

**ST WILFRID'S, GARSTON / ALLERTON / GRASSEDALE**

**3<sup>rd</sup> SUNDAY OF LENT (YEAR C)**

**23 MARCH 2025**

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**MASSES & SERVICES**

**Saturday 22 March (Vigil Mass of Sunday)**

5.15 pm Confessions

6.00 pm Mass (Parishioners)

**Sunday 23 March (3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent C)**

8.45 Confessions

9.30 Mass (William Soundie)

11.15 Mass (Margaret Farrell)

12.30 Baptism

**Monday 24 March**

**8.00 Mass** (Edward Michaels)

**Tuesday 25 March (Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord)**

**10.00 School Mass** (Josie Malone)

**Wednesday 26 March**

**8.00 Mass** (Intentions of the Doyle Family)

**7.30 Stations of the Cross & Benediction**

**Thursday 27 March**

8.30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

9.10 Morning Prayer

9.30 Mass (Yolanda Byrne)

**Friday 28 March**

**10.00 Funeral Service of Harold Ellison**

7.30 Mass (Michael Gerard)

**Saturday 29 March**

9.10 Rosary

9.30 Mass (Rosa Lalor)

5.15 Confessions

6.00 Vigil Mass (Glenn Metzger)

**Next Sunday 30 March (4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Lent "Laetare" C)**

8.45 Confessions

9.30 Mass (Parishioners)

11.15 Mass (Private Intention)

12.30 Baptism

## **SICK LIST**

Sean Armstrong, Linda Barry, Mary O'Neill, Nicholas Cavanagh, Eileen Fowler, Chris Doyle, Pat Toner, Keith Garcia, Michael Peter Holmes, Philip Hendrick, Dorothy Lynch, Shannon McGrath, Fred Keegan, Kay Smith, Bob Cramsie, Ann Davies, Pauline Preston, Pat Threlfall, Stella O'Donnell, Julia Robertson, Pat Craig, Jane Shanley, Eileen Burrows, Joseph Morgan

**NEXT WEEKEND** (29/30 March) Retiring Collection for Nugent Care

## **WELCOME**

We extend a warm welcome to **Jason Nwamba**, who will be baptized today.

## **CONDOLENCES**

Of your charity, pray for the soul of **Harold Ellison**, whose funeral will be celebrated on Friday. My he rest in peace and rise in glory.

## **LENTEN PROGRAMME**

Extra devotions and spiritual exercises have been arranged for the season of Lent as follows.

**Early Mass : Mondays at 8.00 am** (unless otherwise advertised); *n.b. Mass on Wednesday 26 March will also be at 8.00 am*

**Stations of the Cross & Benediction : 7.30 pm on Wednesdays 26 March & 2/9 April**

**School Mass : 10.00 am on Tuesday 25 March**

**Penitential Service : 7.30 pm on Tuesday 15 April**

**“The Gift” (in the Meeting Room) : 7.00 pm on Mondays 24/ 31 March & 7April**

**“The Cross” (in the Meeting Room) : 7.00 pm on Monday 14 April**

## **LENTEN ALMS**

There is a box for Lenten almsgiving at the entrance to the Sacred Heart chapel.

## **HOLY FATHER'S INTENTION**

As well as praying for the health and welfare of Pope Francis at this time of illness, we should also remember his published prayer intention for the month of March 2025 :

*Let us pray that broken families might discover the cure for their wounds through forgiveness and rediscovering each other's gifts, even in their differences.*

## **INDULGENCE FOR 2025 JUBILEE YEAR “PILGRIMS OF HOPE”**

A list of events in the Archdiocese throughout the current Jubilee Year has been posted on the church notice board, likewise a list of our Jubilee churches (the closest to here is the Metropolitan Cathedral). Those who take part in the Jubilee by visiting one of the designated churches, while participating in Mass, Eucharistic Adoration or other spiritual exercises, can receive a **plenary indulgence**. This means that we *can obtain the remission of temporal punishment resulting from sin for ourselves and also for the souls in Purgatory* (Catechism of the Catholic Church no. 1498). The Jubilee Indulgence is granted on the usual three conditions of Confession, reception of Holy Communion, and prayer for the Pope's intentions. It can be received more than once during the year : even once a day in theory, and twice if applied to the Faithful Departed on the second occasion.









