

Saint Mary's Catholic Church, Brewood

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Serving HMP Brinsford, HMP Featherstone and HMP Oakwood, Penkridge, Bishop's Wood, Four Ashes, Coven, Lapley, Wheaton Aston and surrounding areas.

This parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham. Registered charity number 234216
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Sunday 16th February 2020 The Sixth Sunday of the year

Unless otherwise indicated, Mass will be celebrated at the following times:

Sun 16th	9.00am* 11.00am†	Sixth Sunday of the year Leah Richards (Speedy recovery) People of the parish
Mon 17th		Feria
Tues 18th		Feria
Wed 19th	9.00am	Christopher Haffner RIP
Thurs 20th	9.00am 6.00pm	Trish Williams (Anniversary) RIP Holy Hour
Fri 21st		Fr Paul will celebrate Mass at HMP Oakwood
Sat 22nd	2-2.15pm	Chair of St Peter, A Fr Paul will celebrate Mass at HMP Brinsford Confession
Sun 23rd	9.00am* 11.00am†	Seventh Sunday of the year People of the parish Anne Sollom (Private Int)

* This Mass is celebrated at St Michael's Penkridge and includes Childrens Liturgy

† There is also a Childrens Liturgy in Brewood at the 11.00am Mass

Sick List To comply with **GDPR** legislation, from November 2018, we started the parish sick list anew. Only those who have given consent will be on the sick list. A letter is available which can be handed to anyone who is ill to request a visit, or to have their names added to the list to be prayed for.

Please pray for the sick of the parish & their carers: - Chris Rauchmann, Philip & Christine Elson.

Our Collection for last weekend was **£264.70** made up of **£172.60** envelopes and **£92.10** loose. Thank you.

Home Communion If you are unwell and will be unable to come to church for some time can you please ring the parish office so arrangements can be made for someone to come & visit you with communion if you wish.

Mass of Thanksgiving For the Canonisation of St John Henry Newman, on **Wednesday 19th February at 12.00 Noon** at Maryvale House. Refreshments will be served after Mass. All welcome.

The Good Shepherd Centre Maggie will be taking our donations to the centre at the end of February, so if you would like to make a donation can you please bring it in & leave it in the box provided at the back of church. A big thank you to everyone who has donated & continues to donate to this good cause.

Lent 2020 This year Lent begins on **Wednesday 26th February**. There will be several events throughout Lent that you can pop along to. **On Friday 28th February** and each Friday during Lent there will be Stations of the Cross at 6pm. Deacon Stephen will be running a course on Wednesday evenings in the church hall beginning on **Wednesday 4th March** from 7pm-8.30pm entitled 'A Journey with Matthew'. The Thursday Holy Hour will also continue during Lent. Please do try to attend one of these events; you don't have to commit to every week just whenever you can make it.

HCPT Market Stall Sadly at the end of February this will be the last year that the HCPT will be able to run this stall to raise much needed funds. A big thank you to everyone involved, Vincent Brennan & his band of helpers who keep the stall running in all weathers and everyone who has donated or bought items from the stall. The stall will run until Saturday the 29th February so do please pop up and visit them.

Womens World Day of Prayer This year falls on **Friday 6th of March**. The service will be held here in **St Marys church at 2pm**. This years programme is compiled by the women of Zimbabwe. Refreshments will be served after the service & will reflect the culture of Zimbabwe. Please do try to attend as an awful lot of work & planning has gone into arranging this ecumenical service which is open to all churches in the village.

	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers	Readers
	9.00am	9.00am	11.00am
16/2/20	Rupert Cathy	Pam	Tessa
23/2/20	Theresa Elaine	Vincent	Helen A

	Coffee	Flowers Brewood	Cleaners Brewood	Cleaners Penkridge	Prison Visitors
16/2/20	Kath			Kathy	Bill
23/2/20	Colette Helen A	Maggie	Maggie Teresa	Frances	Kevin Stuart

*Please join us for tea & coffee in the church hall after
11.00am Mass*

