

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

**Twenty-sixth Sunday of the Year  
29 September 2024**



El Greco *St Francis Receiving the Stigmata* 1590-1595 National Gallery of Ireland

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**Office open – Monday and Thursday 10am – 3pm**

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# MASS TIMES



		St Mary Immaculate	St Charles Borromeo
Sun 29	<b>26<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year</b>	6pm (Sat) <i>David, Mark and Winnie Caves</i> 11am <i>Bet Nichols RIP</i>	9am <i>Private int. Pro Populo</i>
Mon 30	St Jerome	9.30am <i>Ellie &amp; Andy</i>	10am <i>Private int.</i> <i>Bible Study (zoom) 7.30pm</i>
Tue 1	St Therese of the Child Jesus	9.30am <i>Ronnie Gallagher RIP</i>	<b>9.30am</b> <i>Private int.</i>
Wed 2	Holy Guardian Angels		12pm <i>Private int.</i> <i>Betty Nichols RIP followed by soup lunch</i>
Thur 3	St Thomas Cantilupe		12pm <i>Private int.</i>
Fri 4	St Francis of Assisi	9.30am <i>John Collins RIP</i>	10am <i>Private int.</i>
Sat 5	St Faustina Kowalska	6pm <i>Peter Lorimer</i>	10am Adoration 10.30am <i>Private int.</i> <i>followed by Confessions</i>
Sun 6	<b>27<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year</b>	11am <i>Francis John Daa</i> <b>Nigeria Day Celebration</b>	9am <i>Pro Populo</i> <i>Private int.</i>

**Livestreaming:** Please be aware that the front two pews are visible. If anyone wishes to receive Holy Communion but not appear on the livestream, please speak to Fr Patrick.

## THE WORD THIS WEEK

*'You must not stop him: no one who works a miracle in my name is likely to speak evil of me. Anyone who is not against us is for us.*

*Mark 9,39-40*

## THE SEASON OF CREATION

**Praised be You, my Lord, through our Sister, Mother Earth, who sustains and governs us, producing varied fruits with coloured flowers and herbs.**

***St Francis of Assisi***

# GENERAL NOTICES

**Recently dead:** Betty Nichols RIP

**Book Club:** first Tuesday of every month, 7pm, Martyr's Room. New faces welcome! For details go to <https://rb.qv/0kzhak>

**Nigerian Celebration:** 1 October is Nigerian Independence Day and the feast of Our Lady Queen of Nigeria. Our Nigerian community will be singing, reading and serving at 11am Mass and hosting the refreshments afterwards in the hall. All welcome.

**Mobile phones:** Please remember to use electronic devices in church only if you're following the Mass or the readings. Otherwise please put phones on silent or, even better, turn them off - unless you need them for an emergency.

**CHURCH CLEANING** (at St Mary's): Would you like to help to keep the church clean? We're looking for people to join the church cleaning team which consists of about ten people. The commitment for each person is just one hour every 5 weeks which can be done at a time to suit you. If you could spare some time, please contact Cecilia (on 01926 492397) or the Parish Office.

**Parish Youth group** (school years 9-13) will be meeting on 1/10 & [15/10](#) from [7.30-9pm](#). £1 donation to cover snacks and activities. Any questions please speak to Hannah [dallman.han@gmail.com](mailto:dallman.han@gmail.com)

**Readers:** we have had an offer from a parishioner experienced in training people for public speaking. We will have a session for all readers early in the autumn. This will be a good opportunity in preparation for the arrival of the new Lectionary.

**St Mary's 200 club** is a great way to support the parish whilst having a chance of winning some prize money. £350 is paid out every month. 75 numbers are vacant, so there is plenty of room for more. Just let Andy know, in the office, if you would like to join in, £5 per number per month.


**Flame** Catholic youth event taking place in Wembley on 15 March [2025](#). We're hoping to take some young people from the parish (cost per person £49). If you would like to sponsor a place or contribute towards the cost of a young person attending, please speak to Hannah Dallman or email [dallman.han@gmail.com](mailto:dallman.han@gmail.com). To help with fundraising, the youth group are hosting a quiz night on Sat 5 Oct from 7pm in the church hall. Please save the date, more details to follow. If any other young people are interested in coming along to Flame, there are still some places available - speak to Hannah for more information.

**RCIA** For adults who would like to be Baptised or received into full Communion with the Church, Catholic Leamington are running a group starting on Weds 9 Oct at St Peters. Contact Gareth on 07539502436 or email [rcia.cathleam@gmail.com](mailto:rcia.cathleam@gmail.com)

**St Charles T4U Boxes** ' Give Love in a Box ' to children & mothers in the poorest communities in Eastern Europe. Boxes with leaflets are at the Back of the Church. Latest return date 27 Oct.

**St Charles Church Cleaning** Could you spend an Hour or Two every 5-6 weeks cleaning our Beautiful Church. Contact Clare 07941815037 [claremayer1@gmail.com](mailto:claremayer1@gmail.com)

**Hall Games – Thursday Evenings** As the days get shorter, why not add some fun to your evenings? Our new Parish Hall Games Club is the perfect way to brighten up those darker nights! Open to all ages, we'll be meeting every Thursday from 8-9 pm, starting on the 17 Oct. You can enjoy table tennis, pool, chess, and a variety of board games—there's something for everyone! No need to sign up, just drop in and have some fun. Refreshments will be available, and a suggested donation of £3 per person will help keep our hall running smoothly. For more information, contact Mat Idziak on 07923575607 / [mateusz.idziak777@gmail.com](mailto:mateusz.idziak777@gmail.com) or Chris Beaumont on 07745 649025"

	<b>St Mary Immaculate</b> stmary-immaculate.org.uk	<b>St Charles Borromeo</b> stcharles-borromeo.org.uk
2 <sup>nd</sup> Collections	29 Sept Church Maintenance 6 Oct Cafod Family Fast	6 Oct Cafod Family Fast
Counting	This week group 4 Next week group 5	More counters required at St Charles, please contact Angela.
Sick & Housebound	Gill Bonehill, Christopher Browne, Eileen Checkley, Colin Docker, Wendy Fitzpatrick-Ellis, Annie Gleason, Josephine Grant, Anne Gunthorpe, Graham Hardwick, Samantha Hewitt, Susan James, Catherine McCarthy, Monica, Liam McLaughlin, Bernadette Narain, Kathleen O'Connor, Agnes Pauling, Peter Schmidt, Sheila Thumwood, Betty Walters, Natasha Watkins, Gerard Williams.	Aidan Harris, Samantha Hewitt, Jo Holleron, Angie Morrell Tom Riley, Eddie Unitt, Janina Woods.  <b><i>Your prayers are asked for all the sick in our parishes: at home, care home, hospital, hospice.</i></b>
Monthly Draw 	<b>£350 paid in prizes each month.</b> There is plenty of room for more members, or existing members to take additional numbers, contact the office £5 per No. per month. Sept winners: 1 <sup>st</sup> G Quinn, 2 <sup>nd</sup> C Linehan, 3 <sup>rd</sup> F Whiting. Next draw 23 Sept.	<b>St Charles Tote</b> Next draw 13 Oct.  Contact Paul & Helena
The lamps in our churches	<b>Sanctuary Lamp: Private Intention (KC)</b>	
Rosary group	The Pope's intentions for September: <b><i>For the cry of the Earth</i></b> We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.	

**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

**St Mary Immaculate Hall bookings** [heartofwarwick@gmail.com](mailto:heartofwarwick@gmail.com)

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

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