Ss Mary and Modwen's Catholic Church, Burton



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Part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham, Registered Charity Number 234216 This Parish is served by the Congregation of the Holy Spirit (Spiritans)



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Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year B (Year of Prayer) 15th/16th June 2024

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time: Mass & Readings: Year B. Weekdays - Ordinary Time Year II, Week 11. Hours: Psalter Week 3

Saturday 15 th	Mass 9:30am	Jerina George RIP
Memorial of the Blessed		
Virgin Mary on Satrday	Vigil Mass 5:00pm - Tutbury	Frank & Teresa McDermott
Sunday 16 th	Mass 9:00am	Jerina George RIP
Eleventh Sunday in	Mass 11:00am	Kazimierz Piechowicz RIP
Ordinary Time	Mass 6:00pm	People of the Parish
Monday 17 th	Mass 9:30am	Jerina George RIP
Feria in Ordinary Time		
Tuesday 18th	Mass 9:30am	Jerina George RIP
Feast of the Dedication		Neena Thanksgiving
of the Cathedral		
Wednesday 19th	Exposition of the Blessed	
Feria in Ordinary Time	Sacrament 10:00am	Jerina George RIP
	Mass 11:00am	Kunjamma RIP
Thursday 20 th	Mass 9:15am - St Modwen's	
Feria in Ordinary Time	Catholic Primary School	School Community
	Mass 9:30am	Jerina George RIP
Friday 21st	Mass 9:30am	Jerina George RIP
Memorial of St Aloysius		
Gonzaga, Religious	75 000	
Saturday 22 nd	Mass 9:30am	Jerina George RIP
Feast of Ss John Fisher,		
Bishop, and Thomas		
More, Martyrs	Vigil Mass 5:00pm - Tutbury	•
Sunday 23 rd	Mass 9:00am	Elsie Helena Head RIP
Twelfth Sunday in	Mass 11:00am	People of the Parish
Ordinary Time	Mass 6:00pm	Jerina George RIP

CONFESSION: We have Confession in the Parish every Saturday after 9:30am Mass and on request. Please avail yourself of the opportunity.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND OF OUR PARISH:

Mary Conway, Maya Whatton, Damian Walsh, Tony Mulcahy, Pat Lawton, Joe Emery, Sheila Chatterton, Carolyn Edge, Richard Waldron, Andrew Poyser, Sue Rose, Eileen Davis, Chris Morris, Sadie Blackford, Martin Routledge, Marilyn Gough, Dolly Rothwell, Justin Oguora, Emily Woodward, John Woodward, Shaji Augusthy, Margaret Hudson, Gordon Adams, Brian Hallam, Mark Hallam, Cathal Cushnahan, Nigel Weeldon, Ada Bagworth.

MASS ATTENDANCE: For last Sunday 453

OFFERTORY COLLECTION: For last Sunday: £736.39

BUILDING & DEVELOPMENT / SECOND COLLECTION:

Development Fund running total: -£2,735.50

Last Sunday Second Collection: Building and Development Fund: £169.18

This Sunday Second Collection: Day for Life

Next Sunday Second Collection: Building and Development Fund

OUR LADY OF THE ROSARY CENACLE GROUP: Our Cenacle Prayer group meets **every Tuesday at 7:00pm.** Parishioners are invited and encouraged to enrol and be part of our Blessed Mother's battle-ready army. There is a petition box in front of Our Lady's statue during Cenacle prayer. Bring your petitions to her; she is a great intercessor. Thank you to current and future participants.

FOODBANK: We encourage parishioners to contribute food items for those struggling with the cost of food. Please bring the items to church.

SOUP KITCHEN: Huge thanks to parishioners for the generous donations of soup and beans. We are running short of a few tins of baked beans, Oxtail, and vegetable soup so would be grateful if you could spare even one tin which can be placed in box at back of church. We are welcoming over 20 people through the doors each week. Thank you and God bless. Elaine and the team.

<u>POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR JUNE – For migrants fleeing their homes:</u> We pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys full of danger and violence, find welcome and new opportunities in the countries that receive them.

YEAR OF PRAYER, 3 DECEMBER 2023 – 24 DECEMBER 2024: In preparation for the 2025 Jubilee Year 'Pilgrims of Hope', 2024 has been designated a Year of Prayer by Pope Francis. It began on the First Sunday of Advent 2023 with a particular focus on the **Our Father**, this is a great opportunity to go back to the basics of prayer. Resources are available of the home page of the parish website.

HOME VISITS: Fr Stan and Fr Matthew are available for home visits and would like to visit the home of all parishioners. It would be great if parishioners could indicate interest, and contact the parish office to arrange a date for your home visitation.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Please note that we have Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every week on Wednesdays at 10:00am. You are welcome to spend 1 hour with Jesus in the Most Blessed Sacrament before Mass.

11:00AM MASS 16th & 23rd JUNE: This Sunday and next Sunday, 16th and 23rd June, our children who did their catechism classes in the Parish will receive First Holy Communion at the 11:00am Mass. Please, let us support them and pray for them.

NEW AUXILIARY BISHOPS OF BIRMINGHAM: Please continue to pray for Mgr. Timothy Menezes and Canon Richard Walker as they prepare for their Episcopal Ordination at 12:00 noon on Tuesday 16th July at St Chad's Cathedral. Further information will be sent in due course.

DIOCESAN VISION - UNFOLDING GOD'S PLAN: We are called to be a Catholic Diocese which is: faithful to the mission entrusted to us by Jesus Christ full of missionary disciples who work together co-responsibly in vibrant communities of faith, joyful in their service of God and neighbour. To achieve our vision together, Archbishop Bernard Longley is asking us all to focus on these four areas:

Evangelisation, Formation, Liturgy and Worship and **Social Outreach**. He wants us to look at how we will individually respond to God's call to be missionary disciples in the Church and in our local communities, working joyfully together to spread the Word and the work of God. In essence, how will we unfold God's plan for us within our Diocese?

Evangelisation... Sharing our faith; **Formation...** Deepening our faith;

Liturgy and Worship... Celebrating our faith; **Social Outreach...** Witnessing our faith.

200 CLUB SUBSCRIPTIONS:

Winners 2024	1st - Prize	2nd - Prize	3rd - Prize
Jan	14 - Mr P Moon	27 - Mr D Scattergood	7 - Miss C Kersey
Feb	133 – Mrs K Barton	111 – Mrs J Wardle	4 – Mrs J Kinsella
Mar	28 – Mrs A Wright	173 – Mrs P Molloy	140 – Mrs P Dennis
Apr	199 – Mr J McArdle	15 – Mrs J Brookes	230 – Mrs M Jennings

Your cheques will be posted out to you very soon. There are still a few 2024 subscriptions due and there are quite a few numbers available. If you would like to take on an additional number or join the 200 Club if you are not already a member. Please place your money securely in a sealed envelope and marked with your name & number (if possible) and post/hand in at the Presbytery. THANK YOU – Margaret.

SEA SUNDAY, 14 JULY 2024: Please note that Sea Sunday will be on 14 July this year. It is when we are encouraged to pray and make financial contributions to support the work of Stella Maris, the official maritime charity of the Catholic Church. This mandatory second collection is vital for the future of Stella Maris and its support of seafarers and fishers in the UK and around the world.

2024/2025 GIFT AID ENVELOPES: Thank you to all who signed up to Gift-aid your donations to the Parish. The new envelopes started on 6th April 2024 and some are yet to be collected. If you have not yet collected yours, please do so in Church before or after Masses on Sunday, or from the Parish Office. Thank you for your generous support and kind donations to the Parish. If you are a UK Taxpayer and have not signed up to Gift-aid your donation to the parish, please do sign up. It does not cost you any extra money. God bless.

DAY FOR LIFE 2024: This year, Day for Life will be celebrated this weekend 15/16th June 2024. The theme for the Day for Life is: "The Lord is my Shepherd - Compassion and Hope at the End of Life". The Day will also be marked in Ireland and Scotland. The hope is for Day for Life to continue to build a culture of care at the end of life, especially for the most vulnerable, as people prepare for eternal life.

Next Sunday's Rota — 23 rd June 2024						
	9:00am Mass	11:00am Mass	6:00pm Mass			
Reader	Gerry Gough	Rosemary Scott	Charlie Dyche			
Eucharistic Minster	John Ward	Rosemary Scott	Bill Moloney			
Tea & Coffee	Teresa McCallum & Mary Fermor	Rosemary & Cecelia	Paul & Diana Bowen			
Stewards	Joseph Chacko	Paul Moon & Gary Redfern	Gabriella Kalmer			
Church Cleaning – Week Commencing						
23 rd June	Paul, Rosemary, Cecilia					

FATHER'S DAY: As we celebrate Father's Day this Sunday, we pray for all fathers of a family and those who exercise a fatherly role in the care of others. May their desire to fulfil their calling well be sustained by keeping always before them the all-merciful

Heavenly Father. Happy Father's Day!

GENERAL ELECTION 2024:

The Bishops' Conference have created a webpage on their website with information about the issues important to Catholics. You are encouraged to visit the following webpage

https://www.cbcew.org.uk/election24/ or use your smartphone to scan the QR code to visit the website for resources that provide information and guidance on key issues of importance to help inform your vote.





PARISH SAFEGUARDING: The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese's policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Denise Butler who can be contacted via e-mail at sg.stmary-mod.burton-on-trent@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively, the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 or via e-mail safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern. There is access to more information from the Diocese, the Catholic National Safeguarding Policy and support materials on the parish website: http://www.maryandmodwen.org.uk