

Readings for the 5th Sunday in Ordinary Time year B Psalter week 1

Entrance antiphon

O come, let us worship God and bow low before the God who made us, for he is the Lord our God.

1st reading

Job 7: 1-4, 6-7.

Response

Praise the Lord who heals the broken-hearted

2nd reading

1 Corinthians 9: 16-19, 22-23.

Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia! I am the light of the world, says the Lord, anyone who follows me will have the light of life. Alleluia!

Gospel

Mark 1: 29-39.

Communion antiphon

Let them thank the Lord for his mercy, his wonders for the children of men, for he satisfies the thirsty soul, and the hungry he fills with good things.

Readings for the 6th Sunday in Ordinary Time year B Psalter week 2

1st reading Leviticus 13: 1-2, 44-46. *2nd reading* 1 Corinthians 10: 31 – 11:1.

... the recently deceased ... Mary Mulrenan and Frank Hughes.

... anniversaries ... Nicola Nevin, Willie Fahy, Mary Diskin and all whose anniversaries occur about now.



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2012
Sunday 5th February
5th Sunday of the Year



**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE SICK AND
THOSE WHO CARE FOR THEM – Saturday 11th February**

O God, your Son accepted our sufferings to teach us the virtue of patience in human illness. Hear the prayers we offer for our sick brothers and sisters. May all who suffer pain, illness or disease realise that they are chosen to be saints, and know that they are joined to Christ in his suffering for the salvation of the world, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, for ever and ever. Amen

(Daily Word of Life Favourite Catholic Prayers – online)

Masses	February 2011	Events
5.30 Nicola Nevin 9.00 People of the Parish 11.00 Willie Fahy 5.30 Eileen Edginton	Sunday 5 5th Sunday of the Year	2nd collection – Catholic Education Service 10am SVP Meeting 4.30pm – Senior Youth Meeting-Traidcraft 6.15 – 7.30 Youth Club (5-7)
9.00 Rosary 9.15 Sick Person (JM) Special Intention	Monday 6 St Paul Miki & Companions	9.30 -11 Parents & Toddlers 7.00 Legion of Mary 7.00 SAC 7pm RCIA / Journey in Faith
9.00 Rosary 9.15 In Thanksgiving (JG)	Tuesday 7	7.00 Bible Study Meeting
9.00 Rosary 9.15 Fr. Gregory Winterton	Wednesday 8 St Jerome Emiliani St Josephine Bakhita	9.30 -11 Parents & Toddlers Cleaners group 2 6 – 7.30 SAB Brownies
9.00 Rosary 9.15 Maurice, Bridget & John Goggin & Moira Saville Special Intention	Thursday 9	
5.15 – 6.45 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament 6.45 Evening Prayer 7.00 William Jones Lawrence Travers	Friday 10 St Scholastica	Altar Servers group 2
9.15 Special Intention 5.30 People of the Parish 6.15 Sacr of Reconciliation (Confession)	Saturday 11 Our Lady of Lourdes	World Day of Prayer for the Sick and those who care for them
9.00 Luigia Maraldo 11.00 Denis Ponsonby 5.30 Private Intention	Sunday 12 6th Sunday of the Year	

CATHOLIC PAPERS are on sale in the porch.

COFFEE AND TEA All parishioners and visitors are welcome to the hall after the Sunday morning Masses for a cup of tea or coffee.



St Ambrose Barlow notice board



CATHOLIC EDUCATION SUNDAY

We pray for and give thanks for the Lord's fellow workers in the field of Catholic Education. We recognise that our schools and colleges are not merely places of secular learning, they share in the divine mission of helping all to arrive at the fullness of Christian life and are one of the principal ways in which the Church places herself at the service of society. This weekend there will be the annual collection for the Catholic Education Service.



DATES FOR DIARY

22nd February - Ash Wednesday

8th March - Confirmation, please pray for the children to be confirmed.

LENTEN COURSE - "THE WAY TO FREEDOM"

Starting week beginning 27th February - group leaders and hosts needed. See notice board.



BIRMINGHAM DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

2nd - 8th June, if you are interested please sign the sheet on the notice board.

BIRMINGHAM DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO THE HOLY LAND

18th - 27th October, for details see notice board.

SVP MEETING

The next SVP meeting is on Sunday 5th February at 10am.

TRAIIDCRAFT

Senior Youth Meeting Sunday 5th February at 4.30p.m; to order the next supplies for the Traidcraft weekend.

EPIC YOUTH PRESENTS YOUNG PEOPLES SHOWCASE AND AWARDS

CELEBRATION

Wednesday 29th February at 7pm at the Solihull Art Complex, Library Theatre, Homer Road. For details please see notice board.

WORLD YOUTH DAY

July 2013 Rio de Janeiro ages 18-35. To find out more there will be a meeting at St. Chad's Masterson Room at 7.30pm on the 7th February.



See notice board or www.bcys.co.uk

FLAME CONGRESS

Wembley Arena 24th March 2012, an exciting day event for young people.

An opportunity for young people to gather and celebrate faith, inspired by the witness of those from within the world of sport alongside other exceptional speakers. For more information visit the website cymfed.org/flame2012 and follow us on [twitter@FlameCongress](https://twitter.com/FlameCongress) and facebook.com/FlameCongress.