



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

19th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

Saturday 12th August 12.30pm – Mary & George Ireland & Angela O’Keeffe

Sunday 13th August 10.15am – Margaret Delaney (Birthday)

Tuesday 15th August 7.15pm – Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

This is a Holyday of Obligation – a special day of the Church’s Year where we are asked to make a special effort to come to Mass.

20th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

Saturday 19th August 12.30pm – Mary & John Byrne (Jnr) (R.I.P)

Sunday 20th August 10.15am – Peter McKernan (Anniv)

Collection

5th /6th August **£339.85**

Prayers for those who have died:

Fr Anthony Davies, 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, Trevor Francis, George Alagiah.

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 August and September and most of October.

‘Tea & Talk’- Over 50’s get together friendship group next meet Tuesday 22nd August from 12noon until 2pm. Why not come and join us, bring a friend - you will be made very welcome.

Raffle for Sister Stella (DDL) – Many thanks for your very generous support which raised £100 towards the publishing costs of Sister Stella’s recently published book. List of winners at back of church. Thank You.

Message from Father Tim
I have received the following message from Fr Godlove:

*Dear Parishioners of Sacred Heart Aston and St Chad's Cathedral,
Thank you very much for all your support, love and friendship. You turned out in style to support me on the occasion of my ordination to the Priesthood, despite the change in schedule from September to July. This goes a long way to show how much love you have for me, and I thank you. Thanks a lot for the beautiful cards, as well as the lovely and thoughtful gifts! And most especially, for your presence and prayers. I will remember you all in prayer, and please keep the prayers going for me and my family, especially at this time. I am currently in Cameroon to lay my dad to rest. I look forward to celebrating Mass with you on my return to the UK in a few weeks, if the Lord spares me.
With gratitude and appreciation,
Fr Godlove*

Dates for the Diary

This Tuesday (15th) – the Solemn Feast of the Assumption of Our Lady into Heaven. An important celebration all over the world...and in Aston. Mass at 7.15pm.

As the Football Season starts, please check fixture times and how it might affect Mass times.

Sunday 3rd 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. Transport can be provided. Please sign up at the back of church today.

Second Collections:

9th/10th September – Catholic Education Service

16th/17th September – Catholic Evangelisation

23rd/24th September Father Hudson's Society

There will be a special Mass this Autumn for remembering and praying for our loved ones who have gone before us and whose loss we feel and all of the families who have lost loved ones in the past year. More details will be given as soon as a date is confirmed.

Who to contact

Safeguarding Representatives:

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Sacred Heart Parish Social Club

The Heart

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Sunday Lunch

12 noon – 4.30pm

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