



St Margaret Mary Church
Birmingham
The 24th Sunday in Ordinary
Time
The Year of Prayer
15th September, 2024

'St Margaret Mary Church, a community where God's heart speaks to our hearts, to transform us to worship, to serve the needy and to make missionary disciples of all nations'

If you need detailed readings they are on p. 132 of the books available from the back. Please note that from Advent our parish mass books will become obsolete, with a new ESV translation required. See Fr Simon or our sacristan for new copies.

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.

Kyries Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

Christ, have mercy. Christ, have mercy.

Lord, have mercy. Lord, have mercy.

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: **Isaiah 50.5-9.** *I offered my back to those who struck me.*

Psalm Response: *I will walk in the presence of the Lord in the land of the living*

Second reading: **James 2.14-18.** *If good works do not go with it, faith is quite dead.*

Gospel Acclamation: (Please stand): *I am the way, the truth and the life, says the Lord, no one can come to the Father except through me.*

The Gospel: Mark 8.27-35 *The Son of Man is destined to suffer grievously*

Homily

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.

Bidding Prayers

Offertory hymn: *Lord of all hopefulness (see screen)*

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: When we eat this Bread and drink this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord, until you come again

Agnus Dei Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us. Lamb of God, you take away the sins of the world, grant us peace, grant us peace.

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.**

Notices *Figures for 8/9/24 will be available in due course.

*Pope Francis Apostleship of Prayer for September: *For the cry of the Earth. We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.*

* The Confirmation Mass will take place on Wednesday, 16th October at 7pm with Bishop David Waller (Ordinary of the Ordinariate).

*Day for Catechists: The day for catechists is 16th November, 10.30-4pm at the Abbey Church in Erdington, B23 6QJ. Contact email for registering interest is bned.catechists@gmail.com

*The Requiem Mass for Elaine Cummins will take place on Wednesday, 25th September, at 9.15am.

*'Celtic Journeys' Concert - from Ireland, Wales, Scotland to the USA - here at St Margaret Mary Church with Jobe Sullivan, Jeanne Jones, Jan Stachula and Lynn Kay. Monday, 14th October at 7pm. £10 tickets on the door. U16s free.

*Walsingham Ordinariate Pilgrimage this year is on Thursday, 24th October, 12 Noon Mass. We are exploring if we can travel by minibus.

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*Portal Magazine for September out on 1st September at: Portalmag.co.uk and the Podcast is on:

<https://soundcloud.com/ordinariateportalpodcast>

Birmingham Ordinariate Group Events this Autumn. All welcome:

***Friday 27th September**, 7pm Laura Magson on Education in HM Prison 52 Lingard Road, B75 7EB ***Friday 18th October**, 7pm Ronald Crane on The Saints of Ely 52 Lingard Road, B75 7EB ***Sunday 17th November** Lunch at The Hedgehog at Lichfield, followed by Choral Evensong in Lichfield Cathedral at 1530 ***Friday 22nd November**, 7pm The Revd Dcn Gary O'Brien on Canon Law Why we have it, and what it is for. 52 Lingard Road, B75 7EB

***Friday 13th December**, 7pm Carols, Mince Pies and Mulled Wine 56 Woodland Farm Road, B24 0PG. Donations welcome

***NEWMAN CLUSTER** meeting: **Sunday, 22nd September 2024** at 4 pm in the St John's Centre, next door to Christ the King Church.

***Sycamore Course Autumn 2024**

Meetings take place in the Newman Gallery in Church (upstairs) on Wednesdays at 5.30pm – 6.30pm. We restart in September, with these dates:

25/9/24 The existence of God

2/10 Who is Jesus?

16/10, The Holy Spirit and the Church

Half term

6/11 Power of Prayer

27/11 Finding Freedom

4/12 The Sacraments

11/12 Forgiveness

18/12 The Mass

***Prayers for the departed:**

Lipscombe 'Reg' Darrell, Elaine Cummins, Sharon Warren, Brian Shannon, Sidney Byrne, Bernice Snowden, Peter Hall, Rosalinda Trinidad, Ronald Palmer, Rob Johnston, Kenneth Robert Newton, Ellen Herbert, Doreen Alice Dargan, Martha Garcia, Vera McGovern, Victoria Aghedo, Patience Owers, Thomas Andrew Higgins, Bridget Coupe, Paul Mooney, Doris Evans, Josephine Treanor, Monica Bains, Andrea Focsa, Aiden Perris, Alphonsus Montague, Baby Ace Louis Gray, Gerard Neal, Chris Gray, Gillian Ascott, Dariusz Sokół, Helen Hathaway, Stephen Webb, Mary Wilcox, Grzegorz Wiktor Buc. RIP.

This week Sat, 14th The Exaltation of the Holy Cross. 5.45pm Confessions. 6.30pm Vigil Mass (for Oscar Was, prayer for the gifts of the Holy Spirit and God's blessings for the new school year)

Sunday 15th September. Evangelii Gaudium Day. 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time. 9.30am Mass (Pauline Cassidy RIP). 11am Mass. 2ND Collection, *Catholic Evangelisation (CASE Home Mission)*.

Monday, 16th September. 11.30am Requiem Mass for Grzegorz Wiktor Buc RIP.

Tuesday, 17th 8.55am Rosary. 9.15am Mass (Maria Agendia RIP)

Wed, 18th NO MASS

Friday, 20th 9.15am Mass (Private intention)

Sat, 21st St Matthew, Apostle. 12 Noon at St Chad's Cathedral, Annual SVP Mass. 5.45pm Confessions. 6.30pm Vigil Mass.

Sunday 22nd September. 25th Sunday in Ordinary Time. 9.30am Mass. 11am Mass. 2ND Collection, *Fr Hudson Society*. 4pm Newman Cluster Meeting for all three churches at Christ the King, Kingstanding (in St John's Hall which is adjacent to the church).

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The parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham, Reg. Charity No. 234216 Working in a cluster with the Ordinariate of Our Lady of Walsingham

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

Safeguarding: The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and National and Archdiocesan policies and procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Reps Nicola Brown & Virginia Okeke.

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