



# The Parishes of Our Lady of the Assumption, Maryvale and Christ the King, Kingstanding

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## MASSES THIS WEEK

|              |                                       |                                      |                                       |
|--------------|---------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Sat 06/02/21 | 12:30 CTK<br>18:00 OLAM               | <b>Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> | John Mitchell (RIP)                   |
| Sun 07/02/21 | 10:00 CTK<br>11:30 OLAM               |                                      | Mrs M Moore                           |
|              |                                       |                                      | John McLoughlin                       |
|              |                                       |                                      | Betty Jones (RIP)                     |
| Mon 08/02/21 | 08:00 Con.<br>09:30 Mon.<br>12:00 CTK | <b>Feria</b>                         | Tommie Murphy & family                |
|              |                                       |                                      | Paul Lewsley                          |
|              |                                       |                                      | Nora O'Connor                         |
| Tue 09/02/21 | 09:30 Mon.<br>14:30 CTK               | <b>Feria</b>                         | Tony Sargent (RIP)                    |
|              |                                       |                                      | PEOPLE OF THE PARISHES                |
| Wed 10/02/21 | 08:00 Con.<br>09:30 Mon.              | St Scholastica, Virgin, Memorial     | Michael Gordon (RIP)                  |
|              |                                       |                                      | Nigel, Sharon & family                |
| Thu 11/02/21 | 09:30 Mon.<br>12:00 CTK               | <b>Feria</b>                         | Deceased of B'ham Lourdes Hospitalite |
|              |                                       |                                      | Joanna & Bill Taylor (RIP)            |
| Fri 12/02/21 | 08:00 Con.<br>09:30 Mon.              | <b>Feria</b>                         | Louis Bayfield                        |
|              |                                       |                                      | Catherine O'Hare                      |
| Sat 13/02/21 | 12:30 CTK<br>18:00 OLAM               | <b>Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> | Paul Lewsley (RIP)                    |
|              |                                       |                                      | John & Hannah Callaghan (RIP)         |
| Sun 14/02/21 | 10:00 CTK<br>11:30 OLAM               |                                      | Kathleen McClintock (RIP)             |
|              |                                       |                                      | Patrick Ratigan (RIP)                 |

## PUBLIC CELEBRATION OF MASS

For next weekend masses, please use the link on the parish websites to book for a bench per bubble. If you can volunteer to steward at weekend masses please speak to either Fr. The-Quang or Andrew after mass. Thank you to our Stewards and Volunteers for keeping the church open and clean.

## BIBLE STUDY (Lectio Divina) on Zoom

Wednesday at 7:00pm. Link is available from Sr. Miriam or Fr. The-Quang.

## COMPLINE – NIGHT PRAYER WITH THE FRANCISCAN SISTERS ON ZOOM

Friday and Saturday at 9:00pm. Link is available from Sr. Miriam or Fr. The-Quang.

## RIP

Please pray for Fr. Patrick Joyce, Mary Jones and Fr. Giles Goward who died recently. May they rest in peace.

**PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK** Ron & Monique Hunt, Jean McCabe, Luke Byrne, John Butler, Muriel Cowan, Paul Cowan, John & Sandra Mageean, Gerald, Sarah McCallion, Audrey Vickers, John, Sadie Pulido, Nancy Byrne, Sheila Ferns, Mary McGee, Margaret Gasson, Claire & Mark, Mary Ann Gniadkowski, Niamh O' Reilly, Carole Smith, Alan Rowan, Terry Lakin, Doreen Lakin, Kyle Billing, Patrick Hynes, Fr. Giles Goward, Jo Teece.

## Walk With Me Booklet

Is available after mass this weekend for everyone's use during the season of Lent.

**DO NOT** come if you are infected with the virus or are sick.  
You must **SOCIALLY DISTANCE** (1m+) whilst in Church and wear a mask.  
**STEWARDS** will welcome you, and give instructions.  
The **TOILETS** will **NOT** be open for use.

**Last 2 Weeks' Collection Ctk**

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|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Envelopes    | £ 30.10         | £ 30.00         |
| Loose        | £ 136.95        | £ 133.06        |
| St. Orders   | £ 206.69        | £ 206.69        |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>£ 373.75</b> | <b>£ 369.75</b> |

**Last 2 Weeks' Collection OLAM**

|              |                |                 |
|--------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Envelopes    | £155.60        | £142.70         |
| Loose        | £125.43        | £ 95.68         |
| St. Orders   | £ 33.46        | £ 33.46         |
| <b>Total</b> | <b>£314.49</b> | <b>£ 271.84</b> |

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**Missing Items**

Two pieces of jewellery, wrapped in an envelope, were found in the collection box a few weeks ago. If you dropped them in by mistake, please see Fr. The-Quang to reclaim them.

**Covid 19 Safety**

I would like to remind those attending Mass, especially the weekend Masses, they should remember to follow the Covid 19 Safety Guidelines. Please always sanitise your hands when coming in to Church and remember to follow the One Way systems to your place. Most importantly and especially keep to the safe distancing guidelines designed to protect us all, by not getting too close to each other even when having a chat before or after Mass. It is too easy to forget and relax too much but we must remember if there was any infection we may be instructed to close the Churches. We must be grateful that we are still allowed to attend Mass and not put ourselves or each other in jeopardy and have this permission withdrawn. Thank you for help.

**Parish Finances**

As you may have read in the Weekly Newsletter the Parish Finances have been greatly affected by the current situation. It has not ended as quickly as we had hoped and is likely to continue for some time yet. We are very grateful for your continuing contributions each week but I am asking those who attend and those at home if you would consider signing up to the Planned Giving Scheme and giving your contributions by Direct Debit or Standing Order from your Bank. This would help us enormously by ensuring the continued ability of the 2 Parishes to operate and survive. Also as we approach a new Tax Year I would ask those who pay Income Tax to consider signing up for the Diocesan Gift Aid Scheme for reclaiming Tax on their weekly donations. This is also a major factor in helping the Parishes to survive. This has been running for many years and has helped us to pay for our ongoing costs. Please think seriously about helping your Parish in these ways.

**Entrance into Church for weekday masses**

Will be through the bell tower side door. This is to keep the social distancing with those who are coming to collect their lunch from St. John's Centre.

**Chests of drawers**

The SVP has requested for donations of chests of drawers for families in need. If you can help, please ring either 07960 050913 or 07984 082712.

**Funeral Arrangement for Fr. Patrick Joyce:**

Reception of the body and Mass at St Mary and St John, Gravelly Hill, B23 6BQ On **Thu 11<sup>th</sup> Feb at 6.00pm.**

The Funeral Mass will be at Erdington Abbey, Sutton Road, Erdington, B23 6QL on Fri 12<sup>th</sup> Feb at 10.00am, Archbishop Bernard Longley presiding. Burial at Oscott Cemetery.

The Reception and Funeral Mass will be celebrated in accordance with the current lockdown guidelines. The number of people who can attend is strictly limited. For those who wish to take part online the funeral Mass will be livestreamed at: [www.facebook.com/groups/frjoycefuneral](https://www.facebook.com/groups/frjoycefuneral). You do not need to have a Facebook account to view the Mass.

**Funeral Arrangement for Canon Giles Goward**

Reception of the body and Mass at the Chapel, St Mary's College, B73 5AA, on Sun 7<sup>th</sup> Feb 2021 at 4.00pm.

The Funeral Mass will be at the Chapel, St Mary's College, Oscott, on Mon 8<sup>th</sup> Feb 2021 at 12 noon.

Archbishop Bernard Longley presiding. Burial at Oscott.

The Reception and Funeral Mass will be celebrated in accordance with the current lockdown guidelines. The number of people who can attend will be strictly limited. The funeral Mass for Canon Giles will be live streamed from Oscott. There will be a link available on the website at [www.oscott.net](http://www.oscott.net)

**FOOD FOR THE SOUL: Reflections for Year B - Part 1.**

The link is [https://www.amazon.co.uk/dp/B08L5XVT6V/ref=cm\\_sw\\_em\\_r\\_mt\\_dp\\_ADgLFbWGHEdAX](https://www.amazon.co.uk/dp/B08L5XVT6V/ref=cm_sw_em_r_mt_dp_ADgLFbWGHEdAX)