



# St Patrick's Catholic Church

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## 27<sup>th</sup> April 2025 – Second Sunday of Easter

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>26<sup>th</sup> Apr</b>	5.00pm	Shirley Sugrue (R.I.P); Ana Speak Catherine & John Hegarty (R.I.P); Elizabeth & Paddy Horan (R.I.P)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>27<sup>th</sup> Apr</b>	10.30am	Tom Igoe; Stephen & Sabrina Powell & Family; Kate & Thomas McElligott (R.I.P); The Cassidy family; The Rubbley family
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>29<sup>th</sup> Apr</b>	9.30am	Elizabeth & Ned McElligott (R.I.P)
		10 -11 am	<b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b>
		1.00pm	<b>SSPP KS2 Mass</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>30<sup>th</sup> Apr</b>	11.00am	<b>Funeral service for James Moran</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>1<sup>st</sup> May</b>	9.30am	John Logule; Tom, Christy, Bill & PJ McElligott (R.I.P)
<b>Friday</b>	<b>2<sup>nd</sup> May</b>	9.30am	Betty & Elizabeth O'Sullivan (R.I.P)
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> May</b>	5.00pm	Joan Sugrue (R.I.P); Eileen & Bill Kelly (R.I.P)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> May</b>	10.30am	Michael Eze (R.I.P); Maureen & Keth Legg
<b>Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays 4.00pm to 4.30pm or by appointment</b>			
<b>Devotional Candles:</b>			
<b>Sacred Heart:</b>		<b>Our Lady:</b>	
<b>St Joseph:</b> Special Intention (BK)		<b>St Anthony:</b> Special Intention (BK)	

### THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Your prayers are asked for the sick and lonely of the parish, those in hospital and the housebound, especially:

**Noreen Hegarty**      **Veronica McBean**  
**Annie Neville**      **Degaud Sahoure Gui**  
**Veronica Griffin**      **Nathan Keaveney**  
**Cath O'Donnell**      **Chris Vaughnan**  
**Pat Sugrue**      **Betty Woodlock**

May God grant them healing, comfort and ease of pain.

### FOR THE NEEDY & VULNERABLE

Food items regularly needed:

**Teabags, coffee, sugar, long-life milk, cereal, biscuits, noodles, beans, tomatoes, tuna, corned beef, pasta, rice and lentils.**

Thank you.

### PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Those who have died recently, those who mourn for them and those whose anniversary occurs around this time. We especially remember **James Moran** whose funeral takes place this week. May they rest in peace.

### JUBILEE YEAR PILGRIMAGE

Fr George is hoping for as many companions on the road as possible as he opens the virtual pilgrimage to Compostela after Mass today.

### SUNDAY READINGS

**1<sup>st</sup> READING:** Acts 5:12-16

**2<sup>nd</sup> READING:** Apocalypse 1:9-13,17-19

**GOSPEL:** John 20:19-31

The newsletter is now available on the Deanery Website: [www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk](http://www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk)  
St Patrick's Parish, Coventry, is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham. Registered Charity No: 234216A

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## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**Youth Group meetings** April 30<sup>th</sup>, May 14<sup>th</sup>, June 4<sup>th</sup>, June 18<sup>th</sup>, July 2<sup>nd</sup> and July 16<sup>th</sup>.

**May plant and Surprise bag sale** 17<sup>th</sup> /18<sup>th</sup> May

**International food festival** 8<sup>th</sup> June

**Picnic in the park** 13<sup>th</sup> July

**Bingo Night** 6<sup>th</sup> September

**Cake Sale** 20<sup>th</sup> / 21<sup>st</sup> September

**Family Social Evening** 31<sup>st</sup> October

**Re gifting sale for the homeless** 15<sup>th</sup> /16<sup>th</sup> November

**Christmas Raffle** 21<sup>st</sup> December

## PARISH PRAYER

Father, pour out your Holy Spirit on each member of our parish.  
Warm our hearts with your love, so that we can follow you more closely.  
Enlighten our minds so that we can understand the truth of your word.  
Protect and strengthen all marriages and family life.  
Make our homes places of prayer, peace, harmony and welcome.  
Inspire us to work together with enthusiasm and build our parish into a loving and caring community. We make our prayer through Christ Our Lord.  
Amen.

## JOB VACANCY

We have had many application for the secretarial post but applications are still open if anyone still wants to apply. The closing date for applications is 29<sup>th</sup> April. We will be interviewing on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> May.

## INVITATION TO A BAPTISM

Baby Leon Kalwart will be baptised here on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> May and his family would be delighted if any parishioner wanted to stay after Mass and join them for the ceremony.

## CATHOLIC AND LGBTQ+

The next LGBTQ+ meeting will be held this Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> April at 7.00pm at **St Thomas More Church**. Please note the change of venue.

## MYSTERY FUNDRAISER

We are excited to introduce a fun mysterious new fundraising activity. We are asking everyone who can to bring a bottle of any kind, whether it is soft drink, bubble bath, sauce, wine or anything else and we will wrap it up in a gift bag. Each bag will then be sold for £1 during the plant sale and whatever bottle you get, is yours to keep. It's a great way to give a little surprise and support the church at the same time.

Father Hudson's Caritas

*Pilgrims of Hope*  
Come and learn about the work of Father Hudson's Caritas

Meet the team working with people with disabilities

Monday 28th April 2025  
12:30pm-1:30pm  
or  
Tuesday 29th April 2025  
6pm-7pm

Join us online to explore the work of Father Hudson's Caritas in supporting people with disabilities. We'll reflect on the hope these services bring and the powerful hope people with disabilities offer to our communities.

To register for the online talk please scan the QR code

## COLLECTIONS

06 /04/25	1 <sup>st</sup> collection:	<b>£340.93</b>
	2 <sup>nd</sup> collection:	<b>£179.93</b>
	(Myanmar earthquake)	
13/04/25	1 <sup>st</sup> collection:	<b>£563.35</b>
	2 <sup>nd</sup> collection:	<b>£196.48</b>

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