

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 23rd February 2020 **The Seventh Sunday of the year**

Day for the unemployed

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

Sun 23rd	9.00am* 11.00am†	Seventh Sunday of the year People of the parish Anne Sollom (Private Int)
Mon 24th		Feria
Tues 25th		Feria
Wed 26th	9.00am 6.30pm	Ash Wednesday People of the parish Peter Browne RIP
Thurs 27th	9.00am 6.00pm	Jacintha Phelin (special Int) Holy Hour
Fri 28th	9.00am 6.00pm	People of the parish Stations of the Cross
Sat 29th	2-2.15pm	Fr Paul will celebrate Mass at HMP Brinsford Confession
Sun 1st	9.00am* 11.00am†	First Sunday of Lent Ted Delacy RIP People of the parish

* 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 **£318.86** made up of **£142.60** envelopes and **£176.26** loose. Thank you.

There will be a second collection next Sunday for Cathedral Maintenance

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.

HCPT Market Stall Sadly this coming Saturday (29th) will be the last day the stall will open. A big thank you to everyone involved, Vincent Brennan & his band of helpers who kept the stall running in all weathers and everyone who has donated or bought items from the stall. Please pop up and visit them on their last ever trading day.

Lent 2020 This year Lent begins on **Wednesday 26th February with Mass at 9.00am & 6.30pm.** 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.

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
23/2/20	Theresa Elaine	Vincent	Helen A
1/3/20	Kathy Bernadette	S Palmer	Tony

	Coffee	Flowers Brewood	Cleaners Brewood	Cleaners Penkridge	Prison Visitors
23/2/20	Colette Helen A	Teresa	Teresa	Frances	Kevin Stuart
1/3/20	Elaine Tom	Lent		Cathy	Tony Karl

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

