## ST AMBROSE'S CHURCH KIDDERMINSTER SACRED HEART CHURCH TENBURY WELLS

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## The Third Sunday of Eastertide

Liturgical Year B Psalter Week ||| April 14<sup>th</sup> 2024 CTS Missal: p. 429 Preface IV of Easter Eucharistic Prayer II Acclamation III

**MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS** 

MONDAY EASTER FERIA

April 15<sup>th</sup> 8.30 am (Winterfold) Eastertide Assembly

9.45 am Morning Prayer

10.00 am Antonia Congera (Anniv) PRO-LIFE ROSARY

TUESDAY EASTER FERIA

April 16<sup>th</sup> 8.45 am Morning Prayer

9.00 am Anne Sharples RIP

WEDNESDAY EASTER FERIA

April 17th 8.55 am Morning Prayer

9.15 am Kate McCann RIP

THURSDAY EASTER FERIA

April 18th 8.50 am (Winterfold School) Abraham & Anne Doherty (Anniv)

11.30 am Intentions of Lyndon Whatley

7.30 pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 8.30 pm Compline

FRIDAY EASTER FERIA

April 19th 8.45 am Morning Prayer 9.00 am Jan Purvey RIP

SATURDAY EASTER FERIA

April 20th 8.45 am Morning Prayer

9.00 am Antonio Maffei RIP (Rosary and Novena Devotions)

SUNDAY FOURTH SUNDAY of EASTERTIDE (Good Shepherd Sunday)

April 21st 9.00 am (Tenbury) The People of the Parish

11.00 am Intentions of Sheila Mikulicz 6.00 pm Edward Curry (Anniv)

**CONFESSIONS:** Saturday 11.45 am – 12.45 pm; at any time by request

TEAS & COFFEES after 11 am Mass in the Adams Lounge

ADDITIONAL MINISTERS: 11 am T Hart 6 pm N Jose READERS 11 am M Roy/A Lockley 6 pm M Weaver

CLEANING TEAM: D (Friday morning) Please note the B team is in need of at least one more member.

**New Life:** Today we celebrate with the family of AMARA AMY MARINA BARTLETT-OATES, who is to be baptised this afternoon.

**Retiring Collection – NEXT SUNDAY:** There will be a retiring collection next weekend for Vocations.

**Eternal Rest:** Please pray for COLLEEN ANTONIEWICZ of Heathfield Crescent, who died in the early hours of Tuesday morning. She was 86 years of age, and had been in failing health recently. PEGGY HUMBLE'S Funeral has been arranged for Monday April 29<sup>th</sup> at 12.30 pm. At her own request, it will be a Service that is not a Mass, and she will be cremated at Wyre Forest. MAY THEY REST IN PEACE.

**Anniversary:** Next Saturday will be the anniversary of the death in 1955 of SISTER CATHERINE McGRANN (Headmistress of our Schools 1910 -1937).

**Reflecting on a memorable evening:** In his Holy Rule, ST BENEDICT appears to give almost equal importance to the table of the Eucharist and the table at which the Community comes together to share their meals. This spirit was captured uniquely in our Parish last Monday evening. <u>MANY</u> people, including Bishop Evans, remarked on the beauty of our Liturgy, and there was a wonderful 'family' atmosphere afterwards in the Adams Lounge. Please let this be an encouragement to all of us to enable others to share in the life and activity that we have together.

**Light of Maasai, Kenya:** In the past, parishioners of St Ambrose's have contributed towards the education of Ciara, one of the girls in the care of Elaine Bannon, since she was abandoned as a baby. Ciara is now at secondary school and is a delightful young lady. In celebration of the 80<sup>th</sup> birthday of Madeleine Roy, we shall have a FUNDRAISING EVENING of song. Our talented Mr Dale Minaker will be performing in the Borromeo Hall at 7 pm, after evening Mass TODAY. Bring your own drinks and nibbles. Tea and coffee will be available. PLEASE NO CARDS OR PRESSIES!! All donations will go to the education of Ciara. We look forward to seeing you there!

**Union of Catholic Mothers:** The next meeting of the UCM is on Monday at 7.30 pm in the Adams Lounge. We invite all ladies to our meetings, of whatever age or marital status. Just come along and you will receive a very warm welcome.

**Craft Club:** will meet on Tuesday in the Borromeo Hall 2 pm - 4 pm. Anyone interested in handicrafts is very welcome to join us. Just drop in and relax over a cup of tea and a chat.

**Montini Group:** The Montini Group will reconvene on Tuesday April 16<sup>th</sup> at 4.15 pm in the Adams Lounge to consider THE LORD'S PRAYER, especially the important sentences FORGIVE US OUR TRESPASSES, AS WE FORGIVE .... Everyone welcome to take part.

**Baptism Preparation:** There is a meeting of those families preparing for Baptism; to be held n the Adams Lounge on Tuesday at 7 pm.

**Walsingham Pilgrimage:** Fr Philip Griffin invites us to take part in the Day Pilgrimage to Walsingham on Saturday May 11<sup>th</sup>. A coach will leave Our Lady & All Saints, Stourbridge, at 7.00 am returning by 9.00 pm. The coach fare will be £25 and we are asked to bring a packed lunch. The Pilgrimage Mass is at 1.30 pm. Canon Lamb is intending to take part and will have three car seats available to and from Stourbridge.

**May Procession:** Our Parish Procession in honour of Our Lady will be on Sunday May 12<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 4 pm. CHRISTINA STUBBINS has kindly consented to crown the Statue on behalf of the whole Parish. Perhaps this year, families may consider having a MAY ALTAR in their homes.

Please pray for our parishioners who are sick, and all who have need of our prayers, especially: Joyce Berry, Maria Cholowa, Trina Cole, Clare Conway, Olive Cooke, Michael Dunne, Fr Bruce Dutson, Madonna Endeley, Mary Fieldsend, Teresa Friar, Emilia Gissyng, Philip Green, Margaret Grimley, Lola Hartland, Kathleen Hegarty, Annie Holcroft, Margaret Holmes, Christine Hopkins, Anthony Hughes, George William Kawooya, Shirley Keogh, Joan Kinsella, Pam Lay, Francesca Lloyd, Arwen Lockley, Sharon Matthews, Sheila Mikulicz, Neil Moule, James McCarthy, John Nangle, William Nixon, Veronica Pugh, Amanda Rattigan, Sarah Rejman-Greene, Fr Tony Rohan, Jackie Sands, Anthea Speers, Lawrence Speers, Liz Steadman, Ray Stride, Steve Swalwell, Joyce Taylor, Jim Thomas, Linda Thompson, Margaret Tillott, Jessie Tolley, Jill Tombs, Christopher Tovey, Frances Tovey, Lynn Tovey, Lyndon Whatley, Fr Graham Wilkinson, Bridget Power and May O'Donnell.

**Live Streaming:** Weekday Masses and Mass on Sundays at 11 am are Live Streamed. Other services will not be Live Streamed

Parish Safeguarding: Peter Harler & Niall Doherty. See Website for details.