



LITURGY

First reading: Genesis 12:1-4a

Response to the Psalm: May your love be upon us, O Lord, as we place all our hope in you.

Second reading: 2Timothy 1:8b-10

Gospel Acclamation: From the bright cloud the Father’s voice was heard: “This is my Son, the Beloved. Listen to him.

Gospel: Matthew 17:1-9



Church Rotas

Masses	Eucharistic Ministers	Readers
5.00pm Sat 11 th March	Geraldine & Martin Flynn	Mary Flynn & Helen Woodhouse
10.30am Sun 12 th March	Chris Faulkner	Tracy Volante & Tony Pearce
5.00 pm Sat 18 th March	Bud Sollis & Maria Martin	Alan Clatworthy
10.30am Sun 19 th March	Pat Mitchell	Clive Rickhards

Coffee Rota

12 th March	Adriana Ebanks & Vicky Dawes
19 th March	Sarah & Mark Pittaway

Children’s Liturgy Rota

12 th March	Sally and Sean
19 th March	Denise and Annette

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Parish Deacon: Rev. Mr. Steve Dunton



2nd Sunday of Lent Year(A)

Week commencing Sunday 12th March 2017

Registered Charity Number 1063237

Masses

Sat 11 th March	5.00pm	2nd Sunday of Lent	Margaret Kickham RIP
Sun 12 th March	10.30am	2nd Sunday of Lent	Gerald Clarke RIP
Mon 13 th March	9.30am		No Service
Tue 14 th March	9.30am	Feria	
Wed 15 th March	9.30am		No Service
Thu 16 th March	9.30am		SCHOOL MASS
Fri 17 th March	9.30am		No Service
Sat 18 th March	5.00pm	3rd Sunday of Lent	Hannah & Stanley Williams RIP
Sun 19 th March	10.30am	3rd Sunday of Lent	Marie Bonnon RIP

Collection weekend 4th/5th March was £385-10. Many thanks.

Prayers for the Sick: Doleen Evans, Faith Lyons, Steve Smith, Jane-Christina Thomson, Joan Smith, Derek Sollis, Michael Hall, Christopher Hurd, Paula Brooke, Edward O'Neill, Megan Hayes, Michael Smith, Barbara Wall, Pamela Young, Mick Sollis, Margaret Birkett, Nell Bridge, Joe Brennan.

Those who have recently died:

Stephen Sollis, Ross Bullock, Jennifer Harvey, Anne Nora Finnegan, Mary Hadley, Barbara Flowers, Gerald Clarke.

Message from Mary Cross about APF/Missio

Can all APF/Missio promoters please empty red boxes and get the proceeds along with their accounts books to Mary Cross by April 9th. There are Missio booklets at the back of church for anyone who would like one. Thankyou.

PARISH EVENTS

TEA/COFFEE IS SERVED IN THE CONSERVATORY AFTER THE 10.30 AM MASS. *Please join us.*

Churches Together Lent Course

Deacon Steve will be leading a Lent Course at Studley Methodist Church each Thursday from 7.30- 9pm beginning on 9th March
Each participant needs to purchase a course book. Please order from Amazon directly or through Deacon Steve- Cost £6. Please place money and name in an envelope in the sacristy by 5th March in order to reserve a copy.

Lent Lunches

During Lent we will be holding Lenten Lunches each Saturday from 12 - 2pm in the conservatory. This simple lunch will consist of soup, bread & cheese. There is not a set charge, but we ask for a donation towards our Lenten charity – Studley First Responders. Proceeds from the Bring & Buy Table during Lent will also go towards this charity. Come and join us on the following dates: **Saturday 11th March, Saturday 18th March, Saturday 25th March, Saturday 1st April & Saturday 8th April**

Easter Raffle

**We will be selling tickets for the Easter Raffle after Mass from next weekend. Tickets are £1 a strip or £5 for 6 strips.
Please support this fundraising event!**

Friends of St. Mary's

There will be a meeting of the 'Friends' on Thursday 16th March at 2pm in the conservatory. It will be a very short meeting followed by a talk, with slides, given by Anne Rolfe entitled "Bejing to Moscow by Train."
Refreshments will follow. All are most welcome.