



THIS WEEK, THE CANDLES ARE BURNING FOR THE INTENTIONS OF
 SHRINE OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA FOR **Mary McGovern**
 SHRINE OF THE SACRED HEART FOR **Mary McGovern**

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION - Saturday 10.30–11am & 5.15–5.45pm & *by appointment*
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT - Friday 6.00 - 6.30pm & Saturday 10.30 - 11am.
DIVINE MERCY CHAPLET - Sunday at 3.00 p.m.
PRAYER GROUP – Wednesday at 10.00 a.m. *Everyone welcome!*

FINANCIAL MATTERS – 11th January 2026

Gift Aid	£165.00	Standing Order	£261.00	Lucky Number Draw
Non-Gift Aid	£174.45	Second Collection	£130.02	10 th /11 th January
Total	£339.45	<i>for the Parish Maintenance.</i>		No. 28 £7.50
				Maria A.

Thanks for your generous offerings!

THE SECOND COLLECTION TODAY IS FOR THE PARISH MAINTENANCE.

PARISH GIVING

Donation by QR Code

The best way you can support the parish financially is by setting up a **Standing Order** using the following bank details:
NatWest Bank - Account No: 02272016 - Sort Code: 60 - 07 – 41
 or you may contact the Parish Office for a set of **Gift Aid** envelopes.



Useful Information

- ◊ **Sick List** - If you would like to add yourself, a relative or friend to the sick list you must complete a consent form, you can find them in the porch, and return it to the office.
- ◊ **Baptisms**: Please complete the request forms and send to the office. You will be contacted to book a date.
- ◊ **Parish Hall** – Please contact the parish office via email olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk or telephone 0121 422 4865 to make an enquiry.
- ◊ **Safeguarding** - The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Irene Byrne & Georgina Wakeman. They can be contacted at: sg.olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 / safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.

Parish Administrator: Mrs Jackie McGuinness

Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday & Thursday 9.00 – 11.00 a.m.
 Wednesday 9.30 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.

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Parish Treasurer: Peter Lanni **Email:** pt.olf.quinton.bham@rcaob.org.uk

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18TH JANUARY 2026 – SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR A – PSALTER WEEK II

Saturday	17	6:00 p.m.	Linda Stephenson RIP
Sunday	18	10:00 a.m.	Evan Evans RIP Anniversary
		11:15 a.m.	Baptisms: Raphaelle Agisha Manimanj Gabriel Kalimurhima Manimani
Monday	19	10:00 a.m.	Darren Joseph Chan Birthday <i>Feast St Wulstan</i>
		5:00 p.m.	Reception: Maureen Edmonds
Tuesday	20	10:00 a.m.	Holy Souls
		12:30 p.m.	Funeral Service for Maureen Edmonds
Wednesday	21	---	No Mass
Thursday	22	10:00 a.m.	Dan & Maria Green & family
Friday	23	9:15 a.m.	People of the School <i>Mass at OLF School</i>
		6:00 p.m.	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament</i>
		6:30 p.m.	Eileen Moloney
Saturday	24	10:00 a.m.	Michael Jennings <i>St Francis de sales</i>
		First Reconciliation - Year 3	

25TH JANUARY 2026 – THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – YEAR A – PSALTER WEEK III

Saturday	24	6:00 p.m.	Gen Kacperski 3 rd Anniversary
Sunday	25	10:00 a.m.	Mary Bateman RIP

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

John Jennings, Delia Stewart, Mary Basterfield, John McCallion, Mary Davitt, Donna Walsh, Bridie Kinsella, Mali Piggott, Robert Kirby, Dean Evans, Anne Madden, Kay Hegarty, Rona Gibson, Pat Davis, Bernie Earl, Kathleen Cook, Edward Bonner, Christine McGovern, Margaret O'Connor, Mary O'Sullivan, Joan Tracy.

May the Lord grant them consolation, peace and healing. May God give all involved in health care in hospital or in the community, grace, strength and perseverance.

PRAY FOR THE DEAD

Please keep in your prayers all those that have died at this time. We pray also for those in whose anniversaries occur at this time.

*Eternal Rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them.
 May they rest in peace. Amen.*

ANNOUNCEMENT FROM FATHER LONG

Dear brothers and sisters in Christ,

It is with a very heavy heart that I must announce I will be leaving to join a new parish. His Grace Archbishop Bernard has appointed me to become Parish Priest of Our Lady of Mount Carmel in Redditch, Worcestershire. My heart is heavy because I have been so blessed with the community of Our Lady of Fatima who constantly help and support me in the smooth running of this Parish. However, as you all know, as an ordained Priest, which is a precious gift from God, I am to serve wherever I am called as my life is dedicated to God and all His Church.

I have been privileged to accompany so many of you in the Parish of Our Lady of Fatima in some of the most important moments of your lives. I have celebrated your family births and baptisms, your joys, your special family celebrations and anniversaries; and of course, your journeys of sickness, sadness and sorrows.

I am now called to serve a new community in Redditch, Worcestershire, and this Parish will cover a vast area consisting of Redditch, Alvechurch, Feckenham and Hadzor.

I will celebrate my final Mass here on Sunday 1st February at 10am and this will be followed by farewell refreshments in the hall afterwards.

I must sincerely thank each and every one of you for your faith, witness, kindness, commitment and constant support in all areas of Parish life.

You all have a very special place in my heart and will always be in my prayers.

God bless you all,

Fr Long Nguyen

FAREWELL MASS AND REFRESHMENTS

Father Long will be celebrating his final Mass on Sunday 1st February at 10am. This will be followed by farewell refreshments in the hall afterwards.

We are bringing in some food to share, **please sign the list at the back of the Church this weekend or next weekend**, if you would like to contribute.

LEAVING GIFT

An envelope is attached with this bulletin for parishioners to give Fr Long a leaving gift offering. Please return them over the next two weekends during the second collections. Leaving gift offerings can also be placed by card under option 'Fr Long Leaving Gift'.

WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY

This year the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity runs from
Sunday 18 - Sunday 25 January.

The theme is *One Body, One Spirit*.

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2026 invites us to draw upon our shared Christian heritage and to deepen our fellowship in Christ, who unites Christians across the world. We also prayer for our sister churches here in Quinton.

MASS & FIRST RECONCILIATION (YEAR 3)

Will take place on Saturday at 10.00am. Please remember these children in your prayers.

There will be No Holy Hour at 10.30am.

RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

Please travel up the middle isle and return after communion along the sides. If you are seated at the rear of the church or in the porch – please travel along the middle isle and return to your place using the middle isle.

SHRINE OF OUR LADY & THE SACRED HEART

If you would like to have one of these candles burning for a week for your intentions, or for your loved ones. We are currently short of Shrine intentions, so please continue to request. It is £5 for the week. Envelopes are available from the back of the Church.

PARISH REGISTRATION

If you are new to the parish, have changed your address, or have not previously registered here, please complete a Parish Registration Form – which can be found on the table in the porch – and return the form to the Parish Office. If you no longer use your landline, please register your mobile number.

HEATING COST

The autumn & winter heating season has now opened! The cost of heating our church and other properties has increased fourfold. We are very grateful for your support with heating cost through the weekly collections. Please continue to be generous so we can keep the church warm for celebrations.

THE CHRISTMAS CRIB OFFERING for Fr Long's Charity. We raised £550.00.

Thank you for your generosity and please continue to support for 'A Little Love Scholarship' in the future. Please contact to Fr Long via email: fr.long.nguyen@rcaob.org.uk and find out more on Facebook page: 'Học Bổng Một Chút Thương'.

DONATION FOR STARS

We raised £171.50
for the parish.
Thank you!

JOIN THIS YEAR'S LOURDES PILGRIMAGE

Monday 25 to Saturday 30 May

Booking is now open for travel and accommodation.

Birmingham Lourdes Pilgrimage by Air

5 nights from £986pp including flights, accommodation, all transfers in France and meals.

Single Room Supplements apply.

Birmingham Lourdes Pilgrimage by Coach

4 nights from £716pp including transport, accommodation and meals.

Single Room Supplements apply.

Full details can be found on the Lourdes section of the diocesan website:

<https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/lourdes-pilgrimage>

AND FINALLY...

Please keep our parish in your prayers and pray for one another that we may continue to grow as the People of God from strength to strength.

I wish you all a very blessed Sunday and a good week ahead.

Fr Long Nguyen