

## + English Martyrs Catholic Parish, Hillmorton +

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Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time B – 4th February 2018

### Mass Times and Intentions at English Martyrs

Sat:	Feb	03 <sup>rd</sup>	6.30 pm	MP	James Logan RIP
Sun:	Feb	04 <sup>th</sup>	11.00 am	GM	Annette & Danny Fadian RIP
Tues:	Feb	06 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am		No Mass
Thurs:	Feb	08 <sup>th</sup>	9.15 am	MP	William Tevlin RIP
Sat:	Feb	10 <sup>th</sup>	6.30 pm	MP	Paulina & Ernie Wells RIP
Sun:	Feb	11 <sup>th</sup>	11.00 am	MP	James Logan RIP

**Confessions: Saturday 6.00-6.20 pm.**

**Last week's collection:** £ 339    Racial Justice £163 Thank you.

**Retiring collection today for the work of LIFE. Life is a charity offering positive services and help to women facing crisis pregnancies and abortion . Your donation will support their work in our diocese**

### Introduction to the Liturgy of the Day

In less than two weeks Lent begins, calling us to prayer, fasting, and almsgiving, ways in which we will express our love for God and free ourselves for more selfless service to our neighbour. Today we continue hearing about the first days Jesus spent with his disciples, healing those who are ill or possessed by demons. When he cures Simon Peter's mother-in-law, she immediately rises and serves her guests. She may not realize it, but she is providing an example to her son-in-law and his companions. She is showing what it means to be a disciple of Jesus. The call to be Jesus' disciple is the call to serve.

**BAPTISM DURING MORNING MASS;** During Mass we will be baptising Chloe Morgan. We welcome her family and guests today. We are delighted to welcome her into the family of the parish of English Martyrs.

**NEXT SUNDAY:** Class 5 from English Martyrs School will be leading the Parish Mass.

**LENT RETREAT DAY :** The diocesan justice and peace commission have organised a retreat day at St Pula's Convent Selly Park Birmingham on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> February 10am-4pm. See the notice board or ask Fr Gerry.

**EM PARISH WEBSITE ;** We have a new parish website with details of services and other parish matters and news. It is at [www.englishmartyrsrugby.org](http://www.englishmartyrsrugby.org)

**HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY-** it is helpful if you can let us know of anyone who is in Hospital in Coventry, Rugby or Nuneaton. We can arrange for the Hospital Chaplain to visit them. If you are going into hospital for an operation you can ask your parish clergy for the anointing of the sick before you go in.

