

# The Parish of Ss. Thomas & Edmund of Canterbury Erdington Abbey

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SUNDAY: 6.00pm (Vigil Sat) 8.00, 9.15, 10.30, 12.00, 6.00pm

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 10.00am. 7.30pm. Tuesday, Friday 10.00am Saturday 9.30am

Confessions: Wednesday 10.30am-11.00am Saturday 10.00-11.00am and 4.30-5.00pm

Parish Office 9-11am and 1-4.30pm. Holy Shop Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 10.30-12.00noon and 2.30-3.45pm Closed Wednesdays

22<sup>nd</sup> July 2018

Sixteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time

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## Mass Intentions

### Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> July

6.00pm. Christopher Dillon RIP

### Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> July

8.00am. Josephine & Martin Swan

9.15am. All Parishioners

10.30am. Eugene M<sup>c</sup>Crohan RIP

12 noon. Mary & Michael

Maughan RIP

6.00pm. Patrick Moreen RIP

### Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> July

10.00am: William Aldridge

7.30pm: John Ryan RIP

### Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> July

10.00am: Hannah O'Connor RIP

### Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> July

10.00am: Cath Rocky RIP

7.30pm: John Egan RIP

### Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> July

10.00am: Dorothy Denieffe

11.00am Noel Donaghy

### Requiem

7.30pm: Denis Daly RIP

### Friday 27<sup>th</sup> July

10.00am: Martin & Kathleen

Keaveny & Alison Debney RIP

11.00am Patrick Sherry

### Requiem

### Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> July

9.30am: Joyce M<sup>c</sup>Nulty RIP

6.00pm: Breda Keane RIP

### Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> July

8.00am: All Parishioners

9.15am: Kathleen & James Healy

10.30am: Martin Cooney RIP

12.00 noon: Adrian M<sup>c</sup>Gee RIP

6.00pm: Gerald M<sup>c</sup>Donell

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** Chris Dawe, Julie Cronin, Clare Debney, Mae Sarl, Ann Connolly, and for five year old Issac who are sick and for Noel Donaghy who has died.

**THANK YOU** for your generous response to our student, appeal. You raised £2,589.10. I'm sure this will go a long way in helping to educate our students.

**D**eacon Callum Brown was ordained yesterday in the Salford Diocese by his Bishop John Arnold. We wish him many years of happiness in his priesthood. He is very much looking forward to visiting us and celebrating Mass for us.

Ad Multos Annos.

**T**he Church will be closed after the morning Mass during the week and opened again at the usual time when there is an evening Mass.

**HOLY SHOP** will be open **mornings only**, 10.30-12noon, from this Monday during the summer holidays. Closed all day Wednesdays.

**A**FTERNOON TEA: A total of £837.20 was raised from the ticket sales, donations, cake sale and the raffle. What a wonderful afternoon It was great to see so many parishioners enjoying themselves. Thank you once again to all involved.

**APF PROMOTERS MEETING** in the Abbey Hall today at 4.00pm.

**ADOREMUS TE:** There are still some books available from the porch at £5.00.

Please think about buying a book, it's well worth it. Available from the Holy Shop during the week.

**PRAYER GROUP** will have their last meeting before the summer holidays in the Hall this Thursday at 8.00pm.

**HOLIDAY CLUB** available at the Abbey Marmadukes Club during the summer holidays 20<sup>th</sup> July—3<sup>rd</sup> September. Opening times 7.45 until 5.30pm Monday to Friday. Enquiries please phone 07708884762 or 07711202038.

**ABBAY PRIMARY SCHOOL:** Please note. All waiting lists are shredded each July. If you wish your child to be on the waiting list for a place in the school, you must apply again in September at the school office or www.abbeyrc.bham.sch.uk.

**ABBAY 500 + TOTE:** Winning numbers 13, 14, 18 & 19. No Jackpot winner. Mrs Forde had 3 correct numbers and receives £200.00.

Next week's Jackpot will be £ 775.00

Be in it to win it!

## Parish Priest's Corner

What a wonderful afternoon last Saturday turned out to be. Plenty of dainty sandwiches and mountains of lovely cakes, a feast for both eyes and stomach for those able to partake. It was great to see so many enjoying themselves. It was very well organised and run. Congratulations to all concerned. On Sunday I was there for the end of the 9.15am Mass to meet the congregation leaving, then I celebrated the 10.30am Mass and saw the congregation out of that Mass and those coming to the 12 noon Mass. The rest of my week was quiet, I was able to have a walk on Thursday afternoon with the usual bonus at the end.

I will finish with these one liners: When a clock is hungry it goes back four seconds. The guy who fell into an upholstery machine is now fully recovered. *Fr Gabby C. Ss.R.*

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£2,589.10  
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