

PARISH OF BLESSED EDMUND SYKES  
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4th SUNDAY OF LENT (YR. B)  
15th MARCH 2015  
*Welcome to our Parish Celebration of the Holy Eucharist*



**SUNDAY MASSES**

**Saturday** St. Nicholas 6.00pm Phil Mone  
**Sunday** St. Nicholas 9.30am Mimi Russo  
Our Lady's 11.00am The People of the Parish  
Retiring collection for Catholic Care

**DURING THE WEEK**

**Monday** St. Nicholas 9.00am Nancy Power  
**Tuesday** Our Lady's 9.00am Michael Gaughan  
St. Anne's Cathedral 7.00pm William Newman  
Feast of St. Patrick  
**Wednesday** St. Nicholas 9.00am Donor's Intention  
**Thursday** Our Lady's 9.00am Mgr. Canon F. Robinson  
Feast of St. Joseph - Spouse of Our Lady  
**Friday** St. Nicholas 8.30am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament  
9.00am Special Intention  
Our Lady's 1.00pm Requiem Christine Weir RIP  
**St. Nicholas 7.00pm Stations of the Cross**  
**Saturday** Our Lady's 10am-11am Exposition of the  
Blessed Sacrament followed by Mass.  
St. Nicholas Confessions: 5.15 to 5.30pm  
**Vigil** St. Nicholas 6.00pm Sarah May McGuigan

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION LAST WEEK**

St. Nicholas & Our Lady's £965.28  
Thank you for your generosity

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEXT WEEKEND**

6.00pm S. Fitzsimmons, J. Heal  
9.30am M. Coolican, T. Burton, S. Gibbons  
11.00am M. O'Toole, M. Carry, B. Smith

**READERS NEXT WEEKEND**

6.00pm M. Evans  
9.30am J. Putsman  
11.00am E. Coates, C. Healey

**ST. NICHOLAS LOURDES FUND COFFEE EVENT THIS WEEKEND** - Tombola, Raffle etc. Please come and join us after Mass for a coffee or tea and a chat.

**TODAY - SUNDAY** - St. Patrick's Day Parade starting 10.45am in Millennium Square, returning approx 1 hour later where there will be stalls. Irish Dancing, music and also food.



**ADVANCE NOTICE OF EASTER CEREMONIES**

**MAUNDY (HOLY) THURSDAY** - Our Lady's 8.00pm Mass of the Lord's Supper  
Symbolism of Washing - Procession to the Altar of Repose - Watching for 1 hour.

**GOOD FRIDAY - A DAY OF FAST & ABSTINENCE**

St. Nicholas - 10.00am Morning Prayer. 3.00pm Solemn Liturgy of Good Friday. 7.00pm Stations of the Cross

**HOLY SATURDAY** - St. Nicholas - Confessions 11.00am to 12 noon St. Nicholas 7.00pm **EASTER VIGIL**.

**READERS & EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS** - Thank you for your Ministry, you are making a valuable contribution and I appreciate it. But please note there is no need to genuflect or bow when you approach or leave the sanctuary. Also could Readers try to be at the lectern for the end of the Collect prayer, this will help with the flow of the Liturgy. Thank you again for your time and your ministry.

**GIPTON CHURCHES TOGETHER** - Lent Lunch Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March 12.30pm at St. Nicholas. **Good Friday Walk of Witness** starting from the Coop Shop on Oakwood Lane at 12 noon. Please join us. See photo's of previous year in foyer.

**CHURCHES TOGETHER SEACROFT** - Lenten Programme Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> March 2.30-3.30pm Seacroft Methodist Church and 7.30pm - 9.00pm Our Lady's - Theme: Politics of Poverty - St. Vincent de Paul Society.

**PENITENTIAL SERVICE** In St. Nicholas Tuesday 31<sup>st</sup> March from 7pm to 8pm with Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.

**ST. PATRICK'S DAY MASS** - Will be celebrated at 7.00pm in St. Anne's Cathedral.

**MASS INTENTIONS RECEIVED THIS WEEK** - **Lately Dead:** William Newman **Anniversaries:** Martin Hughes. Mimi Russo, Madge & Tom Nicholson, Michael Gaughan, **Also for:** Donor's Intention (2).

**300 CLUB** - £20 73 A. Halliday: £10 347 Shevlin: £5 36 F. Benson: £5 217 C. Hyland.

**WE WISH ALL OUR MOTHERS A VERY HAPPY MOTHERS DAY**

Thought for the week  
There is one road which reaches God, and that is prayer;  
if anyone shows you another, you are being deceived.

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