

St. Anne's Parish Centre,  
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St. Anne's Catholic Primary School  
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**Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:** St. Anne's.  
Wednesday 11.00 am to 11.45 am  
Saturday 11.45 am to 12.45 pm

**Miraculous Medal Novena:** Wednesday during Mass

**Rosary:** before weekday Mass.

**Finances: St. Anne's**

Offertory Collection £550.18

Wednesday; £60.35

**English Martyrs'**

£641.72

**Priests' Training Fund £339.07**

**Many thanks.**

**Special Collection today**— the Holy Father, Pope Francis, launched a humanitarian initiative in favour of the people of the Ukraine in the form of a special collection to be taken in all of the Catholic churches in Europe. The Holy Father expressed his faith in the Churches of Europe who would unite generously to this, his initiative.

**Tote Results: Winning numbers: 4: 10: 13: 18. Jackpot £1000, no hit!**  
**Three winners £35 each. Next draw 25th April 2016**

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

**English Martyrs' Church Cleaning: Team 2**

**Lord, grant eternal rest to those who died recently, Fr. Pater Jones, Fr. Eamon Clarke, Peter Hynes, Edward McCann (Pat O'Toole), Michael Turley:** for those whose anniversaries occur about now, especially, Paul Hamill, Tim Lydon, John Thomas, Lily Devaney, Ciaran Woodman, Kieran Woodman Snr. Thomas & Philomena McLoughlin, Dan Hackett, Paul Daly: for Religious Priests, Sisters, Brothers who ministered in this area, and for deceased benefactors and parishioners of St Anne's.

**St. Anne's Parish Centre, Alcester Street** :Limerick Association Fund raising Set Dancing evening at on Saturday 16th April.  
Fundraising Dance on Saturday 4th July music by Little Jimmy.

**HEAD TEACHER Saint Anne's Catholic Primary School** Lowe Street, 0121 675 5037 The Governors, staff, parents and children are seeking to appoint an inspirational, highly effective, dynamic and forward thinking Head Teacher who will continue to build on the successes of our school. Closing Date: 27<sup>th</sup> April 2016, 12 noon Further details and application forms available from Response Handling Unit 0121 464 6488 (24 hour answerphone) or email: [CSURecruitment@birmingham.gov.uk](mailto:CSURecruitment@birmingham.gov.uk)

**Times a changing.....** The Archbishop has asked me to take on Pastoral responsibilities for English Martyrs Parish in addition to St. Anne's. This change means that there will be just one priest serving both parishes. With this in mind it is important to aim to work together to develop the strong links that already exists between the two communities,

**MARIAN PROCESSION** A torchlight procession, on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> May, around the grounds of Oscott College in honour of Our Lady. Procession begins in the Main Chapel at 8.00pm. Please see poster at the back of church for more details.

**Pilgrimage to Rome** (Jubilee Year of Mercy): Mon 24<sup>th</sup> – Sat 29<sup>th</sup> October 2016. Flying from Birmingham Airport. £725.00 per person (sharing). Single room supplement £155.00. Installment plans available. Contact: Andrew Oldnall. Email: [andrewsoldnall@gmail.com](mailto:andrewsoldnall@gmail.com). Home: 0121 440 8623. Mobile: 07733 226063. Please **return** completed booking forms to Mr Adrian Duffy at Northern Star Travel by **Monday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2016, at the latest.**

**Vocations Weekend for young women (20s and 30s)** Theme: Discerning God's Call in my life Dates: 27th - 29th May 2016 Location: Broadstairs, Kent The weekend is organised by the sisters, Faithful Companions of Jesus (FCJ). There will be input from the FCJ sisters on different aspects of vowed life, and time for prayer, reflection and discussion with other young women who are also considering a vocation to religious life. **It is an opportunity to live community life for a weekend and meet some sisters!**

**Oblate Summer School** July 18th to July 21st, and July 22nd to July 24th at Oblate Retreat Centre Crewe CW2 8JS. See poster for details and booking arrangements.

**St Anne's Parish Mass Times**

Vigil Mass SATURDAY	Fifth Sunday of Easter 1.00 pm VIGIL MASS 5pm Slovak Community Mass	Paul Hamill (anniversary)
SUNDAY	9.00am Slovak Community Mass 11.30 am	Tim, Bridget, Thomas Lydon (anniversary)
Monday	12 noon	John McAuliffe R.I.P
Tuesday	NO MASS	
Wednesday	12noon	Anne Hawkes R.I.P.
Vigil Mass SATURDAY	6thSUNDAY OF EASTER 1.00 pm	Kieran Woodman (Father) Ciaran Woodman (Son)
SUNDAY	11.30 am	John Thomas (anniversary)

<p><b>St. Anne's Catholic Church,</b> Alcester Street, B12 OPB. 0121 772 2780</p> <p>Both part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered charity no. 234216</p> <p><b>Parish Priest:</b> Monsignor Pat Browne <b>Presbytery:</b> 96 Bradford Street, B12 OPB Email: <a href="mailto:stannesbirmingham@hotmail.co.uk">stannesbirmingham@hotmail.co.uk</a> website: <a href="http://www.stannesbirmingham.com">www.stannesbirmingham.com</a></p> <p>linked with: <b>St. Catherine's Bristol St</b> 0121 622 4049 <b>SS John &amp; Martin's Balsall Heath</b> 0121 440 3025</p>	<p><b>English Martyrs' Church</b> Evelyn Road, B11 3JN 0121 772 1272</p>
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English Martyrs'



**Fifth Sunday of Easter**  
**Year of Luke (C)**  
**23rd/24th April 2016**  
*Parish Mass Book:*  
Introduction: Penitential Act, Page 7/8  
*Gloria Page 9: Creed Page 11/12*  
*Prayers and Readings: Page 271*  
*Preface: Pages 74—75*  
**2016 YEAR of MERCY: 'Be merciful as your heavenly**

**English Martyr's Parish Mass Times**

Saturday	6.00pm	Lily Devaney (anniversary)
SUNDAY	10.30am	People of the Parish
Thursday	NO MASS	
Friday:	9.15 am	Paul Hickey R.I..P
Saturday Vigil Mass	6thSUNDAY OF EASTER 6.00pm	Dan Hackett (anniversary) Paul Daly (anniversary)
Sunday	10.30am	People of the Parish




## Works of Mercy

<p><b>THE SEVEN CORPORAL WORKS OF MERCY</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Feed the hungry.</li> <li>2. Give drink to the thirsty.</li> <li>3. Clothe the naked.</li> <li>4. Shelter the homeless.</li> <li>5. Visit the sick.</li> <li>6. Visit the imprisoned.</li> <li>7. Bury the dead.</li> </ol>	<p><b>THE SEVEN SPIRITUAL WORKS OF MERCY</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Counsel the doubtful.</li> <li>2. Instruct the ignorant.</li> <li>3. Admonish sinners.</li> <li>4. Comfort the afflicted.</li> <li>5. Forgive offenses.</li> <li>6. Bear wrongs patiently.</li> <li>7. Pray for the living and the dead.</li> </ol>
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