

ST MARY IMMACULATE, WARWICK ST CHARLES BORROMEIO, HAMPTON ON THE HILL

**Second Sunday of Lent
25 February 2024**



Bartolomeo Cavarozzi *Sacrificio d'Isacco* c.1598 Piasecka-Johnson Collection, New Jersey

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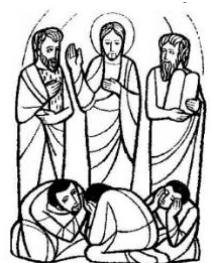
MASS TIMES



		St Mary Immaculate	St Charles Borromeo
Sun 25	Second Sunday of Lent	6pm (Sat) <i>Private int.</i> 11am <i>Pro Populo</i>	9am <i>Private int.</i>
Mon 26	feria	9.30am <i>Joan Symes</i> 6.30pm Stations of the Cross	9.30 Stations of the Cross 10am <i>Private int.</i>
Tue 27	St Gregory of Narek	9.30am <i>Paki O'Donnell</i>	10am <i>Private int.</i>
Wed 28	St Oswald		11.30 Stations of the Cross 12pm <i>Private int.</i>
Thur 29			12pm <i>Private int.</i>
Fri 1	St David 	5.30pm <i>Mrs Carmel Fitzgerald</i> Station Mass Beauchamp Chapel, St Mary's Warwick	9.30 Stations of the Cross 10am <i>Private int.</i>
Sat 2	St Chad	<i>5pm Lectio Divina</i> <i>6pm Aidan Bell RIP</i>	10am Adoration 10.30am <i>Private int.</i> Confessions after Mass
Sun 3	Third Sunday of Lent	11am <i>Stephen & Terry Darlison</i>	9am <i>Private int.</i> <i>Pro Populo</i>

THE WORD THIS WEEK

Unlike ourselves, Jesus did not show different faces to people. He always showed the same face, the face of God, because he was God in human form. In today's Gospel reading, we very clearly see the face of Jesus, as God. The same face as from the beginning of time and ever will be. But his disciples saw Jesus in a way they had never seen him before. The penny dropped and they now fully realised what Jesus' face truly looked like. They saw him with new eyes. Fundamentally, Jesus only reveals one face of God, the face of love.



GENERAL NOTICES

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

Lenten Station Mass:

Friday 1 March 5.30pm St Mary's Collegiate Church *Beauchamp Chapel*
Friday 8 March 6pm Warwick Castle: **meet in the Stable Yard at 6pm**
Friday 15 March 6pm St Peter ad Vincula, Hampton Lucy
Friday 22 March 6pm St Francis of Assisi, Baddesley Clinton

1st Holy Communion: First session 10am on Sunday 25th February in the parish hall.

Confirmation: Introductory session for Candidates and parents in the Martyrs' Room after 11am Mass on Sunday 18th February. The sessions will take place at this time, there will be a couple of Saturday excursions and 'field' trips. The Archbishop will be coming to confirm on Sunday 19th May

Crib Offerings: The St Mary Immaculate Crib Offerings came to £541.91 which will go to the Friends of the Holy Land. Thank you to all who contributed. Also £521.36 from the Sunday morning coffee.

Pope's February intention: The Pope has asked that we particularly remember families facing terminal illness in February. The following link provides a good Lenten opportunity to support a charity specifically supporting such families: <https://www.justgiving.com/page/2024challenge>

World Day of Prayer: Please join us for this year's 2024 service prepared by The Christian women of Palestine. The service is to be held at Northgate Methodist Church on Fri 1 March at 11am. Everyone is very welcome to join us after the service for a soup lunch in the church hall

Youth Group is back this half term for Years 8 – 13 on Tues 20th Feb, 5th March, 19th March from 7.30 – 9pm. £1 donation. There will be a trip bowling on 5th March. Find out more by joining us on 20th or contact Hannah for details on dallman.han@gmail.com


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

Book Club: next meeting: 5 March, 7pm, Martyr's Room - Tara Westover, *Educated*. 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 <https://rb.gy/0kzhak>; or contact emma_mason@outlook.com

St Mary Immaculate Annual Parish Meeting Sun 25 Feb at 12.15 in church.

Mission Together Sponsored Run The children in the Chaplaincy Team at our primary school are organising a sponsored run: 'Running Together for Mission' where the whole school will be running to raise money for Mission Together (the Catholic Church's official children's charity for overseas mission) which supports children in need around the world, currently focusing on helping children living in the slums in Chennai, India. Please support us by donating what you can on the link below. Thank you!

https://www.justgiving.com/page/stmaryimmaculatecatholicprimaryschool?utm_medium=fundraisin&utm_content=page%2Fstmaryimmaculatecatholicprimaryschool&utm_source=copyLink&utm_campaign=pfp-share

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2 nd Collections	25 Feb Cafod Lenten fast 3 Mar Cathedral Maintenance	25 Feb Cafod Lenten fast 3 Mar Cathedral Maintenance
Counting	This week group 3 Next week group 4	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. <i>Your prayers are asked for all the sick in our parishes: at home, care home, hospital, hospice.</i>
Monthly Draw 	<u>£350 paid in prizes each month.</u> There is plenty of room for more members, or existing members to take additional numbers, contact the office £5 per No. Per month. Feb winners: 1 st H Connor, 2 nd K Castaneda, 3 rd M Sutherland. Next draw 18 Mar.	<u>St Charles Tote</u> Next draw 11 Feb. Contact Paul & Helena
The lamps in our churches	Sanctuary lamp: CR reflections	
Rosary group	The Pope's intentions for February: For the terminally ill. The Holy Father encourages prayers 'so that terminally ill patients and their families always receive necessary medical and human care and support'.	

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. [GiftAid form](#)

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 stmary-immaculate.org.uk stcharles-borromeo.org.uk

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: sg.smi.warwick@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.

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