



**PARISH OF OUR LADY AND ALL SAINTS,
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PARISH FACEBOOK PAGE - Our Lady and All Saints Catholic Church, Stourbridge

YOUTH MATTERS INSTAGRAM PAGE @youthmattersolas

Archdiocese of Birmingham Registered Charity Number 234216

PARISH PRIEST Fr Philip Griffin **PRIEST IN RESIDENCE** Fr Stephen Pimlott

PARISH DEACON Rev Mr Tom Tranter **PARISH SECRETARY** Mrs Sarah Price

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

HAGLEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL Principal Mr James Hodgson 01562 881820

Both schools are part of Emmaus Catholic MAC

Third Sunday of Easter – 3rd/4th May 2025 Year C

DATE	TIME	INTENTION	FEAST
Saturday 3rd May 2025	5-00PM	Michael Durkin (RIP – birthday)	Third Sunday of Easter
Sunday 4th	8-30AM 11-00AM	Katie Fennell People of the Parish	
Monday 5th	9-00AM	Joseph Falade (anniversary)	
Tuesday 6th	9-10AM 12-30PM	MASS AT HAGLEY SCHOOL O'Dwyer family intentions	
Wednesday 7th	9-00AM	Steve Pennycooke	
Thursday 8th	9-00AM	Elizabeth Craddock and family	
Friday 9th	9-00AM 7-00PM	Edith Rachel Cotton (anniversary) Holy Souls	
Saturday 10th	10-00AM 5-00PM	In thanksgiving Jackie Bradley	Fourth Sunday of Easter. World Day of Prayer for Vocations.
Sunday 11th	8-30AM 11-00AM	People of the Parish Simon Tudor (RIP – birthday)	

PRAYERS AND READINGS FOR TODAY ARE ON PAGE 259 OF THE MASS BOOK

The collection for Holy Places raised £472.28

The second collection next weekend will be for the Clergy Training Fund.

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

ADORATION – After Saturday 10am Mass, Tuesday 7-15am – 8am & Wednesday 8-30am. Also, holy Hour.

BIBLE STUDY – Wednesday 10am in the Parish centre.

DIVINE MERCY – Thursday after Mass.

HOLY HOUR – Thursday 3pm Adoration before the blessed Sacrament and Benediction.

CHURCH OPENING – Church is open all day from 8-30am – 4pm on Fridays. **ROSARY** – 6.35pm on Friday.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY – Saturday 5pm Mass

**PLEASE DO NOT PARK AT BACK OR THE SIDE OF CHURCH ON THURSDAY 8th
AND FRIDAY 9th MAY AS WE NEED ACCESS TO CARRY OUT ROOF REPAIRS DUE
TO WINTER STORM DAMAGE. THANK YOU FOR YOUR UNDERSTANDING.**

MAY IS THE MONTH OF MARY – Anyone who wishes to bring flowers for Mary, please leave them in the bucket in the porch.

There is a 24/7 Live Internet Camera Operating in this Church.

CALLING ALL VOLUNTEERS – Please can you complete the online form using the link below this can also be found on the home page of the parish website - <https://forms.office.com/e/Tas6k1FCtk> In order to comply with safeguarding regulations, we need this information which also includes emergency contact details.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME – Children who do not attend St Joseph's in year 4 or above who wish to join the First Holy Communion programme, please speak to Fr Philip to obtain an application form (open to those children who have already celebrated the sacrament of First Confession) Those children who celebrated the sacrament of First Confession here last year are automatically enrolled on the First Holy Communion programme. The first session and enrolment Mass takes place this **Saturday 3rd May**.

SYNODAL PATHWAY MEETING – **Tuesday 6th May**, 7pm in the parish centre. All welcome.

CELEBRATING THE JUBILEE YEAR OF HOPE

DIOCESAN DAY PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM – NEXT Saturday 10th May (Year of Jubilee Event)

Depart 7am, return 9pm. Seats; adults £25, school age children £10. Please sign up in the porch. We still have a small number of seats available on the coach.

Celebrate the Jubilee at WeBelieve, a festival of Catholic Life gathering the Church to share the hope that we have in Christ. From **25th-28th July**, join us for four days of music, keynotes, conversation & worship at St Mary's College, Oscott, Birmingham. Featuring Dr Gianna Emanuela Molla (daughter of St Gianna Molla), Fr Paul Murray, Msgr Michael Nazir-Ali, AnMari, & many more. Early Bird Tickets rate of £70 are available until the end of May, Day at www.webeliefefestival.com

ACTIVITIES TAKING PLACE IN OUR PARISH CENTRE

TODDLERS - Tuesday mornings term time only. Please contact Shelagh on 07742 988204

ALL SAINTS YOUTH GROUP – Tuesday 13th May - 6-30pm – 8-30pm. New members welcome (Yr 5-9)

FRANCISCANS – meet on the 2nd Wednesday of the month. They next meet on 14th May in the main hall.

SENIOR SOCIAL CLUB – Next meet on Wednesday 28th May at 1pm.

MAY SCRIPTURE COMMENTARIES on our website, olas.org.uk and in the porch.

PRAYER INTENTION FOR MAY – Lets us pray that through work, each person may find fulfilment, families may be sustained in dignity, and that society may be humanised. Parish Intention – We pray for Pope Francis.

THE IGNATIAN PRAYER MEETING takes place on Zoom, 7pm on the first and third Wednesday of every month. All are welcome. If you would like to join us please contact Sue McDermott, [07450 656 757](tel:07450656757) – suemcderm@aol.com or Alice Grennan, [07845 706362](tel:07845706362) - alice.grennan@gmail.com. If you have never used Zoom, please do not be put off, we will do our best to help you get started.

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR APRIL 400 CLUB WINNERS - A list of winners can be found in the porch.

Churches Together in Stourbridge require a new secretary starting this summer. He/she will play a crucial role in the life of our local churches, and how they work and witness together. For further details please speak to Fr Philip. It would be great to have a member of our Parish as the heart of Churches Together.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK - Stourbridge Methodist Church at New Road invites everyone to a time of Prayer and Readings, on Thursday May 8th at 10.30am and last for around half an hour. This will take place in the Prayer Corner of the church, while the hall hosts the coffee morning and knit and natter (so drinks & biscuits available afterwards).

YCMA LIVING SPRINGS – OPEN DAY WEDNESDAY 14TH MAY 12PM – 2PM – Barratts Coppice Farmhouse, Bridgnorth Road, Stourton, South Staffs, DY7 6QY Please RSVP by the 7th May to Anna Burden 07384 511312.

CONTACTLESS AND ONLINE DONATIONS - We are now able to offer contactless payments in the porch. You can



also donate online to the offertory, second/retiring collection, general parish donation, and youth activities, using the following link <https://donate.myдона.com/our-lady-all-st-stourbridge> or using this QR code.

