

The Sick and Housebound: Barbara Grace, Maurice Fisher, Gary Denstone, Mary Barratt, Dennis Barratt, Mena Burn, Sophie Connor, Patricia Elliott, Mary Foster, Maciej Grudzinski, Ann Kingland, Anne Hamilton, Maureen Harper, Brian Harrison, Anthony Hathaway, Maureen Hunt, Tony Jones, Phil Kendrick, Margaret Lamb, John Leary, James McHugh, Mildred Madden, Peggy Madden, Rory Mahon, Mary Murphy, Vera Roche, John Somers, Christina Valentino, Anne Parkinson, Margaret Young, Helena Myczko, Barbara Woodgates, and all the sick in our hospitals, nursing homes, own homes and known to us.

DATA PROTECTION REGULATIONS. Personal consent is now needed for inclusion on the sick list as it will appear on the weekly bulletin in church and on the website. Please complete a form from the church notice boards and return to Parish office or contact the Parish office. Confirmation is needed if you, a relative or friend have consented for their name to be included on it. GDPR 2018 (General Data Protection Regulations 2018)

Anniversaries in June: Stephen Moffatt, Jakub Franczuk, Eileen Delaney, Joan Stephens, Rose Fuentabaja, Fred Crowton, Clare White, Ayesha White-Mukumbira, Antony Laurens, Mary Smith, Isobel Woulfe, Alix Mead, Ralph Thomas, Joe Murphy, Noah Berry, Susan Baily, Patrick Cross, Adela Werbal, Amy Miller, Mary Armfield.

Lately dead and their bereaved: Ted Martyn, Margaret Somers, Bernard Molloy, Eileen Greenham.

BEREAVEMENT TEAM are here to support those who have lost precious ones and those who mourn. Parishioners can contact a member of the team on 07592572978 or email stgregorysb@gmail.com or complete a form available in the church porch.

Church Cleaning: St Gregory's: B. Guerney, P. Crockett.

Recent Collections.

Weekend 15/16th June 2019. Loose: £ 584.68 Gift Aid: £562.57 Boxes: £ 129.53
Day for Life: £ 596.54

Thank you for your generosity.

VISITORS: You are very welcome. Please make sure you introduce yourselves and sign the visitor's book at the back of the church.

NEW PARISHIONERS: Please make yourselves known to the priest and fill in a New Parishioners Form.

SAFEGUARDING OFFICER FOR St. Gregory's Parish, Stratford-upon-Avon:

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The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham, and Douai Abbey Parishes Trust.

Registered Charity Number 1063237

St Gregory the Great, Stratford upon Avon

This Parish is served by the Benedictine Monks of Douai Abbey.

Parish Priest:

Fr. Alex Austin (OSB)

Parish Office:

Open Tuesday,
Wednesday, Thursday
& Friday mornings



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22/23 rd June 2019, Corpus Christi (Year C)		
Saturday 22nd	5.30 pm.	Mass. Bridget Marshall (anniversary) Alan Marshall
Sunday 23rd <i>Corpus Christi</i>	11.15 am.	Mass. Henry & Bridie Cziok (Jayne Cziok) First Holy Communions.
	1.00 pm.	Polish Mass
Monday 24th <i>Nativity of St. John the Baptist</i>	9.30 am. 12.00 pm.	Communion Service. Funeral/Requiem Mass for Bernard Molloy
Tuesday 25th	9.30 am.	Mass. Irene Willoughby (RIP) Simon Chappell
Wednesday 26th	9.30 am.	Mass. School Yr. 3. 1 st Holy Communion celebration Margaret Burgess (RIP) (Simon Chappell)
Thursday 27th	9.30 am. 7 – 8.00 pm	Mass. Ray Cartwright (RIP) (Simon Chappell) Exposition.
Friday 28th <i>Sacred Heart of Jesus</i>	9.30 am.	Communion Service.
29/30 th June 2019, Ss. Peter & Paul (Year C)		
Saturday 29th <i>Immaculate Heart of Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	5.30 pm.	Mass. Eric (RIP) & Eileen Richards (Frances McKay)
Sunday 30th <i>Ss. Peter & Paul</i>	11.15 am.	Mass. Private Intention (AA) Baptism of Theo Henry Banham
Confessions: Saturday 10.30am – 11.30am		
Our Lady of Peace, Shottery.		
22/23 rd June 2019, Corpus Christi (Year C)		
Sunday 23rd <i>Corpus Christi</i>	9.30 am.	Mass. People of the Parish First Holy Communions.
29/30 th June 2019, Ss. Peter & Paul (Year C)		
Sunday 30th <i>Ss. Peter & Paul</i>	9.30 am.	Mass. First Holy Communion For children attending non-Catholic schools.

- **STRATFORD CHURCHES TOGETHER ECUMMENICAL SERVICE & AGM.** Sunday 23rd June, 6pm at the Methodist Church, Stratford-upon-Avon.
- **PARISH COMMITTEE MEETING**, Thursday 27th June at 7.00pm in the Parish room.
- **PARISH POLISH PICNIC** – Saturday 13th July at OLP, Shotton. 12noon – 2pm
- **MONTH OF PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS.** In June 2019 Warwick Deanery Vocations Group are asking us to commit to a month of prayer when our parishioners include vocations as part of their private prayers. More details at the back of the church. Please try to make a commitment within your circumstances and add your initials to the list. Many thanks.
- **SECOND COLLECTION** next weekend, 29/30th June for Peter's Pence. Gift Aiders please use the appropriate dated envelope, cheques payable to St. Gregory's R.C. Parish. Thank-you.
- **FUNERALS.** Monday 24th June, 12 noon, Bernard Molloy
- **THE NEW LECTERN:** this is not necessarily a permanent fixture; we are simply trying it out. Please give feedback to Fr. Alex or the Parish office.
- **ALTAR SERVERS CLUB** - no meeting in June.
- **THE HOLY FATHER'S JUNE PRAYER INTENTION:** The Mode of Life of Priests. That priests, through the modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to a solidarity with those who are most poor.
- **LUNCH CLUB MEETING.** The next meeting dates are 24th June, 29th July. If you have booked any lunch and then are unable to attend, contact Helen on 01789 550545, or Val on 01789 293267, giving as much notice as possible as is important for catering numbers.
- **S.V.P. MEETING DATES:** 1st July, August: NONE, 2nd & 16th September.
- **C.W.L.** We shall meet on Wednesday 3rd July 2019 at 2pm. in the Parish room. Please make every effort to attend.
- **PARISH PILGRIMAGE WALSINGHAM** will be on Tuesday 23rd July. Leaving St. Gregory's at 7.15am and returning at approximately 8.15pm. Cost £20. Good walking shoes and a raincoat plus a packed lunch will be required. Please sign up using the sheets provided in the porch at both St. Gregory's and Our Lady of Peace. Parish contact, Terry Evans.
- **EVANGELISATION TEAM.** Our next meeting for the Warwick Deanery parishes is on Monday 1st July at 7.30pm in the upper Davenport Room, St Peter's Parish Centre, Dormer Place, Leamington Spa CV32 5AE. It is hoped that each parish could be represented to help us plan how to share the Good News. Contact: Peter Dimambro 01926 428399 mdimambro@hotmail.co.uk
- **OLP CAR PARK:** now operates as a Pay and Display LPS car park, as at St. Gregory's. There is no charge on Sundays for mass attenders.
- **OLP REPOSITORY.** A wide range of First Communion gifts and cards are now on sale - please have a browse. Items of a more general nature are always available and can be ordered if necessary. Contact details can be found on noticeboard.
- **CELEBRATE 6th -7th July** is a Catholic conference for all, young and old, open to individuals and families alike. The weekend should help you find fresh inspiration and renewal in your faith in a relaxed and friendly environment. Venue is at Oscott College. For more information contact Lisa: 01564 772238 or website <https://www.celebrateconference.org/birmingham>
- **CHRISTIANS IN THE HOLY LAND, COVENTRY CATHEDRAL.** Revd. Dr. Fadi Diab, the Rector at St. Andrew's Episcopal Church in Ramallah (Palestine), will be preaching at the 4pm Choral Evensong in Coventry Cathedral on 7th July 2019 on Palestine and the work of local charity Friends of the Holy Land and the work they do in supporting Christians in the Holy Land, including his own parish. For more information please see www.friendsoftheholylord.org.uk
- **COLUMBAN Inter-religious Dialogue Summer School 16th, 17th and 18th July** On three consecutive evenings in July (7.00-9.30pm), visits to different places of worship in Birmingham, discussion on the church's teaching on inter-religious dialogue (IRD) and the chance to meet IRD practitioners from different faiths. For more information and to register, email: volunteer@columbans.co.uk or call 07847 281 190.
- **L.P.S. PARISH CAR PARK:** No charges from Saturday 5pm until Sunday 2.45pm. when it is reserved for church use.
- **HOLY HOUR:** 7.00pm on Thursdays. All are welcome.
- **THE ROSARY** will be said after each Tuesday morning mass for peace in the Middle East.
- **BIBLE GROUP:** Tuesdays 7.30pm in the Parish room. The Bible Group meets every week to review the following Sunday's readings. All welcome.
- **DIOCESAN WEBSITE** at www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk
- **WARWICK DEANERY WEBSITE** at www.warwick-catholicdeanery.org.uk
- **GIFT AID:** To join the scheme, please contact Clive Hamilton on 01789 488047 or by e-mail stgregorysgiftaid@aol.co.uk. If you are already in the scheme, please contact him with any questions or any changes of address or tax status.
- **PARISH OFFICE:** The office is open Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday mornings. Telephone 01789 292439. Please note Monday is Fr. Alex's day off.