

# The Parish of Our Lady & St Hubert

## Parish Newsletter



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The parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered Charity No: 234216

### Seventh Sunday of Easter 11<sup>th</sup> / 12<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup>	6:00pm	First Mass of Sunday	Jacky Hawkings RIP
Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	Easter Sunday Mass	John Sawford Birthday
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup>	No Mass Today		
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	St Mathias	Marion Birthday Int.
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	Eastertide Mass	Johnson Fund Int.
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup>	9:15am	School Mass (Moat rd)	Johnson Fund Int.
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup>	6:00pm	Adoration and Benediction	
	7:00pm	Eastertide Mass	Johnson Fund Int.
Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	Saint Pope John 1 <sup>st</sup>	People of the Parish
	6:00pm	First Mass of Sunday	Rose Pemberton

### Pentecost Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> May 2024

Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup>	10:00am	Sunday Mass	Joy Hynes
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2<sup>nd</sup> collection this weekend is Catholic Communications

There is no 2<sup>nd</sup> collection then until 16<sup>th</sup> June

## Offertory Totals for 28<sup>th</sup> April 2024

<i>Gift Aid</i>	£71.60	<i>Non GA</i>	£163.43	<i>Standing Orders</i>	£229.00	<i>Totals</i>	£678.32
<i>CaFod Special Emergency</i>			£214.29				

**Parish Sunday Lunch at the Wernley.** The proposed dates for this meal are Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June at 2:00pm or Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June at 2:00pm. **There are sheets available** at the back of church for you to indicate your preferred day and to provide us with a rough idea of numbers. I have also left a couple of copies of the current menu at the Wernley for you to have a look at. The Wernley is a part of a chain of pubs known as *Sizzling Pubs*. Their menu is also available down [www.sizzlingpubs.co.uk](http://www.sizzlingpubs.co.uk)

**Parish Barbecue:** We are planning to have a barbecue on the parish lawn, weather permitting on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June at 3:00pm. There will be the usual beefburgers and sausages in rolls available - but we shall also be inviting you to bring some dishes along with you to share

**Correction:** The date of the Summer Fete is still to be decided. It will not be on the 15<sup>th</sup> June as previously advertised

**Piety Store:** Place your orders for your First Holy Communion Gifts. Order forms and Catalogues available in the porch area.

**Parish Tote:** You can still join the parish Tote this year to be included in the monthly draw for the remaining months of the year. If you are interested, please see Deacon David or Fr Roger or Sue Houghton

**Parish Census** forms are available at the back of the church, they need to be handed to Ann Williams, our safeguarding officer, to comply with the general data protection rules (GDPR)

**Care for the Sick:** If you know of anyone who lives in the parish who is sick, infirm, or housebound and is unable to get to mass and would like regular communion to be brought to them - or who might like an occasional visit - please pass on their details to Fr Roger.

Also please let Fr Roger know if there is someone who is going to hospital who might like a visit there.

**Collection for the Food Brandhall Pantry:** Here is a list of the most wanted items; UHT Milk semi skimmed, Tinned Carrots, Tinned Potatoes, Tinned Rice Pudding, Tinned Sweet Corn, Tinned Peas, Sugar, Small jars of Coffee, Biscuits, Frey Bentos Pies, Savoury Rice Packets, Corned Beef, Squash/Cordial, Cooking Oil, Tinned Steak/Minced Beef

**Security:** Please ensure that you take care of your own property (handbags, phones etc.) always, while at the church

### **Matthias - from Wikipedia**

There is no mention of a Matthias among the lists of disciples or followers of Jesus in the three synoptic gospels (Matthew, Mark & Luke), but according to Acts, he had been with Jesus from his baptism by John until his Ascension. In the days following, Peter proposed that the assembled disciples, who numbered about 120, nominate two men to replace Judas. They chose Joseph called Barsabas (whose surname was Justus) and Matthias. Then they prayed, "Thou, Lord, which knowest the hearts of all men, show whether of these two thou hast chosen, that he may take part of this ministry and apostleship, from which Judas by transgression fell, that he might go to his own place." Then they cast lots, and the lot fell to Matthias; so he was numbered with the eleven apostles.

No further information about Matthias is to be found in the New Testament. Even his name is variable: the Syriac version of Eusebius calls him throughout not Matthias but "Tolmai", not to be confused with Bartholomew (which means Son of Tolmai), who was one of the twelve original Apostles; Clement of Alexandria refers once to Zacchaeus in a way which could be read as suggesting that some identified him with Matthias; *The Clementine*

Recognitions identify him with Barnabas; Adolf Bernhard Christoph Hilgenfeld thinks he is the same as Nathanael in the Gospel of John.

### **Please Pray for...**

**Sick Clergy of the Diocese:** Fr Alan Bell CHS, Fr Anthony Dykes, Fr Brian Wall, Fr Bruce Dutson, Fr Dominic Innamorati SCJ, Fr Fred Sheldon, Fr Jacob Lewis, Fr John Baggley, Fr Michael Ho, Fr Peter Blundell, Fr Roger Peck, Fr Tony Rohan, Fr Walter Bance, and Mgr Graham Wilkinson.

**The sick of the parish. Especially:** - Evelyn Knight, Teresa Stanley, Pat Walsh, Gabrielle O'Grady, Roberta Crowther, Lilly Rogers, Edna Edwards, Barbara & Chris O'Brien, John Sawford, Terence Rose, Marion King, David Walter, Howard Knight, Barbara Powell, Martin Thomas, Peter Brewer, Anna Cartlidge, Christine Connolly, Jawed Akhter; John Southall; Joe O'Grady; Terrance McDonagh; Maureen McCamley; Mary McDonagh; Philip Williams; Janey Heanue; Pauline Bill; Veronica Kelly; Lourdes; Sandra Wood; Mary Williams; Nora Petch

**The recently deceased:** Valarie Drew; David Quigley; Angela O'Neill; Michael Pernell; Bernadette Joyce Kelly; Louis Kenneth Pearce

**For those whose anniversary occurs at about this time, including:** James Wallace; Mary Shepperd; Dora Moss; Katryn, Marian Lalepa; Sydrey Brinton; Helen Sully; Michael Reel; John Field; Marie Allen; Agnes Moss; Margarie Shepperd; Barbara Nocon; Edward Ellsmore; Mary Kiernan; Ann Elizabeth (Nancy) Smith; Phyllis McNally; Tess Chilton; Jean-Marie Williams; Patrick Walsh; Bernard Noakes; Winifred Mary Dewar; Mary Luckman; Mavis Astbury; Maria Consorte; Kathleen Seery; Anthony Harrison; Kathleen Mantle; Patrick Kenny; Ann Marie-Fitzgerald