MWt0cb-duw5ffZabqK\\_1XGKOxKml5PzpeKxOrNcxQ4](https://url.emailprotection.link/?baPraZXngnoldqAhMgcq0X3PE5R5c52gHK1hyrqia6h4lk5MDni_mJ9xea/c2QozpO2yk9co_ajV2Bov eq7bbZ6MWt0cb-duw5ffZabqK_1XGKOxKml5PzpeKxOrNcxQ4)

#### **ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM - ANNUAL PILGRIMAGE to HARVINGTON HALL, SHRINE OF THE ENGLISH MARTYRS, SUNDAY 01 SEPTEMBER 2019.**

Principal Celebrant: Bishop David McGough LSS STL Auxiliary Bishop of Birmingham Mass at 3-00PM

Confessions from 1-45 PM – 2-30PM.

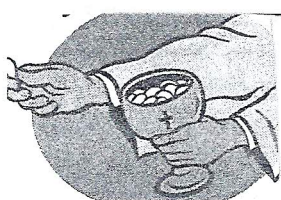
**FREE PARKING, TEAS, PICNIC AREA.** Free timed tours of Harvington Hall are available and may be booked on the day at the table in the courtyard. It is essential that you bring your own chairs.

#### **A PRAYER**

Lord, give me a compassionate heart.

Lord, I place my trust in you. Lord, open my heart to your Word. Lord, enlighten me with your truth.

Lord, give me a contrite heart. Lord, give me a spirit of generosity.



RESPECT



Serving Others

If you haven't  
any charity  
in your heart,  
you have  
the worst kind  
of heart trouble.



## THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

1. *We all like to succeed in whatever we do.*
2. *We are all aware of the sinfulness and weakness that hinders our work for God.*
3. *Each of today's readings illustrates God's strength redeeming human weakness.*
4. *Relying on God's strength, we can do his work.*
5. *With Christ by our side, all things are possible.*

### AND SO -

1. *Ask yourself today what prevents you from doing Christ's work.*
2. *Invite God into any area of your life where you feel you have failed.*
3. *Encourage someone who is without hope.*
4. *Remember laughter revitalises, as does faith.*

## SOME STUMBLING BLOCKS TO BRINGING THE GOSPEL TO THE LIVES OF OTHERS:

1. *Everything can be fixed without God.*
2. *All beliefs are relative, private, and not public.*
3. *Human behaviour can be explained and excused in psychological terms with little sense of accountability to God or each other.*
4. *It does not matter what you believe as long as you are sincere.*
5. *Science has made religion and the Bible redundant.*
6. *Common sense and goodwill will solve the world's problems.*
7. *This life is the only one.*
8. *Notice the strange silence of God's word - the Bible, the Gospel,*
9. *The pursuit of personal happiness is the main thing in life.*

Nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee!  
E'en though it be a cross that raiseth me,  
Still all my song shall be, nearer, my God, to Thee.  
Nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee!

Though like the wanderer, the sun gone down,  
Darkness be over me, my rest a stone;  
Yet in my dreams I'd be nearer, my God, to Thee.  
Nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee!

There let the way appear, steps unto Heav'n;  
All that Thou sendest me, in mercy giv'n;  
Angels to beckon me nearer, my God, to Thee.  
Nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee!

Then, with my waking thoughts bright with Thy praise,  
Out of my stony griefs Bethel I'll raise;  
So by my woes to be nearer, my God, to Thee.  
Nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee!

Or, if on joyful wing cleaving the sky,  
Sun, moon, and stars forgot, upward I'll fly,  
Still all my song shall be, nearer, my God, to Thee.  
Nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee!

There in my Father's home, safe and at rest,  
There in my Saviour's love, perfectly blest;  
Age after age to be nearer, my God, to Thee  
Nearer, my God, to Thee, nearer to Thee!

### A THOUGHT

We sometimes have to choose between what is good and what is best.  
Jesus calls us to follow him, even if it means sacrificing things which are good or harmless.  
There are some choices, such as the decision to love our neighbour, which are simple, if not easy.  
We must listen to God if we are to choose what is best when deciding how to spend our time and our money.  
Consider whether you could go without something which is good, like a meal out with friends or a new item of clothing, and give the money saved to charity.  
What is Jesus calling you to be at this stage in your spiritual life?  
Are you settling for what is good rather than seeking what is best?



*'Happy is the soul that knows how to find  
Jesus in the Eucharist,  
and the Eucharist in all things!'*

*Saint Peter Julian Eymard*

Have patience with all things  
but first with yourself. Never  
confuse your mistakes with  
your value as a human being.  
You're a perfectly valuable,  
creative, worthwhile person  
simply because you exist. And  
no amount of triumphs or  
tribulations can ever change  
that. Unconditional self  
acceptance is the core of a  
peaceful mind.

*St. Francis de Sales*



## A TRAVELERS PRAYER

ALL PRAISE BELONGS TO GOD, LORD OF ALL  
WORLDS, THE COMPASSIONATE, THE  
MERCIFUL, RULER OF JUDGEMENT DAY.

IT IS TO YOU WE WORSHIP AND TO YOU WE  
APPEAL FOR HELP. BE WITH ME TODAY.  
BLESS AND WATCH OVER ME AS I MOVE  
FROM AIRPLANE TO AIRPORT TO MY  
DESTINATION.

SHOWER THE WORKERS AT THE AIRPORT,  
THE AIR CREWS AND ALL THOSE WHO ARE  
WORKING SO HARD TO BRING ME SAFELY TO  
MY DESTINATION WITH THE BLESSINGS OF  
YOUR SPIRIT. GIVE THEM THE SPECIAL  
GIFTS OF WISDOM AND KNOWLEDGE THAT  
THEY WILL NEED TODAY TO GET THEIR JOB  
DONE.

MAY I BECOME AT ALL TIMES, BOTH NOW  
AND FOREVER A GUIDE FOR THOSE WHO  
HAVE LOST THEIR WAY, A LAMP FOR THOSE  
WITHOUT LIGHT, A BRIDGE FOR THOSE WITH  
RIVERS TO CROSS AND A SERVANT TO ALL  
IN NEED.

There is more to life  
than bread and cars  
and air-conditioned rooms.

Perhaps the peculiar malaise  
of our day  
is air-conditioned unhappiness,  
the staleness and stuffiness  
of machine-made routine.

Rabbi E. Borowitz