



The Parish of **Ss. Thomas & Edmund of Canterbury** **Erddington Abbey**

The parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered Charity No. 234216

Served by the Redemptorists since 1922

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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: Novena Mass 9.30am

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

Novena Service: Wed: 7.00pm. Prayer Group each Thursday in the Abbey Hall at 8.00pm

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

10th February 2019

Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time

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Mass Intentions

Saturday 9th February

6.00pm: Maureen Dogrell RIP

Sunday 10th February

8.00am: Hilda & Geoff Green RIP

9.15am: Roddy & Delia

Delaney RIP

10.30am: Jim Turbitt RIP

12.00 noon: Mary Mackessy RIP

6.00pm: All Parishioners

Monday 11th February

Commemoration of Our Lady of

Lourdes World Day for the Sick

10.00am: Rosa Joseph RIP

7.30pm: Con & Kitty Driscoll RIP

Tuesday 12th February

10.00am: William Gannon RIP

Wednesday 13th February

10.00am: Bernadette Power RIP

7.30pm: John & Sadie Malone RIP

Thursday 14th February

10.00am: Holy Souls

7.30pm: Wendy Conway

Friday 15th February

10.00am: Timothy & Mary

Cooney RIP

11.00am: Frank Boyle *Requiem*

Saturday 16th February

9.30am: Nolan Family RIP

6.00pm: Dennis Daly RIP

Sunday 17th February

8.00am: All Parishioners

9.15am: Laetitia Corrigan &

Family RIP

10.30am: Mary Flaherty RIP

12.00 noon: Kathleen Carey

6.00pm: Sajan Mathew

Collection: £1,684.41

Cathedral Maintenance:

£776.33

CAFOD: £41.64

Zimbabwe: £157.13

Holy Soul: £4.68

SVP

Retiring Collection

Thank you for your
generosity

PLEASE PRAY FOR : Doreen Wheelwright, Peter Lane, Mae Sarl, John Reidy Snr, Brian Black, Padraic O'Connor, Bridie Gallagher, Dee Dunstan and John Swift who are sick.

Thank you to Mike Tierney and Maggie Hounslow, who, for the past 34 and 30 years respectively, have been leading the Marriage Preparation Course at the Abbey. This is a course that all engaged couples attend before being married in the Catholic Church. And it is with such professionalism that both Mike and Maggie undertook this ministry for which I am very grateful.

Erdington Food Bank: Thank you for your donations. .SVP Retiring collection today.

COFFEE MORNING: Please come and join us in the Hall after the 10.00am Mass on Wednesday.

PARISH SURGERY: This Thursday (14th) from 3-5pm.

DIOCESAN DIRECTORIES at £3.50 and Abbey Diaries 75p, available in the Holy Shop There are some diaries in the porch if you wish to purchase one. Please place the money in the Newspaper box.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT If you can spare some time to watch before the Blessed Sacrament, there are some half an hour spaces to fill on Monday from 3.30-4.00pm and Fridays from 10.30-11.00am and 11.00-11.30am and 2.00-2.30pm and 2.30-3.00pm. Have a think about it and get in touch with the Parish Office if you can help. Thank you. **Adoration will finish this Friday for the half term break and will resume again on Monday 25th February.**

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES 2019. 19th-23rd August, 4 star accommodation at Hotel Padoue. Information sheets will be available in the Church porch. Booking forms available at the Parish Office.

ABBEY SCHOOL PTFA COMEDY NIGHT in the Abbey School on Friday 1st March at 7.30pm. £10.00per ticket. Tele Emma 07971633205 or visit our Twitter page @Abbey PTFA for further details.

ABBEY 500 + TOTE : Winning numbers were 5, 14, 20 & 21.

Jackpot won by St. Augustines. Wicklow had three correct numbers and receives £100.00.

Next Week's Jackpot £250.00

Are you in it? Four numbers for £1.

Parish Priest's Corner PARISH SURGERY THURSDAY 3-5pm

On Wednesday I went to hospital to have my pre-op for the skin graft I need on my nose. All the tests went well and the results were as expected - good. The procedure will take place in a day, so I won't have to stay in over night. I now wait for a date! I also this week had an appointment with my consultant, who is very pleased with my progress and said I passed with flying colours. I have to work on my weight and posture though.

♪♪♪ *On a lighter note*

Did you hear about the cheese factory explosion in France? All that was left was de Brie

Fr. Gabby C. Ss. R.