



The Parish of Ss. Thomas & Edmund of Canterbury

Erdington Abbey

The parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered Charity No. 234216

Served by the Redemptorists since 1922

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MASSSES: Saturday: 6.00pm (Vigil) Sunday: 8.00, 9.15, 10.30, 12.00, & 6.00pm.

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday 10.00am & 7.30pm. Tuesday & Friday 10.00am. Saturday: 9.30am.

Wednesday Novena 7.00pm. Confessions: Wednesday 10.30am and Saturday 10.00am & 4.30pm

Parish Office 9-12 and 1-4pm closed Wednesday afternoon. Holy Shop 10.30-12.00 and 2.30-3.45pm.

Closed all day Wednesday

"Acquire the habit of speaking to God as if you were alone with him, as to the dearest and most loving of friends" St Alphonsus

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Fourth Sunday of Lent

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Mass Intentions

Fourth Sunday in Lent

Saturday 26th March

6.00pm: John & Shaun
Maloney RIP

Sunday 27th March

8.00am: Cosme Morgado RIP
9.15am: All Parishioners
10.30am: Ann Miley RIP
12.00 noon: Harris Family
6.00pm: Bernie Doran RIP

Monday 28th March

10.00am: Rita Gallagher RIP
7.30pm: Kerrie Turner

Tuesday 29th March

10.00am: Mrs Darby

Wednesday 30th March

10.00am: Kathleen Fallon
7.30pm: Catherine & Andrew
Kenny

Thursday 31st March

10.00am: Berwyn Evans RIP
7.30pm: Annie Rochford RIP

Friday 1st April

10.00am: Mary E Kelly RIP

HOLY HOUR 3.00pm

Saturday 2nd April

9.30am: Bridget McArthur RIP
6.00pm: Alan & Philomena
Romney & Family RIP

Sunday 3rd April.

8.00am: Rita Lewis RIP
9.15am: All Parishioners
10.30am: Victor Lafite RIP
12.00 noon: Peter Connell
6.00pm: Hughie McGovern

**Next week second
collection for the**

**Upkeep of the
Church**

**Thank you for
your
generosity**

PLEASE PRAY FOR : Dee Dunston, Easton Hurd, Phyllis Carey, Evelyn Rose, Janina Surowiec, Stephen O'Reilly, Theresa Floyd, Alec Bragington, Diane McDermott, John Sean Carey, Peggy Murphy, Gerard Cusack, Frances Hansard, Tess Reidy and Maureen Taylor who are sick.

Happy Mothers Day to all our mothers in the parish. Have a wonderful day
REDEMPTORIST UKRAINE APPEAL: This weekend we are having a Redemptorist Ukraine Appeal. This money will go straight to the Redemptorists in Ukraine to help in whatever ways are needed to help the situation there. Thank you.

ALSO IN SUPPORT OF THE REDEMPTORIST UKRAINE APPEAL: We will be selling tickets after all Masses this weekend for a Soul and Motown Night to be held this Friday 1st April at The Crown 1069 Tyburn Road, Erdington. All funds raised will go to the Redemptorist Ukraine Appeal. Tickets £5.00 each. Tickets will also be available from the Parish Office during the week and also from Kate 07514438066. *We would welcome donations for Raffle Prizes.* You can bring them to the Parish Office during the week. Please give your support.

HOLY HOUR this Friday 1st April 3-4pm.

Worship: Stations of the Cross every Friday after the 10 o'clock Mass. **Adoration** from 10.30 to 12noon Monday to Friday and also at 7.00pm on Monday and Thursday evenings.

Eucharistic Ministers and Readers: Your evening of Recollection will be on **Thursday 7th April at 7.00pm** Please make a note of this date in your diary. Thank you.

Lenten Penitential Evening will be on **Tuesday 12th April at 7.00pm.** Another date for your diary! As usual there will be several priests available for confession.

RCIA Candidates: Our candidates will undertake the third scrutiny next Sunday at the 10.30am Mass. Please keep the candidates and the RCIA team in your prayers.

Church Flowers for Easter: If you would like to sponsor flowers in the church in memory of a loved one please put their name and donation in an envelope and leave it in the parish office. A list of those to be remembered will be in the church porch on Easter Sunday.

Fr Gabby: The Maguire Family would like to express gratitude to Fr Reid, Bishop Heskett, Fr Gweme, Fr Dickinson, the Redemptorist Community, the choir, Bishop Evans, the clergy from the Archdiocese and the Abbey Parish for the special Mass for Fr Gabby's funeral. Also thanks to Darren Faragher Funeral Directors for their sensitive and professional handling of arrangements. Fr Gabby would be very proud of you and we know he will rest in peace now that he is back at the Abbey. Our thanks to the Hall hospitality committee for a beautiful lunch. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM: The Birmingham Diocese Walsingham Pilgrimage will be held on Saturday 14th May. If anyone is interested in attending as a parish group please contact the parish office. Enquiries can then be made regarding transport to Walsingham.

COFFE MORNING this Wednesday in the Hall, after the morning Mass. Please come and join us.

DIVINE LOVE COMMUNITY Sr Regina would like to thank Parishioners for their generous donations for refugees from Ukraine, in their Retreat Centre in Hungary.

Have a blessed Week, Fr Elias CSsR