

# St. Patrick's Church, Wolverhampton

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## TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER LITURGIES

### Sunday, 18.03.18

9:30 am  
11:00 am  
11:45 am  
5:30 pm  
6:00 pm

### Fifth Sunday of Lent

Mass: Johnny Purcell RIP  
Baptism: Orla Southgate  
Baptism: Bianka Jagielo  
Stations of the Cross & Confessions  
Mass: Silvestere de Mesa and Victoria Relampagos RIP



### Monday, 19.03.18

9:30 am  
10:00 am

### Solemnity of St Joseph, Husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Mass: Florence Bourne RIP  
Rosary

### Tuesday, 20.03.18

9:30 am

### Lent Feria

Mass at the school

### Wednesday, 21.03.18

9:30 am  
7:00 pm

### Lent Feria

Mass: Deceased Members of Jomy and Family

### Confirmation Mass

### Thursday, 22.03.18

6:30 pm

### Lent Feria

Confessions and Exposition (till 8pm)

### Friday, 23.03.18

7:00 pm  
7:30 pm

### Lent Feria

Mass: Michael Thornton RIP

### Stations of the Cross

### Saturday, 24.03.18

10:00 am  
10:30 am

### Lent Feria

Mass: Kathleen and Keith Philpott RIP  
Confessions

### Sunday, 25.03.18

9:30 am  
5:30 pm  
6:00 pm

### Palm Sunday of the Passion of Our Lord

Mass: Jessy Joseph's Intentions  
Stations of the Cross & Confessions  
Mass: Teresita Brigola De Leon RIP

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



**YOUR OFFERINGS: 11<sup>TH</sup> MARCH £0.00 (GIFT-AID £0.00)**

**Church Cleaning** this week: Team B (Wednesdays after morning Mass)

**ALL WELCOME** to join us for refreshments in the Hall after 9.30am Sunday Mass

**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](mailto:stpatricks220@sky.com)



**PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:** Violet Griffin, Patricia Padley, Ron & Josie Whittingham, Peter Cullis, Malcolm & Barbara Harris, Margaret Tiernan, Charlie Stokes, Michael Gough, Mary Carroll, Sally McNulty, Sheila Thomas, deacon Michael Ainsworth, Paul Bristow, Maureen Locke, Fergus Fallon, John Farrell, Raiens Scerbejs, Bernie Davies, Bill Fletcher, Gerry Simpson. *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 MARCH (part 3):** IAN MIDDLETON, ELAINE ICKE and JULIA GRIFFIN who died recently, also Teresa Ireson, Harry Vickers, Eunice Forrest, Jacqueline Quick, Hannah Philpott, David Kelly, Joan Jones, Ann Parkes, Julia Duffy, Philip McGovern, Kazimierz Koniecko, Tony Leech, Stan Grzybek, Ann Goodliffe – Neale, Hugh McGovern, Chelsea and Charlie Leadbetter.



**STATIONS OF THE CROSS** will take place every Friday at 7.30pm and Sunday at 5.30pm up until Holy Week. Please make every effort to attend this special liturgical devotion.

**LENTEN CONFESSIONS IN WOLVERHAMPTON DEANERY** The Light is on for YOU. Celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession). An opportunity to seek once more the Father's Mercy in the Wolverhampton Deanery on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March from 6.30pm – 8.00pm. During this time there will be Exposition in the churches listed below and a priest seated in the confessional. *Come and go as you please.* Available in the following churches: St. Anthony's, St. Christopher's, Corpus Christi, Holy Trinity, Our Lady's, Ss. Mary & John's, St. Michael's and St. Patrick's. Other times for confession before Easter as advertised in the parish bulletin.



**OTHER DAYS OF LENTEN CONFESSIONS AT ST PATRICK'S – Maundy Thursday, 29<sup>th</sup> March, 6.30pm – 7.20pm. NOTE OF REMINDER:** Please be encouraged to participate in an ever more intense and fruitful way in the Lenten liturgy and in penitential celebrations. The Church reminds us that both according to the law and tradition, we should approach the sacrament of Confession at least once a year, so that with purified heart they may participate in the paschal mysteries.

**CONFIRMATION DAY – Bishop McGough** will be visiting the parish this Wednesday, 21<sup>st</sup> March, arriving in the afternoon, visiting some of the sick of the parish in their homes and going into St. Patrick's Primary School. He will celebrate Holy Mass for the parish at 7 pm, and be available to meet with members of the parish after that Mass in the Parish hall.



**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** Sessions take place Sunday mornings **after 9.30am Mass in the Parish hall**. Lesson dates: 18<sup>th</sup> Mar, 25<sup>th</sup> Mar, 8<sup>th</sup> April, 15<sup>th</sup> April, 22<sup>nd</sup> April, Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> April at 4pm (First Confessions), 29<sup>th</sup> April, 6<sup>th</sup> May and 13<sup>th</sup> May.

**ADOREMUS – NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS**, Liverpool, 7<sup>th</sup> – 9<sup>th</sup> September 2018



**Day 1:** Theological Symposium, with workshops for parish catechists, (especially for those involved in First Holy Communion programs), Hospital and Prison Chaplains, Seminary Communities and Extraordinary Ministers. Sessions will focus on: Scripture, Ecclesiology, Eucharist and Catechesis.

**Day 2:** The Echo Arena in Liverpool - which can accommodate 10,000 pilgrims - will be the home to a six-hour stage programme on the second day of the Congress, which will include a Congress Mass, keynote speakers and a drama highlighting the beauty of reverence and devotion. The day will conclude with Adoration.

**Day 3:** On the final day of the Pilgrimage and Congress, Sunday, there will be pilgrimage Masses and a street procession – open to all. *“We seek to rejuvenate Eucharistic adoration in our parishes as the source of strength for our lives and for our mission, that of making present the love and compassion of Jesus in our society.”* – H.E. Cardinal Vincent Nichols.