



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

**Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time
(Year B)**

**Sunday 14th July 10.15am –
Marion Jones
John Mullen (Anniv)**

**Tuesday 16th July 12.00 noon - Monsignor
Timothy and Canon Richard Walker will be
ordained Auxiliary Bishops LIVE online at the
Sacred Heart Club, Grange Road,**

**Wednesday 17th July 9.10am Mass (in school)
celebrated by Bishop Timothy – All welcome**

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year
B)

Sunday 21st July 10.15am – Joseph (Joe)
Greene (Anniv)

Prayers for those who have died:

Terry Winnal, Christina Jones, Anne-Marie Alcide,
Anthony Abalum, Robert Shine Jnr, Deacon Bill
Baines, Cyril Lysaght

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

Andy Walsh, Bernadette Harnett, Clem Murray,
Julie Bartram, Mary Cartridge, Margaret Armstrong,
John Pender, David Harnett, Edward Jones, Robert
Shine Snr., Margaret Delaney, Desmond Bernard,
Amanda Checkley, Shirley Atkinson, Raymond
Maddix, David Maddix.

Congratulations to Fr Ambrose Chou

who was ordained to the priesthood in
Portsmouth yesterday. Thank you to our
parishioners who made the journey to
represent us and to express our prayers
and support for Fr Ambrose whom we
have come to know over recent years.

Tea and Talk will be meeting on **Tuesday
23rd July** 12.00noon – 2.00pm in the
presbytery. If you would like to come
along, just turn up.

A few gentle reminders: Please...

Arrive early and join in saying the Rosary before Mass on Sundays from 9.45am - Please respect those who would like to pray by maintaining silence in Church prior to Mass. Why not pray when you arrive at Mass, and look forward to catching up on conversation after Mass?

Father Tim Ordained as Bishop Tuesday 16th July at 12 noon – the Sacred Heart Club, Grange Road, will be showing the live stream of this very special occasion. It would be really lovely if we could come together as a parish to celebrate the wonderful event. If you cannot come to the Social Club, join at home via the Cathedral website.

Message from Father Tim

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

This Tuesday represents an important moment for our parish community as your Parish Priest is ordained a Bishop for service in the Church as an Auxiliary Bishop of Birmingham, to assist Archbishop Bernard in the oversight of the Archdiocese.

It is obviously a big moment in my life, but it has been fascinating to see and hear what it means to my family, friends and parishioners.

Nobody can be a priest – or a bishop – without people, and we depend on your prayers and your witness to your faith.

As I come to this moment of Ordination as a Bishop, I thank you for your prayers, your support and your encouragement for me and for Canon Richard Walker, who will work as Bishops alongside Bishop David Evans as Auxiliary Bishops.

Please come along to Sacred Heart Social Club and experience the Ordination together. If you can't, then the Ordination will be available at 12 noon this Tuesday (live) or recorded on the St Chad's Cathedral website homepage. Just scroll down and find the livestream box and press play to watch live; or press the Recordings Tab to see it after the event.

Best wishes and prayers,

Fr Tim

New Parish Priest for Sacred Heart and St Chad's Cathedral. Archbishop Bernard has appointed Canon Brian McGinley as Parish Priest of both parishes. He is currently Parish Priest of St George's and Our Lady Queen of Peace Parishes, Worcester. He will arrive at the end of August.

July & August Mass Intentions

- Sunday 21st July – Joseph (Joe) Greene
- Sunday 28th July – Ints of David & Hugh Green
- Sunday 4th August – Christopher Seery
- Sunday 11th August – John Mulrany
- Sunday 18th August – Tony Seery
- Sunday 25th August – Peter McKernan

Diocesan Pilgrimage

Harvington Hall, Near Kidderminster, DY10 4LR.

Open Air Mass in honour of the English Martyrs – Sunday 1st September at 3pm. Principal Celebrant: Abbot Paul Gunter of Douai. <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/Event/annual-pilgrimage-to-harvington-hall-2024>

Adoremus – National Weekend with a focus on Eucharistic Adoration – 14 / 15 September. Parishes across the country are asked to give some time to fostering devotion to the Blessed Sacrament and to the Eucharist which we receive in the Mass.

Please take this newsletter home with you

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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:

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