



St Dunstan's Church
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St Jude's Church
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The Parishes of St Dunstan and St Jude

Parish Priest: Fr John Peyton
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Sunday 20th July 2025

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Mass

Missal Readings: 899 (Year C)

Saturday 19 th <i>Feria</i>	9:30am 10:00am	Holy Mass <i>Confession</i>	Annette Hughes
	4:00pm	Vigil Mass	For the people of the parish
Sunday 20th SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	10.00am (<i>St Jude's</i>)	Holy Mass	Departed members of the Marinoni & Cormack families Martin O'Connor(RIP) Peggy Montgomery (RIP)
	11.30am	Holy Mass	
	5.30pm	Holy Mass	
Monday 21 st <i>Feria</i>	9.30am	Holy Mass	Alan Forbister (Sp. Ints)
Tuesday 22 nd <i>St Mary Magdalene</i>	9.30am (<i>St Jude's</i>)	Holy Mass	Pat O'Brien
	11:00am (<i>St Jude's</i>)	Requiem Mass	Hannah O'Brien (RIP)
	6:00pm	Vigil & Reception	James Melvin(RIP)
	7:00pm	Holy Mass	John Joseph Connaughton
Wednesday 23 rd <i>St Bridget</i>	9:30am	Holy Mass	Hughie McCarren (RIP)
	11:30am	Requiem Mass	James Melvin (RIP)
	7.00pm	Holy Mass	Kevin Scott (RIP)
Thursday 24 th <i>Feria</i>	11:00am (<i>St Jude's</i>)	Requiem Mass	Alexander McDonald Geary (RIP)
	11:30am	Requiem Mass	Josie Boyle (RIP)
Friday 25 th <i>St James</i>	9:30am	Holy Mass	Alfred Nicklin
	7.00pm	Holy Mass	Martin O'Connor (RIP)
Saturday 26 th <i>Ss Joachim and Anne</i>	11:00am	Holy Mass	Frank McLoughlin
	4:00pm	Vigil Mass	For the people of the parish
Sunday 27th SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	10.00am (<i>St Jude's</i>)	Holy Mass	Larry Healy
	11.30am	Holy Mass	Fr George Gronowski (RIP)
	5.30pm	Holy Mass	Kenneth Fraderick Jackson

PARISH INFORMATION

Parish Office: The Parish Office is located at St Dunstan's Presbytery and is open for general enquiries between 10am and 12.30pm. The office can also be contacted by calling **0121 444 1386**, or by emailing **stdunstan.bham@rcaob.org.uk**, and we will get back to you during office hours.

Parish Website: www.stdunstanandstjude.co.uk

Parish Facebook: St Dunstan and St Jude's

Parish X (Twitter): stdunstanandstjude

Live Stream: Please go to the Parish website to view the livestream at St Dunstan's and St Jude's.

TIMES OF CONFESSION

St Dunstan's: Fridays 6.15pm – 6.45pm.

Saturdays 11.45am – 12.30pm.

Saturdays 3.30pm – 3.50pm.

Saturday 26th 10:30am- 10:55am

St Jude's: Sundays 9.30am – 9.50am.

If you are unable to come during these times, then please send an email to arrange an appointment with one of the priests.

TIMES OF ADORATION

St Dunstan's: All day Fridays 10am – 6.30pm and

Saturdays 11.30am – 12.30pm.

Saturday 26th confession 10:30am – 10:55am

First Friday of the month: 10am Friday – 10.30am

Saturday.

THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

We pray for the repose of the souls of those who have died recently: Craig Dean "Yankee", Patrick Mulvihill, Samuel Clowes, Hannah O'Brien (*Requiem Mass at 11.00am on Tuesday 22nd July at St Jude's*), James Melvin (*Requiem Mass at 11.30am on Wednesday 23rd July at St Dunstan's*), Josie Boyle (*Requiem Mass at 11.30am on Thursday 24th July at St Dunstan's*), Alexander McDonald Geary (*Requiem Mass at 11.00am on Thursday 24th July at St Jude's*). Mary McGinty (*Requiem Mass at 11.00am on Monday 28th July at St Dunstan's*),

We also pray for those whose anniversaries occur during this week:

21st Joseph McShane 1990

22nd John Crepieux 2016

Patricia Biggs 2022

Eddie Norton 2024

23rd Sheala Kelly 2019

24th Cherry Gudge

Mary Elizabeth MvGlennon

25th John Smith 2008

Dereck Keenon 2010

THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Please pray for the sick of our Parishes: Mary Philpott, Kath McAvinney, Kathy McQuillan, Barbara Brennan, Kevin Ryan, Eamonn Duffy, Bridget Brennan, Mary McGowen, Vincent Beirne, Carl McGovern, Mary McFarland, Danny Hegarty, Hugh Doherty, Mary Wootton, Michael Masterson, Mairead Murray, Paul Holleran, Mike Regan, Mick Farmer, Una Monahan, Cath Soubhi, John Gillen and Donna Dayus .

FINANCES

Collections last weekend:

	St Dunstan's	St Jude's
Gift Aid:	£369.00	£ 102.50
Non-Gift Aid:	£452.21	£104.64
Apostleship of the sea:	£269.86	£57.10

Contactless: £ TBC

Online: £ TBC



You can donate to the Church (with or without Gift Aid) using this QR Code. Do this by scanning this code with the camera of your phone.

There is a **second collection this weekend for Fabric Fund.**

SAFEGUARDING

The Parishes of St Dunstan and St Jude's operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Annette McGrath and Judith Allan. They can be contacted at: sg.stdunstan.bham@rcaob.org.uk

Alternatively, the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 or safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concerns.

Welcome to Mass this Sunday!



To all our children, young people, parents, and teachers – Happy Summer Holidays! We pray that this might be a special time of fun and rest. For all those going on holiday during these weeks ahead we wish you safe travels. Church continues to be here for you throughout the Summer – God Bless!

Devotions to the Precious Blood will be prayed on Friday evenings throughout July at 6.15pm in the Adoration Chapel at St Dunstan's. Private prayer in the chapel will be suspended at this time.

Dilexit Nos resumes on Tuesday at 7.45pm in the Conference Room. This encyclical reflects on the human and divine love of the Heart of Jesus Christ. It seems particularly fitting to spend time with it in this Jubilee Year which is also the 350th anniversary of the apparitions of the Sacred Heart to St Margaret Mary. All are welcome. The sessions will last one hour.

Fr Toby takes up his **new appointment** at Sacred Heart and Holy Souls, Acocks Green (but continuing to work with Bishop Challenor school) on Saturday 30th August. We are hoping to hear news of a replacement shortly. During this time of transition Fr Toby assures us of his prayers and asks for yours also.

Children's Liturgy. We are hoping to re-start the children's liturgy at St Dunstan's on the weekend of 6th/7th September during the Saturday 4pm Vigil Mass at St Dunstan's. Anyone interested in helping out, please do make yourselves known.

Parish Tote: The numbers drawn this week were 10, 15, 19 and 2. There was one winner this week.

Lectio Divina: 10.15am on Mondays in the Conference Room. Lectio Divina is a Christian practice of reading the Bible, meditating, and praying. It's a contemplative way of reading scripture that's meant to help people deepen their relationship with God.

Legion of Mary: The adult Legion of Mary continue to meet on Monday evenings at 6.15pm in St Jude's church and at 11.15am on Wednesdays in St Dunstan's Conference Room.

Patricians. The legion of Mary discussion group. Meeting after mass at 11:45 Saturday 26th July in the conference room Topic. What do we mean by the infallibility of the pope. All are welcome.

Walsingham Association Retreat: From Tuesday 2nd September – Friday 5th September there is a retreat on offer at Walsingham for the Jubilee Year. This retreat is being led by Fr Toby on: *Plumbing the Depths with Our Lady: Wisdom from the Ignatian Spiritual Tradition*. All-inclusive retreat accommodation and food starts at £240 (plus a small retreat fee). Transport is not included, but we can hatch a plan for this through car sharing etc. If you are interested, please book ASAP – the deadline being Monday 4th August. Bookings and card payments can be made over the phone (01328 820 217, select Option 1, and ask for Irene), or via a booking form and a cheque (available at the back of Church).

Become a Foundation Governor or Director at one of our Catholic schools. The Diocesan Education Service has launched a new promotional video to support recruitment where the role is discussed and how rewarding it can be. Opportunities are available across the Archdiocese, and all skills and backgrounds are welcome. Visit the diocesan website for more information: <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/>

SVP Contact Number: If you or anyone you know needs to contact the SVP for help and support, please call **07309 702 311** and we will happily phone you back. Please leave a name and contact telephone number clearly. Thank you for the support and prayers you give to the parish SVP which is very much appreciated.

WANTED!!! Our SVP food banks are severely depleted, and we would be so very grateful for donations of the following items: whole, long-life milk, tea, coffee, cereals, sugar, pasta sauces, tinned meat, tuna, tinned vegetables, biscuits, shampoo, shower gel, sanitary products. Thank you very much for your continued generosity.

Summer SportsFest from 10am – 4pm on Saturday 2nd August at Birmingham Moseley Sporting Village, Billesley Common, Yardley Wood Road. Expect an afternoon of live sport, music, family entertainment, and an unveiling of a brand-new sport coming to their site. From rugby and football to beach volleyball and BBQs, it's a fun way to kick-off the summer. Free entry.

Darren Hogg welcomes you to his concert on Friday 27th July: 7:30pm-8:30pm Organ recital at St Paul's in the Jewellery Quarter (B3 1QZ). Music by Guilment, Bach, Leighton and Dudley Buck. Admission free. This recital is in aid of the St. Paul's "raise the roof" campaign.

WINDOW on sale this weekend, still only £1 with lots of interesting articles and pictures.

Please Keep Rev Mr Gerard Bowen in your prayers. He is due to be ordained Priest for our Archdiocese on Saturday 19th July 2025 at St Chads cathedral.

ST DUNSTAN'S CHURCH CHARITY BUMPER CAR BOOT & TABLETOP SALE

Monday 25th August 10am to 4pm

Whether you're clearing out or hunting for a bargain, our sale is the place to be this August Bank Holiday!

To book a space, please visit
www.stdunstanandstjude.co.uk
 and book via the Car Boot menu tab or scan the QR
 code below

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TABLE TOP & CAR BOOT

A large, bold, purple 'SALE' banner dominates the top half of the page. Below the letters, there is a collage of vintage items. Under the 'A', there's a typewriter, a record, and a camera. Under the 'L', there's a record and a camera. Under the 'E', there's a record and a camera. The background is a light gray with a subtle pattern of small, dark, irregular shapes.

