



Parish of the Sacred Heart and Saint Margaret Mary, Aston

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Welcome to the Sacred Heart & St. Margaret Mary Catholic Church. If you are visiting us for the first time we wish to welcome you and your family and hope that you enjoy your visit.

**Mass Times & Intentions
Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary time (Year B)**

Saturday 22nd June 12.30pm – Mitchell & Green Families

Sunday 23rd June 10.15am – Marion Jones

School Mass (in school) Friday 28th June at 1.30pm – All are welcome (note change!)

Friday 28th June 7.00pm – Bridie Gray & Family (Int) and Baptism of Chizaram Venissa and Chidinma Melissa Igwge. All welcome!

Solemnity of Ss. Peter & Paul

Saturday 29th June 12.30pm – Kathleen & Gabriel Brady

Sunday 30th June 10.15am – Anthony Abalum

**Collection 15th/16th June
Offertory £273.07**

Day for Life £143.98

Second collection this weekend for Peter's Pence

Prayers for those who have died:

Billy De La Cruz, Terry Winnal, Christina Jones, Anne-Marie Alcide, Anthony Abalum, Robert Shine Jnr.

Prayers for members of our parish community who are sick or housebound:

Andy Walsh, Bernadette Harnett, Clem Murray, Julie Bartram, Mary Cartridge, Margaret Armstrong, John Pender, David Harnett, Edward Jones, Robert Shine Snr., Margaret Delaney, Desmond Bernard, Amanda Checkley, Shirley Atkinson, Raymond Maddix, David Maddix.

Deacon Ambrose will be ordained to the priesthood on Saturday 13th July in Portsmouth. It's not too late if you would like to attend this very special occasion there are a few places still available on the coach – speak to Teresa or Marie.

Tea and Talk will be meeting this **Tuesday 25th June 12.00 – 2.00** in the presbytery. If you would like to come along, just turn up.

A few gentle reminders: Please...

Arrive early and join in saying the Rosary before Mass on Sundays from 9.45am - Please respect those who would like to pray by maintaining silence in Church prior to Mass. Why not pray when you arrive at Mass, and

look forward to catching up on conversation after Mass?

From the weekend of 6th July, we shall all gather for one parish weekend Mass at 10.15 on Sunday morning.

Message from Father Tim

Dear Parishioners and Friends,

Last Sunday, the Church marked what was known as the Day for Life, a special day to consider the sacredness of human life. The focus this year has been Compassion and Hope at the end of life. It is such situations that remind us of the importance of our ability to vote in the forthcoming General Election on Thursday 4th July. Please do not let election fatigue or any annoyance with politics or politicians stop you from making time to vote on 4th July. Many parts of the world do not allow people to vote. In our own country, women had to fight for the vote. Even if it does not interest you for yourself, please consider the vote that will support the most vulnerable members of our community.

Best wishes and prayers,

Fr Tim

Father Tim Ordained as Bishop Tuesday 16th July at 12 noon – the Sacred Heart Club, Grange Road, will be showing the live stream of this very special occasion. It would be really lovely if we could come together as a parish to celebrate the wonderful event.

Community Projects Administrative Assistant

21 Hours per week. Open to flexible working arrangements and working patterns.

Working days to be discussed with the successful candidate.

Salary, SCP 17-19

£12,492 -£13,085 per annum

Flexible on location. To be discussed with successful candidate.

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recruitment@fatherhudsons.org.uk quoting post reference number P1793

Closing Date Wednesday 1st July 2024 – Interview date TBC

June and July Mass Intentions

Sunday 7th July – Dennis Seery (Anniv)

Sunday 14th July – Marion Jones

John Mullen (Anniv)

Sunday 21st July – Joseph (Joe) Greene

Sunday 28th July - David & Hugh Green (Int)

Who to contact

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Teresa O’Gorman. She can be contacted at:

sg.sacredheart.bham@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.

Safeguarding Representatives:

Teresa O’Gorman 07585 907706

Sheila McKernan 0121 344 3028

Health & Safety Representative:

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URGENT APPEAL – St Chad’s Sanctuary project for refugees and asylum seekers: **NEEDED URGENTLY:** Tinned tomatoes, Longlife Milk, Pasta, Tinned Fish, Tinned vegetables, Rice, Kidney Beans and Chickpeas, Sugar, Tinned Fruit, Tea, Soup, Cereals. Can be delivered to St Chad’s Cathedral.

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