<u>For those who have died:</u> Christine Lawton, Terence Dixon, Fr. David Standley, Derek Trantor, Elizabeth Stanyer, David George Small, Monsignor George Hay, Jill Hughes

Funerals: Christine Lawton (Funeral Service Mon 22nd April 12.00pm followed by Mercia Forest Crematorium) - service conducted by Fr. Christoganus from St Thomas of Canterbury, **Terence Dixon** (Reception into Church Weds 24th April 4.00pm, Requiem Thu 25th April 10.00am followed by Mercia Forest Crematorium)

Please keep in your prayers: John & Bridie McDonagh, Jane McDonagh, Mary McCrank, Glen Preece, , Caroline Holland, Tom Bradley, Maureen Salmon, Joyce Walsh, Eddie McDonagh, Suzy McDonagh, Marie McKenzie, Philip Gormley, Francis Keane, Anne Russell, Maureen Byrne, William Kelly, John Farrell, Ann Gilraine, Margaret McNulty, Cornelius Cronan, Tom Brennan, Thomas McHugh, Tara Ford, Michael Welsh, Simon Woods, Chris Kane, Jim Malachi, Monica Carrington, Michael McHugh, Anne Scott, James Swindel, Reg Ford, Chris Voice, Fr Brian Brown, Lisa Dean and Danny Dean, Winnie Lawlor, Margaret Bednall, Sandra, John Magnier, Sheila Cronin, Maureen Rowland-Aitken, Elaine and David Sumner, Jackie Logan, Brenda Guest, Graham Lawlor, Robert Sweeney, Dayna Haywood, John Eccles, Gerry Stokes, Frank Gallagher, Mary Chester, Ann Mountford, Jim Lowndes

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CONFESSIONS: Sat 10.00 to 10.45am & before mass or by appointment

ADORATION: Tues 9.00am-9.50am & Sat 10.00-10.50am

BAPTISMS: Sun at 11:45am by appointment

ROSARY: 20 mins before mass

CHOIR: Sing at 10.00am mass. Anyone can join.

** CHILDREN'S LITURGY **: During Sun 10:00am Mass

TEAS and COFFEE: After Sun 10:00am Mass in Parish Hall. All Welcome

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PARISH NEWSLETTER Sat 6th/ Sun 7th April 2024 DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

Sat Entrance 32 Offertory 735 Communion 673 Recession 728 Sun Entrance 68 Gloria *SHEET* Offertory 67 Communion 673 Recession 322



DIVINE MERCY

This is a public feast day formally established by St John Paul 11 in May 2000. The Divine Mercy Devotion is inspired by the experiences and writings of a Polish nun, Sister Faustina, who died at 33 years of age in 1938 and was canonised in April 2000. It embraces priests, religious and laity united in their commitment to live mercy in relating to their brothers and sisters, to make the mystery of Divine Mercy known and to invoke God's mercy for sinners.

Divine Mercy Sunday is a very special Sunday when the Divine Floodgates from Heaven are wide-opened and Jesus offers us the total forgiveness of all sins and punishment to any soul, who goes to Confession and receives Him in Holy Communion, on that day. **Devotions and Reconciliation Sunday 3pm In Church**

 SAFEGUARDING NOTICE: The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Elizabeth Briars. They can be contacted at:
sg.stpeters.bloxwich@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.

MA	ASS TIM	IES, FEAST DAYS and MAS	S INTENTIONS		
Sat 6 Apr	10.00am	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament			
Sat 6 Apr	11.00am	Easter Saturday	Sick of the parish		
Sat 6 Apr	3.00pm	Rite of Christian For Adults (instruction)			
Sat 6 Apr	5.30pm	DIVINE MERCY (Vigil)	Pro populo (people of parish)		
Sun 7 Apr	10.00am	DIVINE MERCY including baptisms	Alicia Fitzpatrick birthday remem		
			brance, Theresa Ikeagwuonu		
			anniversary, George Small RIP		
Sun 7 Apr	1-2.30pm	Sunday Communions			
Sun 7 Apr	3.00pm	Divine Mercy Devotions including			
		Reconciliation			
Mon 8 Apr	6.00pm	Annunciation of Our Lord	Monsignor George Hay RIP		
Tue 9 Apr	9.00am	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament			
Tue 9 Apr	10.00am	Easter <i>feria</i>	Ron Anderson RIP		
Tue 9 Apr	11.00am	Finance Committee Meeting (Ongoing)			
Tue 9 Apr	6.00pm	Rite of Christian For Adults (instruction)			
Tue 9 Apr	7.00pm	Wedding Preparation Meeting			
Wed 10 Apr	10.30am	Easter <i>feria</i>	Sick of the parish		
Wed 10 Apr	1.30pm	Governor Meeting			
Wed 10 Apr	3.30pm	Rite of Christian For Adults (instruction)			
Thu 11 Apr	9.30am	Mass in St Peter's School	Staff and pupils of St Peter's		
Fri 12 Apr	10.00am	Easter <i>feria</i>	Persecuted Christians		
Sat 13 Apr	10.00am	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament			
Sat 13 Apr	11.00am	Easter <i>feria</i>	Julie Bennett thanksgiving		
Sat 13 Apr	1.00pm	Baptism	Pataki		
Sat 13 Apr	3.00pm	Rite of Christian For Adults (instruction)			
Sat 13 Apr	4.15pm	Rite of Christian For Adults (instruction)			
Sat 13 Apr	5.30pm	3rd SUNDAY EASTER (Vigil)	Steven Purshouse Private Inten-		
		including reception into Church	tions		
Sun 14 Apr	10.00am	3rd SUNDAY EASTER	Heather Miles RIP		
Sun 14 Apr	1-3pm	Sunday Communions			

ST PETER'S PARISH WHATSAPP GROUP. To join: 1.) Give Fr. David or Sr.Tonia your WhatsApp phone number to add you manually or 2.) Send a WhatsApp message 'ADD ME' to the Parish WhatsApp number; 07840781301.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY

We will have the Blessing of the Divine Mercy Image immediately after the weekend masses as well Divine Mercy Devotions and Reconciliation on Sunday at 3pm.

STELLA MARIS INVITE

We are delighted to invite you and your parishioners to our Stella Maris Mass celebrated by Archbishop Bernard Longley on Wednesday 10 April at 1215 at the Cathedral Church of St Chad, St Chad's Queensway, Birmingham B4 6EU. Should you or any of your parishioners be able to join us on that day please RSVP by phone 0207 901 1931, or

email Roland.Hayes@stellamarismail.org.

Aid to the Church in Need (ACN) Volunteers

The charity needs help with:

• Sharing mailings with your parish

• Including ACN regularly in parish prayers

• Fundraising to support projects

• Supporting ACN school projects Leading a parish Red Wednesday event We will be handing out **ACN** leaflets after the weekend masses. Fr. David would very much like a volunteer to be a Parish Representative.

MISSIO RED BOX COLLECTION

The Missio "Red Boxes" are being emptied commencing next weekend, 13/14th April and will be completed on the weekend 25/26th May. Could box holders please return (and collect) their box during this period to the table at the side entrance to the church. Thank you – Tony Daniels.

THIS WEEK'S READERS as per rota

06-Apr Anthony Daniels Martin Bradley 07-Apr Sr. Felicitas John Stringer

ANNIVERSARIES

Those whose anniversaries occur this week include: Oliver Taylor, Harry Robins, Ellen Stanley, Elizebeth Owen, Anne Murphy, and Paul Hinsley

WORD THIS WEEK

Eastertide ties together so many of the themes of Easter: life, faith, baptism, the Spirit - all brought together in the person of the Lord Jesus, risen from the dead. On this sec-

ond Sunday, we continue to track through real time, by hearing what happened in Jerusalem on the Sunday after the Resurrection, with the Lord appearing to Thomas -



strengthening his faith and strengthening ours as we listen to the account *{John 20:19-31}*.