



**Welcome to Mass
St Margaret Mary,
Birmingham**

The 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time

26th July, 2020

Priest: ✠ In the name of the
Father and of the Son and of the
Holy Spirit

All: **Amen**

Priest: The Lord be with you

All: **And with your Spirit.**

Confiteor: I confess to almighty God
and to you, my brothers and sisters,
that I have greatly sinned,
in my thoughts and in my words,
in what I have done and in what I
have failed to do, through my fault,
through my fault, through my most
grievous fault; therefore I ask
blessed Mary ever-Virgin,
all the Angels and Saints,
and you, my brothers and sisters,
to pray for me to the Lord our God.

Priest: May Almighty God have
mercy upon us, forgive us our sins
and bring us to everlasting life.

Amen.

Gloria in excelsis

Glory to God in the highest, and on
earth peace to people of good will.
We praise you, we bless you, we
adore you, we glorify you, we give
you thanks for your great glory, Lord
God, heavenly King, O God, almighty
Father.

Lord Jesus Christ, only begotten
Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of
the Father, you take away the sins
of the world, have mercy on us, you
take away the sins of the world,
receive our prayer, you are seated
at the right hand of the Father, have
mercy on us.

For you alone are the Holy One, you
alone are the Lord, you alone are
the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the
Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the
Father. Amen.

First reading: I Kings 3.5, 7-12
*Solomon asks the Lord for a
discerning heart.*

Psalm response: *Lord, how I love
your law!*

Second reading: Romans 8.28-30
*God co-operates with those who
love him.*

Gospel acclamation: *Alleluia,
alleluia. I call you friends, says the*

Lord, because I have made everything known to you everything I have learnt from my Father.

Gospel: Matthew 13.44-46

The kingdom of heaven is a pearl beyond price.

Apostles Creed I believe in God, the Father Almighty, Creator of heaven and earth, and in Jesus Christ, his only son, Our Lord, *who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary*, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and was buried; he descended into hell; on the third day he rose again from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and is seated at the right hand of the Father almighty; from there he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy Catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body and life everlasting. Amen.

Offertory hymn suspended at this time

Pray Brethren that my sacrifice and yours may be acceptable to God the almighty Father.

All: May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands for the praise and glory of his name, for our good and the good of all his holy Church.

Sanctus: Holy, Holy, Holy Lord God of hosts. Heaven and earth are full of your glory. Hosanna in the highest. Blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

The Mystery of faith. All: We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your resurrection, until you come again.

Behold the Lamb of God, behold him who takes away the sins of the world. Blessed are those who are called to his supper of the Lamb.
All: **Lord I am not worthy that you should enter under my roof, but only say the word and my soul shall be healed.**

The priest will then hold up the Host to the Congregation and say audibly "The Body of Christ" to which the people should together respond "**Amen.**" In the same way, he elevates the chalice and says, "The Blood of Christ" and again the people respond "**Amen.**"

Communion hymn suspended at this time

Notices *Figures: 12/7/20

Attendance: 125; Gift Aid £119;
Loose £144.41. 19/7/20: Gift Aid
£90.50; Loose £121.21, Building
Fund £5, Attendance: 138.

*The painting of St John Henry Newman with Blessed Dominic Barberi has now been installed in the Newman Gallery. This painting depicts the reception of St John Henry Newman into the Catholic Church on 9th October, 1845. On the left is Blessed Dominic Barberi, an Italian missionary priest (Passionist order) and on the right is Saint John Henry Newman. The location is Littlemore, near Oxford. Dominic Barberi had travelled to Littlemore by open coach in bad weather, which is why he was warming himself by the fire (centre). The desk to the right is the desk Newman wrote the book, *An Essay on the Development of Christian Doctrine*. In 1846 Newman moved to Birmingham, where he first lived at Maryvale (the original Oscott College) and then later he moved to Hagley Road to found the Oratory, which still stands today. With the encouragement of Bishop Wiseman, Newman was ordained a Catholic priest in 1847. Newman was made a Cardinal in 1879. When he died in 1890, 15,000 people lined the streets of Birmingham. Barberi was beatified by Pope Paul VI in 1963. Newman was beatified by Pope Benedict on his visit to Birmingham in 2010 and canonised by Pope Francis on 13 October, 2019 in Rome.

*Congratulations to Sheila Wyatt on her 95th birthday (10th July) and John Glasgow on his 90th birthday (5th July) and Dot Parkes on her 80th (19th July)

* www.portalmag.co.uk is now out

* The wearing of a face covering is mandatory in mass, on public transport and shops and supermarkets. Ebere Benson-Ezeh is making and selling *washable* facemasks for £4. Speak to her direct on 07446 182458.

* Are you concerned for the plight of Christians in Nigeria? A genocide is taking place.

<https://appgfreedomofreligionorbelief.org/nigeria-unfolding-genocide--new-appg-report-launched/>

* The centenary of the original St Margaret Mary Church (on Turfpits Lane - where Emery House now stands) is 2026. We would like members to dig out old parish photos and stories please from any era!

* Giving by standing order is through our Bank, NatWest, Sort Code 60-08-02, Account Number 14403749. Account name: *Archdiocese of Bham St Margaret Mary*.

***Prayers for the departed:**

Charlie Lafferty, Janet Bowen, Teresa Brolan, Tina Rogers, Michael Ullah, Elsie Sazuze, Mary Fullerton, Michaelina Black, Mandy Comasky, Geoffrey Kirk, Dick Hemmings, Allen George Reeve, Wyn Hathaway, George Browne, Marie Turner, Pablo Alvaro-Gonzales, Hugo Shields, Catherine Cleveley, Janet Epaku, Mandy Anne Flood, Molly Pearce, Jean Morris, Maxine Smith, Brian Ensor, Joan Arnold, Helen McCormack, George Floyd, Trisha Marshall, Daniel Keogh, Jimmy Judd, Mgr Georg Ratzinger, Frank Cracknell, Ken Moreton, Mary (Myra) Brennan, Veronica Orme RIP

***Please note that church will only be open every day for 45 minutes before mass through until the end of mass.**

***Please observe social distancing**

***Please observe one way system**

***Please use hand gel**

*** You must wear a face covering**

***The toilets are not allowed to be open**

THIS WEEK: Saturday, 25th July.
ST JAMES, APOSTLE. 10am Parish Pastoral Committee Zoom meeting.
6.30pm Mass (Mark Cunningham)

Sun 26th July. 17th Sunday in Ordinary Time. **9.30am Mass** (Carol Chrystal). **11am Mass** (Pro-Populo).

Monday, 27 July 7pm Mass. (Our local businesses).

Tuesday, 28st 8.55am Rosary.
9.15am Mass (Veronica Orme RIP).

Wednesday, 29 July. St Martha.
8.35am Adoration. 9.15am Mass
(Carol Player)

Thursday 30th July. *Church open*
8.30am – 10am.

Friday 31 July. St Ignatius Loyola
9.15am Mass. (Carmel Finnegan)

Saturday, 1st August St Alphonsus
Ligouri. *10am Clean up at Witton
Lakes, meet at Community Orchard.*
6.30pm Mass (Pro Populo)

Sun 2 August. 18th Sunday in
Ordinary Time. **9.30am Mass**
(Edward Fanning). **11am Mass**
(Devotion to the eucharist).

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Our Lady of the Assumption, Maryvale
and Christ the King, Kingstanding.

Brief explanation of the painting

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About the Artist

Michael Long (RA) was born in Bristol in 1940. He studied art at the West of England College of art and became Senior Lecturer and later Head of Art at Brunel Technical College.

Michael is a member of the prestigious Savages art group in Bristol. He specialises in landscapes and in particular Cotswolds scenery, being a founder member of the Dobunni group. Michael is also a graphic designer. Michael was brought up a devout member of the Church of England, attending All Hallows, Bristol. He became a Catholic and a member of the Ordinariate in 2011. Michael still lives and works in Bristol.

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