


<p><b><u>PARISH CLERGY:</u></b></p> <p>PARISH PRIEST <b>Fr. Craig Davies</b></p> <p>PARISH DEACON <b>Rev. Peter Crosby</b></p>	<p><b>ST. MARY OF THE ANGELS</b></p> <p>39 Whetstone Lane Aldridge Walsall WS9 0JD Tel:01922 452316</p>	<p>This Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham.</p> <p><b>Registered Charity</b> <b>Nº:234216</b></p>
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**DATE**  
**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June 2024**

**SUNDAY**  
**Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary**  
**Time Year B**

**DIVINE OFFICE**  
**Week 3**

**Live-stream: All of our services are now Live-streamed.**

<p><b>Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup> Mass of Sunday</b></p>	<p>6:00pm</p>	<p>People of the Parish</p>
<p><b>Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b></p>	<p>9:30am</p>	<p>Thomas Weir <small>RIP (Weir Family)</small></p>
<p><b>Monday 17<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>Feria</b></p>	<p>9:15am</p>	<p>Peggy Smith <small>RIP (Birthday Ann.) (BB)</small></p>
<p><b>Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>Dedication of the Cathedral <small>Feast</small></b></p>	<p>9:15am 6:15pm</p>	<p>Bill Baxendale <small>RIP (MO'L)</small> <b><i>Lectio Divina</i></b></p>
<p><b>Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>Feria</b></p>	<p>6:00pm</p>	<p><b><i>Reception: Mary Finucane</i></b></p>
<p><b>Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>St. Alban <small>Martyr</small> Memorial</b></p>	<p>11:00am 6:00pm 7:00pm</p>	<p><b><i>Requiem: Mary Finucane</i></b> <b><i>Reception: James Golden</i></b> Edwin Wilson <small>RIP (CA)</small></p>
<p><b>Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June</b> <b>St. Aloysius Gonzaga <small>Religious</small> Memorial</b></p>	<p>10:30am</p>	<p><b><i>Requiem: James Golden</i></b></p>
<p><b>Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June</b> <b>Ss. John Fisher <small>Bishop</small> &amp; Thomas <small>Feast</small> More <small>Martyrs</small></b> <b>(1<sup>st</sup> Mass of Sunday)</b></p>	<p>9:30am 10-11am 6:00pm</p>	<p>Private Intention <b><i>Exposition, Confessions &amp; Benediction</i></b> John Mercer <small>RIP (D&amp;TM)</small></p>
<p><b>Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> June</b> <b>Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b></p>	<p>9:30am</p>	<p>People of the Parish</p>

### Pope Francis

Jesus preached and healed the sick by the power of the Holy Spirit. And it was precisely the Spirit that made Him divinely free, that is, capable of loving and serving without measure or conditioning.

### The CaFOD Prayer

#### **Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time**

When we call on you in our despair, or anxiety, or confusion, or dismay, guide us, bring us relief and reassurance. Restore us and give us confidence in your sure support and unfailing love, Lord God. You alone are the one to trust. You alone are our unfailing friend.

### Recently Deceased

Of your charity please pray for the repose of the souls of **David Jessop, Martin Hoskisson, James Golden, Sr. Ann-Marie Eden, & Mary Finucane** on whose souls Sweet Jesus have mercy. May they rest in peace.

**Mary Finucane** will be received into Church at **6:00pm** on **Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> June**. Her Requiem Mass will be celebrated at **11:00am** on **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June**.

**James Golden** will be received into Church at **6:00pm** on **Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> June**. His Requiem Mass will be celebrated at **10:30am** on **Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June**.

### Craft & Natter

We meet on Tuesdays from 11am-3pm in the Parish Meeting Room. Everyone is welcome to come for an hour, a morning or an afternoon, just remember to bring your lunch, 50p per session for refreshments and supplies. For more information call Christine 07900 604902.

### Pope's Prayer Intention

The Pope's prayer intention for June is:- **For migrants fleeing their homes**. We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

### Sick in the Parish

Pray for the sick in the parish, remembering especially:

**Jean Watson, Yvonne Turner, Tony Meehan, Marian Mathews, Marie Wilson, Ian Phipps, Oscar Wordsworth, Nichola Woodhall, Paul Corbett, Carmel Fekete, Lynn Stanley, John Green, Roy Allsopp, Janet Chambers, Jo Hawker, Alison Welton, Louise Morgan, Margaret Davis, Joe Bannister, Margaret Healy, Juliet Woodhall, Luke Smith, Catherine Shepherd, Jim Smith, David Goodwin, Antonio Bigongiari, Olivia <sup>(Dotty)</sup> Cutler, Ann & Keith Allford, Anna Morgan <sup>née Meehan</sup>, Holly Brady, Jo Cooke, Anne Humphreys, Theresa Chandler, Fr. Paul Chamberlain, Cath Breen, Max Lewis, David & Sheila Piggott, Clare Cooksey & Áine McDonagh.**

Please remember also in your prayers those who carry the burden of their illnesses privately and those who care for them, that the Lord may grant them His healing and peace.

### Lectio Divina

On Tuesdays we hold our weekly sessions of Lectio Divina at **6:15pm** in the Parish Meeting Room. This wonderful opportunity of praying with the scriptures, allowing God to speak to us through His word, is open to all. If you have never experienced this powerful form of prayer why not come along!

## Safeguarding Notice

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Mr. Gerry Wintrip. Gerry can be contacted at: [sg.smota.aldridge@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:sg.smota.aldridge@rcaob.org.uk) or the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted at [safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk) or on 0121 230 6240 if you have any concerns.

## Date for your Diary

On **Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July** we will hold our annual Garden Party. Please save the date of this important social event, at which there will be Strawberries and Cream, and remember to come along. There will be a sign –up sheet in the porch shortly.

## CaFOD Pudding Sale

Our 'Fathers Day' pudding sale will now be held next Sunday, **23<sup>rd</sup> June**, after the morning Mass. We will need donations of cakes, puddings and **urgently now** Raffle Prizes for this day please. Remember also to come along to support this event.

## Wednesday Friends

The next meeting of the Wednesday Friends takes place this Wednesday, **19<sup>th</sup> June**, from **10am** in the Meeting Room. Come along to enjoy some friendly company together with a nice cup of tea/coffee and some warm buttered toast. We would love to see you there.

## Retiring Collection

This weekend, **15<sup>th</sup>/16<sup>th</sup> June**, there will be a retiring collection for **Day for Life**. This important collection supports the Church's Mission to promote and protect the dignity of life from conception to natural death.



## Children's Liturgy of the **Word**

Children's Liturgy takes place every Sunday at the 9:30am Mass. At the start of Mass the children will be invited to go out to the Meeting Room for their liturgy.

**All children are welcome to come along.**

## Deanery Pastoral Council

This first meeting of the newly formed 'Deanery Pastoral Council' takes place St. Mary the Mount, Walsall, on Monday, **17<sup>th</sup> June**, at **7pm**. Please could I ask the our two Parish Representatives check that they have this date in the diaries.

## St Mary of the Angels School

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> June marks the 60<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the blessing of St. Mary of the Angels Primary School. Mrs Hill invites past pupils, staff, governors, and all parishioners to a celebration Mass at 9:15am to mark this wonderful occasion. The Mass will be celebrated on the school field, however, if the weather is not so good the Mass will take place in the church. If you have photographs, memorabilia, or items of interest to share or lend to the school for them to display as part of the celebration please contact the school via:

[postbox@st-maryangel.walsall.sch.uk](mailto:postbox@st-maryangel.walsall.sch.uk)

Photographs can be scanned and sent to the same email address, which the school will then use to create a special book to mark this momentous occasion.

## Sunday Coffee Mornings

Every Sunday, after the 9:30am Mass, we have our weekly coffee morning in the Parish Meeting Room. We'd love to see you there.

### Sacrament of the Sick

Please remember to inform Fr. Craig **directly** in case of sickness, especially if it requires hospital treatment or a prolonged absence from Mass. If you cannot inform the clergy yourself it is then your family who should take on this responsibility.

### Baptism Enquiries

If you would like to have your child Baptised here at St. Mary of the Angels, please visit the 'Baptismal Enquiry' page of the parish website using the following link: <https://www.catholicaldridge.co.uk/baptismal-enquiries.html> Here you can complete a '**Baptism Enquiry Form**'. The next available dates for Baptism Preparation is:

**7pm Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September**

### Collections:

**Last Weekend's Offertory: £246.86**  
**Weekly Standing Orders: £920.00**

### **PARISH DUTIES THIS WEEKEND: 15<sup>TH</sup> / 16<sup>TH</sup> June 2024**

<b>6:00PM VIGIL MASS</b>	<b>READERS:</b>	Cathy S & Brian L
<b>9:30AM SUNG MASS</b>	<b>MUSIC:</b>	Folk Group
	<b>READERS:</b>	Helen C & Catherine A

### **Duties During the Week: 17<sup>TH</sup> – 22<sup>ND</sup> June 2024**

<b>CLEANERS:</b>	Team A
<b>FLOWERS:</b>	Anne H

### **PARISH DUTIES NEXT WEEKEND: 22<sup>ND</sup> / 23<sup>RD</sup> June 2024**

<b>6:00PM VIGIL MASS</b>	<b>WELCOMERS:</b>	Dawn M
	<b>WARDENS:</b>	Peter H
	<b>READERS:</b>	John H & Gerry W
<b>9:30AM SUNG MASS</b>	<b>MUSIC:</b>	Choir
	<b>WELCOMERS:</b>	Margaret L, Helen A & Elena S
	<b>WARDENS:</b>	Pat & Sally S
	<b>READERS:</b>	Martin B & Will B
<b>COFFEE:</b>	Dorothy C, Bernadette D & Christine L	

**And finally:-** Today in the second reading St. Paul speaks of being confident. I hope and pray that this weekend, as we listen to the scriptures, we too become full of confidence as we ponder over the message that they bring. Today we are reminded of God's power; how from things seemingly small and insignificant, a mustard seed and a small shoot, God can do great things. Sometimes as we look around, as we see others who share our faith, we may begin to feel that we have nothing to offer, or that our gifts and talents are nothing in comparison to theirs. This, however, is simply not the case! No matter how unworthy we may feel, or how little we seem to have, in our own imagining, God can and will do great things with us if we but simply entrust ourselves to His mighty power. In another place St. Paul tells us to "fan into a flame the gift of God, which is in you...". Every gift, every talent, no matter how small, can become a roaring fire in the service of the Church if we put it into action, and allow God's grace to give it life.

*May God bless you all, Fr. Craig*