



**PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS,
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HEALTH AND SAFETY Mr Steve McNally

SAFEGUARDING - The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies and procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Mr. Paul Shannon and Mrs. Kathryn Sargent. They can be contacted at sg.olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 / safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk

PARISH YOUTH WORKER – Mr Liam Thomas yth.olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk

ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL Principal Mr Anthony Wilkes 01384 431980

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Both schools are part of Emmaus Catholic MAC www.emmausmac.com

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time - 27th/28th January 2024 Year B

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Saturday 27th January 2024	5-00PM	Philip New	Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 28th	8-30AM 11-00AM	Patricia Maxwell People of the Parish	
Monday 29th	9-00AM	Halina Doran	
Tuesday 30th	12-30PM	Intentions of Mary Nisbet	St John Bosco
Wednesday 31st	9-00AM	Frere Rene Renetenu OSB (recently dec'd)	
Thursday 1st	9-00AM 1-30PM	Pat McGovern Funeral Mass – Adam Tibbetts	
Friday 2nd	9-00AM 1-00PM 6-30PM	Holy Souls Funeral Mass – Roy Harris Confirmation Mass	Feast of the Presentation of the Lord.
Saturday 3rd	10-00AM 5-00PM	Mary Lee Kevin & Dennis Barker and Int's of Karen Gallen	St Blaise Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 4th	8-30AM 11-00AM	Tony Rogers (Anniversary) People of the Parish	

PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 132 OF THE MASS BOOK

The Retiring collection this weekend will be for the Society for the Protection of Unborn Children.

CONFESSIONS – Saturday 10-30am – 11am. Also, confession is available after any Mass.

DIVINE MERCY – After Mass on Thursday **ROSARY** – 6.35pm on Friday.

ADORATION – After Saturday 10am Mass & Wednesday 8-30am

BIBLE STUDY – Wednesday at 10am in the Parish Centre

ADULT INSTRUCTION - Thursday 7pm in the Presbytery

CHILDREN'S LITURGY – Saturday 5pm Mass

ALL SAINTS Youth Group next meets on Tuesday 6th February 6-30pm in the parish centre.

CHURCH OPENING – Church is open all day from 8-30am – 4pm on Fridays.

THEOLOGY ON TAP – Tuesday 30th January 6.30pm, Old White Horse Pub, visit our website Olas.org.uk and Facebook page or text Liam on 07566 754220 for more details

RECENTLY DEPARTED

Adam Tibbetts, Funeral Mass Thursday 1st February at 1-30pm followed by committal at Stourbridge Crem,
Roy Harris, Reception into Church on Thursday 1st February at 4pm followed by Funeral Mass on Friday 2nd
February, 1pm followed by committal at Stourbridge Crematorium.

Carole McAleer, Funeral Service Friday 9th February 10-15am, followed by burial at Stourbridge Cemetery.

CHURCH CARPARK CLOSED WEDNESDAY 31ST JANUARY – FOR CHURCH ROOF REPAIRS

PARISH WEBCAM - Our live streaming web address has been updated. To access MCN Media, please go to www.mcn.live on your web browser. To watch Mass on our Parish website there will be no change everything remains the same.

FEBRUARY PRAYER INTENTIONS – Pope's Intentions for February – We pray that those with terminal illness, and their families, received the necessary physical and spiritual care and accompaniment. Parish Intention; We pray for the children who are celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation on the 2nd of February.

FEB. SCRIPTURE COMMENTARIES available on our website olas.org.uk, “newsletter” page and in the porch.

ADVANCE NOTICE Ash Wednesday Mass – Wednesday 14th February 2024 - 9am, 12-30pm and 7pm

LENT WALK WITH ME available next weekend.

MASS FOR VOCATIONS – Tuesday 20th February, Sacred Heart Tipton, 7pm. All Welcome

ONLINE STUDY OF THE BOOKS OF SAMUEL – Fr Stephen is looking to hold an online group reading through the books of Samuel, if you are interested, please email fr.stephen.pimlott@rcaob.org.uk. Date and time TBC.

PARISH YOUTH FUNDRAISING EVENT - We are hosting a sleep-in fundraiser for youth group activities. This will run from Holy Thursday Mass on 28th March to the Walk of Witness on Good Friday. There are sponsorship forms in the Church porch for parishioners to sponsor our young people, please do give generously.

TODDLERS - Tuesday mornings term time only in the Parish Centre. Please contact Shelagh on 07742 988204

THE PARISH IGNATIAN PRAYER - Meet every 1st and 3rd Wednesday evening at 7pm on Zoom. Please contact either Sue on 07450 656757 – suemcderm@aol.com - or Alice on 07845 706362 – alice.grennan@googlemail.com.

POETRY GROUP – next meets on Thursday 1st February at 7pm in the Assisi Room. All Welcome.

LUNCHEON CLUB – The next lunch will be held on Wednesday 21st February 2024 in the Parish Centre. If you wish to attend, please contact Elaine on 07941 833026 by Monday 19th January

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

FOODBANK DONATIONS We are open on Tuesday, 12:30pm -3:00pm and Friday 10-00am – 12-30pm. Please drop your donations to the back door of the parish centre. Thank you for your continued support.

PRAYER SURGERY. During the Year of Prayer 2024 intercessory requests and intentions may be sent to:- jimjackie793edmunds@btinternet.com Confidentiality will be respected.

STOURBRIDGE FAIRTRADE are hosting a Coffee Morning at St. Thomas's Church Hall, 10:30-12:00 on February 17th to celebrate and promote Fairtrade products in Stourbridge. If we choose Fairtrade, we can really make a difference to Farmers around the developing world. Do come along and enjoy cakes, company and committing to putting Fairtrade in your trolley! Offers of cakes and to help with refreshments to Jane Williamson on 07799 965748.

DEANERY MONTH FOR PRAYERS FOR VOCATIONS In February, the Dudley and Wolverhampton Deanery will be hosting a series of vocation events, “*Listening to God's Call*” There will be three online sessions on Tuesday evenings at 7pm: 20th Feb: **Consecrated Life**, 27th Feb: **Marriage and Single Life**. 5th March: **Priesthood and Diaconate**, Everyone is welcome to join the sessions. The Zoom link is

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/88033199202?pwd=Bkfm1pgM2iXaYczxemTzmzdH7lJSld.1>

Meeting ID: 880 3319 9202, Passcode: 218505 *These meeting s will be recorded and will be available on YouTube afterwards.*

DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES – 27th May – 1st June 2024 – For further details and booking information visit www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/lourdes-pilgrimage

Canon Douglas Lamb Installation at St Chad's as an honorary canon at Mass on Tuesday 6th February at 12-15pm