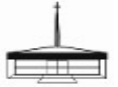


St Dunstan's Church
Kingsfield Road,
Kings Heath, B14 7JN



St Jude's Church
St Jude's Close
Maypole, B14 5PE



The Parishes of St Dunstan and St Jude

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Sunday 21st September 2025
Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sunday Mass
Missal Readings: 937 (Year C)

Saturday 20 th <i>St Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Paul Chong Ha-sang, and Companions</i>	11:00am	Holy Mass	Rita Holmes (RIP Anni.)
	4:00pm	Vigil Mass	For the people of the Parish
Sunday 21st TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME <i>World Day for Peace</i>	10.00am (<i>St Jude's</i>)	Holy Mass	Departed members of the Marinoni-Cormack family
	11.30am	Holy Mass	Teresa McDonagh
	5.30pm	Holy Mass	Gerry Joy (RIP)
Monday 22 nd September <i>Feria</i>	9.30am	Holy Mass	Mariamamma Thomas (RIP)
Tuesday 23 rd <i>St Pius</i>	9.30am (<i>St Jude's</i>)	Holy Mass	Kevin Ryan (Ints)
	7.00pm	Holy Mass	Pauline & Tony Doherty (RIP)
Wednesday 24 th <i>Our Lady of Walsingham</i>	9:30am	Holy Mass	Pope Francis (RIP)
	7.00pm	Holy Mass	Tony Baker (RIP)
Thursday 25 th <i>Feria</i>	9:30am (<i>St Alban's</i>)	Holy Mass	Michael Corrigan
	11:30am	Holy Mass	Mary Ryan (RIP)
Friday 26 th <i>Feria</i>	9:30am	Holy Mass	Pat Joe Dirwan (RIP)
	7.00pm	Holy Mass	in Thanksgiving for Fr. Toby
Saturday 27 th <i>St Vincent de Paul</i>	11:00am	Holy Mass Commitment Mass	James De-Athe (RIP)
	4:00pm	Vigil Mass	For the people of the Parish
Sunday 28th TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	10.00am (<i>St Jude's</i>)	Holy Mass	Patrick Flemming (RIP)
	11.30am	Holy Mass	Tony Green (RIP)
	5.30pm	Holy Mass	John Smith (RIP)

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.

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.
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: Paddy McGlone, Juliana DeSouza and Mauren Hampson.

Paddy McGlone's Requiem Mass will take place at Our Lady of Lourdes Church on Thursday 25th September at 11.00am.

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

- 22nd Charlie O'Connell, Joseph Koziol
23rd Stephen So, Arthes Berrolo (2023)
24th Peggy Montgomery
26th Gayle Miles, Ann Carrobin (2024)
Breda Mulvaney (2024)

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

THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Please pray for the sick of our Parishes: Bridget McCann, Derek Clarke, Kathryn Gikes, Katie Taylor, Mary Rogers, 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, Teresa Clifford.

FINANCES

Collections last weekend:

	St Dunstan's	St Jude's
Gift Aid:	£458.40	£ 80.00
Non-Gift Aid:	£412.38	£136.69
Catholic Education:	£375.53	£ 40.77
Contactless:	£189.50	£ -
Online:	£ 24.50	£ 3.00



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 will be a **second collection this weekend** for Fr Toby in thanksgiving for his time in our Parishes and **second collection next weekend** for Fr Hudson's.

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. It is also World Day for Peace. At St Dunstan's and St Jude's, we will be remembering war torn areas of the world, including the Holy Land, Gaza and Ukraine. All Saints Church are meeting on Sunday 28th September at 12noon for about half an hour to pray in the square. All are welcome.

Fr Prem Fernando will be moving to St Dunstan's and St Jude's in early October. His first weekend here will be October 12th/13th. He is presently working as a priest in St Thomas More's Parish, Kidlington, Oxfordshire. Please pray for him in this time of change. I know you will make him very welcome.

The 7.00pm Mass on Friday 27th September will be an opportunity to thank Fr Toby for his hard work in St Dunstan's and St Jude's over the past two years. There will be a gathering after Mass in the Conference Room. All are welcome.

Eucharistic Festival at St Dunstan's with continuous adoration (day/night) from 10am on Friday 19th September to 5.30pm on Sunday 21st September.

There are sheets on the noticeboard at the back of the church in St Dunstan's if you can commit to a time slot. **Please note that we need two people in church at all times, so please do sign up this weekend.** Thank you for your support.

During the month of September, the Dolours Rosary will be prayed in the main body of the church at 6:15pm.

Parish Tote: The numbers drawn this week were 04, 09, 18 and 19. There was one winner this week.

There is no "Dilexit Nos" now, but the Journey in Faith starts this coming Tuesday at 7.45pm in the Conference Room. All are welcome.

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.

Junior Legion of Mary at St Dunstan's on Wednesday evenings at 6pm in the Conference Room.

On Saturday 27th September, the Legion of Mary discussion group 'The Patricians' will be meeting at 11.45am in the Conference Room. The topic is 'Understanding the Charismatic Renewal'.

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.

Men's Rosary in the City: Saturday 4th October 12:00pm in Chamberlain Square in Birmingham City Centre. We are called to be a shining light in the darkness and to be a witness to all nations. Join a growing movement of men who peacefully go into the heart of Birmingham and kneel down in front of a statue of Our Lady to pray for our city, nation, and for men to live out their God given vocation as protector, defender and servant. For more information contact Ben - 0788550511

St Jude's Catholic Primary School is an Ofsted rated 'Good' one-form entry school in Druids Heath. With applications for Reception class 26/27 now open, we would like to invite parents and children to our open mornings and afternoons. Dates are as follows:

22/10/25: 9.15-11am
23/10/25: 9.15-11am
11/11/25: 1-3pm
19/11/25: 1-3pm
03/12/25: 1.30-4.30pm
10/12/25: 9.15-11am

Alternative dates are available by appointment. Please email enquiry@stjuderc.bham.sch.uk.

We also have a limited number of spaces in other year groups across school. Contact us on 0121 464 5069 if you are looking for a place for your child.

Please consider visiting our lovely school.
Kind regards, Mrs Smith (Headteacher)

Pilgrimage to Knock: Monday 10th to Friday 14th November. Please see notice board for more information.

St Mary's College is pleased to welcome visitors for tours of the seminary on selected dates. To see available dates and to book tickets, please visit <https://www.oscott.org/events>. Cost, inclusive of tea and cake is £17.50. Please be aware that the public areas for visits are all on the ground floor and are all accessible to those with mobility issues. If you have any further questions or would like to arrange a group booking, please contact naomi.johnson@oscott.org

HCPT Group 712 is our local youth service group which exists to support the disabled and disadvantaged children's groups with the HCPT pilgrimage to Lourdes each Easter. We will fly to France on Easter Sunday 5th April 2026, returning on Saturday 11th April. Throughout the week we will support children's groups from the Midlands by marshalling processions, providing music and games for the children, and assisting experienced group helpers in caring for and entertaining the children who are the focus of the pilgrimage. Young people aged 16 and above who would be interested in joining the group for Easter 2026 should email Deacon Tim from the parish of Our Lady of Lourdes, Yardley Wood: group712@hcpt.org.uk. We will assist with fundraising and bursary grants to support you in raising the fare of £695. See also www.hcpt.org.uk.



Sunday 5th October
Starting at 3pm at St Dunstan's Church

Family Prayer Rally Mass



Chief Celebrant: Bishop David Evans

After Mass there will be a
Rosary Procession and the launch of a Rosary Confraternity

Everybody welcome!

"The family that prays together, stays together" - Venerable Patrick Peyton

THE PARISHES OF ST DUNSTAN AND ST JUDE

QUIZ NIGHT

IN THE PARISH SOCIAL CENTRE
NEXT TO ST DUNSTAN'S CHURCH

ON SATURDAY 4TH OCTOBER
DOORS OPEN AT 5.00PM
QUIZ STARTS AT 6.30PM

TEAMS OF UP TO SIX PEOPLE
£5 PER PERSON WHICH INCLUDES A BUFFET
THE BAR WILL BE OPEN TO PURCHASE DRINKS

RAFFLE PRIZES

Do you have any unwanted gifts you would be willing to donate for raffle prizes?
Please bring them to St Dunstan's Presbytery.

Thank you.