

**ST MARY'S 200 + CLUB
WINNERS**

5th May 2019

No. 127 Winifred Wright £50

No. 93 Doreen McGinley £15

12th May 2019

No. 139 Kath Scott £50

No. 28 Jo Wright £15

LAST SUNDAY

Mass Attendance: **141**

8.30 - 63

10:30 - 78

Offertory: £482.92

Candles:

Books/Papers:

St. Anthony:

Building Fund: £9.54

World Needy: £48.46

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Preface IV of Easter-

"The Restoration of the Universe through the
Paschal Mystery" p.74

Eucharistic Prayer I - 8:30 p.18

Eucharistic Prayer for Children in Eastertime -
10:30 Mass

Week beginning 26th May

Readers: Paula M. / Michael L.

Ministers: Helen S. / Ania M.

Jackie J. / K. D'S. / Linda L.

Church Cleaning

Children's Liturgy

No group

**Please join us for refreshments
after the 10:30 Mass**



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Sunday Mass 8.30 a.m. & 10.30 a.m.

Weekdays except Mondays: 9:45 a.m. Morning Prayer, 10 a.m. Mass

Tuesday: 6:40 p.m. Rosary, 7 p.m. Mass

Mondays: 9:45 a.m. Morning Prayer, 10 a.m. Celebration of the Word

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession): **Saturday 10:30-11 a.m.**

Adoration of the Holy Eucharist: **Saturday 10:30-11 a.m.**

Health & Safety in St. Mary's Is anyone a first-aider in their place of work, and able to help if there should be the need? Please let Geoff Stubbs know in person or via the red post box at the back of church. Thank you.

LOURDES – If you have a petition you would like Danny Morgan to take with him to Lourdes at the end of July, please write clearly and label "Danny" and post it in the red post box at the back of church. Thank you.

Tram Sunday – (21st July). There will be a meeting in the Millennium Room at 7p.m. on Thursday 27th JUNE regarding catering, moving furniture, food preparation and helping on the day.

Lenten Lunches – U.S.\$ 1233 dollars was raised at this year's lunches for the "Neema Village" charity in Tanzania. They currently home 58 babies and children who are orphaned, abandoned or at-risk. Thank you.

Good luck, Peter in the Edinburgh Marathon next Sunday

Fifth Sunday of Easter
19th May 2019

We behold your glory, O God, in the love shown by your Son, lifted up on the cross and exalted on high. Increase our love for one another, that both in name and in truth we may be disciples of the risen Lord Jesus, and so reflect by our lives the glory that is yours.

Grant this through Jesus Christ, the first-born from the dead, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God for ever and ever.

Sunday 19th Fifth Sunday of Easter	8.30 a.m.	People of the Parish
	10.30 a.m. 4.00p.m.	Phyllis Hadgraft (E.H.) Evening Prayer & Benediction
MONDAY 20th	10.00 a.m.	Celebration of the Word
TUESDAY 21st	7.00 p.m.	Bill Jackson (J.J.) Anniversary
WEDNESDAY 22nd	10.00 a.m.	Sr. Anne Corrigan (F.C.)
THURSDAY 23rd	10.00a.m.	Rev. Steve Edwards (M.J.M.)
FRIDAY 24th	10.00 a.m.	Joe & Jim McCann (B.McC.)
SATURDAY 25th St. Bede the Venerable	10.00 a.m.	Monsignor Michael Tully (M.J.M.)
Next Sunday 26th Sixth Sunday of Easter	8.30 a.m.	People of the Parish
	10.30 a.m. 4.00p.m.	Joan Craven (J.W.) lately dead Evening Prayer & Benediction

Please remember in your prayers



»**all the sick**, especially: Charlie Andrews, Audrey Armour, Zephania Barretto, Louise Cantrell, Catalina Carreddu, Greta Carus, Janice Chadwick, Elsie Clapp, Patsy Coll, Catherine Dale, Marianne Delaney, Teresa Drake, Anthony David Dunn, Sarah Finley, Jacob Gray, Joseph Higgins, June Jagger, Christina Jones, Liam Edward Lenihan, Rosemary Lovatt, Alison Lyons, Gerry McCaul, Kathleen McGinley, Joan Moss, Michael O’Sullivan, Cath Powers, Bob Rawcliffe, Lidia Romanowska, Mary Schon, Joe Scott, Mark Surelock, Josie Tester, Frank Ward, Winifred White, David Wilkinson, Fred & Mary Wylie



>> **the housebound and those in care**, especially: David Ball, Peggie Ball, Thomas Ball, Bridget McCann, Brenda McCaul, Walter Myerscough, Doris Roberts, Marina Smith, Pamela Warwick

>**those who have died recently**: Harry Slater, Joan Craven, John Taylor

>**and also those whose anniversaries are this coming week**: Bill Jackson, Catherine O’Donnell, John Brook, Margaret Schoonjans, Frank Ball, Anthony Hough, Frank Smallbone, Charles Turner, John O’Donnell, Anne Gannon, Julie Finley, Mel Marshall, Thomas Addison, James Tipping

THE WORD AHEAD – Next Sunday’s Gospel

Read –The Gospel for Sunday 26th May (John 14: 23-29) The Promise of the Spirit
After spending a few minutes considering this Gospel, continue by reading Fr. Henry Wansbrough’s reflection.

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In these final discourses of Jesus at the Last Supper (as he sketches the outlines of his future Church) there are four passages which promise the coming of a Paraclete or Advocate, the Holy Spirit. ‘Paraclete’ and ‘Advocate’ mean the same: someone who is called to your side as a supporter, often in a legal situation. The Father will send this Paraclete, in the name and power of Jesus, so that the Paraclete will make Christ present in the Church in a new way. The Paraclete will strengthen Jesus’ disciples with Christ’s own strength. The Paraclete will lead the disciples into all truth, so that they gradually come to a fuller understanding of all the implications of the teaching of Jesus. Like any legal advocate, the Paraclete will provide the followers of Jesus with the power in teaching and argument to withstand opposition. This is the power which will guide the Church in ages to come, not only the official teachers of the Church, the successors of the apostles, but all the faithful who preserve and enrich the tradition of the Church by their prophetic office. The decree of Vatican II on the Church leaves no doubt that not only the call to sanctity but also participation in the prophetic office of Christ extends to all the members of the Church; this is an inspiring and awesome responsibility for us all.

For what special task do I most need the Paraclete’s strength and guidance?
Dom Henry Wansbrough OSB

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Diary This week’s Deanery Mass – Wednesday 22nd May
at Sacred Heart, Thornton– 7p.m.

First Holy Communion preparation will continue after 10:30 Mass in the Presbytery. The First Holy Communion Mass will be on Sunday, 23rd June.

Bishop Paul will be visiting St. Mary’s on the weekend of 21st – 22nd September. This will also be “Heritage Weekend.”

Parish Pastoral Council and Restoration Group minutes are displayed at the back of church above the safe.