

**ST AMBROSE'S PARISH KIDDERMINSTER**

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OUR LADY & ST PIUS X, Canterbury Road, Kidderminster DY11 6DR (01562 748474)  
SACRED HEART & OUR LADY, Berrington Road, Tenbury Wells  
Parish Clergy: Fr Douglas Lamb, Revd Peter Hesketh

In retirement: Revd Thomas Ashcroft, Revd Dr Peter Mason

In formation: Charles Duncombe, Adam Nicholls

Sixth Eastertide Sunday Year A Psalter Week 2 Pope John Sunday Missal p394 Week ending 28<sup>th</sup>/29<sup>th</sup> May 2011

**Feast Days this week:** **Mon:** Solemnity of the Dedication of the Church **Tues:** The Visitation  
**Wed:** St Justin **Thurs:** SS Marcellinus and Peter **Fri:** St Charles Lwanga

**MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS FOR THE COMING WEEK:**

**ST AMBROSE'S**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	Joseph Donigan RIP
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	Funeral: Frank Quinn RIP
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	Intentions of Emma Duveen Conway
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>11.30 am</b>	Kitty Wooldridge RIP
	<b>7.30 pm</b>	Adoration until 10.00 pm (9.45 pm Compline)
<b>Friday</b>	<b>7.10 pm</b>	Rosary 7.30 pm Holy Communion
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>9.00 am</b>	(Old Rite) Joe and Joan Whitfield RIP
	<b>5.45 pm</b>	Vincenzo Finella RIP
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9.30 am</b>	Amy, Bill and Billy Harris RIP

**OUR LADY'S**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>7.30 pm</b>	Holy Communion
<b>Friday</b>	<b>9.00 – 9.45 am</b>	Adoration
	<b>10.00 am</b>	Sheila O'Toole RIP
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>10.15 am</b>	Bill Pardoe (Anniversary)
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>5.00 pm</b>	Frances Hopla RIP

**SACRED HEART**

<b>Sunday</b>	<b>11.30 am</b>	The People of the Parish
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**CONFESSIONS:** St. Ambrose's: Saturday 11.45 am – 12.45 pm; 6.30 pm – 7.00 pm and by request  
Our Lady's: Saturday after Mass  
Sacred Heart: By request

**MINISTRIES FOR THE COMING WEEK;**

**Altar Servers for morning Mass:** Jake Turner, Will Turner

**Eucharistic Ministers**

**Readers**

<b>St Ambrose's:</b>	Sat 5.45 pm	T Alexander, T Webb	V Cartwright
	Sun 9.30 am	M Bradley, A Colclough, M Holmes, C Vass	J Turner
<b>Our Lady's:</b>	Sun 5.00 pm	To be appointed	A Wright, M Hesketh
<b>Sacred Heart:</b>	Sun 11.30 am	M Peyton	N Taylor

**Church Cleaners (St Ambrose's):** Team A

**Offertory Counters:** Group 5

**Please pray for our parishioners who are sick, and for all who have need of our prayers, especially:**

Dorothy Atwell, Christopher Aylott, William Patrick Bannister, Albert Barr, Peggy Baynton, Christina Bickley, Frank Bourke, Peggy Burke, Linda Button, Stephen Coates, Nora Collins, David Connolly, Rob Conway, Kitty Cooper, Rob Cotgrave, Jane Cox, Mary Cull, Eamonn Dalton, Thomas Dalton, Joni Dunlea, Phil Eady, Brian Evans, Vera Farley, Sr Maureen Fay, Celia Fernandez, John Foxall, John Freeman, Sheila Freeman, Maura Furlong, Anthony Georgieff, Shirley Hale, May Hampsey, George Humble, Jane Jenner, Keeley John, Veronica Jones, Ben Kelly, Cathy Kneuss, Marie Lane, Felicity Librie, Eleanor Lloyd, Arwen Lockley, Terry McCormick, Peter McQuillan, Fernanda and Michael Maffei, Kathleen Mellsop, Sheila Mikulicz, Lee Mound, Jean Mulligan, Kitty Murray, John Nangle, Veronica Neal, Margaret Norris, Pat Norris, Eileen Postans, Chris Price, Pat Quinn, Pat Redmond, Janet Richards, Mary Roberts, Giaconda Salsano, Harold Salter, Cecil Smith, Keith Southall, Lawrence Speers, Pearl Stanley, Marie Stokes, Carmen Thomas, Jim Thomas, Cliff Tolley, Frances Tovey, Assunta Vaccaro, Patricia Virr, George Watkins, Eric Whittaker, Gene Whitwam, Edith Wilkes and May Williams.

**Entrance Antiphon:** Speak out with a voice of joy; let it be heard to the ends of the earth. The Lord has set his people free, alleluia.

**Response to the Psalm:** Cry out with joy to God all the earth.

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia! Jesus said: 'If anyone loves me he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we shall come to him'. Alleluia!

**Preface of Easter:** III p561 **Eucharistic Prayer:** I p566 **Memorial Acclamation:** III

**Communion Antiphon:** If you love, keep my commandments, says the Lord. The Father will send you the Holy Spirit, to be with you forever, alleluia.

**This Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered as a Charity BRC DTR 234216**

**town mayor:** Congratulations to Councillor Mrs Anne Hingley who was installed as Mayor of Kidderminster on Thursday evening. She is a parishioner of ours, and represents the Parish as a Foundation Governor of Hagley School. The Revd Peter Hesketh attended as her Acting Chaplain on Thursday, and Fr Lamb will be her Chaplain for this coming year. The Mayor's Service is at St Mary's in June, and there will be a Civic Mass at St Ambrose's during Mrs Hingley's year in office.

**Ubi Caritas:** As notified earlier in the year, the Archbishop has agreed to award the Diocesan Medal to Liz and Norman Taylor during Mass in St Chad's Cathedral at 7:00 pm on Thursday, 22 June. We shall be providing transport, and there will be the traditional party in the Adams Lounge when we return. For the moment, please indicate on the lists in our Churches the numbers intending to travel, and more detailed travel plans will be published nearer the date. Please sign the lists by 12 June.

**Missal Donations:** Thanks to all who have offered donations for the new Missals and other accessories that will be necessary when the new translation is introduced during the early autumn. All the intentions will be listed and inscribed so that we may honour the requests of the donors.

**Baptisms:** This afternoon the Revd Peter Hesketh will baptise Isabella Mole; and next Saturday will see the Baptism of Savannah Celeste Lister-Faulkner. Please pray for these children and their families.

**Marriage:** A former distinguished Altar Server in this Parish, Colin Buckle, is to be married this afternoon at St Thomas of Canterbury Church in Bolton. Fr Lamb has been invited to attend, and to take part in the ceremony. We are very grateful to Fr Keith Enston, who will be offering our Masses in Tenbury and Habberley today. Please pray for Colin and his wife, Michelle.

**Requiescant:** Frank Quinn, of Perrin Avenue, died suddenly last Sunday morning. He was the father of Tony Quinn, a regular member of this Parish with his family. His Funeral Mass is on Tuesday morning. We heard also of the death of Stan Tyler, who lived most of his life in this Parish before retiring near his daughter in Leicester. His Funeral Mass will be in St Ambrose's on Monday, 13 June. May they rest in peace.

**Anniversary:** Next Thursday is the anniversary of the death in 2008 of St Margaret Mary Wroe, Infant School Headmistress 1965-1971.

**Teas and Coffees:** will be provided in the Borromeo Hall after 9.30 am Mass today by the Ambrosians and next Sunday by the CMS.

**Bible Study:** We next meet on Wednesday, 1 June 2:00 – 3:30 pm at Our Lady's, Habberley. You are most welcome to join us. We will be studying the reading for the next Sundays' Masses and the links between them

**Men's Annual Retreat:** Please note that the Retreat will take place at St Mary's, Sparkhill, on the weekend of 4/5 June, from 2:00 pm, Saturday to Sunday afternoon. Cost approximately £30 covers board and lodging of a very good standard. Information from Peter Young or Ray Barber (K 750529 or 630741).

**Old Rite:** There will be a Missa Cantata at St Mary's, Harvington next Sunday at 3:00 pm.

**Marriage Enrichment:** Worldwide Marriage Encounter present residential weekends for married couples and priests who would like to gain further enrichment from their marriage or priestly sacraments. Venues are countrywide. From 22- 24 July there will be a weekend held locally at the Elim Conference Centre, West Malvern. Contact details: Tel (01583) 385801 or [www.wwme.org.uk](http://www.wwme.org.uk). Details available from the Rectory.

**Trainee Counsellor:** A trainee Counsellor, in their fourth and qualifying year of training, would like to offer some free time to people who have something they want to talk about, are feeling depressed or anxious, or would like to address their sense of low self-esteem. Counselling provides a safe and confidential place where you can openly talk about yourself. Every enquiry dealt with in the strictest confidence. Please ring the Revd Derek Arnold on (01562) 60250 or email [rector.kwtm@virginmedia.com](mailto:rector.kwtm@virginmedia.com) for more details.

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Evesham:** The Pilgrimage Mass in honour of Our Lady of Evesham is in the Parish Church on Saturday, 11 June at 1:00 pm, with Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament and Blessing of the Sick at 4:00 pm.

#### **Finances:**

- (i) Last week's Offertory was £1048.35 (Envelope Scheme £336.60. Loose £711.75). Thank you very much for your continued generosity.
- (ii) Subscribers to the Priests' Training Fund have raised £26. The Parish Collection for the Fund has raised 294.57.
- (iii) Thanks to the Whist Players who have donated a further £100.