



**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**

**16<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)**

**Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 12.30pm – Joan Rawlings (Int)**

**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> July 10.15am – Daniel Joicey (R.I.P)**

**Friday 28<sup>th</sup> July 7.00pm – Matthews & Daniels Family**

17<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> July 12.30pm – Linnet Brookes (R.I.P)

Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> July 10.15am – Dawn McLoughlin (R.I.P)

15<sup>th</sup> / 16<sup>th</sup> July

1<sup>st</sup> Collection **£238.90**

2<sup>nd</sup> Collection – Apostleship of the Sea **£113.30**

**Prayers for those who have died:**

Canon John Gunn, Maura Greene, Alan Dinshaw, Dean Winnal, Daniel Joicey, Norah Smith, Michael Martin Kelly, Alex McClure, Myles Christie, Patricia Galligan, Father Clement McManus, Fr Bernard Garrett, Deborah Jones, Athanasius Amungwa, Fr John Darley.

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

John McManus, Andy Walsh, Bernadette Harnett, Noreen Fowler, Clem Murray, Julie Bartram, Mary Cartridge, Paul Craig, Rob Badland, Robert Mee. Please give the names of any sick or housebound you would like mentioned in the newsletter to Fr Tim, Teresa or Marie.

**The Mass Intention Diary is filling up fast – all dates are taken for July, August, September and most of October.**

**Congratulations** to Fr Godlove Amungwa who was ordained on Friday evening in Shrewsbury.

Thank you to those who were able to go from our parish and to celebrate the joyful occasion.

Fr Tim will attend his First Mass in Altrincham this Sunday (23<sup>rd</sup>).

Congratulations to Deacon Ambrose Chou, another of our seminarians who comes to Sacred Heart parish at weekends, on his recent ordination as a Deacon at Oscott College. We pray for all seminarians.

*Dear Parishioners and Friends,  
As the school summer holidays begin, we wish  
all those in education a good break.  
We pray for those who will be going away over  
the summer – that you may travel safely.  
We pray that everybody will have some  
opportunity to rest and reflect on life.*

*At our Sunday 10.15am Mass this weekend, we  
pray in a special way for the repose of the soul  
of Daniel Joicey, a former pupil and member  
of staff of our parish primary school, who died  
recently at a very young age.  
We pray for his family and friends.*

### **Dates for the Diary**

**Their Journey Our Legacy: A Celebration of the Windrush 75 Generation Saturday 29th July**, 6.30pm to 10pm St Francis Parish Centre, Wretham Road, Handsworth B19 1ED. The West Indian Chaplaincy will be holding an event to showcase Caribbean culture and heritage and learn about the history of the Windrush generation, with speakers, music, poetry and more. The event is free, funded by Birmingham City Council #Windrush75inBrum. More information and booking via Eventbrite: [www.eventbrite.com/e/their-journey-our-legacy-a-celebration-of-the-windrush-75-generation-tickets-656169760417](http://www.eventbrite.com/e/their-journey-our-legacy-a-celebration-of-the-windrush-75-generation-tickets-656169760417) Printed tickets available from The West Indian Chaplaincy, Bayswater Road, Birchfield, Birmingham B20 3AE, tel 0121 551 2084, on Sundays before and after Mass: 10.30 - 11.15am and 12.45 - 1.30pm; and on Fridays 6.00-7.00pm. (Pre-booking is not essential but please text 07399 549901 to check availability). They would also love to hear from anyone from the Windrush generation and their descendants who would like to share their stories. Before the event there will be a Mass to celebrate the Windrush anniversary at 5pm in St Francis' church. For more information please contact: Sr Marie Joynes 0121 551 2084 or Ann Kelly, [a.m\\_kelly@btinternet.com](mailto:a.m_kelly@btinternet.com).

**Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> August** – Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary.  
Parish Mass 7.15pm

**March for Life UK** – London. Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> September.

**Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September** – the annual diocesan pilgrimage to the Shrine of the English Martyrs at Harvington Hall (between Bromsgrove and Kidderminster). An open-air Mass celebrated by Archbishop Bernard Longley at 3pm.

### **Who to contact**

**Safeguarding Representatives:**  
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**Health & Safety Representative:**  
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**Sacred Heart Parish Social Club**  
The Heart  
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Sunday Lunch  
12 noon – 4.30pm

*Please take this newsletter home with you*