

**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 **LIVE WEBCAM** www.mcnmedia.tv/camera/our-lady-all-saints

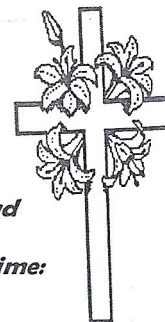
PARISH - NEWSLETTER/BULLETIN/NEWSPAPER!!!!

GO IN PEACE

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

*'Everyone says forgiveness is a lovely idea,
until they have something to forgive.'*

*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 FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR				13/14 JULY 2019	YEAR C
"A Judaeo - Christian Community in the Roman Catholic Tradition"					
DATE	JULY	TIME	MASS INTENTION	FEAST	
Saturday	13TH	5-00PM	Intentions Gary + Alison Basford	FIFTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	
Sunday	14TH	8-30AM 10-30AM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH Lynn Comyns RIP		
Monday	15TH	11-00AM	MAI SWEENEY RIP	FUNERAL MASS [Reception Sunday 6pm]	
Tuesday	16TH	12-30PM	NOREEN BOWYER RIP		
Wednesday	17TH	12-30PM	MAI SWEENEY RIP	ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL	
Thursday	18TH	12-30PM	JAMES DORAN RIP		
Friday	19TH	9-10AM 7-00PM 7-30PM	Intentions Deacon Pat + Sheila Oldman [50] ROSARY Intentions Rev Dr Colin McCarty/ Intentions Natalie Rowley		
Saturday	20TH	9-30AM 10-00AM 4-30PM 5-00PM	ADORATION Mary Guest RIP CONFESSIONS Intentions Philip + Clare Gilheaney		
Sunday	21ST	8-30AM 10-30AM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH Intentions Sister Kathleen Mahon	SIXTEENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR	

SERVED by and Contact Details:

OUR PRIEST DEAN OF DUDLEY DEANERY
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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
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TUESDAY
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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
13/07/2019 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 –

WEEKDAY MASSES –

BAPTISMS

CONFESSION/RECONCILIATION –

[1] After Masses [2] On Request [3] Penitential Services [Advent/Lent/Summer]

MARRIAGES/WEDDINGS –

Saturday Evening 5-00PM

Sunday 8-30AM 10-30AM [Music Group / School / Fr Des / Choir]

Please see the Mass Times in the Parish Newsletter / Website

SUNDAY 12-30PM

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION – 2ND/4TH THURSDAYS OF THE MONTH

The Sacrament of God's Love - God's Friendship - God's Peace

Penitential Services [Advent/Lent/Summer]

[4] Saturday 10-30AM / 4-30PM

Saturdays 12-00NOON/1-00PM

*For Jesus, there are no countries to be conquered,
no ideologies to be imposed,
no people to be dominated.
There are only children,
women and men to be loved.'*

This moment is the only
moment you have.
Respect its possibilities.

The soul would have
no
rainbow had the
eye no tears.

John V. Cheney

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, JEAN MITCHELL, and RIKAKO KAGEYAMA 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 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.

DEANERY WEBSITE

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

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]		

WEEKEND 13/14 JULY 2019 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS
5-00PM Mary Lomax, Emily Higgins, Cathy Houseell, 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
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

*'It is not the finest wood
that feeds the fire of Divine love,
but the wood of the Cross.'*

Saint Ignatius of Loyola

GIFT AID £458-99 NON GIFT AID £991-14
COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND WILL BE FOR APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA.

WEEKEND 20/21 JULY 2019 EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS
5-00PM Jo McCole, Sarah Price, Dom Toni, Luke Morris, Elizabeth Fryer
8-30AM Angela Fletcher, Helena Pearson, Tony Trafford.
10-30AM Robert Morley, Anna Morley, Judith Piper, Alice Grennan
COFFEE ROTA George and Anna Mela

READERS
Charlotte Colesby
Matthew Perkins
Peter Parry
BELL RINGERS
Heather McClure
Perkins Family
Joe Blank
Mollie Street

WEEK COMMENCING 22 JULY 2019
GIFT AID COUNTERS Kevin Hartley and David O'Brien
NON GIFT AID COUNTERS Anne Tudor and Robert Price
CHURCH CLEANING TEAM 1 Brenda O'Sullivan, Margaret Glynn, Helena Pearson and Jeannie

STOURBRIDGE – LIFE DEBT ADVICE SERVICE – is part of the Green Token community Matters Scheme for July –
please support this worthwhile cause when shopping at Waitrose.

FOODBANK SHORTAGES THIS WEEK -

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, DEODORANT,
SMALL BOXES OF WASHING POWDER/LIQUID, CLEANING PRODUCTS

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.

CAFOD is organising a petition to send to the government about climate change. There will be sheets to sign in the porch.

A thought on today's Gospel :

Today's story of the Good Samaritan brings us to the heart of what a Christian life involves: love of God and of neighbour. Gone are the days of traipsing into the neighbour's house, through the 'open door'. Sometimes the people or things that cross our path hinder or delay us and we can't wait to rush by so we ignore them. Bring to mind people who have been an inspiration to you by the care and attention they have given to others.

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.

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT FOR STOURBRIDGE – Margot James – Surgery Date

To be held in Stourbridge Friday 19 July 2019.

To make an appointment Email - 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.

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.

There is perhaps no greater hardship at present inflicted on mankind in civilised and free countries than the necessity of listening to sermons!!!

ANTHONY TROLLOPE

Barchester Towers

We must constantly build dykes of courage to hold back the floods of fear

MARTIN LUTHER KING

'It is only with the heart that one can see correctly - what is essential is invisible to the eye '

Antoine de Saint Exupery THE LITTLE PRINCE

As Christians everything we do before God we do as a mighty duty - a sacred privilege.

Success is very often failure with a new coat of paint.

There are people who make things happen - people who watch things happen - and people who don't know anything did happen. Always begin somewhere - you cannot build a reputation on what you are going to do.

Prayer of Dedication of Individual Persons

God, our Father, we recognize that in the family of the Church all people are called to serve. We recall the prayer of Cardinal Newman: "God has committed some work to me which he has not committed to another. I am a link in a chain, a bond of connection between persons. I shall do good: I shall do his work. I shall be an angel of peace – a preacher of truth in my own place, if I do but keep his commandments. Therefore, I shall trust Him."

God, our Father, thank you for all the gifts you have given me. May I use them wisely and lovingly in your service, and so fulfil my particular vocation in life. I am a member of the Church. Help me to a sign of hope, a source of encouragement in our troubled and broken world. Amen.

PRAYER OF DEDICATION OF OUR PARISH

God, our Father, as a Parish this day we re-dedicate our whole lives to the service of your Church, With confidence, we present our heartfelt prayers to You. We ask you to bless this Parish, our homes, our families. Strengthen with your peace all our days. We commend ourselves to the protection of Mary, our Lady, the Mother of Jesus, Mother of the Church. Through her prayers may we be preserved from all evil influences, now and at the hour of our death. This prayer we ask in the Name of Jesus, the Son of God, who lives and reign with you, God our Father, in Heaven, and the Holy Spirit, for ever and ever. Amen.

PLANTING FOR CHRIST

If you are planting for a year, plant grain;

If you are planting for ten years, plant trees;

If you are planting for a hundred years, plant men.

CHINESE PROVERB



**Apostleship
of the Sea**

Supporting Seafarers Worldwide

PRAYER FOR OURSELVES

Lord, help us to conquer anger with gentleness, greed by generosity, apathy with fervour Help us to forget ourselves and reach out towards others. Make us prudent in planning, make us patient in suffering, unassuming in prosperity. Lord, keep us attentive at prayer, temperate in food and drink, diligent in our work, firm in our good intentions. God our Father, grant that the time we spend in your presence may make us more kind to others, more honest with ourselves, more loyal to you. We ask this prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen.

JUST A THOUGHT:

"After all is said and done, there's a lot more said than done.

Do not mistake activity for achievement.

Most of us can do more than we think we can, but we usually do less than we think we do"



PRAYER FOR PROTECTION

God our Father, keep us always true to your commandments. Keep us faithful and loyal to you in our state of life. Help us all to be living examples of Christian life. Give us the strength which comes from the Gospels and the Sacraments so that we may be our witnesses. One day, grant us the fullness of life with the angels and the saints in the Kingdom of heaven. We ask this prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER

*Prayer is a moment, a time, where we meet God - where God meets us.
Prayer is a moment, a time, where I meet God - where God meets me.
Prayer can be at any moment, any time, where we meet God - where God meets us.
Prayer can be at any moment, at any time, where I meet God - where God meets me.
Prayer is for every moment, for all time, where we meet God - where God meets us,
Prayer is for every moment, for all time, where I meet God - where God meets me.
Prayer is for the quiet times - prayer is for the quiet moments. Prayer is for the sad times - prayer is for the sad moments.
Prayer is for the joyful moments, the joyful times, the joyful occasions - prayer is for those unique, 'never-to-be-repeated' moments and times. Prayer is simply talking with God - prayer is God talking with us.*

Turn to God with Faith - To your own with Love - To everyone with Kindness.

WHAT IS A PARISH?

The Parish is one of the great ways by which Christians can work together, but it does mean that everybody, without exception, must make an effort to play their part in the building up of the Church and its apostolic work. 'Not all walk the same path - but all are called to holiness'. The fact is that the Parish is a community. The bond linking MEMBERS together is of course the loving service we give God and our friends and our neighbours. It is the same place where we have a special responsibility towards our fellow Parishioners. We can and ought to discharge that responsibility by taking an active interest in everything that pertains to the welfare and well being of the Parish family.

*Somebody said it couldn't be done,
But he with a chuckle replied.
That maybe it couldn't, but he would be the one,
Who wouldn't say so till he tried.
So he buckled right in with a bit of a grin
On his face, if he worried, he hid it;
And he started to sing, as he tackled the thing
That couldn't be done - and he did it!!!*

*There are some moments when things go well, and one feels encouraged.
There are difficult moments, and one feels overwhelmed. But it is senseless to speak of optimism or pessimism.
The only important thing to know that if one works well in a potato field, the potatoes will grow. If one works Really well among people, they will grow. That's reality - the rest is Smoke!!!!(Danilo Dolce)*

LIVING IN HOPE

*Hope is like a flower or a river:
colour rooted in God's creation:
movement and flow from the source that is God.
It's also like a bridge,
linking our fears and God's faithfulness,
and the foundation is the promise of God.
And it's more:
it's the smile in the midst of a crowd,
the touch of sympathy and understanding,
a joke or story that's shared,
a prayer that shifts the winds of worry and desire,
all in all, it's sharing in the love of god,
colour, water, pathway in the desert or the wasteland.
And it's thanks from the heart.*

FOOTPRINTS IN THE SAND

*One night I dreamed a dream.
As I was walking along the beach with my Lord.
Across the dark sky flashed scenes from my life.
For each scene, I noticed two sets of footprints in the sand,
One belonging to me and one to my Lord.*

*After the last scene of my life flashed before me,
I looked back at the footprints in the sand.
I noticed that at many times along the path of my life,
especially at the very lowest and saddest times,
there was only one set of footprints.*

*This really troubled me, so I asked the Lord about it.
"Lord, you said once I decided to follow you,
You'd walk with me all the way.
But I noticed that during the saddest and most troublesome times of my life,
there was only one set of footprints.
I don't understand why, when I needed You the most, You would leave me."*

*He whispered, "My precious child, I love you and will never leave you
Never, ever, during your trials and testings.
When you saw only one set of footprints,
It was then that I carried you."*



We are the **people of life**
because God in his
unconditional love
has given us **the Gospel of life**
and by this same Gospel we have been
transformed and saved.

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>

We hope that your Parish, together with any dependent Parishes or Mass centres, will hold a second collection Sea Sunday to support the work of the Apostleship of the Sea (AoS) – the official maritime welfare and mission agency of the Catholic Church in Great Britain. We serve and support more than one million seafarers arriving in our ports each year. It's a large mission and a vitally important one.