

# SAINT JOHN FISHER PARISH

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## Today We Celebrate the Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Cycle C: 920 or 983 (new), 806(old)

**Responsorial Psalm:** Before the angels I will bless you, O Lord.

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia!  
I call you friends, says the Lord;  
because I have made known to you  
everything I have learnt from my father.  
Alleluia!

## The celebrations of Mass and Mass intentions for the coming week:

Sat 9 <sup>th</sup> Feb	6.30 pm	Tom & Nora Lyons: Patrick Ruddy: Len & Mary Gibbs: Thanksgiving Mass (Mullery family) Dec'd Doherty Family. Spec Int ( Brid Anderson.)
Sun 10 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9.30 am 11.30 am	John & Dolores Witham: Ints of Bradley family: William & Ellen Bryant Margaret Dawson: Michael McFall: Ann Hobbs; Spec Int ( Marian Brady.)
Mon 11 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9.00 am	Phyllis Scanlon: Doreen Kenny: Spec Int (Michael McDonagh)
Tues 12 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9.00 am 2.00 pm	Margaret & Charles Cobleby: Spec Int (Margaret Ward) <i>Requiem of Howard Gregory</i>
Wed 13 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9.00 am	Tom McInerney: Francis (Gerry) Kelly
Thurs 14 <sup>th</sup> Feb		<b>Feast of St Cyril, Monk &amp; St Methodius, Bishop. Patrons of Europe</b> Lisa McKernan: Davy McLeod
Fri 15 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9.00 am	Mary Evans: John McGrory
Sat 16 <sup>th</sup> Feb	10.00 am 6.30 pm	Lizzie Conroy: Phil Beech Patrick & Bessie Kane: Ann Hobbs: Pauline Nash
Sun 17 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9.30 am 11.30 am 4.00 pm	<b>Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> Margaret Hancock: Phil Hastings: Teresa Jones Jim Wynne: Mariamma Ivan: Maurice Joyce: Tom MCGovern: Adrian Kennedy: Pam Ivory <i>Reception of Bill Cantillon</i>

Second  
Collection  
next week  
for  
Racial Justice  
Sunday

Date	Time	Reader	Eucharistic Minister
9 <sup>th</sup> Feb	6.30 pm	David, Christine	Steven Bruneau, Chris Grimes, Maureen Steedman
10 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9.30am 11.30am	Luise Ivens, Francis Pace Mary Ogilvie, Carolyn Butler	Brid Conny, Luise Ivens, Tony Wilson Lynda Wells, Mary Ogilvie, Bernadette Norman
16 <sup>th</sup> Feb	6.30 pm	Brendan Fawcett, Daniel Horsley	Rose Trill, Katie Pethullis, Victoria Alfonso
17 <sup>th</sup> Feb	9.30am 11.30am	Ngozi Okafor, Bernadette Billane Joseph Reynolds, Bernadette Norman	Carmel Murray, Mary Malone, Adrienne Philbin Lorraine Selby: Marion Tuson: Halina Greener

**Exposition & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament**  
Tuesday:  
8.30am – 10am  
**Sacrament of Reconciliation**  
Sat: 9.30-9.50am

### **Prayers have been requested for the sick of our parish community:**

Anne Gillies; Walter Kamnisk; Hugh McAteer; Margaret Buckley; Sheila Sedgley; Cath O'Toole, Tom McGrath, Patrick Maughan, John Maughan, Anthony McDonagh, Rose Maughan, Nicola Coyle, Derek Coyle, Kirsty Coyle, Iain Connell, Michael Ward, Jim Ward, Stefan Szwarnowski, Eileen Barnes, Michael Kelly, Liam Connolly Caolan, Mary Logie, Thomas Hewitt, Mindi Devi, Peter Charman, Avis Ostick, Elvino Malazzab

**Last Week's Collections:** 1<sup>st</sup>: £1122.88 2<sup>nd</sup>: LIFE £482.94 Thank you very much

### **Lamp Lit at Sacred Heart Shrine:**

This week: Ints of Tom McSharry  
: Phyllis Scanlon  
Next week: Ints of Joanne

### **Lamp lit at Our Lady's Shrine:**

This Week: Ints of Joanne  
: James Scanlon  
Next week: Ints of Angela & Family

### **Lamp Lit at St Joseph's Shrine**

This week: Dec'd Holt & McDonnell families  
Next Week: 'Thank you' (Mullery Family)

### **Lamp Lit at St Anthony's Shrine**

This week: Ints of Angela & family  
Next Week: Ints of Tom McSharry

### **Please pray for the repose of the souls of those who have died recently**

and for the consolation of their families. We pray especially for:

**Bill Cantillon:** Reception Sun 17<sup>th</sup> Feb @ 4 pm. Requiem Mon 18<sup>th</sup> @ 12 noon  
**Howard Gregory:** Requiem Tues 12<sup>th</sup> Feb @ 2 pm  
**Doreen Kenny:** (Ex SJF School Secretary) Requiem Thurs 14<sup>th</sup> Feb in Lincoln  
**Esther Somers:** Fri 11.15.am - Canon Hill Chapel  
**Angela Knight:** Reception Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> Mar @ 5.30 pm. Requiem Fri 8<sup>th</sup> Mar @ 10.00 am  
**Elizabeth O'Grady:** arrangements to follow

*May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed,  
through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen*

*Candles Lit at Shrines  
available in February  
Candles cost £3.50*

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## NOTICES AND DATES FOR OUR DIARY

### DATES FOR 2019

Wed 6 <sup>th</sup> Mar		Ash Wednesday
Sun 14 <sup>th</sup> Apr		Palm Sunday
Fri 19 <sup>th</sup> Apr		Good Friday
Sun 21 <sup>st</sup> April		Easter Sunday
<b>Sat 18<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>10.30 am</b>	<b>SJF First Holy Communion</b>
<b>Sun 19<sup>th</sup> May</b>	<b>11.30 am</b>	<b>St Gregory's Holy Communion</b>
<b>Sat 8<sup>th</sup> Jun</b>	<b>10.30 am</b>	<b>SJF First Holy Communion</b>

### THANK YOU

The family of the late Thomas McGovern wish to extend their sincere thanks for the expressions of sympathy and support which they received in the loss of Tom. A Mass will be offered for your intentions.

### SVP

Next meeting is on Tuesday Feb 12<sup>th</sup> at 6.30pm

### CAKE SALE – This Sunday

In aid of **Roy Castle / Bridie Daly Cancer Research Fund**

### ST BERNADETTE'S TRUST PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

Sorry - No more places are available –it is wonderful to have so many people interested.

### YOUTH GROUP:

Restarts **Wed 14<sup>th</sup> Feb** in the Parish Centre 6.30 – 8.00 pm

### KENELM YOUTH TRUST:

The Trust organises many and varied activities/courses for Catholic youth. See [www.kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk/bcys.html](http://www.kenelmyouthtrust.org.uk/bcys.html)

### ST GREGORY'S NURSERY :

A few places are still available and bookings are being taken for September. Tel 02476 445900 and speak to Mrs Biddlecombe.

### Romero Catholic Academy

**Are you looking to live out your faith and serve your local community?**

There are vacancies for Foundation Local Academy Committee Representatives at  
Corpus Christi, Good Shepherd, SS Peter & Paul, St John Fisher, St Patrick's and Sacred Heart.

<https://www.bdes.org.uk/academies1.html>

### USED STAMPS FOR MYTON HOSPICE and ITEMS for COVENTRY FOODBANK :

Please give stamps to Fr Bob and leave items for the Foodbank in the porch. Thank you for your generosity.

### EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS & READERS

Rotas are available in the Sacristy.

### SICK LIST

Please contact Fr Bob if you would like a name on the Sick List or if you would like a visit to your home.

### St Patrick's Day Afternoon – Parish Centre Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March

1pm - Bar open: Music  
2pm - Carvery Dinner:  
• Roast beef  
• Turkey  
• Gammon  
• Sweet

**£6 per ticket**

Irish Music and Dancers

*In aid of the Malawi Group – Cardinal Wiseman.*

### ST GEORGE & ST TERESA RC PRIMARY, SOLIHULL

Head Teacher required from Sept 1<sup>st</sup>. Contact: Mrs A Vining, Clerk to GovsTel 07971 265702, Email: [avinging@solgrid.org.uk](mailto:avinging@solgrid.org.uk)

### FR HUDSON'S CARE

St Joseph's Home, Coleshill, offers residential care to older people and those with dementia in a Catholic setting. Respite bedrooms are available for short stays. If anyone you know might benefit, call 01675 434500 for an informal chat or visit.

### COVENTRY TYRONE ASSOCIATION – ANNUAL DANCE

**Fri 15<sup>th</sup> Feb** at Christ the King Centre. Admission £5  
Proceeds to Prostate Cancer

### UMCM & COV CATHOLIC FELLOWSHIP – POST VALENTINE'S TEA PARTY

Sat 16<sup>th</sup> Feb from 3 – 5 pm. Tea party with local musicians and singers. Tickets £5, children free. Contact 02476 443595

### VOCATIONS WEEKEND FOR YOUNG WOMEN

Theme: Follow your Heart – Discernment and Vocation  
Dates: 15 – 17 Feb 2019 Location: Liverpool  
Organised by the sisters, Faithful Companions of Jesus (FCJ). Sr Lynne at [lynnefcj@hotmail.com](mailto:lynnefcj@hotmail.com) or visit [www.fcjsisters.org](http://www.fcjsisters.org)

### AFTERNOON TEA AT THE WALSGRAVE RITZ

Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb 2.30 – 4.30 pm @ Walsgrave Baptist Church.  
Tickets £8. 0772 406 2254, or 07873221566  
Proceeds to Global Care

### THOMAS MERTON: A TALK – 24<sup>TH</sup> FEB

Catholic Times author **Chris McDonnell** will be giving a talk on **Thomas Merton, St Mary's Parish Centre, B17 0DN**. 1.30 pm tea for 2 pm start. Everyone is welcome. No charge.

### WORLD DAY OF PRAYER – 1<sup>ST</sup> MARCH 2019

**Come – Everything is Ready!** A service for everyone at Warwick Rd United Reform Church @ 11 am

### ST PATRICK'S DAY PARTY / SOCIAL – SACRED HEART

Church Hall doors open @ 7pm. Live music with 'The Sisters of Murphy' begins @ 7.30pm. Licenced bar. Tickets £10 to inc buffet. [www.ticketsource.co.uk/sacred-heart-church](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk/sacred-heart-church)

### LIGHT RELECTION:

Two snails are chatting on the pavement. 'I'll have to go now and cross the road.' says one. 'Well, be careful,' says the other, 'there's a bus coming in an hour!' **God bless you all!**

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION FOR CHILDREN IN NON-CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

First Holy Communion will take place on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May.  
Classes for pupils in non-Catholic schools wishing to receive Communion will take place on Saturday mornings **6<sup>th</sup> April** and **4<sup>th</sup> and 11<sup>th</sup> May**, from 9 – 9.45 am

✂ REPLY SLIP ENROLMENT FOR PREPARATION CLASSES FOR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

CHILD'S NAME ..... Tel No: Day .....

ADDRESS ..... Tel No: Evening .....

AGE .....