



**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**

**32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)**

**Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> November 12.30pm – Pat & Paul Davis & Family**

**Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> November 10.15am – Carmel Biddle (R.I.P)**

**11.30am Baptism**

**School Mass Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> November**

**9.10am – All are welcome**

33<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A)

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> November 12.30pm – Harnett & Bell Families

Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> November 10.15am – Stacey Oledibe

Friday 24<sup>th</sup> November 7.00pm – Omar Cherno Jallow (Anniv)

Collection 4 <sup>th</sup> /5 <sup>th</sup> November	
Offertory	£320.73
2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection	
Johnson Association	£124.58

**Prayers for those who have died:**

Fr Paul Chavasse, John O'Connor, Patrick Flood, Christina Timmins

**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, Linda Lawton, Margaret Armstrong, Ann Walsh, Patricia O'Gorman.

**'Tea & Talk' - Over 50's get together friendship group next meet Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November from 12noon until 2pm. Why not come and join us, bring a friend - you will be made very welcome.**

Forthcoming Second Collections

25<sup>th</sup>/26<sup>th</sup> November – Catholic Youth Service

9<sup>th</sup>/10<sup>th</sup> December – Poor Parishes Fund

**Aston Villa forthcoming matches**

Sunday 12th November - Fulham **2.00pm**  
Sunday 26th November (Ladies) - Everton **2.00pm**  
Saturday - 30th December - Burnley **3.00pm**

*'Responding to the Call of Creation'* Please see the poster on Parish Notice Board. You can view the newsletters and other resources on the website, [Responding to the Call of Creation Newsletter | Birmingham Diocesan Trust \(birminghamdiocese.org.uk\)](http://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk)

Message from Father Tim .....

*Dear Parishioners and Friends,*

*When I was a child and into my teens, I didn't really get what all the fuss was about on Remembrance Sunday. It seemed irrelevant to me, what had happened in the past. The two World Wars seemed to be in the past and I didn't know why people wanted to keep talking about them. But in my lifetime, there has been the Falklands Conflict and all of the wars since which have made war and conflict very much a thing of the present, rather than of the past. A visit to the National Memorial Arboretum in Staffordshire is both thought-provoking and humbling. The loss of life of such young people in war often begs the question: Why? Today, we Remember, because people who make sacrifices for others deserve not to be forgotten. And in the Eucharist, we Remember and make present the sacrifice of Christ. On this Remembrance Sunday, let us pray for Peace in the World.*

*Best wishes and prayers,*

*Fr Jim*

**“CAFOD Israeli-Palestinian Crisis Appeal**

Donate to CAFOD's Israeli-Palestinian Crisis Appeal at [cafod.org.uk/ipc](http://cafod.org.uk/ipc) or call 0303 303 3030 to support those affected and get funds to local trusted experts in Gaza and southern Israel who have been working alongside communities helping those most in need. Your donation will help support aid workers providing urgent humanitarian aid including food, water and emergency shelter to those in need. Thank you for your prayers.”

**Important Christmas Dates for your Diary**

Confession Times

Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> December 11.30-12.00

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> December 11.30-12.00

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> December – After Mass

Christmas Mass Times

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> December 12.30pm Vigil Mass for 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> December 10.15am 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Advent

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> December 6.00pm Christmas Eve Mass

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> December 10.15am Christmas Day

**Who to contact**

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Teresa O’Gorman. She can be contacted at: [sg.sacredheart.bham@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:sg.sacredheart.bham@rcaob.org.uk) or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240/ [safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk) if you have any concern.

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