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TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER LITURGIES

Sunday, 12.04.20

9:00 am

Solemnity of the Resurrection of the Lord

Mass: Thomas RIP

Monday, 13.04.20

9:00 am

Easter Monday

Mass: Joseph Ozhackle RIP



Tuesday, 14.04.20

9:00 am

Easter Tuesday

Mass: Parishioners

Wednesday, 15.04.20

9:00 am

Easter Wednesday

Mass: Thanksgiving intention for the Benny Family



Thursday, 16.04.20

9:00 am

Easter Thursday

Mass: Private Intention

Friday, 17.04.20

9:00 am

Easter Friday

Mass: For the Devlin, Swingell, Doherty, Delaney, Gaffy, Saunders and Nolan Families and all travellers

Saturday, 18.04.20

9:00 am

Easter Saturday

Mass: Kevin Baker RIP

Sunday, 19.04.20

9:00 am

Second Sunday of Easter - Divine Mercy Sunday

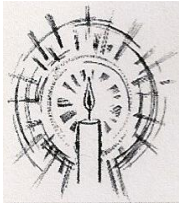
Mass: Michael Brown RIP

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION:



My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.
I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,
come at least spiritually into my heart.
I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.
Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Violet Griffin, Patricia Padley, Peter Cullis, Malcolm & Barbara Harris, Sally McNulty, Jack Byrne, Catherine Finnegan, Doris McShane, Fergus Fallon, Gerry Simpson, Michael Lockett, Obed, Charito, Melchor, Darcy Jamandri, Norma and Marivic Orenca. *Names may be added to this list only with the specific permission of the infirm person for whom prayers are requested.*



PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR IN APRIL (part 2): Mollie McKeown, Janet Campbell, Harry Doggett, May Price, Margaret Haynes, Sarah Harper, Patrick McCrorie, Julia Morgan, Annie Broomhall, Alice Kirk, Jane Donnan, Irene Lowe, Seamus Daly, Frank Hacziewicz, Annie Small, George Southall, Joseph Ozhackle.

PLEASE REMEMBER in your prayers and all those who have been infected with Covid-19 at this difficult time. Also please continue to keep in your prayers all those working in the NHS and other key areas. Please take good care of yourselves so that you are able to care for others.

POPE FRANCIS' PRAYER TO MARY DURING THE CORONA VIRUS PANDEMIC O Mary, you always shine on our path as a sign of salvation and of hope. We entrust ourselves to you, Health of the Sick, who at the cross took part in Jesus' pain, keeping your faith firm. You, Salvation of People, know what we need, and we are sure you will provide so that, as in Cana of Galilee, we may return to joy and to feasting after this time of trial. Help us, Mother of Divine Love, to conform to the will of the Father and to do as we are told by Jesus, who has taken upon himself our sufferings and carried our sorrows to lead us, through the cross, to the joy of the resurrection. Amen. Under your protection, we seek refuge, Holy Mother of God. Do not disdain the entreaties of we who are in trial, but deliver us from every danger, O glorious and blessed Virgin. Amen.

MASS INTENTIONS Fr. Dawid will say Masses in the chapel for all the booked Mass intentions. If anyone wishes to book a new intention, please write the purpose of the intention along with your name and contact details and either a cheque made payable to THE PAULINE FATHERS WOLVERHAMPTON or cash, enclosed in a sealed envelope. For safety, please put cash intentions, personally, through the letter box at the Presbytery. Cheques may be safely sent through the post.

THE SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Anyone in need of the Sacrament and can get to SS. Mary & John's is asked to call 07857 462527 and make arrangements with Fr Dawid.

LIVE STREAMED MASSES For all parishioners able to access the internet and wish to join in a live streamed Mass, many opportunities can be found at <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/parishes-online>. If you know parishioners who do not have access to the internet but have Sky television, Masses can be found on EWTN Catholic Channel – Sky channel 588. There are many online resources where you can follow the Holy Mass and the readings for the day if you do not possess a Missal of your own or a copy of Magnificat magazine, or My Day by Day, perhaps www.universalis.com is among the best. When it comes to the time of Holy Communion, we should unite ourselves with Our Lord by making an Act of Spiritual Communion.

DISPENSATION FROM EASTER DUTIES You will be aware of Easter Duties; that is to receive Holy Communion during the Easter Season and by custom, to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation beforehand. The Code of Canon Law (CIC 920) says each of the faithful is obliged to receive Holy Communion at least once a year. This precept must be fulfilled during the Easter season unless it is fulfilled for a just cause at another time during the year. The requirement for the celebration of the Sacrament of Reconciliation comes from the need to be in a state of grace to receive Holy Communion (CIC 916). Since it is not possible for the faithful to receive Holy Communion at this time, and into the future, the Bishops of England and Wales have dispensed the Easter Duties for the year 2020.



The Bishops have asked that **all should make a Perfect Act of Contrition** at this time. Perfect contrition is true and real sorrow for our sins which is created when we realise the immense love of God for each one of us. We express this contrition when we realise how we offend God by our sinful words, deeds and omissions in contrast to the immeasurable love and mercy that He continually shows us. This requires us to be contrite of heart for what we have done, know and be overwhelmed by the love and mercy of God for His children and to approach this grace with humility and resolution not to sin again.



AN ACT OF CONTRITION

My God, I am sorry for my sins with all my heart. In choosing to do wrong and failing to do good, I have sinned against you whom I should love above all things. I firmly intend, with your help, to do penance, to sin no more and to avoid whatever leads me to sin. Our Saviour Jesus Christ suffered and died for us. In his name, my God, have mercy.

**FATHER DAWID, DEACON MEL
AND THE PAULINE FATHERS FROM SS. MARY & JOHN'S
WISH YOU ALL A HOLY AND PEACEFUL EASTER !**