



# 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. Wednesday: morning only. Holy Shop Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 10.30-12.00noon and 2.30-3.45pm  
Closed Wednesdays

30<sup>th</sup> June 2019

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## Mass Intentions

### Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June

#### Solemnity of Ss Peter & Paul

6.00pm: Margaret & Harry  
Dunnigan RIP

### Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June

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

### Monday 1<sup>st</sup> July

10.00am: Holy Souls

7.30pm: Joseph Therakam RIP

### Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> July

10.00am: Jane O'Keeffe RIP

### Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> July

10.00am: Eileen O'Malley

7.30pm: John Hickey RIP

### Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July

10.00am: Anne Houghton RIP

7.30pm: Fr Gabby

### Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July

10.00am: Anthony Daly RIP

12.00noon: Gertie Shanley

Requiem

3.00pm: Holy Hour

### Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July

9.30am: Deacon Jude

6.00pm: Bob & Maureen

Cotter RIP

### Sunday 7<sup>th</sup> July

8.00am: James & Johanna

Keane

9.15am: John Reidy snr RIP

10.30am: Kevin Hanlon RIP

12.00 noon: John Murphy RIP

6.00pm: All Parishioners

Collection: £1858.01

CAFOD: £20.32

Zimbabwe: £5.95

Holy Souls: £16.49

## 2nd Collection

Peter's Pence

Thank you for your  
generosity

**PLEASE PRAY FOR:** Fr Gabby, Brian Black, Martin Whelan, Bridie Purcell, Kath Buckley, Mary Burden, Anthony Daly and Anabella Maric who are sick and for Harry Renshaw who has died.

**UPDATE ON FR.GABBY:** Unfortunately Fr Gabby has an infection which has led him to be admitted into hospital. At the moment the doctors are working on where the source of the infection is so that they can treat him accordingly. He has improved since he was admitted but still has a long way to go. Please remember him in your prayers, I'm sure it will be a big boost to him knowing that the Abbey are praying for him. I will keep you updated.

**HOLY HOUR** Please join with us in this wonderful devotion on the first Friday from 3.00pm.

**FLOWER GROUP MEETING** on Friday (5th) at 5.30pm. Please come to the side sacristy door. We are always looking for new members to go on a 3 weekly rota, You don't have to have qualifications, just a creative flare. Why not give it a go!

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** If you can? Please spare some time to watch before the Blessed Sacrament during the week for half an hour, We have particular time slots where we are short of someone to watch on Mondays 12.00-12.30pm and 1.00-1.30pm. Wednesday from 10.30-11.00am and between 1.00-2.00pm. Fridays 10.30-11am 11.00-11.30. Please contact the Parish Office if you can spare some time.

**PARISH OFFICE:** The Parish office will close on Wednesday afternoons, for Parish registration and record keeping. If you wish to see a priest during this time please telephone 0121 373 0143.

**COFFEE MORNING** in the Hall on Wednesday after the 10.00am Mass. An opportunity for you to meet and have a chat after Mass. Come and join us.

**THE FAMILY OF THE LATE JANE O'KEEFFE** would like to thank all who attended the funeral and sent messages of sympathy. A Mass will be offered for your intentions.

**HOLIDAY CLUB** available at the Abbey Marmadukes Club during the summer holidays 22<sup>nd</sup> July—2<sup>nd</sup> September. Enquiries please phone 07708884762 or 07711202038. (They are based at the bottom of the school drive on the right hand side of the car park).

**John Taylor Hospice** Social Group to support people who are feeling lonely and/or isolated in older age. Meetings will be on Fridays 10.00am—3.00pm. To register please ring Julie Bennett on 465-2000.

**ABBEY 500 + TOTE :** Winning numbers 2, 3, 9 & 12. No Jackpot winners this week. Mary O'Reilly had three correct numbers and receives £50.00.

Next week's Jackpot will be £550.00. Be in it to win it!

Flowers in church in celebration of the marriage of

Joshua Reader and Stephanie Steenson

## Parish Priest's Corner

During the week Bro Royston, one of our students, who is starting his role as Vocations Promoter, visited us. Please see the leaflets in the porch and pass them on to men who may be interested! This weekend we welcome a fellow Redemptorist from Zimbabwe to the Abbey, Fr Isaac. He has just finished the six week course in Kinnoull. On Monday we welcome our Superior Fr Andy Burns for a meeting with the community. He will be introducing himself later on in July. God bless you in the week ahead.

Fr. Elias C.Ss.R