

St. Patrick's Church, Wolverhampton

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TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER LITURGIES

Sunday, 28.06.20

Solemnity of Ss Peter & Paul, Apostles

Mass:

Monday, 29.06.20

Feria

Mass:

Tuesday, 30.06.20

Feria

Mass: Parishioners



Wednesday, 01.07.20

Feria

Mass:

Thursday, 02.07.20

Feria

Mass:

Friday, 03.07.20

Feast of St Thomas, Apostle

Mass:



Saturday, 04.07.20

Feria

Mass:

Sunday, 05.07.20

Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Mass: Steven Smith RIP

ACT OF SPIRITUAL COMMUNION:



My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.

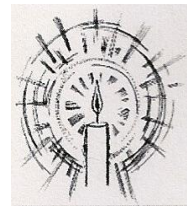
I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul.

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 JULY (part 1): Fr. William Rooney, Eric Jones, Nellie Yoland Divey, Francis McGovern, Charles Fisher, Florence Fewtrell, Margaret Wallace, Charles Harris, John P. Lyons, John Cullen, Patrick Lyne, James Phillips, Cecelia Wall, Sean Croucher, Edward Clemson, Marie Lees, Mark Harris, Maria Osborne, Gertrude Terry, Sheila Shorthouse, George Gregg, Thomas Hickman, Patricia Moore, Jack Burrows.

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS 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.

FR. DAWID is making a good recovery after his operation and wishes to thank everyone for their prayers. Please continue to pray for his complete recovery and a return to full health.

POPE' FRANCIS' PRAYER INTENTION FOR JULY: Our Families. We pray that today's families may be accompanied with love, respect and guidance.

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>.

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.

REOPENING CHURCHES FOR PRIVATE PRAYER Churches have been given permission to open for private prayer from Monday 15th June provided they can comply with all safety and COVID secure measures. **At the moment St Patrick's is still closed but we hope it will be opened again from 5th July.** Therefore, we are looking for volunteers to assist in cleaning the church and preparing for any opening and to help with supervising parishioners who wish to pray privately. If you would like to volunteer, you should be deemed healthy and fit for work but at present this excludes those who are deemed vulnerable. All protective equipment will be provided by St. Patrick's. All information about when the church will be open will be on the website and in the weekly bulletin. Many thanks to all who are willing to help.

REOPENING CHURCHES FOR COLLECTIVE WORSHIP A message from the Metropolitan Archbishops of the Catholic Church in England regarding **reopening of places of worship for prayer and services** can be view from <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/news/reopening-our-churches-for-collective-worship> and also from the parish website.



SS PETER & PAUL is celebrated on Sunday 30th June, as the 'whole Church rejoices in the martyrdom' of these two great saints. The opening prayer of the Mass says: 'God our Father, today you give us the joy of celebrating the feast of the Apostles Peter and Paul. Through them the Church first received the Faith. Keep us true to their teaching'. As today's reading tells us: 'All the time the Church prayed to God for St Peter' who was in prison. So let us pray for his successor the servant of God our Holy Father Pope Francis.

FINANCIAL/MATERIAL CONCERNS There is considerable concern about parish finances as a result of the lockdown: obviously there are no offertory collections to report, and parishes have little income with which to continue to exist at the present time. Some Parishioners have mentioned the question of Offertory Collections at the present time. There are two ways in which we can try to continue our offertory giving:

1. **Online giving:** Go to the Diocesan Website, <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/support-our-work>, and click on the yellow "donate" button. A window appears, and you enter your details; there is a drop-down menu on the second window for you to indicate the parish which should receive your offering: Wolverhampton Newcross (St Patrick).

2. **Standing Order.** If you have a form, then you can fill in your details, put in an envelope and send to the Presbytery and the Parish can "do the rest." If you do not have a form, please download it from the diocesan website (<https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/pages/FAQS/category/finance-resources>), print it and fill in the relevant parts and return to the Presbytery. You may wish to contact the presbytery by phone and ask for the account number and sort code and you can then either send the form directly to the bank or using internet banking. Please remember, you do not need to be a tax payer to make your offerings by Standing Order.