

Services at St George & St Teresa

15TH MARCH 2020 – THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT

Saturday	5.30pm	Denys Lynch RIP (P&B S)
Sunday	8.45am	People of the Parish
Sunday	10.30am	Peter Niblett RIP (DN)
	5.00pm	Stations of the Cross
	6.15pm	Reception – Isobel Eustace

WEEKDAY SERVICES

16.3 Mon	11.00am	Funeral Isobel Eustace
17.3 Tue	9.15am	SCHOOL St Patrick Teresa Alibon (TP)
18.3 Wed	10.00am	Feria Rena Murray RIP (JM)
19.3 Thu	9.15am	St Joseph Husband of Mary Mass or Communion Service
20.3 Fri	9.15am	Feria Catherine Helen (AR)
21.3 Sat	10.00am	Feria Roy Smith RIP (VC)

22ND MARCH 2020 – FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT

Collection for Survive-Miva

Saturday	5.30pm	People of the Parish
Sunday	8.45am	Roy Smith RIP (E MB)
Sunday	10.30am	Peter Morgan RIP (I & D M)
	5.00pm	Stations of the Cross

CONFESSIONS : Saturday 10.30am – 11.00am

CHURCH ROTAS

CHURCH CLEANING

This week	M Wilkes	P Wilkes
Next week	D Morgan	P Hogan

READERS, EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS, COUNTERS

This Week	Readers	Eucharistic Ministers			Counters
5.30pm	J Taylor	J Hildreth	H Grosvenor	T Taylor	J Hildreth
8.45am	J Smith	J Clarke	A Robinson	F Slater	J Hildreth
10.30am	M Osborne	L Hughes	T Kennelly	D Powell	
Next week					
5.30pm	T Hart	S Fildes	C Conway		F Slater
8.45am	L Ventrella	S Moroney	R Goodman	E Moroney Barnett	A Collins
10.30am	V Nicholls	T Seddon	F Long		

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Catholic Church
Dorridge

Third Sunday of Lent
15th March 2020

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THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT: The water that I shall give will turn into a spring of eternal life.

SURVIVE-MIVA. Next weekend we welcome a speaker from Survive-Miva (Missionary Vehicle Association) who will be making an appeal at all Masses. Gift aid envelopes are available.

CORONAVIRUS: Following guidance from the Bishops' Conference of England and Wales, the following measures are being implemented in the interests of hygiene:

- From now on Holy Communion will no longer be distributed under both kinds.
- Holy Communion will be given in the hand only.
- The sign of peace will be either omitted or replaced by a bow.
- Holy water stoups will not be in use.
- Those most vulnerable to infections should stay at home.
- No hymn books and missals will be used.
- Please wash your hands before coming to mass.
- If you have cold or flu symptoms please do not attend liturgies.
- Teas and Coffees after mass are suspended.
- We will be endeavouring to supply hand sanitizer gel for the Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion and for everyone attending Mass.

More detailed guidance can be found on the Bishops' Conference website <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/home/our-work/health-social-care/coronavirus-guidelines>
This is a developing situation and these measures may well be updated.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CLASSES FOR CHILDREN AT NON CATHOLIC SCHOOLS:

Due to more children now coming forward for Church classes we are hoping to offer preparation for First Holy Communion. Lessons will begin this weekend. Please contact Isabel Cusack on 07919 685685 or at isabelcusack@yahoo.co.uk

SVP SOCIAL AFTERNOON In view of the risk posed by the Corona Virus it has been decided to cancel this month's Social Afternoon due to be held on Tuesday 31st March. We apologise for any disappointment or inconvenience caused. St George and St Teresa SVP.

FINDING A VOICE: Please note that the Finding a Voice course, is not running this Tues 17th March it continues on 24th March – 7th April at 7.30pm in the Parish Centre.

200/300 CLUB: Thanks to all parishioners who have renewed their subscriptions for this year, only a few are still outstanding. We have lost some members for 2020 but it's not too late to join, forms are available in the Narthex.

“Congratulations” to the Lucky Winners in the Prize Draws

January: £15 each – E Parker, V Pearson, P Hogan

February: £50 – J Edwards; £15 each – K T Murray, J Murray, R Service.

PARISH FINANCE COMMITTEE: We are looking for a volunteer to come onto the Finance Committee, ideally someone with property experience.

GIFT AID: Blue boxes containing collection envelopes for the 2020-21 Tax Year are in the Narthex for your collection, please take your envelopes as soon as possible. For those who give by standing order there are yellow boxes which contain just the retiring collection envelopes. If you are registered for Gift Aid it is important that we are advised of any change to your address or tax status – please contact Parish Gift Aid Co-ordinators Joan and Tony Taylor on 01564 205238. If your donations are not already Gift Aided, please consider registering if you pay tax on income (salaries, pensions, investments etc). It is so easy to increase the value of your contributions to the Parish at no additional cost to yourself.

GIFT AID REPORT - in the tax year **2018-19** the parish was able to claim back from the Revenue & Customs **£16,397** as a result of your donations. **£13,374** of this was from offertory donations; **£1,854** was from School Building Fund donations and the remaining **£1,169** was from donations towards the new Baptistery. Thank you so much to all those parishioners who have supported the parish in this way.

HCPT EASTER LOURDES PILGRIMAGE: HCPT have decided that due to the Coronavirus their Pilgrimage to Lourdes this Easter will be postponed until later in the year or possibly next Easter. All donations received will be used towards this future pilgrimage and I thank you for all the support I've received. Francesca

DAY OF RECOLLECTION: The Catholic Women's League Olton Section have decided to cancel the Day of Recollection at the Columbans on 19 March due to concerns about coronavirus. They are sorry for this but feel most ladies attending are in the vulnerable group.

THE GOD WHO SPEAKS: The second evening celebrating, understanding and praying the Word of God due to take place on Friday 20th March is postponed.

ROOF REPAIRS: Work to repair the Parish Centre and Church roof is starting on 17th March and is due to be completed by 27th May (weather permitting). During this time the pathway from the front door of the Church to the Presbytery carpark will be out of use.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS RECOLLECTION: There will be an Evening of Recollection for Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion at Maryvale Institute on Thursday 2nd April from 5.30pm to 9.30pm. It will be led by Fr Joseph The-quang Nguyen. The cost of the evening is £5. To book ring 0121 360 8118. For details see the poster in the narthex.

THE GOD WHO SPEAKS: Please see leaflets in the Narthex for details of the Lent programme for the year of the word of God at Olton Friary.

CHURCHES TOGETHER AT KNOWLE DORRIDGE & BENTLEY HEATH LENT COURSES 2020

KNOWLE URC are running the York Course 'ON THE THIRD DAY' during lent omitting 11th March. It will be held in the Vestry, Knowle URC led by Rev Fiona Elvins To attend please contact Graham Tall 775527 or grahamtall@yahoo.com

DORRIDGE METHODIST CHURCH are running the York Course 'Superstar' on Mondays at 7.30pm in March at DMC led by Rev Caz Hague. Space is limited so if you wish to attend please contact Gill Wilkins on 01564 773561 or gill.wilkins@hotmail.com

KNOWLE PARISH CHURCH 'Resources for the Journey' Rev Geoff Lanham is leading a course offering a 'spiritual toolkit' helping us to walk more closely to God. These will take place on Tuesday evenings at 8pm for 5 weeks in March in the Lower Guild House.

'Apocalypse Now – an exploration of the book of Revelation' led by Rev Canon Andrew Dowe. It is on Wed 8pm in St John's Hall during lent up to 1 April omitting 25 March. Details at www.kpc.org.uk/courses-during-lent/ If wishing to attend let the Parish Office know 01564 779123 office@kpc.org.uk

RAVENSHAW COURT om Four Ashes Road is hosting a course on the 'Psalms' led by Rev Meg Guillebaud on Wed afternoons at 3pm in March. Space is limited so if you would like to attend contact: Carol Linfield mob 07914 838123 or carol.linfield@gmail.com

PARISH CENTRE BOOKINGS			
Mon 16th	Pilates Class	Hall	10.00 – 12.00
Mon 16th	Solihull Primary Care Trust	Hall + Kitchen	13.30 - 16.30
Mon 16th	Head Start	Conf Room	15.30 – 19.00
Mon 16th	Kick Box	Hall	17.00 – 20.00
Mon 16th	Post Natal Fitness Class	Hall	20.30 – 21.30
Tues 17th	Rock Choir	Hall	09.30 – 12.00
Tues 17th	Spanish	Conf Room	11.30 – 15.00
Tues 17th	Head Start	Conf Room	15.30 – 18.00
Tues 17th	U3A Opera Appreciation	Conf Room	18.00 – 22.00
Tues 17th	Dorridge Flower Club	Hall + Kitchen	18.30 – 22.00
Wed 18th	Rhythm Time	Hall	09.00 – 12.30
Wed 18th	Spanish Class	Conf Room	13.00 – 14.30
Wed 18th	Solihull U3A Film Group	Conf Room	18.30 – 22.00
Wed 18th	Tai Chi	Hall	18.45 – 20.00
Thu 19th	Italian Class	Conf Room	09.30 – 13.30
Thu 19th	Dorridge Striders and Strollers	Hall + Kitchen	10.00 – 12.00
Thu 19th	Solihull Primary Care Trust	Hall + Kitchen	13.30 – 16.30
Thu 19th	Scanlon School of Irish Dancing	Hall	17.00 – 18.00
Thu 19th	Pilates	Hall	18.30 – 20.30
Thu 19th	AA Meeting	Conf Room + Kitchen	19.00 – 21.30
Fri 20th	Dance Fitness for over 50s	Hall	10.00 – 11.00
Fri 20th	Italian Class	Conf Room	10.30 – 12.00
Fri 20th	Italian Class	Conf Room	15.00 – 16.30
Sun 22nd	Childrens Liturgy	Hall + Kitchen	10.00 – 12.00
<i>It is important that users of the Parish Centre arrange bookings (and payments for non-Parish Events) through Oksana Zurak 07967-846 963 or oksanazurak@gmail.com</i>			



Your Prayers are asked

For those who are Sick: Dorothy Perkins, Pam Goodwin, Margaret Wright, Margaret Sullivan, Cathy MacLeod, Michael and Brenda Grosvenor. *Let us also remember those who care for them.*

For those Anniversaries which occur in the last 20 years: Catherine Helen, Kathleen Nicholls, Peter Niblett, Peter Morgan, John Hildreth, Francis Maguire, Charles Ward, John Fildes, Alan McDonald, Hertha Findlay.

Recently Deceased: Canon Peter Taylor, Fr Robert Wright, Isobel Eustace – Her reception is on Sunday 15th March at 6.15pm and funeral at 11am on 16th March.

OFFERTORY: 8.3.20
CAFOD Fast Day

Envelopes: £482 Plate: £255
Envelopes: £358 Plate: £523