PARISH ACTIVITIES

SUNDAY

CONFIRMATION CLASS @ 11:45am - 1:30pm

CHILDREN SUNDAY SCHOOL After 10:30am Mass

TUESDAY

TUESDAY LUNCH CLUB

(Tuesday 25th February)

WEDNESDAY

LECTIO DIVINA 7:30pm - 9pm

THURSDAY

RCIA in the Middle Hall

FIRST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH

ADORATION (In Honour of Sacred Heart) 5:30pm: MASS 6:00pm - 6:30pm: Adoration

SATURDAY

YOUNG ADULT PRAYER GROUP 7:30pm - 9:30pm

From the Parish Register

Total Collection: £1.608.07 Others: £273.55

1st Collection: £575.18 2nd Collection: £146.57 Contactless: £612.77

EMCS FOR FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 9TH FEB

Saturday 6.15pm Chris Mahoney

Anto Jerome, Lily Rodrigues & James Hackett Marissa Dula & Vivian Delatorre 10.30am

5.15pm

READERS FOR SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 16TH FEB

Saturday 6.15pm Chris Mahonev

Sunday 10.30am Mary Goveas & Eniko Jakab

Vivian Delatorre

ALTAR SERVERS FOR FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 9TH FEB

Saturday 6.15pm Chris Mahoney

10.30am Lillian, Livia, Amaris, Joana, Thomas, Sunday

Zoe, Gabriel, Adanna, Brook, Luis

ST. MARY ON THE QUAY

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Parish Priest: Fr. Sanjeeb Xaxa SVD Assistant Priest: Fr. Joseph Mensah SVD

Parish Office Hours: Monday to Friday: 10.00am - 1.00pm

Church Opening Hours: Monday to Friday 10.00am to 4.00pm

Saturday: 10.00am to 7.00pm Sunday: 9.00am to 6.30pm

Child Protection Reps: James Hackett & Roque Rodrigues

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9th Feb 2025-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time - Year C



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REFLECTION

Dear parishioners, Friends and Visitors, welcome to St Mary on the Quay. This Sunday the Church celebrates Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time.

Many of the most tender moments of Christ's life recorded in the gospels take place by the lake in Galilee. Today's ac-



count is reminiscent of the scene after the Resurrection when Peter suggests, after all the turmoil and the uncertainty about what would happen next: 'Let's go fishing'. So much had happened and it all began here. Peter and his companions had had a fruitless night fishing and were cleaning the nets when Jesus asked them to put out to sea again so he could preach to the people more effectively. This completed, he asked Peter to put out the nets again. It must have been the last thing Peter wanted to do. But he trusted what Jesus had asked and the results were unimaginable. Peter responded in awe to this act of Christ. When invited to follow Jesus into this new way of living and new mission and purpose, he left the fish and followed. May we too accept Jesus' gentle invitations.

Mass Intentions Week Commencing 9th - 15th Feb, 2025 Sunday 9th 10.30 am Felipe Olivero Medrano RIP Luis Maria Morillo RIP 05.15pm RIP Anthony Spear Monday 10th 12.15pm **Dominic Folwell** Spiritual aid Tuesday 11th 12.15pm For Volunteers in our parish Wednesday 12th 12.15pm Victorino Poblete RIP Thursday 13th 12.15pm Eileen Wrodev RIP Friday 14th 12.15pm Anthony Tse RIP Saturday 15th 12.15pm For our parishioners seeking for job 06.15pm For our sick parishioners

We pray for the sick in the Parish and those known to us.

Mass Time: Week Days: 12.15pm (Monday to Saturday)

Sunday Masses:

Saturday: 6.15pm (Sunday Vigil Mass)
Sunday: 10.30am (Choir) & 5.15pm (Choir)
Mass on Holy Days of Obligation: 12.15pm & 5.30pm
Confessions: Monday to Saturday 11.30am to 12.00pm

<u>Baptisms:</u> If you are planning to baptise your child please contact the Parish Office for more information or speak to a priest after the mass.

Marriage Preparation: Any couple from our parish who are intending getting married in the Catholic Church are asked to note that the Church requires at least six months notice prior to their wedding date. Couples need to speak to a priest so as to fill out the forms and also participate in a Marriage Preparation course. Kindly, view the guidelines on our website before making any arrangements. https://www.stmaryonthequay.com/re-marriage

This Sunday's Readings at Mass

Parish Mass Book Page 135 (Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time)

First Reading: Isaiah 6:1-8

Psalm: 23 "In the presence of the angels I praise you, O Lord"

Second Reading: 1 Cor. 15:1-11 Cospel: Luke 5:1-11

Gloria

The Gloria can be found on page 9 of the Parish Mass Book.

The Creeds

The Nicene Creed can be found on page 11 of the Parish Mass Book. The Apostles' Creed can be found on page 12 of the Parish Mass Book.

PARISH NEWS

SMQ JUBILEE QUIZ: SMQ presents Jubilee Quiz dubbed "the Gospel of John" on Saturday 1st March at 1.30pm in the Parish Hall. Targeted participants are 12-19 years olds. Please find detailed information on the Parish Notice Board. For more information on this quiz, kindly email the Planning Team on infosmqbristol@gmail.com. All parishioners are encouraged to come support our youth on this day.

BISHOP'S MAIDEN PASTORAL VISIT: Dear parishioners, we are excited to bring to your attention, the Bishop's maiden pastoral visit to our parish on Sunday, 23rd March during Mass at 10.30am. Come join us as we welcome the Bishop to our parish for the first time.

PASTORAL COUNCIL MEETING: There will be Pastoral Council meeting on Sunday 9th February after the 10:30am Mass. Kindly take note.

PARISH MASS BOOK: At the moment, we have one set of parish mass books for Cycle C, and we need 5 sets for Cycles A, B, and C. One copy is costing £4.95. We are seeking your generous contribution to acquire Parish Mass Books for our church.

TEA AND COFFEE AFTER 10:30AM MASS: Tea and coffee will be served on Sunday 9th February after the 10:30am Mass. Kindly take note.

SUPPORTING THE PARISH: We spend a lot of money to run our church every day, so we need your help to run our beautiful Parish. If you use online banking and are able to set up direct debit or standing order which would be a big support for the Church, below is our Parish Bank Account details:

CLIFTON DIOCESE RE PARISH OF ST MARY ON THE QUAY, BRISTOL

Account Number: 66286573 Sort Code: 52-10-03

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