

# The Parish of Our Lady & St Hubert

## Parish Newsletter



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

### Feast of The Baptism of the Lord, 7<sup>th</sup> / 8<sup>th</sup> January 2023

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| Saturday 7 <sup>th</sup> | 6:00pm  | First Mass of Sunday | Special Intention of the Papuga family |
| Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup>   | 10:00am | Sunday Mass          | Paul & Dorothy Barrett RIP             |

Christmastide Ends. We now begin week one of Ordinary Time.

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| Monday 9 <sup>th</sup>     | No Mass Today |   |                      |
| Tuesday 10 <sup>th</sup>   | No Mass Today |   |                      |
| Wednesday 11 <sup>th</sup> | 6:00pm        | Ordinary Time                               | Eamon Horner         |
| Thursday 12 <sup>th</sup>  | 12:00noon     | Ordinary Time                               | tbc                  |
| Friday 13 <sup>th</sup>    | 1:00pm        | Funeral Communion Service for Grazia Armato |                      |
|                            | 6:00pm        | Adoration and Benediction                   |                      |
|                            | 7:00pm        | Ordinary Time                               | Grazia Armato RIP    |
| Saturday 14 <sup>th</sup>  | 10:00am       | Our Lady on Saturday                        | People of the Parish |
|                            | 6:00pm        | First Mass of Sunday                        | Bryan Toye RIP       |

### Second Sunday of Ordinary Time, 15<sup>th</sup> January 2023

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| Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup> | 10:00am | Sunday Mass | tbc |
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**Security:** Please ensure that you take care of your own property (handbags, phones etc.) always, while at the church.

**Weekday Masses:** will generally be held in the Conference Room over the winter months

**In Case of Emergency:** please make sure you are aware of the fire escape routes. Instructions with a map / diagram are located at various points. In the case of an evacuation please gather on the grass lawn at the side of the church.

**Parish Census:** Census forms are available at the back of the church, they need to be handed to Ann Williams, our safeguarding officer, to comply with the general data protection rules (GDPR).

**First Holy Communion preparation** - for all year 3 children (or above), who are to receive their First Holy Communion this summer. Every first Saturday we will be following a monthly preparation course. Next session is Saturday the 4<sup>th</sup> of February at 10:30am.

**Warm Hub and Tuesday Pantry** The warm initiative up at what was the Coffee House on Castle Road West is doing well. Thank you to all out volunteers who make this possible - though we could do with a few more. There is now also a food pantry available there - for a subscription of £5 you can collection some of your essential weekly shopping. Please go along to the venue to find out more.

**Possible changes to St Hubert's school admissions policy.**

A period of consultation was opened on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> December to review some proposed changes to the school's admission criteria. The proposed policy has been uploaded to the parish website. The current policy is also available on the school website down

[www.st-huberts.sandwell.sch.uk/Page/Detail/admissions-policy-2023-2024](http://www.st-huberts.sandwell.sch.uk/Page/Detail/admissions-policy-2023-2024) Any feedback or comments about the admission criteria should sent by email to [SMorrey@emmausmac.com](mailto:SMorrey@emmausmac.com) (to Mr S Morrey). The deadline for submissions is **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> January**.

## **Please Pray for...**

**Sick Clergy of the Diocese:** Fr Brian Wall, Fr Dominic Innamorati SCJ, Fr Edwin Cownley, Fr Fred Sheldon, Fr John Baggley, Fr Keith Enston, Fr Paul Haines, Fr Peter Blundell, Fr Sean Turley, Mgr Graham Wilkinson, Dcn Mike Walker, & Fr Tony Rohan

**The sick of the parish.** Evelyn Knight, Teresa Stanley, Pat Walsh, Gabrielle O'Grady, Roberta Crowther, Lilly Rogers, Edna Edwards, Barbara & Chris O'Brien, John Sawford, Terence Rose, Marion King, David Walter, Howard Knight, Barbara Powell, Pat Rowley, Martin Thomas, Kate Redford, Peter Brewer, Anna Cartlidge, Christine Connolly, Richard & Mary Duckett, Jawed Akhter; John Southall; Joe O'Grady; Terrance McDonagh; Maureen McCamley; Mary McDonagh

**The recently deceased:** Mary Curran, Grazia Armato, Bernard Abbotts, Anthony James Ray

**For those whose anniversary occurs at about this time, including:** Thomas Devonhurst; Maria de Cristofano; Samuel Cole; Mary McGarrity; David Mary, Neil Oliver; Samuel Calder; Martin Casey, Christina Finney; Margaret Sheppard; Fr. Waddeup SCJ; Martyr Parkyn; Cuban & Jda Wall; Peter Wallace; Steve Tourt, Thomas Bradly; Arthur Joseph Hartwell, Joseph Naylor; William Seery; Charles Evans; Lucy McNullty; Mary Oliver; Reginald Bethel; Sarah Thomas; Raymond Chilton; Cissie Kelly; Maisie Gallagher; Patrick O'Neil; Leslie Jones; Elizabeth Fell; Thomas Duffy; Kath Neary; Barbara Jarvis; Emily Shepherd; Elizabeth Fell; Eileen Houghton; Janet Potter; Muriel Marie House; Margaret Kelly; Ian Whyte; Monica Stark; John & Kath O'Grady; Carmel Hemming; Melvyn Kirk; Barbara Ann Mason; Michelle O'Connor; Stefania Lachowski

# FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD

