

# St. Patrick's Church, Wolverhampton

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## TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER LITURGIES

**Sunday, 11.10.20**

9:30 am

6:00 pm

7:30 pm

**Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Mass: Peter Fenlon RIP

Mass: Devlin Family

Reception of the Body: Kathleen Quinn RIP

**Monday, 12.10.20**

9:30 am

12:00 noon

**Feria**

Mass: Thanksgiving Int. for Belano Family

Funeral: Kathleen Quinn RIP

**Tuesday, 13.10.20**

10:30 am

**Feria**

Mass at St Mary & John's church



**Wednesday, 14.10.20**

9:30 am

**Feria**

Mass: Parishioners

**Thursday, 15.10.20**

**St Theresa of Avila, Doctor of the Church NO MASS**

**Friday, 16.10.20**

7:00 pm

7:30 pm

**Feria**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Mass:



**Saturday, 17.10.20**

9:30 am

10:00 am

**St Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr**

Mass:

Confessions

**Sunday, 18.10.20**

9:30 am

6:00 pm

**Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Mass: Peter Fenlon RIP

Mass:

**Confessions:** Sat. after 9.30 am Mass or on request

**1** Make an act of faith  
Come up with your own prayer or use a traditional one to express to the Lord our faith in his real presence in the Eucharist.

**2** Make an act of love  
Say a prayer that expresses your love and gratitude to the Lord. Thank Him for his infinite love as well.

**4** steps for  
**Spiritual Communion**  
CatholicLink

**3** Express your desire to receive him  
As you are not able to physically receive the Lord, express your desire to receive Him in your heart.

Invite Jesus to come into your heart  
With a humble and contrite heart we ask the Lord to come to us just as He would if we were able to receive the sacrament.

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**SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK (18<sup>TH</sup> OCT): APF WORLD MISSION SUNDAY**

**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 OCTOBER (part 3):** KATHLEEN QUINN and PETER FENLON who died recently, also Thomas Orpen, Thomas Whitefoot, Mary O'Loughlin, Jean Wainwright, Winifred Meaney, James Foscett, Michael Wall, William Mason, Stanley Thorpe, Andrew Moody, Edith Vaughan, Margaret Mason, Thomas Garner, Kathleen Tingle, Christine Shipley, Mary Burns.

**FUNERAL MASS FOR PETER FENLON: Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> October at 10am** at St Patrick's Church.

**FR. DAWID** is awaiting further treatment at the hospital October 14<sup>th</sup> and wishes to thank everyone for their prayers. Please continue to pray for his complete recovery and a return to full health.

**ATTENDENCE AT HOLY MASS AT ST PATRICK'S** Due to the current pandemic situation, there are many requirements for the resumption of public worship, many of which may seem rather tiresome, but without which we would not be allowed to resume:

- Holy Water stoups are empty.
- People must provide **face coverings** which **must be worn**.
- **Please arrive in good time**, to minimise queuing outside the church; you will be shown to a seat by one of the stewards .
- Enter by the ramp door. A one-way system will be in place in church.
- Please sanitise your hands on entry.
- Please follow the directions given by the stewards who will show you to your seat by going towards the altar down the central aisle.
- Due to social distancing requirements, there is a reduced capacity which is 65. (However, **members of a household/"bubble" may sit together**, and thereby the capacity increases significantly)
- **TRACK AND TRACE: a member of each household is requested to give a name and phone number for the Government track and trace scheme. Although we are required to make this request, any individual has the right to withhold this information, and guidance from the Archdiocese of Birmingham states firmly that those who decline to give this information must not be excluded from attending Holy Mass.**
- There will be no congregational singing, and no singing by choir,
- Offertory collections: a collection plate or basket will be on your way in and out of the Church, so you can leave your offerings as you enter the church. (No offertory collection during the Mass).
- People are encouraged to bring their own Missals/tablets to follow the order of Mass. Any printed newsletters should be taken home because they cannot be re-used.
- **Holy Communion** will be distributed after Holy Mass has been completed. People should queue for Holy Communion in a socially distanced manner, approaching the Altar along the central aisle and in single file. Only the priest will distribute Holy Communion.
- Face coverings/masks should be removed to receive Holy Communion and then replaced immediately.
- People should then proceed down to the exit, and leave via the side door in the chapel.
- There will be no toilet facilities available.
- Churches must be sanitised after each celebration of Holy Mass.
- Those who are showing possible symptoms of coronavirus or other illness should not attend.



**SAINT OF THE WEEK: SAINT TERESA OF AVILA** was born in Avila, Spain, in 1515. She was one of the astounding number of saints, mystics, poets, musicians and artists who flourished in Spain's "Golden Century". By the time she was twenty, she knew her vocation was to be a contemplative nun, and so she joined the Carmelite Order. She decided that reform was necessary, and she set up a reformed group of Carmelites who adopted a penitential and severe way of life, in contemplation and work. Her prayer life was very deep: God spoke clearly to her throughout her life. A woman of exceptional intelligence, piety and goodness, she nevertheless, met with constant opposition. She suffered from poor health all her life, but did not let this hinder her intense energy. She died in 1582.