

## Masses at St George & St Teresa

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### 9<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY – FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>5.30pm</b>	Joan Facchino (HB)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8.45am</b>	Margaret Griffiths RIP (VC)
	<b>10.30am</b>	David Margend RIP

### WEEKDAY SERVICES

<b>10.1 Mon</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Feria</b> Roland and Margaret Taylor RIP (T&J T)
<b>11.1 Tue</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Feria</b> Anthony Facchino (HB)
<b>12.1 Wed</b>	<b>10am</b>	<b>Feria</b> Joyce Thomson RIP (T&J T)
<b>13.1 Thu</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Feria</b> Rita McConnell Int
<b>14.1 Fri</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Feria</b> Roger Bowser (HB)

### 16<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY – SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>5.30pm</b>	Donald Bowser (HB)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>8.45am</b>	Mary Winifred Wilson (ES)
	<b>10.30am</b>	People of the Parish
	<b>12noon</b>	Baptism - Cillian Peter Kavanagh

Confessions available by appointment – please phone the presbytery.

### CHURCH ROTAS

#### CHURCH CLEANING

<b>This week</b>	M Shelton	B Byrne	A Slater
<b>Next week</b>	S May	D Thompson	

#### READERS

	<b>5.30pm</b>	<b>8.45am</b>	<b>10.30am</b>
<b>This week</b>	R Slater	J Smith	J McDonald
<b>Next week</b>	T Hogan	C Saum	M McGrory

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS and COUNTERS

Not required

#### Parish Priest: Fr Robert Taylerson,

Priest in Residence: Fr Paul Dean, Deacon: Rev Mr Stephen Saum  
The Presbytery, 337 Station Rd, Dorridge, Solihull, B93 8EZ. Tel: 01564 772098

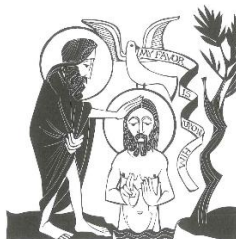
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Catholic Church  
Dorridge  
**FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF  
THE LORD**  
**9th January 2022**



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**FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD:** He will baptise you with the Holy Spirit and fire.

**200/300 CLUB SUBSCRIPTIONS** - £15.00 subscriptions for 2022 are now due. If you do not pay by standing order please send your cheque to the presbytery writing on the back "TTC". If you want to pay by Bank Transfer please contact the parish for details. Numbers have fallen in recent years & we need new members. Application forms are in the narthex. Money raised will be used to reduce the Parish carbon footprint.

**ASYLUM SEEKER/REFUGEE BEFRIENDING:** Would you be interested in becoming a befriender to a refugee or asylum seeker in the Birmingham Area? If so, the Birmingham Churches Together Refugee charity 'RESTORE' is running training sessions on Zoom from 7.15pm to 8.45pm on Tuesdays 1, 8 and 15 February. More information can be found from the following link <https://www.restore-uk.org/news/restore-training-course/> or by emailing [admin@restore-uk.org](mailto:admin@restore-uk.org). If you would like an informal chat about what being a befriender entails, with someone from the Parish who is already involved in this role, then give Tony a ring on 07787 538620. [admin@restore-uk.org](mailto:admin@restore-uk.org)

**ST GEORGE AND ST TERESA'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL** are wishing to recruit 2 Foundation Governors to join its Local Governing Body. We have a dedicated friendly group of governors consisting of 5 Foundation Governors [1 of whom is a parent] 2 Parent Governors and 1 Staff Governor. Foundation governors must be practising Catholic although not necessarily from this parish. Following a skills' audit, we have identified a need for someone with financial knowledge or interest and someone who could perhaps bring a business skill to the governors. Training is available and the time commitment is about three 2-hour meetings per term mainly online. If you would be interested or know of someone who might be and would like more information, please contact either Fr Rob or Mrs Wright, Headteacher [01564 774906]. We look forward to welcoming you.

**CRIB OFFERING:** The crib remains up one last weekend. The offering will go to Aid to the Church in Need.

**AN NHS FUNDED TAXI SERVICE** has been set up to help Solihull residents travel to and from NHS local vaccination walk-in centres. It is for people who can't easily get to a vaccination centre by walking, driving; or using public transport. Residents simply need to call 0121 704 8058, see parish website for details.

**ST GEORGE AND ST TERESA CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL** School Admissions Consultation (20<sup>th</sup> Dec 2021 – 31<sup>st</sup> Jan 2022). The Governors are consulting on admission arrangements for the children joining school from September 2023 onwards. There are no proposals to change the admissions policy but every seven years we are required to consult. Responses to be emailed to: [86office@stgandt.solihull.sch.uk](mailto:86office@stgandt.solihull.sch.uk) by 3pm on Monday 31<sup>st</sup> January 2022. Alternatively you can post to: Mrs Claire Hawkes, clerk to the governors c/o school address. All information is on the school website at: <https://www.stgandt.solihull.sch.uk/school-information/statutory-information/admissions>

**ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM SYNOD 2021-2023:** If you haven't already, please write a sentence or two on the cards. This is part of our Diocesan synodal reflecting and listening. Your reflections especially on our parish are welcomed as well by email. We invite you to pray and submit your thoughts, inspirations, gut feelings etc. *"In the last days, God says, I will pour out my Spirit on all people. Your sons and daughters will prophesy, your young men will see visions, your old men will dream dreams."* Acts 2:17

How is this "journeying together" happening today in your local Church? What steps does the Spirit invite us to take in order to grow in our "journeying together?" Walking Together, A Handbook for the Synodal Journey is available to download on the Parish Website.

**WEARING OF FACE MASKS** is now a legal requirement in both in the Church and the Parish Centre (unless exempt). All Masses are open to the public. Please continue to use Track and Trace and sanitise hands on entering the Church. We encourage you to maintain social distancing. There isn't a one-way system but please don't form a crowd on entry and exit. Please note our Bishops have not yet reinstated Sunday Mass obligation. Those whose health is vulnerable are welcome to continue with live stream. **Please join in the singing at Mass but do so whilst wearing a face mask.**

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** will take place on Wednesday morning between 9am and 10am.

**SVP:** If any parishioners face difficulties and need any help during the Coronavirus situation, and possible self-isolation, please contact the SVP. Please email [svpstgt@btinternet.com](mailto:svpstgt@btinternet.com)

**BAPTISMS:** Parents seeking Baptism for children are welcome to collect an application form after any of the weekend Masses.

PARISH CENTRE BOOKINGS			
Mon 10 <sup>th</sup>	Pilates	Hall	09.30 – 11.00
	Kick Boxing	Hall	17.00 – 20.00
Tues 11 <sup>th</sup>	Rock Choir	Hall	18.00 – 22.00
	Language Classes	Conf Room	11.30 – 15.00
	HeadStart	Conf Room	15.00 – 18.30
Wed 12 <sup>th</sup>	Rhythm Time	Hall	09.00 – 12.00
	Language Classes	Conf Room	11.00 – 16.00
	SVP	Hall	14.00 – 15.00
	Kickboxing	Hall	17.00 – 19.00
	Tai Chi	Hall	19.30 – 20.30
Thurs 13 <sup>th</sup>	Language Classes	Conf Room	13.30 – 15.00
	Scanlon Irish Dancing	Hall	17.00 – 18.00
	Pilates	Hall	18.30 – 19.30
Fri 14 <sup>th</sup>	Language Classes	Conf Room	10.30 – 12.00
	Language Classes	Conf Room	15.00 – 16.45
	AA	Hall	19.30 – 22.00
Sun 16 <sup>th</sup>	Foodbank	Hall	11.30 – 12.30
<i>It is important that users of the Parish Centre arrange bookings (and payments for non-Parish Events) through Oksana Zurak 07967-846 963 or <a href="mailto:oksanazurak@gmail.com">oksanazurak@gmail.com</a></i>			



*Your Prayers are asked*

**For those who are Sick:** Dorothy Perkins, Michael Grosvenor, Angela Robinson, Tony Burdett, Fred Slater, Jill Baynam, Ruth Thornton, Alan Couch, Rita McConnell, Des Bentley. *Let us also remember those who care for them.*

**For those Anniversaries which occur in the last 20 years:** Dennis O'Keefe, Margaret Igoe, Pauline Murphy, Freda Turton, Stella Smith.

**Recently Deceased:**

**OFFERTORY: 2.1.22**

Envelopes £204

Plate £67

Average weekly offering via standing order and online banking - £680