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DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Saturday 19th March	5-00PM	People of the Parish	3rd Sunday of Lent
Sun 20th	8-30AM	Mary Spiteri	
	11-00AM	Intentions of Frank Fahy (Birthday)	
Mon 21st	9-00AM	Mr and Mrs Blakeway	
Tues 22nd	12-30PM	Intentions of Mary Etsibah (Birthday)	
Wed 23rd	9-00AM	Bertha Barber	
Thurs 24th	9-00AM	Patricia Maxwell	
Fri 25th	12-30PM 7-00PM	Annie and George Woodhouse Holy Souls	Annunciation of the Lord
Sat 26th	10-00AM	Intentions of Michele Lewis (65th Birthday)	4th Sunday of Lent
	5-00PM	People of the Parish	Mothering Sunday
Sun 27th	8-30AM 11-00AM	Vanessa Pickford (Anniversary) Rose Davey	

PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 160 OF THE MASS BOOK.

RECENTLY DEPARTED

Kay Hildebrandt – Funeral Mass at St Mary's, Harvington, on Tuesday 22nd March at 12noon.

Carol Ann Banks – Funeral Service at Stourbridge Crematorium on Wednesday 23rd March at 1-30pm.

Stella Grosvenor – Funeral Service in Church on Friday 25th March, at 10-45am.

WELCOME to Bishop David McGough who is celebrating Mass at 11am today.

CONFESSIONS – are available for confessions after any Mass. Please speak to one of the stewards.
DIVINE MERCY – After Mass on Thursday ADORATION – After Mass on Saturday morning.
ADULT INSTRUCTION – Tuesday 22nd March 7pm in the Parish Centre.
GROWING IN FAITH; LENT BIBLE STUDY – Wednesdays at 10am and 7pm, in the parish centre.
STATIONS OF THE CROSS; during Friday Masses.

MEMORIAL CANDLES FOR MOTHERING SUNDAY - will be available this weekend in the porch as you leave Mass at a cost of £1-50 each. Please take one home put a label on it and return next Sunday. These will be lit by our stewards and placed on Our Lady's Altar.

LENT GATHERING FOR EXTRAORDINARY MINISTER OF HOLY COMMUNION – WEDNESDAY 6 APRIL – 7pm – 9pm St Joseph's Catholic Church, Willenhall, Wolverhampton, WV1 2QN. Please see the poster in the porch for details.

DAY OF PRAYER – Friday 25th March, the Feast of the Annunciation.

Mass 12-30pm (with Stations), and exposition of the Blessed Sacrament until the evening Mass at 7pm. Fr Philip or Fr Stephen will be available for confession during this time.

Rosary 2pm – Joyful Mysteries, 3pm – Glorious Mysteries, 4pm – Sorrowful Mysteries,

5pm Glorious Mysteries, 6pm – Rosary of the Seven Sorrows of Mary.

This is time to pray for our own intentions, to Ukraine and for all refugees, and simply to be with the Lord. Please put your name on the sheet in the porch if you are able to present for one or more of the half an hour session for Adoration. To ensure that someone is present at all times.

ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM – SATURDAY 14TH MAY 2022

The diocesan day pilgrimage to Walsingham takes place on Saturday 14th May – Fr Philip is the pilgrimage organiser. 7am – Coach departs, 12noon – Arrival at the Shrine, 1pm – Pilgrimage Mass, 3pm – Procession to the priory ruins, and prayers at the site of the Holy House, 5pm – Depart, 10pm – Arrive home.

Coast - £25 for adults, £10 for children of school age, servers go free. There is a sign-up sheet in the Church porch.

SUPPORT FOR UKRAINE from Carita Social Action Network and CAFOD – a briefing note is available on our website. A small number of paper copies are available in the porch.

NAMED GIFT AID ENVELOPES (Blue) for Tax year 2022/2023 are available for collection this weekend – please do not use them until the new tax year starts. **NON-GIFT AID ENVELOPES** (yellow) are also available.

TODDLER GROUP - Please contact Shelagh on 07742 988204 for more details and to book a place.

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

ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL FUNDRAISER - Football fun day next Saturday 26th March from 2pm on Lea Vale playing fields. The football match will kick off at 3pm.

FOODBANK SHORTAGES THIS WEEK please see the list on our website - We are open on Tuesday, 12:30pm -3:00pm and Friday 10-00am – 12-30pm.

A Sponsored Walk on the Feast of St George - Saturday April 23rd, 2022 – If you wish to join this walk, please contact Glyn Lewis on 01562 886526 or email glewis525@yahoo.co.uk

NEW GUIDANCE/REGULATIONS - Face coverings are now optional but we would strongly encourage you to wear one whilst in Mass. Please continue to sanitise when you enter Church. The collection baskets will still be at the door, and not taken around during the service.

The Welcome Group Halesowen (which supports refugees and asylum seekers) is looking for a volunteer to work with their Funding Officer to make grant applications to funding bodies. If you are interested, please contact <u>mattedwards1@hotmail.com</u> for a chat and to find out more information.

Update from Tangney Tours: DATE CHANGE, limited space – Archdiocese of Birmingham – Lourdes Pilgrimage. Departure is now a day earlier than planned We will still return on the Friday, therefore extending the pilgrimage by one night. **There will be no cost implication for you as the pilgrim** and the price you have paid remains the same. There is a limited number of spaces available, please book early to avoid disappointment. Please visit the Archdiocese of Birmingham website for more information.

PARISH DONATIONS – Due the recent weather, we have needed to carry out repairs to the Church roof at a cost of £3000. Any donations received will be put towards this. We are very grateful to everyone who has donated over the last few weeks.