## St. Patrick's Church, Wolverhampton

Parish Priest: Fr. Dawid Piskorz Deacon: Rev Mel Harwood



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## TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER LITURGIES

Sunday, 17.01.16 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am Mass: Kathleen and Keith Philpott RIP

5:30 pm Confessions

6:00 pm Mass: Glenys, Frank and Mabel McShane RIP

**Monday**, **18.01.16 Feria** 

9:30 am Mass: George and Kathleen Sykiotis RIP

10:00 am Rosary

Tuesday, 19.01.16 Feast of St Wulstan, Bishop

4:00 pm Mass in New Cross Hospital Chapel

Wednesday, 20.01.16 Feria

9:30 am Mass: Mark Fenlon RIP

10:00 am Rosary

Thursday, 21.01.16 St Agnes, Virgin, Martyr

NO MASS

**Friday**, 22.01.16 **Feria** 

7:00 pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

7:30 pm Mass: Holy Souls in Purgatory

Saturday, 23.01.16 Feria

10:00 am Mass: Private Intentions

11:00 am 'Year of Mercy' Celebrations at SS. Peter & Paul's

Sunday, 24.01.16 Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

9:30 am Mass: Intentions of the Glaxin Family

5:30 pm Confessions

6:00 pm Mass: Liam Seymour RIP

**Confessions:** Sat. after 10:00am Mass & Sun. 5:30-5:55 pm or on request

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

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

THANK YOU!



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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 - 11.00am.

**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 Killeen, Ron & Josie Whittingham, Beryl & Peter Cullis,

Malcolm & Barbara Harris, Margaret Tiernan, Charlie Stokes, Michael Gough, Mary Carroll, Mary Simonds, Sally McNulty, Tom Kennedy, David, Sheila Thomas, Deeanna Simpson, Dee Mahan, Alan McHugh, deacon Michael Ainsworth, Andy Curran, Paul Bristow, Patricia Padley. 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 us know.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR IN JANUARY (part 4): JOHN GREEN who died recently, also James Finlan, Baby Sydney Sidhu, Karra Hughes, Primo Marani, Eamon Irvine, Leonard Parker, John McDonagh, Iain Elliott, Norman Wilde, Dorothy Hill, David Benton, Tony Day, Margaret Walsh, William Wainwright, Glenys McShane, Monica Brakels, Marion Curtis, Christine O'Sullivan, Albert Morgan, Florence Bourne, Denis Emms, Mary Fletcher, Peter Lamb, Mark Fenlon. Marie Griffiths.





WHAT IS ORDINARY TIME? Ordinary Time, meaning ordered or numbered time, is celebrated in two segments: from the Monday following the Baptism of Our Lord up to Ash Wednesday; and from Pentecost Monday to the First Sunday of Advent. This makes it the largest season of the Liturgical Year. In vestments usually green, the colour of hope and growth, the Church counts the thirty-four Sundays of Ordinary Time, inviting all the faithful to meditate upon the whole mystery of Christ

– his life, miracles and teachings – in the light of his Resurrection.

THE JUBILEE YEAR OF MERCY begun on 8th December, the Solemnity of the Immaculate Conception, and it is an opportunity to reflect on how we carry out the Lord's wish that we should be 'Merciful like the Father'. During the coming year there will be opportunities for specially prepared Liturgies and Reflections. Parishes are being encouraged to join with other Catholics from around the deanery at their nearest Jubilee Church to celebrate some of these Liturgies; within the Wolverhampton Deanery the designated Jubilee church is Ss. Peter's and Paul's, 51 North Street, WV1 1RJ: Holy Doors will be open there on following Saturdays: 23<sup>rd</sup> January, 20<sup>th</sup> February, 19<sup>th</sup> March, 23<sup>rd</sup> April, 21<sup>st</sup> May, 18<sup>th</sup> June, 23<sup>rd</sup> July, 20<sup>th</sup> August, 17<sup>th</sup> September, 22<sup>nd</sup> October, 19<sup>th</sup> November. There celebrations include: 11.00am - Holy Mass, 11.30am - Rosary followed by refreshments in Guild Room, 12.00noon - Adoration and Confessions and 12.50pm - Benediction. St Patrick's Parish will be co-hosting the celebrations this Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> January at 11am. All welcome.



**APF - MILL HILL MISSION APPEAL** On Sunday, 7<sup>th</sup> February, we'll welcome to our Parish the appealer from Society of African Missions (SMA).



PARISH & SVP PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK - Monday 29<sup>th</sup> August to Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2016; COST: £475 per person (£375 for children under 16). INCLUDED:

• Travel by luxury air-conditioned coach with return ferry crossing Holyhead – Ireland • 4 nights dinner, bed & breakfast in St. Mary's Hostel, Knock • Excursions to Galway and Lough Derg. BOOKINGS: £100 deposit secures a reservation and a meeting will take place in St Patrick's Sacristy on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> March to finalise details. Further information please contact Gerry Simpson on 07807 238557.

**PREPARATION FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION** Preparation sessions take place on Sunday mornings **after 9.30am Mass in the hall**. Next meetings – 31<sup>st</sup> Jan, 7<sup>th</sup> Feb, 21<sup>st</sup> Feb, 28<sup>th</sup> Feb, 6<sup>th</sup> March, 13<sup>th</sup> March, 10<sup>th</sup> April, 24<sup>th</sup> April, 1<sup>st</sup> May & 8<sup>th</sup> May.

**PREPARATION FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION** Preparation sessions take place on Sunday mornings **after 9.30am Mass in the presbytery**. Next meetings – 24<sup>th</sup> Jan, 31<sup>st</sup> Jan, 7<sup>th</sup> Feb, 14<sup>th</sup> Feb, 28<sup>th</sup> Feb, 6<sup>th</sup> March & 13<sup>th</sup> March.

