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The parish operates within Statutory Safeguarding Guidance, and the National and Archdiocese's policies and procedures at all times.

Services & intentions to 21st January, 24.

Sunday 14th. 10.00. *2nd Sunday Year B*
George O Connor. Baby Shay Costello.
Margaret Farrington.

Tuesday 16th. 10.00. Bonnie Lynch

Friday 19th. 10.00. Mary Gately.

Sunday 21st. 10.00. *3rd Sunday Year B.*

Michael Brennan. Kieran Lavin
Joe Lloyd.

Parish Mass Book. Page 127+

Entrance antiphon-

Penitential Rite C, page 8.

Psalm. Sung.

Gospel acclamation- sung.

Holy Holy and Lamb of God - sung.

Hymns..

99. Brightest and best are....

339. Just as I am without one plea

536. O Jesus I have promised.

Voluntaries:

Deck thyself my soul with gladness. JS Bach

What child is this? Arr. Vaughan Williams

Son of righteousness. Ernst Pepping

Sunday 14th January has been designated as Peace Day and we are encouraged to pray for peace not only in the obvious places of the world— Ukraine and Gaza— but in the locations seldom mentioned in the news media where the loss of life and stability is just as devastating for those living there. There will be a second collection for the organisation known **as Pax Christi**

Recent death.

Michael Brennan, Leominster Road. Our prayers and condolences to his wife Kathleen and family

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

There is a service on Thursday 25th January beginning at 7.00pm at St Dunstan's Church, Kings Heath Duration- approx. 1 hour with refreshments afterwards. All welcome to attend.

Pray 24 Brum.

Over the 19th and 20th January Christians from across Birmingham will come together to pray for the city. This event is based at St. Philip's Cathedral from 7.30 am Friday 19th until 6.00pm on Saturday 20th

Tabor Living Volunteer open events. Saturday 20th January. Wednesday 14th February.

Invitation to find out more about joining the team of fabulous volunteers offering support to homeless individuals at the project in Birmingham. Both events will be held at Tabor Living, St. Catherine's Church, Bristol Road.

Trustee Vacancies: St Mary's College, Oscott.

Oscott College is the diocesan seminary which forms men for the priesthood and diaconate from England, Wales, Scotland and further afield. The College is looking for up to 10 additional trustees over the next couple of years, due to imminent retirements and also to help increase the expertise and diversity of the board. No experience of trusteeship necessary and the successful candidates would be invited to a board meeting as a guest in February before being appointed.

Deadline for applications- Wednesday 31 January.

See under "Jobs and Volunteering" on the diocesan website