

# St. Patrick's Church, Wolverhampton

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## TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER LITURGIES

**Sunday, 05.02.17**

9:30 am

5:30 pm

6:00 pm

### **Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Mass: Ramolina Peralta and Jose Peralta Senior

Confessions

Mass: George and Lydia Whitehead RIP

**Monday, 06.02.17**

9:30 am

10:00 am

### **St Paul Miki & Companions, Martyrs**

Mass: Florence Bourne RIP

Rosary

**Tuesday, 07.02.17**

1:15 pm

### **Feria**

Mass or Eucharistic service at New Cross Hospital

**Wednesday, 08.02.17**

9:30 am

10:00 am

### **Feria**

Mass: Andy and Julia Curran RIP

Rosary

**Thursday, 09.02.17**

NO MASS

### **Feria**

**Friday, 10.02.17**

7:00 pm

7:30 pm

### **St Scholastica, Virgin**

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Mass: Intentions of Julie Hill

**Saturday, 11.02.17**

10:00 am

10:30 am

### **Feria**

Mass: God's blessing for the marriage of Sanju and Ben

Confession

**Sunday, 12.02.17**

9:30 am

5:30 pm

6:00 pm

### **Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Mass: Henryk Karpienski

Confessions

Mass: Eliamma Thomas RIP

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



**YOUR OFFERINGS: 29<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY £488.65 (GIFT-AID £149.50)**

**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

**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 Killeen, Ron & Josie Whittingham, Peter Cullis, Malcolm & Barbara Harris, Margaret Tiernan, Charlie Stokes, Michael Gough, Mary Carroll, Sally McNulty, Sheila Thomas, Deeanna Simpson, deacon Michael Ainsworth, Paul Bristow, Patricia Padley, Maureen Locke, Fergus Fallon, John Farrell, Raiens Scerbejs. *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 FEBRUARY (part 2):**

Ann Bernadette Hislop, Edith Eley, Michael Smith, Maura Lem, Emily Lewis, Mary Purcell, Jeremiah Wallace, Ronald Clews, Ronald Tomlinson, Irena Buck, Lucy Ann Darby, Ann Kiely, Mary Pottinger, James Harris, Beatrice Wynn, Patrick Quigley, Thomas Francis.



**FRIENDS OF ST PATRICK MEETING** Monday 6<sup>th</sup> February at 7pm in the Sacristy.

**FINANCE COMMITTEE MEETING** Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> February at 7.30pm in the Presbytery.

**YOUTH 2000 RETREATS:**

- 10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> February at Leeds Trinity University, Brownberrie Ln, Horsforth, Leeds LS18 5HD
- 17<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> March, at: St David's Catholic Sixth Form College, Ty Gwyn Road, Penylan, Cardiff, CF23 5QD (*both retreats start from 5 p.m. on the Friday evening*)

A two-day retreat, including engaging talks, lively music, workshops, discussions, powerful prayer times, evening entertainment and loads more. A full timetable will be available here soon! *Youth 2000 events are primarily for 16-35 year olds. If you are in this age range and looking for answers to the big questions in life, then this retreat is for you!* For further information about these events, and about the work of Youth 2000, see [www.youth2000.org](http://www.youth2000.org)

**PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK** Fully escorted 5 Night Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland, 24 April 2017. £649 per person sharing. Price includes flight from Birmingham with 15kg checked in bag, all taxes, luxury transfers, 5 nights' in newly refurbished Knock House Hotel with full Irish Breakfast each morning and 4 Course Dinner each evening. All entertainment, excursions and guided tours included. Wheelchair accessible rooms in the hotel. Limited single rooms at supplement of £50. Groups and Individual bookings welcome. Contact Patricia anytime on 07740 175557 or email [knockpilgrimages@gmail.com](mailto:knockpilgrimages@gmail.com). *Knock Pilgrimages is a member of the Travel Trust Association and is fully protected by ATOL.*

**PILGRIMAGES TO MEDJUGORIE** Tuesday 16 – 23 May and Thursday 19– 26 September - Price £589, flying from Birmingham; price includes transfers from airport to Medjugorje; 7 nights half-board accommodation; all airport and local taxes. For further information, please contact Stephen Griffith on 0759 9024019

**PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO HOLYWELL & PANTASAPH** Saturday 17th June – Cost £24 (including meal of £10 optional). Please speak to Gerry on 07807 238557 All welcome.

**PREPARATION FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION & CONFIRMATION** (for children who DON'T attend St Patrick's school). Preparation sessions take place on Sunday mornings after 9.30am Mass in the Parish Hall (FHC) and the Presbytery (Confirmation). Children should remember to have their *My Journey to First Holy Communion* booklets signed each Sunday by the priest.

**Important Dates in 2017:**

- **Confirmation:** Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm.
- **Mission Appeal:** Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> March
- **St Patrick's Day:** Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March at 12noon.
- **First Holy Communion:** Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> May at 9.30am.



**THE ART OF DYING WELL** is a new website [www.artofdyingwell.org](http://www.artofdyingwell.org) that offers a helping hand to those grappling with issues around death and dying. Based in the Catholic tradition but open to all, it features real-life stories about dealing with the journey through death to eternal life.