

THIS WEEK, THE CANDLES ARE BURNING FOR THE INTENTIONS OF

SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA FOR Jackie McGuinness & Family	SHRINE OF THE SACRED HEART FOR Jeff & Louis Groves (Birthday Anniv.)
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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 – 19th May 2024			
Gift Aid	£223.00	Standing Order £261.00	Lucky Number Draw
Non-Gift Aid	£178.07	Second Collection £231.42	Last Week Winner
Total	£401.07	<i>for the Parish Maintenance.</i>	No. 16 - £31.50
Thanks for your generous offerings!			Agata Novak

THE SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND IS FOR 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 – 11.00 a.m.
Wednesday 9.30 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.
Email: olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk

Parish Safeguarding Representative: Irene Byrne & Georgina Wakeman
Email: sg.olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk

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

This parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham. Registered Charity Number 234216

OUR LADY OF FATIMA
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26TH MAY 2024 – SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY - YEAR B

Saturday	25	6:00 p.m.	Sheila O'Donnell RIP	
Sunday	26	9:00 a.m. 11:00 a.m.	Eugene Devenney Pauline McIlhone	
Monday	27	---	No Mass	
Tuesday	28	---	No Mass	
Wednesday	29	---	No Mass	
Thursday	30	10:00 a.m.	Patricia Brennan	
Friday	31	6:00 p.m.	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>	
		6:30 p.m.	Holy Souls <i>Feast of the Visitation of the BVM</i>	
Saturday	01	10:00 a.m.	The Sick of Our Parish <i>St Justine, Martyr</i>	
		10:30 a.m.	<i>Adoration and Confessions</i>	

2TH JUNE 2024 – SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST - YEAR B

Saturday	01	6:00 p.m.	Sheila O'Donnell RIP
Sunday	02	9:00 a.m.	Thanksgiving (G.M)
		11:00 a.m.	First Holy Communion (Parish Class)

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, 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. We pray especially for:

Sheila O'Donnell who died peacefully at home on last Sunday 28th April 2024.
Reception of the Body into Church on Wednesday 5th June at 6.30pm. Her Funeral Mass will take place on Thursday 6th June at 11am.

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

THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

On this Sunday after Pentecost, we celebrate the life of God; Father, Son and Holy Spirit. "In these three truths: God loves you, Christ is your Saviour, he is alive - we see God the Father and Jesus His Son. Wherever the Father and the Son are, there too is the Holy Spirit. He is the one who quietly opens hearts to receive his message." (Pope Francis).

WORLD CHILDREN'S DAY

In 2023, Pope Francis declared that the Catholic Church's first World Children's Day would take place this weekend on 25-26 May 2024. The event focus will take place in Rome, but the Pope calls on Catholics around the globe to celebrate this special day in their own Diocese too. World Children's Day invites children from around the globe, including those of other faiths, to join together in friendship and prayer.

"Like Jesus, we want to put children at the centre and care for them."

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Many Congratulations to all the children who made their First Holy Communion yesterday. May Jesus bless you and keep you and your family always in his love and care. Please pray for the other children who will receive the Blessed Eucharist for the first time on Sunday 2nd June.

MAY DEVOTIONS

Please do pray a decade of the rosary each day and please also light a candle when you come to Mass, seeking the intercession of Our Blessed Lady for peace in our life and in the world.

ALTAR SERVERS

It is wonderful to be assisted each Sunday by our team of dedicated altar servers. I thank them for their continued generosity in service of the liturgy and our parish community. If you would like to be an altar server, we are always looking for more servers to assist in the Mass, please speak to Fr Long.

DEAR PARENTS

As you know I welcome children of all ages attending Holy Mass. Babies cry, trip and get upset – this is **NEVER** a problem – Holy Mass continues. However, please refrain from generally chatting to your children during mass and encourage them to do the same. The children are enjoying Children's Liturgy, please encourage your child to go into the hall and listen to the Gospel in a much more child-friendly way and complete an activity that re-enforces the Gospel message. This also enables children to concentrate just that little bit longer during the most important stage of the Holy mass. Please do not think I am expecting children to be silent – this is not the case. I would just be very grateful general chatting was refrained from. Thank you.

COMPLAINT PROCEDURE

Please can I ask that should you be approached by a resident or member of the public regarding a complaint, it is essential that you advise them to put their complaint in writing. They then post it into the secure letter box at the parish office. This will enable me to process the complaint through the correct channels and respond appropriately. 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, or for your loved ones. **We are currently short of Shrine intentions**, so please continue to request. It is £5 for the week. Envelopes are available from the back of the Church.

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!

APF RED MISSION BOXES

Red Boxes are now due to be emptied. If you have a Mission Box please drop it off on the weekend 8th/9th June or hand it in at the parish office. Please ensure that you name, address and contact number are on the box. If you are not able to drop your box off and would like someone to call and collect it please let Claudia know 07989894134 or email the parish office. **We thank you for your support in 2023 through the Red Boxes. We raised £925.41**

MEMORIAL GARDEN PLANTS

We have had over 35 roses planted in our garden many are dedicated to loved ones. This is proving a successful way to watch your rose grow and develop in the Loving memory of a family member or friend. Should you wish to do this, simply complete the form available at the back of church and bring it with a rose of your choice. Your message will then be transferred onto a laminated card attached to your rose. A beautiful tribute to a loved one.

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Level 2 Teaching Assistant - Site Manager – Lunchtime Supervisor

A full application pack is available from Our Lady of Fatima Catholic Primary School:

E-Mail – enquiry_olf@emmausmac.com - Phone – 0121 429 2900

Online - www.emmausmac.com or www.olfatima.bham.sch.uk

Closing Date: Monday 3rd June 2024 (midday)

MASS TIME THIS WEEK

Please note the change of Mass times this week:

There will be No Public Mass on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

AND FINALLY...

On this beautiful feast of the Holy Trinity, it is good to remember that every time we make the sign of the cross, we invoke the Holy Trinity in our lives. The mystery of God's love surrounds us and fills us. All we need to do is respond! I would like to wish you all a pleasant Bank Holiday Weekend. We continue to pray that the Holy Spirit leads and directs us as the People of God. Keep all our young people in your prayers who are sitting exams at this time and revising hard this week!

Have a blessed Sunday and a good week.

Fr Long Nguyen!!!