

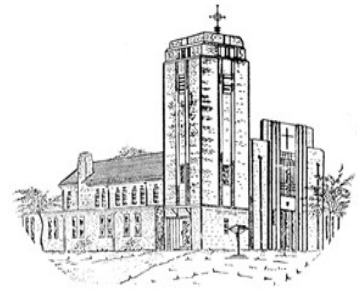


THE ARCHDIOCESE
of BIRMINGHAM

FIFTH SUNDAY OF
EASTER
3RD MAY TO
10TH MAY
2026

HOLY NAME OF JESUS

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Today's Mass Readings

Acts 6:1-7;
Ps 32;
1 Peter 2:4-9;
John 14:1-12
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**Welcome to this House
of God:**
Talk to God before Mass
Listen to God during Mass
Talk to others after Mass

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and National and Archdiocesan policies and procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Deborah Ferris. She can be contacted at sg.holyname.bham@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding Team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 or safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk

SUNDAY 10TH AT 3:00PM, MAY DEVOTION

You are warmly invited to a special afternoon of prayer and devotion as we gather in love and reverence for Our Blessed Mother.

Holy Rosary

We begin by meditating on the mysteries of the Rosary, walking with Mary through the life of her Son and entrusting our intentions to her loving intercession.

Presentation of Flowers from the Faithful

With grateful hearts, we offer flowers as a symbol of our devotion, thanksgiving and trust in her gentle care.

Crowning of Our Lady

In a moment of beauty and honour, we crown Mary, our Mother, as Queen— Recognising her faith, humility and unwavering love to God.

Solemn Benediction

We conclude in quiet adoration, receiving the blessing of the Lord, present among us.

Come and honour the Holy Mother of our God, who leads us always closer to her son. May this time together deepen our faith, renew our hope and fill our hearts with peace.



All are welcome.

PARISH PRIEST

Fr. Christopher Miller

PARISH DEACON

Rev. Terry Charles
(Retired)

**PARISH
ADMINISTRATOR /
SECRETARY**

Mrs. Payal Gordhan

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Interim Principal

Miss M Dorsett

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Stuart Bathurst

Mrs. H. Duffield

Head of School

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Marist Convent

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PRAY FOR OUR SICK PARISHIONERS

Annette Keates, Brendan Grogan, Joe Hurley, Claire Harbutt, Carmen Mulholland, Francis Carter, Michael Carter, Enid King, Kevin Brady, June Pountney, Henry Miller, Maureen Hurley, Mary Purcell, Mary Harding, Katie Breen, Teresa Goddard, John and Bridget Green, Haydee Stanton, Linda Lowe, Janet Chamberlain, Irene Sampays, Grace Sharron, Bridget Whitfield, and Doreen Kingscott.

RECENTLY DEAD AND ANNIVERSARIES

Please remember Joe Hurley, Patricia Lacey, Bridget Donaghy, Thomas Conway and all those who have died recently. We also remember especially, Bridget Donnelly, Dyzma Finch, Edward Reeves, Eamon Connors, John King, Carol Corish, Mary Hannon, Mary Nash, Eileen Pitt, Mary Richards, Philomena Roberts, Joyce Tandy, Christina Moody, William Corley, Dorothy Clarke, Bernard Small and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

The Requiem Mass for Bridget Donaghy is on 11th May 2026 here in Church at 10:00am followed by Cremation at Sandwell Valley Crematorium at 11:30am.

The Requiem Mass for Thomas Conway is on 12th May 2026 here in Church at 12:30pm followed by Burial at Handsworth Cemetery at 2:00pm.

Reception into Church for Joe Hurley is on Tuesday 19th May 2026 at 6:30pm here in Church.

The Requiem Mass for Joe Hurley is on Wednesday 20th May 2026 here in Church at 10:00am followed by Cremation at Sandwell Valley at 11:30am.

PARISH DIARY

MULTI—CULTURAL EVENING PANNING MEETING

WEDNESDAY, 13TH MAY AT 6:00PM.

FHC - FOR HOLY NAME SCHOOL - SATURDAY 16TH MAY 2026 AT 12:30PM

FHC - FOR SAINT.MARK'S SCHOOL - SUNDAY 14TH JUNE 2026 AT 10:30AM

MULTI -CULTURAL EVENING - SATURDAY 11TH JULY 2026 AT 7:00PM

This Week Saturday 3rd May – Sunday 10th May (Psalter Week 1)	Holy Mass Intentions	Devotions & Other Events
Saturday 2nd May Memorial of St Athanasius, Bishop, Doctor of the Church	12:30pm Ints of Mary Waldron	11:45am –12:15pm Sacrament of Reconciliation
SUNDAY 3RD MAY FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER RETIRING COLLECTION FOR FLOWERS	8:30am Paddy Mulraney 10:30am Pro Populo 12:00pm Baptism	Coffee and Tea in the Parish Centre after 10:30am Mass by S.V.P
Monday 4th May Feast of the English Martyrs	NO MASS	
Tuesday 5th May Easter Feria	NO MASS	
Wednesday 6th May Easter Feria	NO MASS	
Thursday 7th May Easter Feria	NO MASS	
Friday 8th May Easter Feria	NO MASS	
Saturday 9th May Easter Feria	12:30pm Patricia Lacey R.I.P	11:45am –12:15pm Sacrament of Reconciliation
SUNDAY 10TH MAY SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER RETIRING COLLECTION POOR PARISH FUND	8:30am Mike McCormack R.I.P 10:30am Margaret Dunne R.I.P 3:00PM MAY DEVOTION	Coffee and Tea in the Parish Centre after 10:30am Mass by holy Name Choir

Last Week's
Offertory

Collection:
£162.50

Gift Aid Envelopes:
£589.51

Clergy Training Fund:
£190.98

Mass Attendance:408

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Thank you for
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**Next Sunday's
Mass Readings:**

Acts 8:5-8, 14-17;

**Ps 65; 1 Peter
3:15-18; John**

14:15-21

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MULTI—CULTURAL EVENING PANNING MEETING

We Warmly invite everyone to attend the upcoming planning meeting for our multicultural event on Wednesday, 13th May at 6:00pm.

This meeting is an important opportunity to come together, share ideas, and help shape a celebration that reflects the diversity, creativity and spirit of our community. Your voice, input, and support truly make a difference.

Whether you have ideas to contribute, skill to offer, or simply want to be part of something meaningful, we would love to see you there. Together we can create an inclusive and vibrant event everyone will enjoy.

SAVE THE DATE!

The Multicultural evening itself will take place on Saturday, 11th July at 7.00pm. A wonderful occasions to celebrate and experience the richness of different cultures.

Please make every effort to attend the planning meeting your participation greatly appreciated!

Fr.Christopher

SAFEGUARDING

Could anyone who volunteers / helps in the church in anyway please complete a volunteer Form at the back of the Church.

This is a Diocesan requirement and we will be audited on it.

Pleas return to Payal Gordhan or Debbie Ferris any problems please contact Parish office.

MISSIO RED BOX

If you have a Missio Red Box, please empty it into the brown envelopes (available from the Parish office), then hand it into the office. Thank you all for your continued and valuable support. It is much appreciated.