

St Margaret Mary,
Birmingham
Lent I
6th March, 2022

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 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.**

Kyrie Eleison

Collect

First reading: Deuteronomy 26.4-10. *The story of the chosen people.*

Psalm response: Be with me, O Lord, in my distress.

Second reading: Romans 10.8-13 Salvation depends on confessing Jesus is Lord and believing in the resurrection.

Gospel acclamation: Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ, word of the Father, Son of God. Man does not live on bread alone, but on every word that comes from the mouth of God. Praise to you Lord Jesus Christ, word of the Father, Son of God

Gospel: Luke 4.1-13. The temptation of the Lord in the wilderness.

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 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: 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.

Dismissal: Go in peace. Thanks be to God.

Notices

- * Figures for 27/2/2022: Loose: £207.56; Gift Aid £54, Building Fund: £20. Attendance: 204.
- * Sycamore dates for 2022 are for meetings in the Newman Gallery at 7pm: 9/3; 16/3; 23/3; 6/4.
- * For those recently arrived from Hong Kong: Please note we have a date and place for a meeting of Hong Kongers in North Birmingham and Sutton Coldfield. It will take place on Sunday 20th March at 3pm, in Holy Trinity Catholic Church and Centre, 69 Lichfield Road, Sutton Coldfiled, B74 2NU. Booking for the meeting is required to Monsignor Daniel McHugh, Co-Ordinator Ethnic Chaplaincies on coordinator.ethnic.chaplaincy@rcaob. org.uk tel 0781 211 0640. The meeting is open to all, Catholic and non-Catholic.

- *The Quarterly magazine for March is out now, suggested donation 50p.
- * Pope Francis Apostleship of Prayer for March: A Christian Response to Bioethical Challenges.

We pray for Christians facing new bioethical challenges; may they continue to defend the dignity of all human life with prayer and action.

- * The Portal magazine portalmag.co.uk is out on 1 March, which includes an article by Fr Simon. There is now a weekly podcast available on: https://soundcloud.com/user-666404058
- * Our foodbank: Carmel Dowdall is on 07943 577638.

*Prayers for the departed:

Jane Barnes, John Glasgow, Brett Wheeler, Evelyn Hogan, Erin Male, Iciline Dawkins, Jean McDougall, Clare Lees, James Nash, Penny Holbrook, Frank McGinty, Mario Romeiro, Mary (Margaret) Fleming, Theresa O'Donnell, John McGillen, John Hunter, Catherine Flynn, Vivian William D'Caccia, James Conway, Suzanne Wait, John Delaney, Fr Peter Clarke, Stella Iroegbunam, Rev Desmond Tutu, John Healy, Finola Moore, Janet Lodge, Jack Dromey MP, Shirley Cooney, Christopher Okorie, Sadie (Margaret) Shortall, Reginald Arnold, John Duffy, Aleykutty Joseph, Priscilla Frances

Arnold, Veronica Lee, Bernard Coombs, Cherith Nicholl, Marjorie Sullivan, Fr Gabriel Maguire CSsR, Martha Keogh RIP.

THIS WEEK

Saturday, 5th March. 6.30pm Vigil Mass (John Williams RIP). *10am-3pm Refresher day for parish liturgical ministers at St Nicholas, Boldmere.*

Sunday, 6th March. **LENT 1**. 9.30am Mass. 11am Mass. 2ND Collection for Cathedral Maintenance.

Monday, 7th March. St Perpetua and Felicity. 6.30pm Adoration and Benediction. 7pm Mass - Padre Pio Group. (Padraig Woulfe RIP).

Tuesday, 8th March. St John of God. 8.55am Rosary. 9.15am Mass (40 days campaign).

Wednesday, 9th March. 8.35am Adoration. 9.15am Mass (Dorothy Corfield RIP). 6pm Sycamore course.

Friday, 11th 9.15am Mass. 6.30pm Stations of the Cross.

Saturday, 12th March. 2pm Wedding of Aaron Moroney and Amy Willetts. 6.30pm Vigil Mass (Percy RIP). Sunday, 13th March. **LENT II**. 9.30am Mass (Kerry Parkes RIP). 11am Mass. 2ND Collection for Cafod).

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