

St. Patrick's Church, Wolverhampton

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TIMES OF MASSES AND OTHER LITURGIES

Sunday, 11.02.18

9:30 am
11:00am
5:30 pm
6:00 pm

Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time **World Day for the Sick**

Mass: Michael Thornton RIP
Baptism of Taylor
Confessions
Mass: Kochely Thomman RIP



Monday, 12.02.18

9:30 am
10:00 am

Feria

Mass: Thanksgiving intention of Glaxin and Family
Rosary

Tuesday, 13.02.18

No Mass

Feria

Wednesday, 14.02.18

9:30 am
7:30 pm

Ash Wednesday; Fasting and Abstinence from Meat

Mass: Special Intention
Mass: Thanksgiving intention of Simran Glaxin

Thursday, 15.02.18

Thursday after Ash Wednesday No Mass

Friday, 16.02.18

7:00 pm
7:30 pm

Friday after Ash Wednesday

Mass: Michael Thornton RIP
Stations of the Cross

Saturday, 17.02.18

10:00 am
10:30 am

Saturday after Ash Wednesday

Mass: Intention of the Quinn and McCarthy Families
Confessions



Sunday, 18.02.18

9:30 am
5:30 pm
6:00 pm

First Sunday of Lent

Mass: Thomas Madigan RIP
Confessions
Mass: Johnny, Eileen, Kitty Purcell and baby Kitty RIP

Confessions: Sat. after 10:00am Mass & Sun. 5:30-5:50 pm or on request



YOUR OFFERINGS: 4TH FEBRUARY £0.00 (GIFT-AID £0.00)

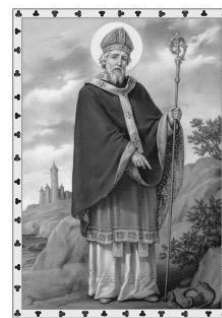
SECOND COLLECTION TODAY (11TH FEB): ST PATRICK'S SVP

Church Cleaning this week: Team C (Wednesdays after morning Mass)

ALL WELCOME to join us for refreshments in the Hall after 9.30am Sunday Mass

PARISH ADMINISTRATION: If anyone requires baptism certificates or any other written documents from the parish, please call the parish on Mondays & Fridays: 10.00am - 11.30am.

CONTACTING THE PARISH: If you need to get a message to the priest or the parish then please leave your message on the presbytery answer phone: 01902 736440 or 07857462527 (Emergency Mobile), or e-mail: stpatricks220@sky.com



PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND: Violet Griffin, Patricia Padley, Ron & Josie Whittingham, Peter Cullis, Malcolm & Barbara Harris, Margaret Tiernan, Charlie Stokes, Michael Gough, Mary Carroll, Sally McNulty, Sheila Thomas, deacon Michael Ainsworth, Paul Bristow, Maureen Locke, Fergus Fallon, John Farrell, Raiens Scerbejs, Bernie Davies, Bill Fletcher, Ian Middleton, Gerry Simpson. *If you are not able to get to Mass (e.g. you're going into hospital) or if you notice someone who has not been at Mass recently, let know Fr Dawid or Gerry Simpson.*



PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES OCCUR IN FEBRUARY (part 2): PATRICIA KILLEEN who died recently, also Ann Bernadette Hislop, Edith Eley, Michael Smith, Maura Lem, Emily Lewis, Mary Purcell, Jeremiah Wallace, Ronald Clews, Ronald Tomlinson, Irena Buck, Lucy Ann Darby, Ann Kiely, Mary Pottinger, James Harris, Beatrice Wynn, Patrick Quigley, Thomas Francis.



ASH WEDNESDAY is a day of **FASTING AND ABSTINENCE** from meat. The Law of Fasting applies to all who have reached their majority (that is 18 years of age) until their 59th Birthday. **ABSTINENCE** from meat is binding on all who have reached the age of 14.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS will take place every Friday at 7.30pm up until Holy Week. Please make every effort to attend this special liturgical devotion.

WALK WITH ME The Lent edition of the Walk with Me booklets of guided daily meditations for the season of Lent are available to buy at the back of church, price £1 per copy.

GIVING FOR LENT: It would be good if we could give some thought as to how best we might use this God-given time: what we might use for reading and prayer; things we might do (perhaps availing of the weekday Mass, attending one of the Penitential Services in our Deanery); resolutions as to some acts of self-denial; perhaps extending the CAFOD family fast... It's time to do some reflecting! As a Parish Committee, the Friends of St Patrick's have decided that our Lenten Charity for this year is: **THE HOPE COMMUNITY**. To support this excellent cause you could **LIGHT A VOTIVE CANDLE** (20p). All monies collected will be given to the Hope at the end of Lent in recognition of all the good works they do for the people of Heath Town, Wolverhampton.

WOLVERHAMPTON CHURCH SHELTER The shelter is very short on volunteers this year and is trying to find people interested in helping, with training provided by the church. Many volunteers are volunteering a shift every fortnight, so it doesn't have to be a weekly commitment. For any additional information you can contact: churchshelteryvolunteers@gmail.com Facebook page: <https://www.facebook.com/WolverhamptonChurchShelter>

If you are GOING INTO HOSPITAL or know someone who has gone into hospital.... The hospital



Anointing of the sick

chaplaincy are not automatically informed of the presence of Catholic patients admitted to hospital. Therefore, if you know someone who has gone into hospital, or you are expecting to be admitted, please contact the chaplaincy on 01902 695098 or (preferably) inform the chaplaincy by e-mail (rwh-tr.Chaplaincy@nhs.net). Chaplains are often no longer automatically given the names of Catholic patients. Many health care providers (e.g. Hospitals, Nursing Homes, Mental Health Units) apportion resources for chaplaincy in line with how many requests are made so you are actually doing the Church a favour by requesting the chaplaincy and sacraments whilst in hospital. Please note also that the chaplaincy may not inform Parish Priests about parishioners whom they meet in hospital, or about the well-being of parishioners without the specific permission of the individual in hospital.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION Sessions take place Sunday mornings **after 9.30am Mass in the Parish hall**. Lesson dates: 11th Feb, 18th Feb, 25th Feb, 4th Mar, 11th Mar, 18th Mar, 25th Mar, 8th April, 15th April, 22nd April, Wednesday 25th April at 4pm (First Confessions), 29th April, 6th May and 13th May.

SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION Preparation sessions take place Sunday mornings **after 9.30am Mass in the presbytery**. Lessons: 11th Feb, 18th Feb (Confessions), 25th Feb, 4th March and 11th March. Confirmation Day: 21st March.

