



The Parish of Ss. Thomas & Edmund of Canterbury Erdington 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 9.30am

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

Novena Service: Wed: 7.00pm.

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

23rd June 2019

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (C)

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Mass Intentions

Saturday 22nd June

6.00pm: Louie Beirne RIP

Sunday 23rd June

Corpus Christi

8.00am: All Parishioners

9.15am: Maureen Joyce RIP

10.30am: Pat Daly RIP

12.00 noon: John & Chris Reel RIP

6.00pm: Mike Pilnick RIP

Monday 24th June

Solemnity of the Nativity of John the Baptist

10.00am: Eileen McGuire

7.30pm: Benefactors of the SVP

Tuesday 25th June

10.00am: Peter Quinne

11.00am: Patrick McCullagh

Requiem

Wednesday 26th June

10.00am: Christy Reddan RIP

Thursday 27th June

10.00am: Phil Boylan RIP

1.45pm: Doreen Wheelwright

Requiem

7.30pm: Mai & Michael

Cusack RIP

Friday 28th June

Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

10.00am: Gaynor Mackey RIP

Saturday 29th June

9.30am: Christie & Bridget

Kelly RIP

6.00pm: Margaret & Harry

Dunnigan RIP

Sunday 30th June

Solemnity of Ss Peter & Paul

8.00am: Jackie Wilson RIP

9.15am: Neil Boyle RIP

10.30am: Milo, Flory & Violie

Connor RIP

12.00 noon: Collins Family

6.00pm: All Parishioners

Collection: £1,832.92

Day for Life: £925.64

CAFOD: £19.80

Zimbabwe: £5.01

Holy Souls: £12.43

Thank you for your
generosity

NOVENA PRAYER

O Mother of Perpetual Help. I honour your holy name, I praise you with my lips, I venerate you in my thoughts, I pray to you from my heart, I trust in your powerful intercession, I call upon you in every need. In times of temptation, protect me. In times of suffering, comfort me. In time of affliction, strengthen me. In times of discouragement, renew me. In times of perplexity, guide me. In times of doubt, lead me. Whenever I call to you, hear me. Mother of Perpetual Help, pray for me. Amen.

Feast of Our Lady of Perpetual Help: This is a major Feast for all Redemptorists world-wide and so in our parishes it is greatly celebrated. I do hope that you will make the effort to come to either the 10 o'clock Mass or the 7.30pm Mass when the choir will be singing to celebrate this wonderful feast of Our Blessed Mother. We will say the Novena prayer, which is at the head of the bulletin, at the end of the bidding prayers.

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Brian Black, Martin Whelan, Bridie Purcell, Ann Daly, Kath Buckley, Mary Burden and Harry Renshaw who are sick and for Josie Newman, Agnes Moloney and Gertie Shanley who have died.

PARISH AFTERNOON TEA Once again thank you for all your great efforts. A total of £603.03 was raised on the day from ticket sales, Raffle and Cake Sale.

Sung Vespers: Next Sunday 30th at 5.00pm. A lovely way to end the day!

COFFEE MORNING this Wednesday after the morning Mass. Please come and join us.

PRAYER GROUP: New Life in the Spirit, Final Session - Transformaton - this Thursday at 8.00pm in the Hall.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Thank you to those Eucharistic Ministers who have returned the details of who they visit. If there are any more remaining Ministers who take communion to the housebound, please write down the details of who you visit: Name of the communicant, address and telephone No. if they are in a Home, the name and telephone No. of the Home. Please also write your name and contact details. All this information must be in a sealed envelope (for Data Protection reasons) and clearly marked HOUSEBOUND VISITS. Please leave the envelope in the Parish Office. Thank you.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT If you can help to watch before the Blessed Sacrament during the week for half an hour, please contact the Parish Office.

John Taylor Hospice Summer Fayre at the Living Well Centre on 6th July, 11am until 3pm. Mary Poppins is the theme for this year's fayre.

ABBEY 500 + TOTE: Winning numbers: 2, 11, 12 & 19. No Jackpot winner. A McDonald and Greta Lynch had three correct numbers and each receives £50.00.

Next week's Jackpot will be £525.00. Be in it to win it!

FLOWERS IN CHURCH IN MEMORY OF: Maureen Joyce

Parish Priest's Corner

I have now received a letter from His Grace officially welcoming me as Parish Priest of the Abbey, so I can now make arrangements with the Dean this coming week to set a suitable date for my induction.

Lots of hard work has happened this week regarding the Church cellar and the roof to the flat in the Hall. I am hoping that this hard work will prove fruitful! Don't forget to join us in honouring Our Lady of Perpetual Help on Thursday. God Bless you in the coming week.

Fr. Elias C.Ss.R