St. Patrick's Church, Wolverhampton

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TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER LITURGIES

Sixth Sunday of Easter Sunday, 06.05.18

9:30 am Mass: Albert Clancy RIP

5:30 pm Confessions

6:00 pm Mass: Shaji Skaria Family Intentions

Easter Feria Monday, 07.05.18

> 9:30 am Mass: Wedding Anniversary of Glaxin and Shainy

Divine Mercy Chaplet 10:00 am

Tuesday, 08.05.18 Easter Feria

NO MASS

Wednesday, 09.05.18 **Easter Feria**

> 9:30 am Mass: Paddy Turley RIP Divine Mercy Chaplet 10:00 am

Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord Holyday of Obligation Thursday, 10.05.18

Mass: Ian Middleton RIP 9:30 am Mass: Annette Turley RIP 7:30 pm

Friday, 11.05.18 **Easter Feria**

> 7:00 pm **Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament**

7:30 pm Mass: Jarleth Conneely RIP

Saturday, 12.05.18 Easter Feria

10:00 am Mass: Will Doherty RIP

10:30 am Confessions

Seventh Sunday of Easter Sunday, 13.05.18

> 9:30 am Mass: Frantisek Pompa RIP

5:30 pm Confessions

Mass: Pat Kileen RIP 6:00 pm

Confessions: Sat. after 10:00am Mass & Sun. 5:30-5:50 pm or on request



YOUR OFFERINGS: 29TH APRIL £542.63 (GIFT-AID £186.50) SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK (13th May): Catholic Communications **Church Cleaning** this week: Team C (Wednesdays after morning Mass)

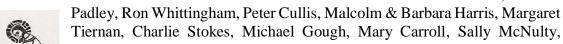
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PARISH ADMINISTRATION: If anyone requires baptism certificates or any other written documents from the parish, please call the parish on Mondays & Fridays: 10.00am - 11.30am.

CONTACTING THE PARISH: If you need to get a message to the priest or the parish then please leave your message on the presbytery answer phone: 01902 736440 or 07857462527 (Emergency Mobile), or e-mail: stpatricks220@sky.com

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Violet Griffin, Patricia



Sheila Thomas, deacon Michael Ainsworth, Maureen Locke, Fergus Fallon, John Farrell, Raiens Scerbejs, Bernie Davies, Bill Fletcher, Gerry Simpson, Joanna Barker, Mary Mahan. If you are not able to get to Mass (e.g. you're going into hospital) or if you notice someone who has not been at Mass recently, let know Fr Dawid or Gerry Simpson.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR IN MAY (part 1): Winifred Clarke, Patrick O'Keefe, Carmine Marandola, William Bellamy, Frank Hammonds, Robert Vaughan, Robert Whitehall, Frank Breslin, Annie Lavelle, Susan Stack, William Fletcher, Robert Lees, James Nutting, Patricia Bourne, Martha McCormick, Robert Adamson, Denis Wooldridge, Dennis Morris, Frank Jones, Ernest Wall, Brian Waddell, Robert Condon, John Vickers.

ST PATRICK'S SOCIAL NIGHT, fundraising event for our children's choir – Next Sunday 6th May at 7pm in our Parish Hall. Entrance tickets £3.

WHY MAY IS CALLED THE MONTH OF MARY, and dedicated especially to her? Who would wish



February, March or April to be the month of Mary, considering that it is the time of Lent and penance? Who again would choose December, the Advent season – a time of hope, indeed, because Christmas is coming, but a time of fasting also? May, on the contrary, belongs to the Easter season which lasts 50 days, and in that season the whole of May commonly falls (except when Easter is very late) and the first half always. The great feasts of the Ascension and Pentecost, the feast of the Holy Ghost, are often in May. May, therefore, is the time in which there are frequent Alleluias because Christ has risen, and God the Holy Ghost has come down to take His place. It is fitting, then, that this month should be

hers, in which we especially glory and rejoice in God's great Providence to us. (Blessed John Henry Newman) **THE MEMORARE** is a very old prayer to Mary! *Remember, O most Blessed Virgin Mary, that it is a thing unheard of that anyone implored thy help, or sought thy intercession, and was left unaided. Filled therefore with*

confidence in thy goodness, I fly to thee, O Mother, Virgin of virgins. To thee I come, before thee I stand, a sorrowful sinner. Despise not my poor words O Mother of the Word of God, but graciously hear and grant my prayer. Amen.

REGINA COELI During the Bidding Prayers in Eastertide instead of reciting Hail Mary we may sing Anthem to Our Lady Regina Coeli. Translation: *Queen of Heaven, rejoice, alleluia.* For He whom you did merit to bear, alleluia. Has risen, as he said, alleluia. Pray for us to God, alleluia.





FIRST HOLY COMMUNION Lesson dates: 6th May and 13th May.

KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS those children who will receive their First Holy Communion on <u>Sunday 20th May</u> **2018**. There will be a **display of First Holy Communion gifts and cards** in the porch <u>after 9.30 am Mass today</u>, 6th May.

BOOKS STALL IN THE PORCH If you have any books in good condition that you no longer require (especially children's books) you can bring them in to the piety stall.

BECOME A MEMBER OF THE SVP Our SVP (St Vincent de Paul Society) relies on the support of its volunteers. More members are needed to ensure that ST PATRICKS SVP work continues to grow and flourish. By becoming an SVP member you can make a real difference to the lives of those near you who are suffering. We ask anyone who has time to offer, to work with the SVP by becoming a volunteer. Please speak to Gerry Simpson or Fr Dawid.