



Parish of the Sacred Heart and Saint Margaret Mary, Aston

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Welcome to the Sacred Heart & St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church. If you are visiting us for the first time we wish to welcome you and your family and hope that you enjoy your visit.

Mass Times & Intentions

Second Sunday in Lent (A)

**Saturday 4th March 12.30pm –
Catherine Butler (Int)**

**Sunday 5th March 10.15am –
Maureen Sawyer (R.I.P)**

**School Mass Wednesday 8th March 9.10am –
All are welcome**

Third Sunday in Lent (A)
Saturday 11th March 12.30pm – Kitty McManus
(Anniversary)

Sunday 12th March 10.15am – William Davies
(R.I.P)

25th/26th February

1st Collection - £216.79

2nd Collection Turkey/Syria - £186.68

Prayers for those who have died:

Canon Garry Byrne, Patrick Bland, Edna Grigg.

**Prayers for members of our parish community
who are sick or housebound:**

Maura Greene, John McManus, Andy Walsh,
Bernadette Harnett, Noreen Fowler, Clem Murray,
Julie Bartram, Mary Cartridge, Paul Craig, Rob
Badland.

Palm Sunday weekend
Saturday 1st April - 12.30pm
Sunday 2nd April) – 10.15am

Holy Thursday 6th April
Mass of the Lord's Supper - 7.00pm

Good Friday 7th April
Walk of Witness TBA
Liturgy of the Lord's Passion – 3.00pm

Holy Saturday 8th April
No 12.30pm Mass today
Easter Vigil &
First Mass of Easter – 7.00pm

Easter Sunday 9th April
Mass as normal 10.15am

Stations of the Cross - There will be Stations of the Cross every Sunday during Lent following the 10.15am Sunday Mass

**SECOND COLLECTION: THIS WEEKEND CATHEDRAL MAINTENANCE
NEXT SUNDAY: CAFOD FAST DAY**

Message from Father Tim

We have made a good start to Lent.

The congregation on Ash Wednesday evening was like a Sunday morning.

I want our community to continue growing and embracing every opportunity.

Holy Week is a time I would like to ask you to support your parish in its life of prayer.

The ceremonies of Holy Week. Perhaps these have not been a custom for you as a family or an individual but it is sometimes said that if you don't come to the ceremonies of Holy Week you are missing a key part of the life faith all the year round.

Holy Thursday evening – the Mass of the Lord's Supper – when Jesus gave us the Eucharist and demonstrated humility and service by washing the feet of his disciples.

This is one of the most beautiful Masses of the year. Sadly, last year's attendance at this Mass was really poor and very disappointing. So I am asking you to note the date and to really commit to making this a very special celebration of a parish that treasures the Eucharist and our life as a living community of faith.

More about the ceremonies of Holy Week as Lent goes on.

Who to contact

Safeguarding Representatives:

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The Heart
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Birmingham B6 6LA
Tel 0121 240 5352

Irish Heritage celebration ahead of St Patrick's Day
Monday 6th March (this week) at 7pm in Sacred Heart Club.
All welcome and tell your friends.

St. Mark's Gospel – Father Stephen is planning to run zoom sessions looking at St. Mark's Gospel. They will run on Saturdays at 8pm starting on 11th March. If you are interested in taking part please email fr.stephen.pimlott@rcaob.org.uk and he will send the necessary details to sign in.

The Big Lent Walk – our school have signed up to CAFOD's Big Walk initiative this Lent in an effort to raise money to help fight global poverty. It would be wonderful if you could support the children on this fantastic challenge – donation envelopes are available at the back of the church.