

# The Parish of Our Lady & St Hubert

## Parish Newsletter



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The parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham:  
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### 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time 13<sup>th</sup>/14<sup>th</sup> January 2024

Saturday 13 <sup>th</sup>	6:00pm	Vigil Mass	People of the Parish
Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	Sunday Mass	Mary Stapleton RIP
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup>	6:00pm	No Mass	
Tuesday 16 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	Ordinary Mass	Vanessa Isac
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	St Antony	Virginia Rose RIP
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup>	9:00am	Sch Mass (Moat rd)	Holy Souls
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup>	6:00pm	Eucharistic Adoration	
	7:00pm	St Wulstan	Melville Rose RIP
Saturday 20 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	Our Lady (Saturday)	People of the Parish

### 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time 20<sup>th</sup>/21<sup>st</sup> January 2024

Saturday 20 <sup>th</sup>	6:00pm	Vigil Mass	Lourdes Rose
Sunday 21 <sup>st</sup>	10:00am	Sunday Mass	Pat Rowley RIP

### Offertory Totals for 26<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Gift Aid	£292.00	Non GA	£272.19	Standing Orders	£229.00	Totals	£899.53
Catholic Youth Service				£106.34			

2<sup>nd</sup> Collection this weekend: Pax Christi. No 2<sup>nd</sup> collection next week.  
 Confessions available Saturday 10:30am 5:30pm

**APF Red boxes:** Please return your boxes for counting.

**Finance committee meeting:** is on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January at 6:00pm

**Parish Tote 2024:** Why not join in the parish tote, which is a good way of raising money for the parish. It is £24 for a number which covers the 12 monthly draws, and there are 4 prizes each draw.

**Care for the Sick:** If you know of anyone who lives in the parish who is sick, infirm, or housebound and is unable to get to mass and would like regular communion to be brought to them - or who might like an occasional visit - please pass on their details to Fr Roger. Also please let Fr Roger know if there is someone who is going to hospital who might like a visit there.

**THE YEAR OF PRAYER:** The first Sunday of Advent marked the beginning of the Year of Prayer in preparation for the Holy Year of 2025, 'Pilgrims of Hope'. As part of the year, we are encouraged to look at our lives of prayer and commit ourselves anew to the practice of daily prayer: what we pray, how we pray and why we pray. To help us, Monsignor Patrick Kilgarriff will lead an afternoon workshop this Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2024 from 3.00 until 5.00pm in the Our Lady of Fatima Parish Hall, Quinton. All are welcome to attend.

**Parish 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).

**Security:** Please ensure that you take care of your own property (handbags, phones etc.) always, while at the church

**Collection for the Food Brandhall Pantry:** Here is a list of the most wanted items; UHT Milk semi skimmed, Tinned Carrots, Tinned Potatoes, Tinned Rice Pudding, Tinned Sweet Corn, Tinned Peas, Sugar, Small jars of Coffee, Biscuits, Frey Bentos Pies, Savoury Rice Packets, Corned Beef, Squash/Cordial, Cooking Oil, Tinned Steak/Minced Beef

**Valerie Drew's funeral service** is on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2024 at 12.30 pm with cremation at Lodge Hill 1.45 pm.

**Please Pray for...**

**Sick Clergy of the Diocese:** Fr Alan Bell CHS, Fr Anthony Dykes, Fr Brian Wall, Fr Bruce Dutton, Fr Dominic Innamorati SCJ, Fr Fred Sheldon, Fr Jacob Lewis, Fr John Baggley, Fr Michael Ho, Fr Peter Blundell, Fr Roger Peck, Fr Sandy Brown, Fr Tony Rohan, Fr Walter Bance, and Mgr Graham Wilkinson.

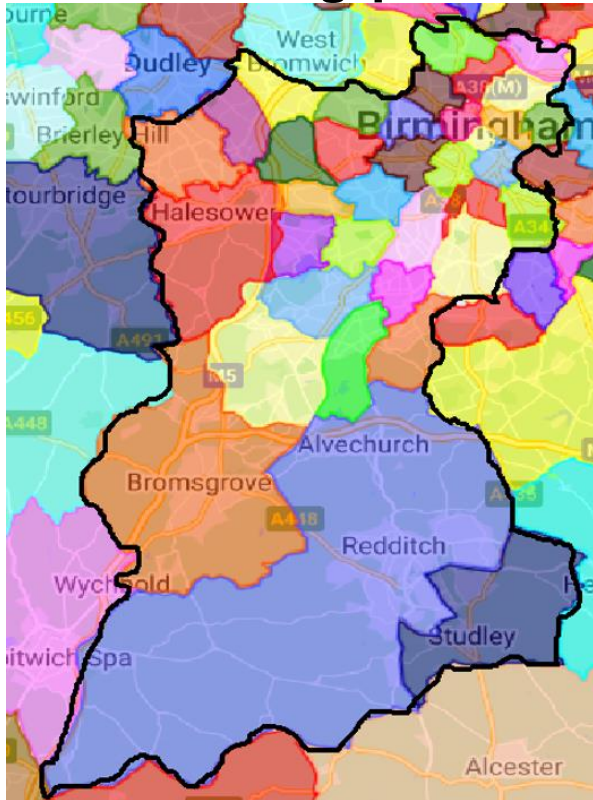
**The sick of the parish. Especially:-** Evelyn Knight, Teresa Stanley, Pat Walsh, Gabrielle O'Grady, Roberta Crowther, Lilly Rogers, Edna Edwards, Barbara & Chris O'Brien, John Sawford, Terence Rose, Marion King, David Walter, Howard Knight, Barbara Powell, Martin Thomas, Peter Brewer, Anna Cartlidge, Christine Connolly, Jawed Akhter; John Southall; Joe O'Grady; Terrance McDonagh; Maureen McCamley; Mary McDonagh; Philip Williams; Janey Heanue; Pauline Bill; Veronica Kelly; Lourdes; Sandra Wood; Mary Williams

**Those who have died recently:** Mary Wallace; Kate Redford, Fr Sandy Brown; Fr Chris Greaney; Fr Paul Lomas; Fr John Lungley

**For those whose anniversaries occur at about this time:** 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; Brendan McGarry; Anthony Ray; Ann Marie Thompson; Mary Nicholson

## ABOUT YOUR DEANERY

**Our Deanery as it is now came into being with the merger of the old Cathedral Deanery and Birmingham South, as well as embracing parishes from Northern Worcestershire and towards the Black Country.**



**In total there are 39 parishes, many of them within the Birmingham City Ring Road but also including Bromsgrove, Redditch and Studley to the South.**

**At the moment we celebrate 84 Sunday masses, and a cursory glance at timings reveals an almost identical pattern across the deanery which means of course that active serving priests cannot support neighbouring parishes in the event of illness, holiday or other weekend commitments.**

**The Dean is Fr Gary Buckby, supported by Mgr. Timothy Menezes and Fr John Peyton as Vice Deans.**

**Deanery meetings usually take place on the second Tuesday of each month, usually hosted by a deanery parish. At these meetings priests and deacons meet for mutual support and fellowship, as much as to discuss and plan strategically, or reflect on issues of concern, within parishes, within the deanery, within the diocese and indeed globally.**

**With an aging presbyterate, and an awareness of a need to proactively respond to changing circumstances, the faithful of our deanery are being encouraged to engage with the ongoing conversation alongside their clergy about how we might all play our part in building up the life of our parishes moving into a challenging future.**