

ST MARY IMMACULATE, WARWICK ST CHARLES BORROMEO, HAMPTON ON THE HILL

**Second Sunday of Easter
27 April 2025**



John Granville Gregory *Still Doubting* 1999 (after Caravaggio's *Doubting Thomas*) Bangor Cathedral

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LOW WEEK MASS TIMES



DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY		St Mary Immaculate	St Charles Borromeo
Sun 27	Second Sunday of Easter	6pm (Sat) <i>John Murphy</i> 9am <i>Pro Populo</i> 11am <i>Pope Francis</i>	ALLELUIA!
Mon 28	St George	9.30am <i>AK Thanksgiving</i>	12noon <i>Private int.</i>
Tue 29	St Catherine of Siena	9.30am <i>Private int.</i>	10am <i>Private int.</i>
Wed 30	St Pius V		12noon <i>Private int.</i>
Thur 1	St Joseph the Worker		12noon <i>Private int.</i>
Fri 2	St Athanasius	9.30am <i>Private int.</i>	10am <i>Private int.</i>
Sat 3	St Philip and St James	6pm <i>Edward Manning</i>	10am <i>Exposition</i> 10.30am <i>Private int.</i>
Sun 4	Third Sunday of Easter	9am <i>Private int.</i> 11am <i>Pro Populo</i>	

Livestreaming: Please be aware that the front two pews at St Mary Immaculate are visible. If anyone wishes to receive Holy Communion but not appear on the livestream, please speak to Fr Patrick.



O God, immortal shepherd of souls, look on your people's prayers and grant that your servant Pope Francis, who presided over your Church in charity, may, with the flock entrusted to his care, receive from your mercy the reward of a faithful steward.



GENERAL NOTICES

Recently Dead: Tom Riley, Colin Docker, Hilary Montgomery RIP

Thankyou from Fr Patrick for the very generous Easter offering. Thanks to all who helped with the holy Week and Easter triduum celebrations: servers, readers, eucharistic ministers, choir, cleaners, flower team, stewards

Church Decoration Thank you for all the donations, so far we have raised £13,400. If you would like to contribute to, or sponsor a specific area of the church redecoration please visit the website or follow:

<https://www.stmary-immaculate.org.uk/sponsor-the-church-redecoration.html>

Interior Decoration at St Charles Borromeo: Please note that this will commence on Tues 22 April and may take up to 8 weeks. During this time the church will be 'out of bounds'. The usual Sunday 9am Mass will instead take place at St Mary Immaculate Church, and weekday Masses will take place in the St Charles Borromeo Presbytery office (times will be shown in the Mass Times section in the newsletter). We apologise for any inconvenience..

Youth group for years 8-13 in the church hall. Future sessions will focus on the year of jubilee. £1 donation. Any questions please contact Hannah dallman.han@gmail.com

Hall Games - 7:45pm to 9:30pm every Thursday in St Mary's parish hall. Board games, chess, table tennis, pool, and a cup of tea/coffee! Come along and meet new friends.

Friday Bingo & Quiz is Back! - We're pleased to announce that our Bingo & Quiz group is restarting on Friday 2nd May in the Parish Hall, and will run on the 1st and 3rd Fridays of each month. Come along for a fun and relaxed afternoon of tea, coffee, quizzes and bingo – everyone's welcome! Time: 1:45pm – 3:00pm. Cost: Free. No need to book – just drop in and join the fun!

Community Garden students & staff at Trinity Catholic School have designed a memorial garden which has been shortlisted to be showcased at Gardener's World Beautiful Borders Competition at the NEC. They're asking for people to donate to enable them to bring their design to life. Please use the link below for details and to make a donation.

https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/friendsotrinitycatholicschool?utm_term=zzjr7ggAv


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Foundation Governor Vacancies Trinity Catholic School is seeking committed Catholics to join our Governing Body as Foundation Governors. This is a rewarding opportunity to support Catholic education and help shape the future of our school. You don't need to be an expert in education — just a practicing Catholic who values their faith and wants to help make a difference to the lives of our young people. For more information or to express interest, please contact: Chris Beaumont on 07745 649025 or cbeaumont@gov.magnificat.org.uk



Volunteers Required. Could you spare 2 hours every 4-5 weeks to help with mowing the lawns at St Charles Borromeo? We currently split it into 3 areas: front lawns, rear lawns & new cemetery and the old cemetery. 'Team members' select or are allocated one of these areas. We have a 'ride-on' mower, ideal for the front and rear lawns, plus a selection of other powered mowers and trimmers usable in any area. **Interested? Please contact Bernard Baxter 07808 820359.**

Divine Mercy Sunday 27th April On behalf of the Warwick Deanery, you are invited to our Divine Mercy devotions, with exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and confessions in St Peter's in Leamington Spa from 3pm to 4pm.

	St Mary Immaculate stmary-immaculate.org.uk	St Charles Borromeo stcharles-borromeo.org.uk
2 nd Collections		
Counting	This week group 4 Next week group 5	More counters required at St Charles, please contact Angela.
Sick and Housebound	Gill Bonehill, Christopher Browne, Eileen Checkley, Wendy Fitzpatrick-Ellis, Annie Gleason, Anne Gunthorpe, Graham Hardwick, Samantha Hewitt, Susan James, Catherine McCarthy, Monica, Liam McLaughlin, Bernadette Narain, Kathleen O'Connor, Agnes Pauling, Peter Schmidt, Sheila Thumwood, Betty Walters, Natasha Watkins, Gerard Williams.	Aidan Harris, Samantha Hewitt, Jo Holleron, Angie Morrell, Eddie Unitt, Janina Woods. <i>Your prayers are asked for all the sick in our parishes: at home, care home, hospital, hospice.</i>
Monthly Draw 	<u>£350 paid in prizes each month.</u> Plenty of room for more members or existing members to take additional numbers. Please contact parish office £5 per number per month. Apr winners: 1 st C Nemeth, 2 nd C Jasper-Watts, 3 rd M Bache. Next Draw: 19 May.	<u>St Charles Tote</u> Next draws 11 May 8 June Contact Paul & Helena
Sanctuary lamp dedications		
Rosary group	The Pope's intention for April: <i>For the use of the new technologies</i> Let us pray that the use of the new technologies will not replace human relationships, will respect the dignity of the person, and will help us face the crises of our times.	

PARISH GIVING: The best way to support our parishes financially is by setting up a Standing Order using the following bank details. If you don't have internet banking and want to sign up for Standing Order, please contact the parish office. [GiftAid form](#)

Account name: RCA Birmingham St Mary Immaculate Acc. no.28541588: Sort code 55-70-33
Account name: RCA Birmingham St Charles Borromeo Acc. no.28392876: Sort code 55-70-33

St Mary Immaculate Hall bookings heartofwarwick@gmail.com

Deanery Website banburyandwarwick-catholicdeanery.org.uk

SAFEGUARDING

Our Parishes operate in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parishes Safeguarding Representative is Julia FitzSimons who can be contacted at: sq.smi.warwick@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240/ safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.

Health & Safety Coordinators: Dave Prescott (St Mary), Damien Convey (St Charles)
Primary School Head: Julia Wallace. Parish Secretary: Andy Walker.