
 <p>THIS WEEK, THE CANDLES ARE BURNING FOR THE INTENTIONS OF SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA FOR Mary Stanley</p>	 <p>SHRINE OF THE SACRED HEART FOR Ben Conway</p>
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SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - Saturday 10.30–11am & 5.15–5.45pm & *by appointment*
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT - Friday 6.00 - 6.30pm & Saturday 10.30 - 11am.
DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET - Sunday at 3.00 p.m.
PRAYER GROUP – Wednesday at 10.00 a.m. *Everyone welcome!*

FINANCIAL MATTERS – 7th April 2024		Lucky Number Draw	
Gift Aid	£226.00	Standing Order	£261.00
Non-Gift Aid	£230.08	Second Collection	£201.48
Total	£456.08	<i>for the Parish Maintenance.</i>	
Thanks for your generous offerings!		Emily Thomas	

THE COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND IS THE PARISH MAINTENANCE

PARISH GIVING

The best way you can support the parish financially is by setting up a **Standing Order** using the following bank details:
NatWest Bank - Account No: 02272016 - Sort Code: 60 - 07 – 41
 or you may contact the Parish Office for a set of **Gift Aid** envelopes.

Useful Information

◊ **Sick List** - If you would like to add yourself, a relative or friend to the sick list you must complete a consent form, you can find them in the porch, and return it to the office.

◊ **Baptisms**: Please complete the request forms and send to the office. You will be contacted to book a date.

◊ **Parish Hall** – Please contact the parish office via email olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk or telephone 0121 422 4865 to make an enquiry.

◊ **Safeguarding** - The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Irene Byrne & Georgina Wakeman. They can be contacted at: sg.olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 / safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.

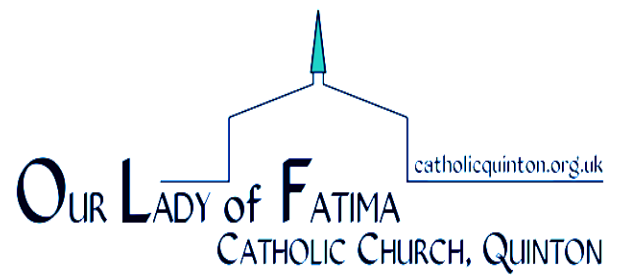
Parish Administrator: Mrs Jackie McGuinness
Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 9.00 a.m. - 11.00 a.m.
 Wednesday 9.30 a.m. - 12.30p.m.
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Parish Gift Aid: Maria Albanese **Email:** ga.olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk

Parish Treasurer: Peter Lanni **Email:** pt.olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk

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14TH APRIL 2024 – THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER - YEAR B

Saturday	13	6:00 p.m.	Eddie Byrne RIP
Sunday	14	9:00 a.m.	Christine Alan RIP
		11:00 a.m.	Private Intention (M.P) Peter Edge RIP
Monday	15	10:00 a.m.	Holy Souls
Tuesday	16	10:00 a.m.	Mary O'Brien RIP
Wednesday	17	---	No Mass
Thursday	18	10:00 a.m.	Margaret & Martin Jennings
Friday	19	6:00 p.m.	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>
		6:30 p.m.	Joseph Dao & Maria Hue RIP
Saturday	20	10:00 a.m.	Mary O'Sullivan
		10:30 a.m.	<i>Adoration & Confessions</i>

21ST APRIL 2024 – FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER – YEAR B

Saturday	20	6:00 p.m.	Chris McGovern
Sunday	21	9:00 a.m.	Anna Regan
		11:00 a.m.	Samantha Woolahan
		12:15 a.m.	Baptisms – Elodie Joanne Field Diana O'Gunsakin

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

John Kirby, John Jennings, Delia Stewart, Janet Jones, Mary Basterfield, John McCallion, Mary Davitt, Donna Walsh, Bridie Kinsella, Mali Piggott, Issac Justin, Robert Kirby, Shellie Kerr, Dean Evans, Angela Kinsella, Anne Madden, Kun Cheong Leung, Kay Hegarty, Christina Patterson, Len Mills, Rona Gibson, Krystyna Grey, Helen Taggart, Pat Davis, Bernie Earls, James Cherian.

May the Lord grant them consolation, peace and healing. May God give all involved in health care in hospital or in the community, grace, strength and perseverance.

PRAY FOR THE DEAD

Please keep in your prayers all those that have died at this time. We pray also for those in whose anniversaries occur at this time.

*Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.
May they rest in peace. Amen.*

VOCATION SUNDAY

Today is Good Shepherd Sunday and is a day of prayer for vocations especially to the priesthood and religious life. The Good Shepherd calls each and everyone of us by name through our Baptism to be his disciples. In the life of the Church, God is also calling forward those to serve as ordained priests, ministers of God's Word & Sacraments. God is also calling others to serve in consecrated religious life by their prayer and Christian service. Today we pray for an abundance of vocations in the life of our Archdiocese both ordained, religious and lay vocations. We have a great need for God to send us priests after Christ's own heart to serve the Church here in the West Midlands and beyond.

PRIEST TRAINING FUND

Today's retiring collection is to support the financial costs associated with training our future priests. With seven years of formation for each of them this is an extensive cost. Thank you for your generosity to the collection.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION

The children of our parish and school will be confirmed by Bishop David Evans on Tuesday 23rd April 2024 at 7pm. Please pray for our young people as they prepare to receive the gifts of the Holy Spirit.

MASS FOR MARRIAGE 2024

An invitation to married couples to attend our annual thanksgiving Mass for Marriage. Archbishop Bernard Longley will be celebrating the Mass at St Chad's Cathedral on Saturday 4th May at 12 Noon (to be followed by light refreshments). I'd be very grateful if you could make this event known. Please see the poster at the back of the porch or follow the link below for more information:

<https://www.vocations.org.uk/marriage-mass>

QUIZ NIGHT

It was agreed this was a most enjoyable evening by all. A big thank you to our Quiz Master Tom McArdle and helpers. We raised £358.35. Thank you all for your support!

OUR LADY OF FATIMA PARISH FEAST DAY MULTI-CULTURAL EVENING

Saturday, 11th May – 7pm – 10pm in the Church Hall.

Come along and taste food and enjoy entertainment from around the world.

Tickets now on sale at the back of the church or from the school office.

Adults: £10.00 including a glass of wine.

Secondary school children £5.00 including a soft drink.

Primary school children £2.00 including a soft drink.

If you would like to volunteer and cook a dish that represents your homeland, please sign the list at the back of the Church or let Jackie McGuinness know.

Thank you so much for your support.

2024 ACCOUNTS

The Parish Financial Committee will be presenting a summary of the parish accounts to the community on this weekend. They will simply highlight some of the key items of income and expenditure, but full details will also be available for those who would like to see more.

PARISH REGISTRATION

If you are new to the parish, have changed your address, or have not previously registered here, please complete a Parish Registration Form – which can be found on the table in the porch – and return the form to the Parish Office. If you no longer use your landline, please register your mobile number.

HOME VISITATION

From this week Father Long will be visiting all the parishioners in the parish. It would be great if parishioners could indicate interest. If you would like to arrange a time, please contact Father on 0121 422 4865 or email him on fr.long.nguyen@rcaob.org.uk with your name, address, and phone number.

MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like a Mass to be offered for an intention on a specific date, please fill out an envelope at the back of Church and hand it to Fr Long. Please request this well in advance and check the bulletin to see when your Intention is being included. Thank you!

SHRINES TO OUR LADY & THE SACRED HEART

If you would like to have one of these candles burning for a week for your intentions and your loved ones, please ask Fr Long. It is £5 for the week. Envelopes are available at the back of Church. Lots of dates are still available!

BOOKING OUR LADY OF FATIMA PARISH HALL

Please remember to consider using our Parish Hall for your family events, other family celebrations, gatherings and do recommend us to other people. We now have our own skittle alley for you to hire for your party. Please contact parish office 0121 422 4865 or via email: olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk to discuss booking arrangements.

PIETY STALL

Please take a look, we have lots of lovely items for your friends and family. First Holy Communion & Confirmation cards now in stock.

SILENCE IN CHURCH

May I remind everyone to be mindful of other people who are praying in Church before and after Mass. Please silence your mobile phone and also not to speak during Mass itself.

CHURCH CAR PARK

When using the Church car park, as we do not have designated spaces, please try to be mindful of other car users needing a space to park.

AND FINALLY...

A blessed, peaceful, and holy Eastertide to you all.

Fr Long Nguyen