



**Immaculate Conception & St Dominic, Stone
Sacred Heart, Eccleshall**

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Divine Mercy
MY MERCY
 "Mankind will not have
 peace until it turns with
 trust to My mercy"
*Words of Jesus to St.
 Faustina - diary 300*

Missal Readings: Pg 228

Mass Times and Intentions

Sat 16 th March 2024	6pm	Joseph, Gioan Jose
Sunday 17 th	8am	Joseph Kelly
5th Sunday in Lent	9.15am	People of the Parish [Eccleshall]
	11am	For Blessings {BM} – <i>Children's Liturgy</i>
Mon 18 th	9.15am 9.45am*	Joseph & 38 Victims Divine Mercy Devotion & Benediction
Tue 19 th	9.15am	Intentions of Fr Doyle – <i>{Holy Rosary after Mass}</i>
Wed 20 th	9.15am	Bruno & May Lobocki
Thu 21 st	10am 11am*	<i>Service of Holy Communion</i> [Eccleshall] Bishop Ullathorne School Visit
Fri 22 nd	5.15pm* 6pm	Stations of the Cross Holy Souls
Sat 23 rd	10am	Janis {F}
	10.30am	<i>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament for Ukraine & the Holy Land</i>
	10.30am	<i>Confessions</i>
	6pm	Pray with family, thank God.
Sunday 24 th	8am	Our Parish
Palm Sunday	9.15am	Our Parish [Eccleshall]
	10.45am*	Palm Sunday Procession from outside the Church
	11am	With thanks for David's conversion
*Note change of times		
Confessions : Saturday 10.30am – 11.30am		
2nd Collections: this week – Cathedral Maintenance 24th March – Easter Flowers		

Please pray for all who have died.
Please pray for the sick:
 Mary, Cecilia Pitts, Fay, Jean, Tony Tabbinor, Steve, Jane, Teresa, Eileen, Patrick & Sylvia Murray, Catherine & David, Nigel Lewis, Elaine Pratt, Joe Doyle,
and the sick of the parish

BIBLE STUDY
 Preparation for the following Sunday's Readings
MONDAYs at 10.30am
In the Social Centre
 Enter by the garden gate.
Bring your bible

BISHOP ULLATHORNE
 On Thursday, at 11am, Fr Simon will be visiting us from his parish in Coventry with the Bishop Ullathorne High School. They are coming on pilgrimage to visit the tomb of their patron which is on our sanctuary, and celebrate Holy Mass. The parish is cordially invited to join them.

Readers	This week 17 th Mar	24 th Mar <i>Palm Sunday</i>
Sat 6pm	Maureen Frost	Sr Valery & Veronica
Sun 8am	Donna Pierpoint	Maureen Manley
Sun 11am	Sr Valery	Maureen Frost & Julia S
Sacred Heart	Caroline Adams	Libby Dale
<i>Flowers</i>		

Welcome Ministers & Readers
Please indicate on the list at the back of Church which Services you will be available for over Easter.
I need to know what help I can count on please.

Our Easter Gift to Father

There is no offertory collection at Easter, only our gift to Father. This is our opportunity to make tangible our appreciation for his care, concern and spiritual nourishment of us all.
Please take an envelope.

*St Dominic's & Sacred Heart
 Holy Week & Easter Services 2024*

CONFESSIONS: Sat 23rd Mar: 10.30 - 11.30am
 Tue 26th: 6.30 - 7.30pm (Last before Easter)
Sat 30th Mar NO CONFESSIONS

Changes to Mass Times

As you are aware, our diocese went through a discernment process last year to identify and plan for, projected shortages of priests. This has led to a reduction of weekend Masses in all Churches (to enable cover by other priests), together with changes of Mass times to smooth the implementation of these reductions.
The changes to our Mass times will begin at Pentecost 18th/19th May.

- ❖ At St Dominic's, the Sat Vigil Mass will continue at 6pm for now.
- ❖ On Sundays, the 8am Mass will cease. Mass will be at 10.30am.
- ❖ At Sacred Heart, Mass will be at 9am not 9.15am

Easter Triduum

Holy Thursday: 7.30pm Mass of the Last Supper and Washing of Feet. Watching before the Blessed Sacrament till 10pm.

Good Friday: 3pm Celebration of the Lord's Passion & Veneration of the Cross.
 6pm Stations of the Cross & Veneration of the Cross.

Holy Saturday: 8pm Easter Vigil and Liturgy of Fire & Light.

Easter Sunday: 8am Holy Mass.
 9.15am (Eccleshall)
 11am Holy Mass.

STEPPING-STONES TO CHRIST St Thomas Aquinas - A Study of our Faith
THURSDAYS 7.30pm – 8.30pm Parish Social Centre (enter by the garden gate)
BRING YOUR BIBLE Contact: Sr Valery 07986 851 376

Please take a leaflet from the back of Church

We operate under the statutory safeguarding guidelines of National & Diocesan Safeguarding Standards. The Diocesan Team's contacts: 0121 230 6240. safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk for all your concerns. Parish Child Safeguarding Officer is Mary Cackett sg.stdominic.stone@rcaob.org.uk

If you are unable to contact me and you are aware of someone who needs the pastoral care of a priest, please contact St Austin's on 01785 223553

Social Centre Bookings Michele
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