

Masses at St George & St Teresa

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27TH FEBRUARY – EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Saturday	5.30pm	Ken Bolton RIP (P&B S)
Sunday	8.45am	Rita McDonnell RIP (AR)
	10.30am	People of the Parish

WEEKDAY SERVICES

28.2 Mon	9.15am	Feria Alan Couch
1.3 Tue	9.15am	St David Tom Oliver RIP (TT)
2.3 Wed	10am	Ash Wednesday Mary Gilbey RIP (AC)
	7.30pm	People of the Parish
3.3 Thu	9.15am	Thursday after Ash Wednesday Sylvia Brennan RIP (PM)
	11am	Funeral Service – Carole Mary Johnson
4.3 Fri	9.15am	Friday after Ash Wednesday Kathleen Hawker RIP (DH)

6TH MARCH – FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

This weekend there is a second collection for Cathedral Maintenance.

Saturday	5.30pm	George Bicknell RIP
Sunday	8.45am	Bernard, Catherine & Bernard Jr McGeever (PM)
	10.30am	Deceased Parsons and Bennett Family (TP)
	12noon	Baptism - Henry Andrew Thomas Friedrich

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament – Wednesday 9am – 10am.
Confessions available by appointment – please phone the presbytery.

CHURCH ROTAS

CHURCH CLEANING

This week	M Shelton	B Byrne	A Slater
Next week	S May	D Thompson	

READERS

	5.30pm	8.45am	10.30am
This week	G Seymour	C Saum	D Walmsley
Next week	T Hogan	C Saum	J McDonald

EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS and COUNTERS

Not required

Parish Priest: Fr Robert Taylerson,

Priest in Residence: Fr Paul Dean, Deacon: Rev Mr Stephen Saum
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St. George & St. Teresa
Catholic Church
Dorridge
**EIGHTH SUNDAY IN
ORDINARY TIME**
27th February 2022



EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: A man's words flow out of what fills his heart.

LENT ACTIVITIES: Reminder Ash Wednesday this week - day of Fast & Abstinence.
Confessions Weekly Saturday 4.30 to 5.20 pm starting Sat 5th March
Stations of the Cross Fridays at 7.30 pm will start on Friday 11th March
Lent "Walk With Me" booklets(£1) and Calendars available in the narthex

**LENT SVP 'Carry a Can for Lent' Do something positive for Lent
Feed the hungry**

**Leave a non-perishable food item in the Narthex box
The SVP will distribute donations to those in need**

JOB VACANCY at St George and St Teresa School: An exciting opportunity has arisen at our Childcare facility (Dragons). This well-established provision has continued to provide excellent care to children aged 3 – 11 for over 15 years. The Governors are looking to appoint an enthusiastic and highly motivated Deputy Manager to join our friendly and supportive team. This is a part time role working 27.5 hours per week, Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 11.30am – 6pm and on Fridays 7.30am - 9am and 11.30am – 6pm. Salary range Band C £20,493 - £23,080 FTE pro rata. Please email the school office at office@stgandt.solihull.sch.uk or phone 01564 774906 for further details.

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER: You are warmly invited to attend this years World Day of Prayer Service. It is to be held on Friday 4th March 2022 at St George & St Teresa Catholic Church, Dorridge, 7.30pm.

The theme of the service is God's promise as found in the book of Jeremiah "I know the plans I have for you". The service has been prepared by the Christian women of England, Wales & Northern Ireland & focuses on freedom, forgiveness, justice & God's peace helping us to see how this promise can be a sign of hope for all people.

For those unable to attend the service, it is to be live streamed via the Parish website.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION: If you have a child in Yr3 or above and would like them to make their First Holy Communion and are at a non-catholic school then please let

Father Rob or Isabel Cusack (07919 685685) know as soon as possible. These lessons will begin soon.

MAKING OUR PARISH MORE ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY AND CARBON NEUTRAL. Following discussions with Fr Rob, I am interested in establishing a parish group to help fund activities to enable our parish to become more environmentally friendly and carbon neutral. I would welcome the input and suggestions from other parishioners on good ways to raise funds for double glazing and insulating the church, tree planting and other green schemes which we may wish to consider. We have some funds from the 200/300 Club for initial projects but are also considering longer term projects. If you are interested in joining this group could you contact me, Sheila Higgins on 07964037721 or 01564 637385 and we can arrange an initial meeting or alternatively speak to me at the end of Mass.

40 DAYS FOR LIFE: You are invited to a talk given by ex MSI director Kevin Duffy giving an insight into the abortion industry, as well as hearing the inspiring story of a mum who changed her mind part way through an abortion and kept her baby - Sunday 27th Feb 2pm at the parish hall of St Joseph & St Helen's Church, 84 Northfield Rd, Kings Norton, B'ham, B30 1JG. For more details contact Isabel on 07773 501721.

THE CHOSEN: Gill and Margaret are showing episodes of The Chosen each Wednesday at 7.30pm in the conference room. It will begin with an episode followed by discussion and questions. Come and watch the story of Jesus told through the lives of his chosen disciples. Refreshments will be provided.

RECYCLE YOUR USED INK CARTRIDGES..... and raise money for charity. Used inkjet (not laser) printer cartridges can be recycled by placing them in the Recycle4Charity green box in the narthex. This is environmentally friendly, as it keeps cartridges out landfill, and money raised from those donated by the parish will go to RESTORE, the Birmingham Churches Together Refugee charity.

Proposed Pilgrimage to Bergamo, Sotto il Monte, Brescia, Verona, Padua & Venice (In the Steps of the Saints) During 2021 we started to plan for the above Pilgrimage with Pax Travel for September 2021 but of course it was postponed as a consequence of the pandemic. A number of Parishioners have expressed an interest to do the pilgrimage this year and Monsignor McHugh is more than up for it. I have started discussions with Tangney Travel for the week commencing 9 September 2022 (I understand Pax Travel are in the process of winding up). At this stage I should be pleased if Parishioners who are interested just to let me know. That will help me in dealing with Tangney on costings etc. My email address is: frederick1310@icloud.com. No commitment at this stage. Fred Slater

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

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

PARISH CENTRE BOOKINGS			
Mon 28 th	Pilates	Hall	09.30 – 11.00
	Kick Boxing	Hall	17.00 – 20.00
Tues 1 st	Rock Choir	Hall	09.30 – 12.30
	Language Classes	Conf Room	11.30 – 15.00
	HeadStart	Conf Room	15.30 – 18.30
Wed 2 nd	Rhythm Time	Hall	09.00 – 12.00
	Language Classes	Conf Room	11.00 – 16.00
	Kick Boxing	Hall	17.00 – 19.00
	The Chosen	Conf Room	19.15 – 21.45
	Tai Chi	Hall	19.30 – 20.30
Thurs 3 rd	Language Classes	Conf Room	13.30 – 15.00
	Scanlon Irish Dancing	Hall	17.00 – 18.00
	Pilates	Hall	18.30 – 19.30
Fri 4 th	Language Classes	Conf Room	10.30 – 12.00
	Language Classes	Conf Room	15.00 – 16.45
	AA	Hall	19.30 – 22.00
Sat 5 th	Orchid Society	Hall & Conf Room	13.00 – 17.00
Sun 6 th	Foodbank	Hall	11.30 – 12.30
	Private Party	Hall	13.30 – 17.30
<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 oksanazurak@gmail.com</i>			



Your Prayers are asked

For those who are Sick: Dorothy Perkins, Michael Grosvenor, Angela Robinson, Tony Burdett, Fred Slater, Jill Baynham, Ruth Thornton, Des Bentley, Rita Salloway, Leo Hughes Denise Hawker. *Let us also remember those who care for them.*

For those Anniversaries which occur in the last 20 years: Joseph Carolan, Margaret Smith, Des Cushenan, Isobel Eustace, Rita Waldron.

Recently Deceased: Carole Mary Johnson, her funeral service is on Thurs 3rd March at 11am.

OFFERTORY: 20.2.22

Envelopes £211

Plate £107

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