

Important Dates for your diary

St Elizabeth's Church Closed: Just to remind you that the Church is still closed and will remain closed until further notice as advised by the Government and Archdiocese. Please follow Easter celebrations via Live streaming.

Holy Week

Holy Saturday: Easter Vigil - Live via St Elizabeth's Church webcam at 7.00pm. Stay at home, and Stay Safe.

Easter Sunday: Live via St Elizabeth's Church webcam at 10:30am. Stay at home, and Stay Safe.

Sunday 17th May: First Holy Communion Mass for children from Good Shepherd RC primary school (**Postponed until further notice**)

Sunday 7th June at 11:15am: First Holy Communion Mass for children prepared by Parish's Catechists in the parish (**Postponed until further notice**)

Sunday 14th June: First Holy Communion Mass for children from St. Elizabeth's RC primary school. (**Postponed until further notice**)

Friday 31st July Sponsorship Walk: The Snowdon Mount climb. (**postponed until further notice**)

Death Anniversaries this Week: John O'Connor, John O'Kane, Anthony Donnellan, Patrick Mellon, Michael Hurley, Marija Barkus, James Moloney, George W. Ayres, Terry Breslin, James Matthew Mullally, Jane Bryne, Violet Granny, Robert Stalker, Dominic Rauza, Robert Whelan, Patrick J Flynn, Noel Dunne, James Whelan, Ola Stirbys, Anna Teresa Duckett, Thomas Gallagher, Eileen Egan, Clifford Harry, William Ross, Mary Rewhorn, Arthur William Thompson, Christina Brady, William Charles Davis, Thomas Keating, Philomena Maria Adams, Ellen Coleman, Father Hugh Marron, Mary Carmel Carroll, and Charles Friel.
May their Souls Rest in Eternal Peace

This Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: **Registered Charity No: 234216**

CHURCH LIVE WEBCAM LOGIN: www.mcnmedia.tv



Apostles of Jesus Serves:

St. Osburg's

St. Mary's

St. Elizabeth's

St. Elizabeth's Roman Catholic Church

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Parish Schools (Heads)

St. Elizabeth's

Mr Michael Doyle

Good Shepherd

Mr Andy McConville

Parish Church

Parish Co-ordinators:

Parish Office

Sr Joan Wafala

Parish Maintenance Leader

Joe McCadden

First Holy Communions

Mrs S Moran & Sr Olivia

Confirmations & RCIA

Miss A Harkin & Sr Olivia

Church Flowers

Children's Liturgy and

Parish Hall Booking

Mr Richard Swift

Safeguarding Officer

Miss Laura Srodon (Solicitor)

Church Music/Liturgy

Miss Laura Srodon

Gift Aid Scheme

Mr Stan Milewski

Chair of Parish Finance

Mr Tony Ashby

Sacristan

Miss Ann Harkin & Sr Joan

Altar Servers

Sr Joan and Alysya Embate

CAFOD/SVP

Mr Kevin Vaughan

Justice and Peace:

Maria

Red Boxes

Mr Bob Ayliffe

Easter Sunday Yr. A

First Reading: Acts 10: 34, 37-43. Psalm: 117 Second

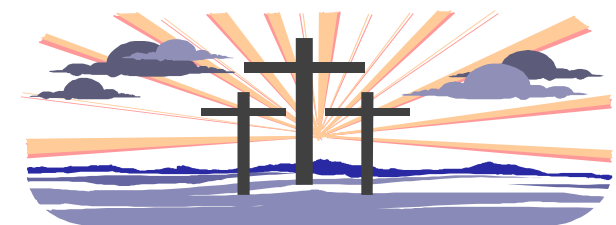
Reading: Colossians 3:1-4 Gospel: John 20:1-9

What is Easter today?

We use lilies to decorate our Churches during Easter. These lilies symbolise Christ's resurrection. All through the winter, these flowers lay buried in the cold frozen earth, but when the spring sunshine, showers and breezes, these lilies come alive, break through the ground and bloom.

Likewise, Jesus buried under the earth rose again to new life. It is historical that the risen Jesus radiated his new life in all its power and glory wherever he went and to whomsoever he appeared. The disciples to whom he appeared were suddenly transformed from a band of despairing men, into a brigade of daring missionaries proclaiming his Good News. Everywhere they preached Christ's resurrection, the power of Easter began to work in people's lives; despair began to give way to hope, darkness to light, hatred to love and sorrow to Joy.

Today, we the baptised Christians, are the new missionaries chosen by Christ with sole purpose of spreading his Good News. At this Easter you have to question yourself whether you have really carried out Christ's mission as promised at Baptism?



Mass Times and Mass Intentions 1st Week of Easter Year A

Sunday 12th April	10:30am	Lena, George and John Harkin R.I.P	Easter Sunday
Mon. 13th	10:30am	Parish Altar Servers	Solemnity
Tues. 14th	10:30am	Veronica Dixon R.I.P. Adam Zywojt R.I.P.	Solemnity
Wed. 15th	10:30am	W.F Ashby R.I.P.	Solemnity
Thur. 16th	10:30am	Diwan Chand R.I.P	Solemnity
Fri. 17th	8:30am	Holy Hour of Adoration People of the parish	Solemnity
Sat. 18th	10:30am	People of the parish	Solemnity
Sunday 19th April	10:30am	Leonard Pearson R.I.P.	2nd Sunday of Easter <i>Divine Mercy</i>



Other Live Broadcast's Prayers: By Sisters

Morning Prayer (Live) - Daily at 8:30am except Saturday.
(Please get your Bible ready and join the Sisters)



Holy Rosary (Live) - Daily at 7:00pm except Friday
(Please get your Rosary ready and join the sisters)

Important Parish Website Links

Corona Virus (COVID-19) Updates: <https://stelizabethcoventry.org.uk/category/latest-updates/>

Parish Newsletters: <https://stelizabethcoventry.org.uk/newsletters/>

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Search for West Midland and scroll to ST ELIZABETH CHURCH - Coventry

Archdiocese of Birmingham: <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/>

Parish Notices

New Parish Hall Update: The revised cost plan for the latest layout is now completed. As opposed to the previous cost plan, this includes for all the toilets and storerooms to be installed in one phase. Next steps are to:

- Prepare and submit a planning amendment application based on the latest layout
- Invite quotes from Structural Engineers and Services Engineers for **Stage 4** Technical Design, **Stage 5** Construction and **Stage 6** Handover (*including a quote from Greenwoods for Cost Consultant services through these stages*). Once the Architect have the rest of the design team on board, they will be able to proceed with the Technical Design stage. The other consultants' detailed designs and specifications would enable Martin to update the cost plan in more detail.

Church's Offerings including Gift Aid: Several options available for anyone wanting to continue giving money for the Parish. The easiest would be: By a Cheque payable to St Elizabeth's Parish. Post it to the Address of the parish. Another preferred option is downloading and using the standing order form on the diocesan website. <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/pages/FAQS/category/finance-resources>. New Gift Aid envelopes will be available as soon as the Church re-opens.

Easter Sunday: On **Holy Saturday** - Easter Vigil Water will NOT be Blessed as we normally do at this Mass. However, blessed water will be made available as soon as the Church re-opens. The Mass on Easter Sunday and other days will be at 10:30am except Fridays at 6:30pm. **May I take this opportunity to Wish you all happy, blessed and holy Easter. Stay Home, Stay Safe. Fr Moses.**

Faith at Home: Children's liturgy - resources: Offering all families the opportunity to access free prayer resources for the home and have a video for children's liturgy each week. <https://tntenresources.us6.listmanage.com/track/click?>

A mum in Westminster Diocese creates a children's liturgy video. On Facebook there is a link to page so families can create their own. <https://www.facebook.com/colourandshapeonline>. Or YouTube. <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCdJNyn5xOrOB5634uplhCQg>

Exploring the faith together as a family - Resources)

<https://www.youcat.org/> - resource for all ages explaining the teachings of the Catholic Church. <https://play.google.com/store/apps/details?> <https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/youcat-daily/id1447116947?mt=8>

Divine Renovation have produced a Parish Response Kit to the current situation that we are all in. It can be downloaded for free here: <https://divinerenovation.org/>

Please pray for The Sick and Housebound of our Parish:

Caroline Dickinson, Dina Kuczynski, Mary Kean, Mary Gallagher, Teresa Doyle, Rohith De Silva, Joe Shannon and Julian. **Get Well Soon.**