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Welcome to Mass. Before Mass, talk to God During mass, Listen to God. After mass, Talk to each other. Notices in italics - off-site. A hearing loop operates in this church in the centre of the nave. No refreshments after mass during half term.

Today's Liturgy: 129

Psalm response: Your ways, Lord, are faithfulness and love for those who keep your covenant.

Lenten acclamation before the Gospel: Glory to you, word of life, Lord Jesus Christ. Glory to you Word of God, Lord Jesus Christ!

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** Lent Study Group for North Birmingham Deanery: Laudato Si: Pope Francis encyclical on the environment.

Charge: £5 which includes your booklet.

Maryvale Institute, Oscott Hill,
Birmingham B44 9AG. Tuesday evenings
in Lent, 2018: 20 Feb, 27 Feb, 6 March, 13
March and 20 March. 7pm Coffee 7.30pm8.45pm. To book, please contact Fr Simon

**Congratulations to Kaitlin Jones for raising £1070 for John Taylor Hospice.

++Mary McConway is running a raffle for the Gallery appeal through Lent; the prize winners will be announced at Easter There are also brown envelopes (non-gift aid) and pink envelopes (gift aid) at the back of church for donations to the Gallery appeal.

++ Cafod envelopes – whatever you donate to Cafod through the Lent Cafod envelopes, the Government will **DOUBLE**

Facts and figures from 11 Feb:

Gift Aid £208 Loose £182.21 Attendance: 192 Mass this Week Sat 17th 6.30pm Mass (Robert Thompson RIP). Lent I. Sun 18th 10am Mass. Preacher: Deacon Leonard on the subject of 5 'C's: **CONVERSION** 3pm Rite of election in St Chad's Cathedral.

Monday, 19th Feb. *9.30am Mass at the Convent of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Maryvale.* 12 Noon Funeral of Mary Curran RIP. 7pm Mass (John Maloney RIP.)

Tuesday, 20th 8.55am Rosary. 9.15am Mass (Carmel Hart RIP).

Wed 21st 8.15am-9.15am ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT. 9.15am Mass (Aaron Johnston RIP) St Peter Damian.

Thurs, 22nd Feb 7.30pm Evangelium at Christ the King.

Fri 23rd **NO MASS**. Fast Day for Cafod. 6.30pm Stations of the Cross.

Sat 24th 6.30pm Mass (Maria Y. Thomas RIP). Lent II

Sun 25th 10am Mass (Clarice Durrant RIP)
Preacher: Deacon Thomas Mason on the
subject of 5 'C's: **COMMUNITY**2nd Collection for Cafod.

Pastoral Letter from the Archbishop for Lent.

The Archdiocese Newspaper Catholic Life is available from the back of Church, 50p.

*For your prayers RIP: Mary McLoughlin funeral on 2 March at 10.30am. * Work starts on building the 4 classrooms on 19 Feb
