

Message from the Social committee

As the 1940s Dance did not take place until the end of January, Lent begins on 25th March and the Welsh Choir visits in April, the Social Committee has decided to delay the next Poetry, Prose and Music Evening until the beginning of May.
Watch this space for further details

Lent Quiet Day

Saturday March 21st
Please see Fr Henry if you wish to attend

New Lunch Club

A **quarterly** Lunch Club is being set up, for anyone in the Parish, commencing **on Thursday 14 May 2009**, between 12 noon and 2.00 pm, in the Foden Room

It is specifically for the elderly and the housebound. Those with mobility problems can be picked up and taken home.

A nominal fee will be charged to cover the cost of food and drinks. Entertainment will be provided.

Anyone interested please call Shirley 0121 246 5935, or Gordon 0121 749 6739.
Or sign the list at back of church

If you can drive and would be able to offer transport on this day please call Shirley or Gordon on the above phone numbers.
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Please sign up list is at back of church

Weekly notes

Items for the next weeks weekly notes must reach Mary Jones by Wednesday
email mary.roma4@btinternet.com
tel no 747 3328, 16 Southfield Avenue

Lenten blessings

We have so much to be grateful for.

Birmingham Mothers Union has produced A blessings calendar to be used during Lent to create an awareness of our many blessings and raise at least £2 per person for Training Parenting Facilitators and providing resources for Parenting and Marriage Support Groups in the Diocese.

If you would like to join in copies are available from the back of church money can be given to any member of the Mothers Union – look for the badge
Thank you

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Castle Bromwich Parish Church Weekly notes

SUNDAY, 22nd February
Sunday last before Lent
www.stmaryandstmargaret.co.uk

Mission Group Coffee Morning.

Thursday, 26th February.
Hosted by Tony and Hazel Teale,
21, Water Orton Road

Church Spring Clean

We intend doing a Spring clean in church on Saturday 28th March from 9.30am to 2pm .
Please come along as many hands do make light work

Wednesday morning service in Church

With effect from **Wednesday 8 April 2009**, and then on the **First** Wednesday of each month, volunteer drivers will pick up and take home anyone in the Parish with mobility problems, who would like to attend this service, but is unable to get there

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Malawi boxes

Please pick up boxes from the back of the Church for your Malawi offerings during Lent.

COR GODRE'R ARAN Welsh Male Voice Choir

7.30pm Saturday, 25th April 2009
tickets are now available for £15 from
Dennis, Gordon and Debbie

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2 Kings 2.1-12
Corinthians 4.3-6
Mark 9.2-9

COLLECT

Almighty Father,
 whose Son was revealed in majesty
 before he suffered death upon the cross:
 give us grace to perceive his glory,
 that we may be strengthened to suffer with him
 and be changed into his likeness, from glory to
 glory; who is alive and reigns with you,
 in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
 one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

POST COMMUNION

Holy God,
 we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ:
 may we who are partakers at his table
 reflect his life in word and deed,
 that all the world may know his power to change
 and save.
 This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

8.00 am Said Eucharist

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

Hymns

Introit 72 *Be still for the presence*
 Gradual 74 *Be thou my vision*
 Offertory 32 *Alleluiah sing to Jesus*
 Communion 666 *Spirit of the living God*
 Communion 477 *Majesty*
 Recessional 233 *Guide me O thou great Jehovah*

Response to Psalm

"I will leave this place and go to my Father"

We welcome children into our church,
 and want them to feel comfortable.

Bags with books and toys are provided for use in
 the pews on the right hand side of church
 Please put these items back into the bags
 at the end of the service.

Remember children under 5 should be
 accompanied by an adult at all times whilst
 in the church even in the quiet area. Thank you.

- Wayfarers meet in the Foden Room
after the Gospel
- Refreshments after the service.

Youth Group Pancakes Races

Races start after the 10am service.
 Races with your pancakes for all ages
 in aid of Youth Group Funds.

3.00pm Thanksgiving for the gift of a child -
 held in church

6.30 pm Evensong

Psalm 2; [99]
1.Kings 19.1 -16
2.Peter 1.16-end

Diary of Events for the rest of week

TUESDAY 24th February:

Shrove Tuesday

7.00 pm Holy Eucharist - (RL2 p83-85)

R. "Commit your life to the Lord,
 trust him and he will act"

WEDNESDAY 25th February

Ash Wednesday

9.30 am Holy Eucharist – with Ashing
 (RL1 p191-193)

R. "Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we have sinned"

7.30 pm Holy Eucharist - with Ashing

Hymns

Introit 185 *Forty days and 40 nights*
 Gradual 125 *Come down O love Divine*
 Offertory 339 *Just as I am*
 Communion Choir item: *Jesus the Lord said*
 Recessional 74 *Be thou my vision*

Response to Psalm

"Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we have sinned"

THURSDAY 26th February

2.30 pm SCC The Seekers
 at 16 Rectory Gardens

7.30 pm Choir Practice in church

8.00 pm Bible Study at 9 Woodford Ave
 All are welcome

FRIDAY 27th February

9.00 am Morning Worship & Assembly
 in School

SATURDAY 28th February

9.00 am Holy Eucharist - (RL1 p198-200)

R "Show me, Lord, your way that I may walk
 in your truth"

SUNDAY 1st March 1st Sunday of Lent

8.00 am Said Eucharist
10.00 am Parish Eucharist
6.30 pm Evensong

Please pray for those to be baptised
 and their parents and godparents

Madison Ella Kempson

Jamie Ann Ryan and Tatum Danielle Foster

Jack Neil Allcock

The second collection will be for
 "Sight Services International"