

## ST JOHN WALL

Saint John Wall was born near Preston in Lancashire in the year 1620.

When old enough to leave home he was sent to the famous Seminary at Douai where he studied Humanities until the year 1641. He then went to Rome where he studied for the priesthood. He was ordained in 1645.

In 1651 he became a Franciscan (called Father Joachim of St. Anne) and returned to England in 1656 to spend 23 years in missionary work: 12 of these were spent in the neighbourhood of Harvington Hall.

It was at Rushock Court, not very far from Harvington, that Saint John Wall was captured in 1679 and taken before a Justice of the Peace where he made a public profession of his religion and also swore loyalty to the King. All to no avail as he was taken to Worcester where he faced trial. On the 22nd August he was executed by being hung, drawn, and quartered.

He died in his 60th year and the 29th year of his Priesthood. He was canonized on the 15th December 1970 by Pope Paul VI

and his Feast Day is celebrated in the Birmingham Diocese on the 23rd August. The large crucifix in our churchyard here at Harvington is dedicated to his memory.

<http://www.sjw.bham.sch.uk/index.php/catholic-life/sjw>

### **ESSENTIAL PARISH INFORMATION:**

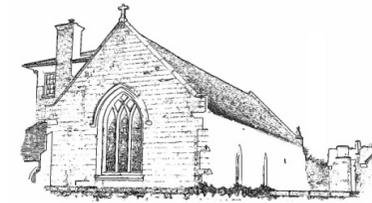
**EMERGENCY EXIT:** This is via the sacristy and through the house

**GIFT AID:** Miss A Costanzo

**SAFEGUARDING:** Mrs J Lloyd

**HEALTH & SAFETY OFFICER:** Mr M Dawson

## ST MARY'S CHURCH HARVINGTON, DY10 4LR



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The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham

### **Times of Holy Mass and Intentions (YEAR B Readings)**

#### **Sunday 19 August**

8.30 am -  
10.30 am -

#### **Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Stan Robson R.I.P.  
For the People of The Parish

#### **Monday 20 August**

8.30 am -

#### **Memorial of St Bernard, Abbot, Doctor of the Church**

Kath Lahive's thanksgiving intention

#### **Tuesday 21 August**

8.30 am -

#### **Memorial of St Pius X, Pope**

Anthony Francis-Flores R.I.P.

#### **Wednesday 22 August**

8.30 am -  
9.00 am -

#### **Memorial of the Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

Doreen Millard R.I.P.  
#Discussion Group (at the home of James Arbuthnott  
Stone House, Stone. DY10 4BG)

#### **Thursday 23 August**

\*7.00 pm -

(In The Great Chapel inside Harvington Hall)

\* Please note a change of time and venue for this week only

#### **Feast of St John Wall, Martyr**

Monica Brookes R.I.P.

#### **Friday 24 August**

11.30 am -

#### **Feast of St Bartholomew, Apostle**

Maria Oakes R.I.P.

#### **Saturday 25 August**

10.00 am -

#### **Feria in Ordinary Time**

Private Intentions of the Birmingham Catholic Primary  
Partnerships

(At Harvington Hall in the Georgian Chapel)

#### **Sunday 26 August**

8.30 am -  
10.30 am -

#### **Twenty-first Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Private Intention  
For the People of The Parish

**Anniversaries in August:** Rev George Bishop (1768), Rev John Corne (1816), William Trafford (1829), Thomas Parkes (1872), Leo Herraty (1964), Elizabeth Grant (1987), Janet Arbuthnott (1989), Denis Grant (1990), Bunny Keenan (1995), Armando Agaran (2003), Joan Troy (2003), Barbara Mary Campbell (2012), Hilda Willetts (2017), Wendy Packwood (2017)

**Prayers for Sick:**

James Arbutnott, Paul Hoban, Anthony Mitchell, Veronica Mitchell, Jeannie Morrison, Maureen Ribbins,

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 If your name or the name of a friend or relative of yours has, until recently appeared on the parish list of prayers for those who are sick, and you would like that name to remain on the list, would you **please complete a consent form (to be found on the table in the porch and the notice board)** and either hand it to Fr John, post through his front door or send by mail. We need to make sure that you or your friend or family member have consented to their name being published on that list. This is because the list can be seen by a lot of people as it is put up on the noticeboard at the back of church, is available for anyone to pick up in church and is also published on the internet through the parish website. From now onwards the written list will only mention the names of all for whom the parish have consent. This is necessary to make sure the church takes proper care of your information and complies with current data protection law. There are also blank letters available (on the notice board and the table) to offer to anyone who may want prayers, visits or any other support from the parish whilst they are not well.

**Eucharistic Ministers:**

**Sunday 19 August** Greg Kelly, Paul Walmsley  
 John Charuk, Steve McWalter  
**Sunday 26 August** Stephen Fox, Helen Raphael  
 Jean Lloyd, Mary Meese

**Readers:**

**Sunday 19 August** Anne Carter  
 Marie Rochford  
**Sunday 26 August** Pat Van Zyl  
 Frances Rimmer

**Church Cleaners:**

**Friday 24 August** Anne Quinn & Pauline Teare  
**Friday 31 August** Teresa & Greg Oakley

**Money Counters:**

**For the 19 August collection** Mr & Mrs S Brown  
**For the 26 August collection** Mr & Mrs T Greenfield

**Contributions to the Parish:**

**Weekly Offertory taken on Sunday 12 August**

Gift Aid Direct Debits £259.00  
 Gift Aid Envelopes £223.00  
 Loose cash £186.19

**THE ANNUAL DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO HARVINGTON** will take

place here on **Sunday 2 September**. We are the hosts of this important event and it is the privilege of our parish community to offer our visitors hospitality and a generous welcome to Harvington. Before during and after the event various services are required such as erecting gazebos, setting out chairs, help directing cars in the car park, making and serving sandwiches, cakes and teas etc. Please see the lists in the porch and sign up to volunteer so that we may once again provide pilgrims with a meaningful and happy experience.



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 The **FRIENDS OF THE HOLY LAND** are holding their annual National Gathering at the Parish Centre, St Francis of Assisi, Kenilworth CV8 1HL on Saturday 22nd September commencing with Coffee at 10 am. The purpose of the day is to bring supporters of the FHL up to date with its activities in the Holy Land and its plans for the future. This year Sami El Yousef, CEO of the Latin Patriarchate based in Jerusalem, will be the keynote speaker to talk about his vision for Christians living in the Holy Land. All are welcome to attend which includes a buffet lunch and refreshments - all absolutely free. Please see the information on the notice board in the Stable. Further information is available from Jim and Ann Quinn or Stephen and Gail Brown. Contact [www.friendsoftheholylan.org.uk](http://www.friendsoftheholylan.org.uk) to register or call telephone the FHL Office on 01926 512980.

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 Please see the 'thank you card' poster on the porch notice board sent by Denise Carson Treasurer of the **KIDDERMINSTER FOODBANK**. She thanks us most sincerely for the magnificent £355 and 203.5 kgs of goods donated by parishioners earlier this month. (Our next collection will be on Sunday 9 September.)

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**THE HARVINGTON CRAFT GUILD** are meeting on **Tuesday 21 August** at 7 o'clock in the stable. Please bring your sewing kit.

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**CATHOLIC 2019 DIARIES** are now available from the repository, £2.99 each.

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**HAGLEY CATHOLIC HIGH SCHOOL PTA** are in need of a parent or grandparent associated with the school to act as Secretary to the committee. Please see the letter on the porch noticeboard for further details.

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**ARCHBISHOP BERNARD LONGLEY** has commissioned a review of our current safeguarding/child protection practices in light of the National Catholic Policies and Procedures. This review is to be welcomed as a means of ensuring that our systems to protect our children and young people are as effective as possible. This review is being conducted by an independent charity called **SCIE** (Social Care Institute for Excellence). As part of the review, SCIE would like to speak with any individuals who have had experience with any safeguarding issues within the Archdiocese, and have experience of working with our parish safeguarding representatives and the safeguarding team at the Archdiocese. Anyone who is impacted by abuse issues can contact the safeguarding team on 0121 230 6240 (emergency out of hours 07976 516629). If you are able to contribute to this important review and share your experiences with SCIE then please contact Hugh Constant (Hugh.Constant@scie.org.uk or 020 7766 7374 or 07872 602207).