

English Martyr's Church. Birmingham North & East Deanery.

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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

Sunday 6th April. 10.00.

Margaret O Reilly Laurie Healy.

Sunday 13th April. Palm Sunday.

Colm Conlon. Bernard Flanagan.

Order of Service- .

Prayers and Readings as *Missalette*

Eucharistic Prayer 3. preface of Lent. 1.

Hymns/music.

712. The royal banners forward go.

503. My song is love unknown.

801. When I survey the wondrous cross

Gift Aid Sunday Envelopes-

Next Sunday sees the end of the gift Aid envelopes and the new tax year begins Sunday April 6th.

Please collect your envelope box this weekend or next. This does not affect those giving by standing order through their bank as this auto renews for the coming tax year.

Easter Services between the churches.

Maundy Thursday service will be at St. Annes church at 6.30pm

Good Friday service will be at English Martyrs church at 3.00pm

Easter Sunday- 10.00am at English Martyrs, 11.45 at St Annes Church.

All Saints Cluster Meeting on Thursday 1st May at 7.00pm at **St Ambrose Barlow church.**

Attend in person or on Teams for clergy and parish representatives.

Cluster launch Mass and Social.

To be held at **St Thomas More, Sheldon** on 15th May at 7.00pm. This is felt to be important as it brings together the people and clergy from the churches of All Saints Cluster, whose combined task will be to work together for the well being of the mission in this area (see bottom newsletter for list of churches.)

March for Life UK will be holding a candlelight vigil on Sunday 27th April at 7.00pm in Victoria Square, Birmingham. Please come and join us in prayerfully remembering the lives lost to abortion and all those who have been wounded since the passing of this act.

Please don't bring your own candles- we will supply them. We will also supply posters so please don't bring any. We will be having a quiet time of prayerful reflection as well as listening to some speeches from religious leaders. We will be finished by 8.30pm.

End of Life Bill.- the subject of our Pastoral Letter this Sunday.

Please use the vote against Cards to persuade your MP to vote against this Bill.

Even if you don't know your MPs name use the link on the card to find it

Then buy a first class stamp and send it.

English Martyrs is part of All Saints Cluster and the other parishes are:

Holy Souls Acocks Green, St Ambrose Barlow, Hall Green, Corpus Christi, Stechford, The Rosary, Saltley, Holy Family, Small Heath. St Thomas Moore, Sheldon. St Wilfrid's, Castle Bromwich.