

**St Anne's Mass Times for the coming week**

Saturday: Vigil Mass	<b>25th Sunday of the Year</b> 1pm	Terence & Margaret Cooke R.I.P.
Sunday	11.30am	People of the Parish
Monday	12noon	Patrick McAtavey (anniversary)
Tuesday	9.15am at St. Anne's School 4pm Funeral into church	Perry Mulvey (anniversary) Francis Doherty R.I.P.
Wednesday	12noon Funeral Mass	Francis Doherty R.I.P.
Saturday: Vigil Mass	<b>26th Sunday of the Year</b> 1pm	Terence & Margaret Cooke R.I.P.
<b>Sunday</b>	11.30am	Debbie Fitzpatrick R.I.P.

**English Martyrs Mass times for the coming week**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>25th Sunday of the Year</b> 6pm	Sean McGoldrick (anniversary)
<b>Sunday</b>	9.45am <b>6pm Funeral into church with Mass</b>	Michael Cronnelly (anniversary) Mary Conlan R.I.P.
Thursday	10.00am Funeral Mass 9.15am with Pupils & Staff of English Martyrs' School 7pm Funeral into church	Mary Conlan R.I.P. Martin McGillion R.I.P. John O'Brien R.I.P.
Friday	12.00noon Funeral Mass	John O'Brien R.I.P.

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>26th Sunday of the Year</b> 6pm	Carmel McNamara: John Leonard R.I.P.
<b>Sunday</b>	9.45am	Philip Halloran, Esther Timmons, Tony Hunter R.I.P.



# St. Anne's & English Martyrs' Parish Newsletter

Both part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered charity no. 234216  
Parish Priest: Monsignor Pat Browne

**2016 YEAR of MERCY: 'Be merciful as your heavenly Father.'**  
**Twenty Fifth Sunday of Ordinary Time 17th/18th September 2016**

## HOME MISSION SUNDAY

**St. Anne's Catholic Church,**  
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Year of Luke (C)

*Parish Mass Book:*

Introduction: Penitential Act, Page 8

*Gloria Page 9: Creed Page 11/12*

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**Schools:**

**St. Anne's Catholic Primary**

**Lowe Street,  
B12 OER  
0121 675 5037**

**English Martyrs' Catholic Primary**

**Evelyn Road  
B11 3JW  
0121 464 3150**

**St. Bernard's Catholic Primary**

**Wake Green Road B13 9QE  
0121 464 3795**

**St. Anne's Parish Centre,**

**Alcester Street, Digbeth  
07970671462 0121 604 6111**



## Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Confessions

### St. Anne's:

Wednesday: 11am to 11.45 am  
Saturday 11.45 am to 12.45 pm

### English Martyrs'

Saturday: 5 pm to 5.45 pm

Miraculous Medal Novena: at St. Anne's on Wednesdays during

12 noon Mass. Rosary: before weekday Mass

English Martyrs' Church Cleaning: Team 1 (there has been a suggestion that cleaning of the church takes place every two weeks—what do the cleaners think?)

Last week's Collection: English Martyrs Offertory £654.46

St. Anne's Offertory £526.40

Wednesday £49..81

Many thanks. Second collection today for Home Missions.

Today is Home Mission Day and is themed PROCLAIM the joy of love. We are encouraged to pray for the work of evangelisation in homes, families, schools, colleges, universities, in places of work and in our communities, remembering in our prayers those whom we know are distant from the life of faith.

English Martyrs' Tote: Winning Numbers 7: 9: 12: 22—No hit.

100+ three winners £35 each C.Foley (B.Anderson) Lisa (M.McDermott)

Mary (M.McDermott) Thank you for your support

Lord, grant eternal rest to those who died recently: **Mary Conlan: Francis Doherty: John O'Brien: Christopher Hardiman** (funeral Mass Thursday 29th September at 12noon SA): **Thomas Geoghegan** (funeral Mass Wednesday 5th October at 10.30am SA) **Catherine Walsh; Michael Farrell, Deacon Francis Andrews;** and for those whose anniversary occur about now - Perry Mulvey, Michael Cronnelly, Patrick McAtavey, Carmel McNamara, Esther Timmons, Tony Hunter, John Leonard, Philip Halloran, Sean McGoldrick; and for Religious Priests, Sisters, Brothers who ministered in our parishes, and for deceased benefactors and parishioners of St Anne's and English Martyrs'.

Year of Mercy Church Mission: Two Redemptorist Priests, Frs. Kieran Brady and Tom MacCarte, will lead a Mission at English Martyrs' and St. Anne's Churches from Saturday 8th October to Friday 14th October, we welcome people throughout the city to join in this spiritual journey, giving ourselves these few days to reflect on the Year of Mercy, its meaning and legacy for individuals and communities.

This year World Day of Prayer for Peace is taking place on 20th September, thirty years after the first World Day of Prayer for Peace convened by Pope Saint John Paul II on 27th of October 1986.

**Slovak Community Mass** & Meeting at English Martyrs on Saturday 24th September at 4pm and Sunday 25th September at 11.30am.

**Night shelter 2016/2017** we've been asked if we wish to be a centre for Birmingham Churches Night Shelter during the winter months. There will be meeting at the Meeting Room, 96 Bradford Street on this Wednesday, 21st September, at 7.30pm to discuss how we can be involved this winter. At this meeting time will also be given to consult on a more long term pilot Night Shelter Project for the homeless in Birmingham. This meeting is open to all who helped with the last Winter Night Shelter, to those who attend English Martyrs' and St. Anne's churches or others who may be concerned about homelessness in the city.

Monday Club from 11am in English Martyrs' Meeting Room.

Communitas Group meeting every Thursday at 9.30 am at Meeting Room, English Martyrs' Church. Please join them for some very good company and entertainment..

**Notes from Irish in Birmingham:** Birmingham Irish need volunteers in their dementia centre on Thursdays and Fridays. Contact Trudy 0121 604 6111 or **07970671462** for details

**Limerick Association Dance** in St. Anne's Parish Centre, Alcester Street on Saturday 24th September, with Little Jimmy and a support band over from Ireland. Tickets from Trudy £8.00 or on the door.

**Caisc '16**—Birmingham commemorating the Easter Rising of 1916: an evening celebrating Irish heritage on Friday 21st October at South and City College, Digbeth. Tickets £5 available from Birmingham Irish Association, Ministrel Music . Further information Melissa Roche 0121 604 6111. See poster for further details.

Open Evening at **Archbishop Ilsley Catholic Secondary School** for Year 6 pupils and their parents on Wednesday 21st September from 5.30pm to 8pm. Welcome to come along to meet the staff and have a good look around the school

**Holy Trinity Catholic School Open Evening** You are welcome to attend our Open Evening on the 22<sup>nd</sup> of September from 3pm to 6pm. You will have the opportunity to meet our staff and students and find out more about our wonderful school. "The student body is a truly remarkable exemplar of inclusion, given the rich mix of different faiths and cultures, and is a beacon for others to see a community of young people living together sharing the same values of forgiveness, service, and equality of all before God." Archdiocese Section 48 Inspection 2015 We look forward to welcoming you on the 22<sup>nd</sup>.

**St. Paul's School for Girls**, Vernon Road, Edgbaston will be holding their Secondary Transfer Open Evening on Thursday, 22 September 2016 from 6pm-9pm. We look forward to meeting Year 5 and Year 6 girls and their parents on the night. For any further details please contact school on 0121 454 0895