### ST MARY IMMACULATE, WARWICK ST CHARLES BORROMEO, HAMPTON ON THE HILL

# Fourth Sunday of the Year 28 January 2024



Illuminated manuscript Jesus drives out a Demon C.15th French Book of Hours

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## MASS TIMES





		St Mary Immaculate	St Charles Borromeo
Sun 28	4th Sunday in Ordinary Time	6pm (Sat) <i>Packie O'Donnell</i> 11am <i>Paul Kerr RIP</i>	9am Pro Populo
Mon 29	feria	9.30am <i>Michael Hynes RIP</i> (in Primary School)	
Tue 30	feria	9.30am Anil Jain RIP	
Weds 31	St John Bosco		12pm Lance Nash RIP
Thur 1	feria		
Fri 2	The Presentation of the Lord	6pm Barbara Humphrey RIP	1pm <i>Monica Hermolle</i> <b>Requiem Mass</b>
Sat 3	St Blaise	5pm Lectio Divina 6pm Manning family RIP	12pm <i>Sandra Dalbow RIP</i> (Sunday Mass)
Sun 4	5th Sunday in Ordinary Time	11am <i>Pro Populo</i>	9am <b>No Mass</b>

### THE WORD THIS WEEK

Listening to God's voice is the message today. The first two readings have the word 'Listen'. If we don't, how will be know when God is speaking and not an unclean spirit? Whatever Jesus said in the synagogue at Capernaum that day, it was enough to make a deep impression. The Gospels suggest there was an expectation of the Messiah, or of a 'prophet' foretold by Moses, who would speak in God's name and be listened to. Do we hear God's voice today, at this very Mass? Yes we do. Christ is really present in the words of Scripture proclaimed, including the Antiphons and Psalm response: *Harden not your hearts.* 



### **GENERAL NOTICES**

**<u>Recently Dead</u>**: Fr Sandy Brown, Margaret Thornton, Monica Hermolle, Fr Christopher Greaney, Michael Marshall, Philippe Narain. May they rest in peace.

**Fr Christopher Greaney funeral:** Weds 7 Feb: Reception & Mass, 6pm. Thurs 8 Feb: Requiem Mass 12pm at St Peter's, Learnington Spa.

<u>Warwick Half Marathon</u>: The 9am Mass at St Charles next week is cancelled due to the road closure but there will be an anticipated Sunday Mass at midday on Saturday.

<u>1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion:</u> Please see the schedule on the parish website. Meeting for parents on Sat 3 feb at 4.30pm in the church.

<u>Churches Together</u>: The next Prayer Breakfast will be held at St Mary Immaculate on Sat 3rd Feb at 8am Everyone welcome. Churches Together in Warwick <u>www.ctwarwick.org.uk</u>

Youth Club: for Year 9 upwards. Next dates: 6 Feb, 7.30 – 9pm. Please contact Hannah for more information dallman.han@gmail.com

<u>Young Adults:</u> There is a group for young Catholic adults 18-35 that meet monthly in Leamington. Follow the link for more info <u>https://www.catholicleamington.org.uk/young-adults-18-30.html</u>

<u>**Pre-Lent Retreat:**</u> Sat 10 Feb, 2-5pm. Join us for an afternoon of reflection in preparation for Lent. Come and sit & listen in a quiet and reflective atmosphere: readings, tea & cake will be provided. Please let us know by 12.00 the day before if you are attending so we can organise seating and refreshments: smiwarwick.retreats@gmail.com You can also email us here with any questions. Julia and Emma

**Book Club** the next meeting is 6 February, 7pm, Martyr's Room - Graham Greene, *The Heart of the Matter*. Book Club is a friendly and social group and welcomes new faces to enjoy a glass of wine over book chat. For more information, see our website <a href="https://rb.gy/0kzhak">https://rb.gy/0kzhak</a>; or contact <a href="mailto:emma\_mason@outlook.com">emma\_mason@outlook.com</a>

#### Spirituality - Forthcoming Talks in the Martyrs' room at 7pm

Mon 29 Jan Benedict of Nursia spirituality in creating his Rule, influence this has on Benedictine monks over millennium & how this spirituality speaks to us today. Mon 5 Feb St.Francis of Assisi & early follower's, how their teaching may be of use today. Mon 12 Feb ways that Ignatian spirituality encourages a deepening relationship with God Mon 19 Feb introduction to the faith & practice of Quakers. Exploring their history, development, theological vision & contemporary spirituality.

2 <sup>nd</sup> Collections	St Mary Immaculate stmary-immaculate.org.uk 28 Jan Racial Justice 11 Feb Pro Life	St Charles Borromeo stcharles-borromeo.org.uk 28 Jan Racial Justice 11 Feb Pro Life	
Counting	This week group 5 Next week group 6	More counters required at St Charles, please contact Angela.	
Sick & Housebound	Gill Bonehill, Christopher Browne, Eileen Checkley, Patrick Clifford, Colin Docker, Wendy Fitzpatrick-Ellis, Annie Gleason, Anne Gunthorpe, Janet Harbison, Graham Hardwick, Samantha Hewitt, Susan James, Catherine McCarthy, Monica, Liam McLaughlin, Bernadette Narain, Kathleen O'Connor, Agnes Pauling, Peter Schmidt, Sheila Thumwood, Betty Walters, Gerard Williams.	Canon Edward Stewart, Aidan Harris, Samantha Hewitt, Jo Holleron, Eddie Unitt, Janina Woods. <b>Your prayers are asked for all the</b> <i>sick in our parishes: at home, care</i> <i>home, hospital, hospice.</i>	
Monthly Draw	<b>£350 paid in prizes each month.</b> Jan winners: 1 <sup>st</sup> L O'Rourke 2 <sup>nd</sup> M Sutherland, 3 <sup>rd</sup> T Sheehan. Next draw 19 Feb.	<u>St Charles Tote</u> Next draw 11 Feb. Contact Paul & Helena	
The lamps in our churches			
Rosary group	The Pope's intentions for January: For the gift of Diversity in the Church. We pray that the Holy Spirit may help us to recognise the gift of different charisms within the Christian community and to discover the richness of different traditions and rituals in the Catholic Church.		

**PARISH GIVING:** The best way to support our parishes financially is by setting up a Standing Order using the following bank details If you don't have internet banking and want to sign up for Standing Order, please contact the parish office. <u>*GiftAid form*</u>

Account name: RCA Birmingham St Mary Immaculate Acc. no.28541588: Sort code 55-70-33 Account name: RCA Birmingham St Charles Borromeo Acc. no.28392876: Sort code 55-70-33

Parish Websites <a href="https://www.stcharles-borromeo.org.uk">stcharles-borromeo.org.uk</a>

Our Parishes operate in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parishes Safe guarding Representative is Julia FitzSimons who can be contacted at: <u>sg.smi.warwick@rcaob.org.uk</u> or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240/ <u>safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk</u> if you have any concern.

Health & Safety Coordinators: Steve Nemeth (St Mary), Damien Convey (St Charles) Primary School Head: Julia Wallace. Parish Secretary: Andy Walker.