



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

Twenty Second Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

**Sunday 1st September 10.15am – Iris & Francis Mee (Anniv)
Peter Marron (Anniv)**

Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

Sunday 8th September 10.15am – Robert Badland

25th August 2024
Offertory Collection **£203.44**

Prayers for those who have died:

Anthony Abalum, Robert Shine Jnr, Deacon Bill Baines, Cyril Lysaght, Shirley Atkinson, Geri McGlinchy, Jane Goodyear, Fr Brendan Carrick Archbishop Noel Treanor, Steve White

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, Raymond Maddix, David Maddix, Richard Watchorn, Mary Crotty, Michael Gallagher, William Greene.

Education Sunday - Second collection next weekend for Catholic Education Service.

Dance the Night Away – Soul and Motown night this Friday 6th September 8pm till 12 midnight at The Crown Erdington, 1089 Tyburn Road, only £5. Money raised for Sacred Heart Church – please support this event.

Memorial Mass Wednesday 16th October – We invite all members of our community to put forward names of those loved ones who have died since last October, to be included in this special Mass for families of deceased loved ones. Please give details to Teresa or Marie.

Tea and Talk will be meet this **Tuesday 3rd September** 12.00noon – 2.00pm in the presbytery. If you would like to come along, just turn up.

Birmingham Irish Heritage Group meet this Monday September at 7pm at the Sacred Heart Club – All welcome and tell your friends.

Message to Father Brian from the parish We warmly welcome you as you become part of the Sacred Heart family and the rich heritage of Sacred Heart, and all those who have prayed in our beautiful church for 100 years. We hope you will be very happy here.

Adoremus – National Weekend with a focus on Eucharistic Adoration – 14 / 15 September. Parishes across the country are asked to give some time to fostering devotion to the Blessed Sacrament and to the Eucharist which we receive in the Mass. On Sunday 15th September, we shall incorporate into our Sunday Mass about 10 minutes after Holy Communion, to spend time in quiet adoration before the Lord, resting in his presence and remembering the privilege of being in that place where heaven and earth meet, in the timelessness of God.

Diocesan Novena for the Canonisation of Blessed Dominic Barberi. Please continue to pray that a miracle may be acknowledged through direct prayer to Blessed Dominic Barberi. This is how somebody is declared a saint of the Church. It makes sense to pray for causes close to home and close to your heart.

**Diocesan Mass for Altar Servers –
St Chad’s Cathedral – Saturday 5th October at 12 noon.
Celebrant: Archbishop Bernard Longley. All
altar servers welcome.**

**Alton Castle & St. John The Baptist Church –
Garden Party & Castle open day Saturday 21st
September 12.30 – 4.00pm entry £2 – see notice
board for more details.**

Volunteers wanted - Tabor Living, part of Father Hudson’s Care, is Birmingham’s permanent accommodation project providing safety, support, warmth and encouragement to people experiencing homelessness. Tabor Living’s Volunteer Open Event is on Sunday 6th October at 2pm until 3.30pm - more details on Parish Notice Board.

Conversational Irish language classes suitable for complete beginners or intermediates, starting Wednesday 11th September 7:00 p.m. Holy Cross and St Francis Parish Hall
B76 2RS Please phone Gerard for more details on 07929 873828

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.

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Health & Safety Representative:

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