



**St Margaret Mary Church
Birmingham
The 19th Sunday in Ord Time
The Year of Prayer
11th August, 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. 118 of the books available from the back

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: 1 Kings 19.4-8.

Elijah is exhausted, but an angel of the Lord comes to his aid.

Psalm Response: *Taste and see that the Lord is good.*

Second reading: Ephesians 4.30-5.2. *Forgive each other as readily as God forgave you.*

Gospel Acclamation: (Please stand): *If anyone loves me he will keep*

my word, and my Father will love him and we shall come to him.

The Gospel: John 6.41-51. *Jesus says, this is the bread that comes down from heaven.*

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:

O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness!.... [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 4/8/24, Envelopes: £78; Loose: £247.57, Centenary Fund Book Sale (Cumulative): £2278.50. Attendance: 177

*It has come to the attention of Fr Simon that Elaine Cummins' funeral will be a private cremation-only, (i.e. with nobody present) which is very sad. We shall offer a **Requiem Mass for Elaine on Wednesday, 25th September, at 9.15am.**

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

*We have new altar kneeler cushions now in place to aid devotion at communion and the option will be available to receive standing or kneeling. For mass on 14 August at 6pm we will bless and use the kneelers.

*Beach Day for families. Monday, 19th August – if you would like to attend the beach trip to Weston Super Mare, please sign up.

*Walsingham Ordinariate Pilgrimage this year is on Thursday, 24th October, 12 Noon Mass.

*Quarterly Magazine available today, suggested donation, 30p.

*Novena Prayer for Blessed Dominic Barberi, 18-26 August: *O God, who so lovingly raised Blessed Dominic to the heights of holiness, learning and apostolic zeal and made him a powerful minister of your mercy, listen to our humble request. We pray that You will, in your goodness, grant a miracle through the intercession of Blessed Dominic, so that the Church may further honour him on earth and that many more people will come to know and invoke the help of this faithful servant of the Church. Mary, Mother of Holy Hope, pray for us. Saint John Henry Newman, pray for us. Blessed Dominic Barberi, pray for us. Amen.*

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

<https://soundcloud.com/ordinariateportalpodcast>

*Good ironing board and cover going free to a good home. Please speak to Fr Simon.

***March for Life** (marchforlife.co.uk) is in London on Saturday, 7th September. The theme for this year's March for Life is 'Abortion isn't Healthcare'. If you want a place on the coach, please book soon. The cost of coach travel is £25. Contact Alice on 07845706362

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Birmingham Ordinariate Group
Events this Autumn. All welcome:

***Friday 6th September**, 7pm
Antipasti and Wine evening
56 Woodlands Farm Road, B24 0PG
Donations appreciated. ***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

* **Harvington Hall** Pilgrimage is on 1st Sept at 3pm. Please let Fr Simon if you want to go as spaces are limited on the minibus. There are three seats still free. Bring your own chair.

***NEWMAN CLUSTER** meeting for all who attend St Margaret Mary, Christ the King and Our Lady of the Assumption will take place on: ***Sunday, 22nd September 2024** at 4 pm in the St John's Centre, next door to Christ the King Church.

***Centenary Fund**: As part of the 'Year of Prayer', Fr Simon has had a book published, entitled 'Watch and Pray' which is a prayer book for young people. Price £8 for the Centenary Fund. You can purchase using cash or card or email stmargaret-mary.bham@rcaob.org.uk

***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:

4/9/24 The search for happiness

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 RIP.

This week

Sat, 10th August Cleaning and Decorating Day 10.30am-12 Noon. 5.45pm Confessions. 6.30pm Vigil Mass (Aiden Perris RIP).

Sunday 11th August. 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time. 9.30am Mass (Pro populo). 11am Mass (Noreen Fleming RIP & Patrick Curran RIP). 12.15pm Baptism of Zoe Christyanne Ogundipe.

Monday, 12th Aug. 7.30am Mass (Callum Lafferty, 21st birthday). St Jane Frances de Chantel.

Tuesday, 13th St Pontian and Hippolytus. 8.55 am Rosary. 9.15am Mass (Vera McGovern RIP). *6pm-7pm Ecumenical Prayer meeting at Six Ways Baptist Church, 10 Wood End*

Road, B24 8AD: for our country and city in this time of unrest.

Wed, 14th St Maximilian Kolbe, Priest and Martyr. 8.35am Adoration & Benediction. 9.15am Mass (Maxine McIntyre RIP). 6pm Vigil Mass for **THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**, followed by BBQ.

Thursday, 15th August. **THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY**. 11am Requiem Mass for Bridget Coupe RIP. *7pm Solemn Patronal Mass at Our Lady of the Assumption Church, Old Oscott Hill, Maryvale.*

Friday, 16th August 9.15am Mass (Philip Jarvis RIP).

Sat, 17th August Baptism of Carter Simmonds. 5.45pm Confessions. 6.30pm Vigil Mass (Pro Populo).

Sunday 18th August. 20th Sunday in Ordinary Time. 9.30am Mass. 11am Mass (Maria Nkenglefae Agendia RIP). 12.15pm Baptism of Alivia Keiline Pamma. *Novena for Blessed Dominic Barberi, 18th – 26th August.*

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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

**Requiem Mass. Fr Simon can
provide a form.**



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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Alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding Team
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**Please will everyone write their
funeral plans and lodge a copy
with Fr Simon to ensure that we
have a funeral, indeed, ideally a**