

St. Mary's RC Church

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Parish Bulletin: 6 August 2023 THE TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD (Year A (I); Psalter: Week 2)

Date	Details	Liturgies	Time
Saturday 5 August / Sunday 6 August	TRANSFIGURATION OF OUR LORD	Sacrament of Confession Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5.00 pm 6.00 pm 11.30 am
Monday 7 August	Monday of Week 18 in Ordinary Time	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Tuesday 8 August	St. Dominic, Priest	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Wednesday 9 August	St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross, Virgin, Martyr (Feast) Mass Intention: Donor's Intention	Exposition & Confession Holy Rosary Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.30 am 10.00 am
Thursday 10 August	St. Laurence, Deacon, Martyr (Feast)	Holy Mass	10.00 am
Friday 11 August	St. Clare, Virgin Mass Intention: Donor's Intention	Exposition & Confession Chaplet of Divine Mercy Holy Mass	9.00 am 9.45 am 10.00 am
Saturday 12 August / Sunday 13 August	19 TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	Sacrament of Confession Saturday Vigil Mass Sunday Morning Mass	5.00 pm 6.00 pm 11.30 am

NEWS

A warm St. Mary's welcome to our visitors! – Toilet facilities are available in our hall (entrance around the back). Why not join us for tea/coffee and good company after Sunday Mass?!

Prayer Intentions – the Adoration group would like to invite the Parish to leave any intentions that they may have to be prayed for by the group. Prayer is powerful, and it is important as fellow Catholics to be praying for one another. The Priests already pray for us, and there is a box beside the Confessional in which people can put their intentions. If you would like the Adoration group to pray for you, or your situation, please mark it 'Adoration' and then a first name, or even an initial, will be enough. Many thanks, Eric.

"YOUR PARISH NEEDS YOU!" – We are in need of new **READERS for the VIGIL MASS** each Saturday, as well as much-needed new **SACRISTANS**, to help with preparing for our liturgies, and **FLOWER ARRANGERS**, to beautify the church. Can you possibly spare a little time to help us in the Parish? Please speak to Fr. Domenico. All assistance will be gratefully received!

EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION (EMHC) – are you an EHMC? Do you have the time to visit any of our housebound parishioners with the Blessed Sacrament? Please do speak to Fr. Domenico! Full training offered. We will also have a Day of Recollection for ALL parish Extraordinary Ministers in due course.

'90 Club': July Winners! – First Prize: Kirsty Gordon; Second Prize: Kevin Close & Family; Third Prize: Emily Lamont. Congratulations to all our winners! Would you like to be a winner too? Speak to Elaine for further details.

PARISH FINANCES

30 July: £ 607.90

Bank Statement, as of 31 July 2023: £38,433.69

Thank you for your generosity and support of the parish!

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Sick: Dorothy Ahern, Bruce Lamont, Ann Stewart, Pat Usher, Roger Cooper, Austin Birks, Siobhan, Freddie Brown, Christina, Peggy Walker, Fr. Frank Barnett SJ

RIP: Daniel Patrick Finnerty, Michael Gallagher, Duncan Moodie

Anniversaries: Thomas McNeill (11 August 1924), Alice Lawless (12 August 1990)