

MASS TIMES	Ss Peter & Paul	Holy Cross	Intention
Saturday 30th May St Joan of Arc fulfils the Obligation of Sunday		12noon	dec'd family&friends of D&M Evans
Sunday 31st May THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	8.30am 11am		Pro Populo RIP Tony Dunne(I&J Dick)
Monday 1st June St Justin, Martyr		7 pm	Sheila Hird RIP
Tuesday 2nd June Ss Marcellinus & Peter, Martyrs	10am sspp Schol Mass of Thanksgiving for Holy Communion		Albert Sharpe
Wednesday 3rd June Ss Charles Lwanga & Companions, Martyrs		8am	M&A Gibson, L&M Doyle
Thursday 4th June Feria		7pm	James&Ruth McManus family&friends
Friday 5th June St Boniface, Bishop, Martyr		10am 3pm	Witton, Rooney, Smith, Culton Divine Mercy Rosary
Saturday 6th June St Norbert, Bishop		12noon	Mike Gibson
Sunday 31st May THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST	8.30am 11am		Pro Populo Kilgallen&Maundrell families
Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Birmingham, Charity No. 234216			

HOLY CROSS and SS PETER & PAUL, LICHFIELD

UPPER SAINT JOHN STREET, WS14 9DX AND DIMBLES LANE , WS13 7NH

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TRINITY SUNDAY

31st May, 2026

It will not be out of place to consider the ancient tradition, teaching and faith of the Catholic Church, which was revealed by the Lord, proclaimed by the apostles and guarded by the fathers. For upon this faith the Church is built, and if anyone were to lapse from it, he would no longer be a Christian either in fact or in name.

We acknowledge the Trinity, holy and perfect, to consist of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit. In this Trinity there is no intrusion of any alien element or of anything from outside, nor is the Trinity a blend of creative and created being. It is a wholly creative and energising reality, self-consistent and undivided in its active power, for the Father makes all things through the Word and in the Holy Spirit, and in this way the unity of the holy Trinity is preserved. Accordingly, in the Church, one God is preached, one God who is *above all things and through all things and in all things*. God is *above all things* as Father, for he is principle and source;

SAFEGUARDING: our Parish Website has a dedicated page which provides links to Safeguarding. Our Parish Safeguarding lead is Stephen Wordsworth who can be contacted at sg.holycross.lichfield@rcaob.org.uk

Prayers & Resources

www.universalis.com has the **mass readings for the day**. It also has all the Offices from Matins to Compline.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO PRAY FOR THE SICK

Jonathan Dick, David Clough, Tamara Murtagh, Ellen Russell, Patrick Glendon, David Greatrex, Anna Nicholls, Terry Hazell, Carlos Wright, Matthew McCleod, Barbara Cleaver, Sulamith Corbett, Tony Corbett, Jayne Wright, Jean Christie, David Finnemore Wain, Christine Ratcliffe, Eileen Walmsley, Liz Graham, Philip Flahive, Mike Kilgallen, Jean Watson, Maria Huong Huynh, Rohan Jenkins, Oscar Wordsworth, Mary Rowe, Eddie Ryan, Angela White, Terry&Gussie Finn, Hazel Kenny, Mavis Thompson, Rebekah Birch, Sue James, Father John Hancock, Peter Keane, Daphne Keane, Fr David Cousins and all those known only to you.
Hear us, O Lord, from heaven thy dwelling place and have mercy on us.

To receive the Newsletter by email please contact the Parish Office:
holycross.lichfield@rcaob.org.uk

Coffee in the Community Room

Every Friday 10.30am-Midday

In the Community Room

@ Holy Cross

ALL WELCOME

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Saturdays before Mass in Holy Cross from 11.15am

CONFESSIONS: Saturday from 11.15am Holy Cross & before any Mass & at any time by arrangement

HOLY CROSS: as far as possible the church is open for private prayer and meditation from 8 am until 6 pm

PRISON PRAYER: Monday 1st June 7.30pm in the Community Room @ Holy Cross

NEW ORGAN KEYBOARD: thank you to all who have donated towards the Organ. We have raised £ 728 THANK YOU!! You can still make a donation by Cash, Cheque or one of the Contactless Giving terminals. All of your contributions are very much appreciated

SUPPORT A MISSIO SEMINARIAN: we still need a few more Parishioners to agree to contribute just £1 per week (actually 97p) for 4 years so that we can sponsor the training of a Missio Priest in Africa or Asia.; please contact **Kevin O'Leary, Local Secretary for Missio** [email kevoleary@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:kevoleary@yahoo.co.uk) 07967 355830 OR **myself** in the Office. Thank you

LOST PROPERTY: if you have lost a walking stick by Ss Peter & Paul Church please contact myself in the Office. Thank you

FOOTHERLEY HALL CARE HOME: will be holding their Annual Summer Fayre on 6th June from 1pm onwards. This is a great event which all Parishioners are welcome to. The address is Shenstone, WS14 0HG

OSCOTT SEMINARY: keep up to date with what's going on by signing up for the Newsletter and updates on the College website www.oscott.org

NEWS & EVENTS WITHIN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM: for all of the latest news please visit birminghamdiocese.org.uk

GIFT AID: for any Parishioner that makes an Offering to the Church on a regular basis please let us know if you are eligible to Gift Aid your donation, by doing so we will be able to claim for the full amount of your kind Offering. Also if there are any Parishioners that wish to start making a regular Offering please get in touch ga.holycross@rcaob.org.uk