

# The Parishes of Our Lady of the Assumption, Maryvale and

# Christ the King, Kingstanding

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#### MASSES THIS WEEK

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Sat 13/03/21	12:30 CTK		Audrey McCarty (RIP)
	18:00 OLAM	Fourth Sunday of Lent	Baby Tia-Mae Cowman (RIP)
Sun 14/03/21	10:00 CTK		Christopher Ormsby (RIP)
	11:30 OLAM		Michael Foley (RIP)
Mon 15/03/21	08:00 Con.		Anthony Cunningham
	09:30 Mon.	Lent Feria	Peter Thoai & Maria Diep (RIP)
	12:00 CTK		Fr. Giles Goward (RIP)
Tue 16/03/21	09:30 Mon.	Lent Feria	Maria Ng T Chinh (RIP)
	12:00 CTK	Lent Fena	Jack Foxall
Wed 17/03/21	08:00 Con		Yvonne Baker
	09:30 Mon.	St Patrick, Feast	Maria T Nhut Chau (RIP)
	12:00 CTK		Kath & Fred Hackett (RIP)
Thu 18/03/21	09:30 Mon.	Lent Feria	Peter Chieu Nguyen (RIP)
	12:00 CTK	Lent Fena	Mark Cunningham
Fri 19/03/21	09:30 Mon.	St Joseph, Husband of BVM,	PEOPLE OF THE PARISHES
	12:00 CTK.	Solemnity	Joseph Binh & Maria Doan (RIP)
Sat 20/03/21	12:30 CTK		Dora McKeown (RIP)
	18:00 OLAM	Fifth Sunday of Lent	James Heaney (Anni.)
Sun 21/03/21	10:00 CTK		Kenneth Lillie
	11:30 OLAM		John Roche (RIP)

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

**Stations of the Cross** on Friday at 7:00pm in CTK Church.

# **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.

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, Sheila Ferns, Mary McGee, Margaret Gasson, Claire & Mark, Mary Ann Gniadkowski, Niamh O' Reilly, Carole Smith, Alan Rowan, Terry Lakin, Doreen Lakin, Kyle Billing, Jo Teece, Nicola Jones, Deacon Jack, Daniel Kelly.

RIP: Please pray for Salvatore Latino who died recently. His funeral will be on 09/04/21. May he rest in peace.

**Please Pray for Steven Fleming**: who is a member of Maryvale parish community and is applying for ordination to the Diaconate at Oscott. May he respond to his vocation with and in the spirit of our Blessed Mother, the perfect model of the Church.

#### **Prayer of Spiritual Communion**

Lord God, our light and our salvation, we praise you for your gifts of life and faith. We thank you for the desire you have planted in our hearts, our yearning to see your face. Help us to meet you in prayer, to walk in your ways, and to speak to others of our joy and consolation in your presence. Give us the wisdom to appreciate your Son's self-gift in the Eucharist, so that although we cannot now be at mass to receive this gift sacramentally we may still be able to receive him spiritually. Give us faithfulness in this present life so that we may come into full communion with you and with all that belong to you. We make this prayer through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.







Happy St Joseph's Day

Many thanks to those who contribute to the parish fund to help the poor during this difficult time.

## The Global Catholic Movement invites you to "Global Healing."

In 2015, Pope Francis published his ground-breaking letter on the environment Laudato Si'. Since then, millions of

people worldwide have joined the global movement to address the environmental crisis our world is facing. This Lent, we are inviting YOU to join us for a series of reflective evenings with inspiring speakers, prayer and discussion, using the film-based resource "Global Healing". These engaging documentaries will inform and



challenge people to respond to Pope Francis' call to Care for Our Common Home. Suitable for all who are concerned about what is happening to our world and who want to take action.

When? Six Thursdays from 18th February – 25th March 2021, 7.30pm – 8.30pm

How to join? To register please email jane@catholicclimatemovement.global

Hosted by GCCM Laudato Si' Animators in the UK.

"Living our vocation to be protectors of God's handiwork is essential to a life of virtue; it is not an optional or secondary aspect of our Christian experience...Truly, much can be done!" (Laudato Si', 217, 180)

## Knights of St Columba is trying to raise funds for Sifa Fireside during Lent

Please help them raise £1000 by making a donation to help the homeless and vulnerable. Please donate on line: https://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/KSC293. Please contact Nicholas Bartleet for further information 07778 857369

#### **Administrative Assistant Vacancy**

St. Edmund Campion Catholic School (Sutton Road, Erdington, Birmingham B23 5XA) is looking to appoint two administrative assistants from April 2021 to provide high quality administrative support. Salary Range: Grade 2 Required for April 2021. Working Pattern: Term Time only + 10 Days, 8:30 – 16:30. For further information or to apply for these positions please visit //johnpaulii.co.uk/. Closing Date for applications: Friday 19<sup>th</sup> March 2021. Interviews will take place week commencing: Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2021

# **Birmingham Catholic Charismatic Renewal**

As we enter into the Season of Lent, we unite ourselves with Jesus as He emerges from the wilderness to begin His ministry. Join us online as Michelle Moran guides us through this time of transition and leads us in prayer for empowerment and a new outpouring of the Holy Spirit in our own lives. <a href="https://youtu.be/Je4ZQ1-o170">https://youtu.be/Je4ZQ1-o170</a>

#### **Prayer Intentions during March:**

21/03/21 - "Today we celebrate World Down's Syndrome Day. We pray especially for the current attempts in Northern Ireland to protect babies with Down's syndrome from abortion, that elected representatives would pursue the protection of rights for all people with disabilities, and that babies with Down's syndrome are loved and protected equally."

28/03/21 - "We pray for all considering abortion. We pray that the love and support of those around them would encourage mothers to continue with their pregnancy and find peace and joy in what the future holds."

Could parents please be vigilant to the global promotion of abortion in the name of humanity and health care. This is the work of the devil as it tries to legalize murder of innocent lives and to put the life of women at risk. Although the long-term damage is too big for any expectant mother to attempt, it is always hidden and the pressure is very high. Please pray for the conversion of heart in those who are involved in this depopulating and impoverishing scheme.

**Food Parcels**: for those in need are available from The Active Well-Being Society on 0121 7287030. Helps with clothing and other supports are also available.