

# SAINT JOHN FISHER PARISH

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**Today We Celebrate Corpus Christi:** Cycle A: P. 477 (new), 821 (other new!), 363 (old)

**Responsorial Psalm:** O praise the Lord, Jerusalem!

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia!

I am the living bread which has come down from heaven, says the Lord.

Anyone who eats this bread will live for ever.

Alleluia, alleluia!

**The celebrations of Mass and Mass intentions for the coming week:**

Sat 17 <sup>th</sup> June	6.30 pm	Teresa Grant: Eamon Gorman: Maurice Joyce
Sun 18 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30 am	Douglas & Vilma Duffield: Dec'd Billane & McCormack families
	11.30 am	May & John O'Loughlin: Michael McFall
Mon 19 <sup>th</sup> June	9.00 am	Nilanon Echon: Pat Cahill
Tues 20 <sup>th</sup> June	9.00 am	Spec Int (Corrine O'Loughlin): Spec Int (May Sweeney & Evie)
Wed 21 <sup>st</sup> June		<b>Memorial of St Aloysius Gonzaga</b>
	9.00 am	Spec Int (Gerry O'Reilly): Benny Corcoran
	7.00 pm	<b>St John Fisher Confirmation Mass – with Bishop Kenney</b>
		Ints of Maria Scott: Ints of Nora & Gerard Griffith
Thur 22 <sup>nd</sup> June		<b>Feast of St John Fisher and St Thomas More</b>
	9.15 am	<b>School Mass – SJF First Communion celebration</b>
		Tom Duignon: Ints of Jeremiah & Agnes Nolan
Fri 23 <sup>rd</sup> June		<b>Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus</b>
	9.00 am	Carol McCarron: Spec Int (Sr Anna)
Sat 24 <sup>th</sup> June		<b>Solemnity of the Nativity of St John the Baptist</b>
	10.00 am	Joseph Greer: Paddy Mills
	6.30 pm	Bernadette, Margaret, Ann & Thomas Lyons: Spec Int Maria Scott)
Sun 25 <sup>th</sup> June		<b>12<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>
	9.30 am	Cecilia Hanna: Pat Hastings: Annie Dunnion
	11.30 am	<b>St John Fisher Confirmation Mass - with Bishop Kenney</b>
		Charlie McAnespie: Annie Healy: Thanksgiving (Dorothy): Thanksgiving (John Alfonso)

Second Collection  
today  
for  
The Day of Life

Second Collection  
next week  
for  
Peter's Pence

Date	Time	Reader	Eucharistic Minister
17 <sup>th</sup> June	6.30 pm	David, Christine	Maureen Steedman, Rose Trill, Chris Grimes
18 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30am 11.30am	Francis Pace, Denise Casey Bernadette Norman, Chris Edge	Adrienne Pilbin, Mary Malone, Carmel Murray Alan Drakeford, Sarah Shearer, Anne Cable-Barnard
24 <sup>th</sup> June	6.30 pm	James Carroll, John Wells	Frank Byrne, Victoria Alfonso, Dennis Cremins
25 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30am 11.30am	Ngozi Okafor, Luise Inens Lucy Shearer, Gemma Shearer	Brid Conmy, Luise Ivens, Tony Wilson Cath McAnenny, Lynda Wells, Bernadette Norman

**Exposition & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament**  
Tuesday:  
8.30am – 10am  
**Sacrament of Reconciliation**  
Sat: 9.30-9.50am  
& 6.00-6.20pm

**Prayers have been requested for the sick of our parish community:**

Jackie Barry, Jackie McDonnell, Elaine McDougall, Kristian Metcalfe, Thomas Monaghan, Nicola Coyle, Frank McCann, Christopher, Karen Cave, Steven Kennedy, Mindi Devi, David Tuson, Liam Cullinane, Megan-Jane Smith, Cynthia Goddard, William Kennedy, Mary Bradley, Christopher Browne, Sharon Lally, Margaret Buckley, Mary Simpkins, Mary Cremins, Patricia and Marc Mulqueen-Wood, Elizabeth Calvert, Bailly Hill, Janet Foster, Eileen McHugh, Dot Breeze, Bernadette Norman, Mary McKeown, Cathy O'Toole, Mason Lee, Christopher Browne, Brian Haworth, Victoria Jewel (Breeze), Kirsty Coyle, Gerry Mullery, Roderick Lomas, Sarah Reynolds, Isla Gibbs, Jane Marron, Marian Tuson, Eileen Cassidy, Lawrence O'Brien, Caolan, Liam Connolly, Garry Hole, Bridget Robinson, Michael Ward, Derek Coyle, Michael Foster, Bethany Windmill, Khalid Adams, Sinead Hart, Eddie Bennett, Steve Winfield, Robin Sarin, Sheila Sedgeley, Iain Connell, Bill Hamilton, Adele Callinan, Rita Lynch, John McCann, Sarah McCallum, Billy Grant, Laura Somers, Maraid George, John Delaney, Hugh McAteer, Martin Kavanagh, Teresa Lilley, John Dorrington, Sally McCormack, Tracey Lilley, Tom McGrath, Mark Coyle, Ann McAnespie, Chris Horton, Jackie MacManus. Karen Pattison

**Lamp Lit at Sacred Heart Shrine**

This week for the Dec'd McClurg family

Next week for the Ints of Anne & Larry

**Lamp Lit at St Anthony's Shrine**

This week for Joan & Adam (anniversary.)

Next week for the Ints of Maria Scott

**Lamp Lit at Our Lady's Shrine**

This week for the Ints of Josie McFall

Next week for the Ints of Nora & Helen

**Lamp Lit at St Joseph's Shrine**

This week for the Ints of Martha Campbell

Next week for the Ints of Rita Lynch

**Candles Lit at Shrines available in June**  
Candles cost  
£3.50

**Last Week's Collection:** £1305.55 Thank you very much.

**Tote Result:** 11<sup>th</sup> June Nos 22 and 39 Congratulations to the winners, E Marron and W Newsome

**Please pray for the repose of the souls of those who have died recently** especially Lucy Filipiuk, Eamon Finlan and John (Jack) Thomas. Lucy's Funeral will take place at St Stanislaw Kostka Church on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> June at noon. *May their souls...*

## NOTICES AND DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**DAY FOR LIFE:** Each year the Day for Life provides an opportunity to reflect on the dignity of every human person, both young and old, and to pray for and support all life from conception to birth. We pray for all who have lost a child and for women anxious about their pregnancies. The second collection today provides funds for projects seeking to care for life at every stage and in every condition.

### Confirmation Masses

*We welcome Bishop William Kenney to our Parish as he confirms our pupils from both schools.*

Wed 21st June @ 7.00pm - St John Fisher

Sun 25th June @ **11.30pm** - St John Fisher

Sun 2nd July @ 11.30am - St Gregory's

Please pray for Bishop Kenney and for all those who will be confirmed in the next weeks.

### St Vincent de Paul.

(A charity helping local people & their needs)

### Monday night "BINGO"

This will continue on "**MONDAY 19<sup>th</sup> JUNE**"

( and last one will be on 26<sup>th</sup>.)

in St John Fisher Parish Centre -

7.30pm "eyes down"

Finishing at 9pm. - Everyone welcome.

### IMPORTANT THIS WEEK

- **On Thursday:** after the St John Fisher Feast Day Mass ( with pupils from St John Fisher DSchool who are also celebrating their 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communions), we will **prepare for Friday.** Tickets will need to put on bottles, the Gift Tombola requires sorting and the Spin the Wheel has to be prepared. **ALL HELP GRATEFULLY RECEIVED.**
- **ALTAR SERVERS:** There will be **three** celebrations of Confirmation
  - Wed 21<sup>st</sup> @ 7pm – **practice at 6.40 pm**
  - Sun 25<sup>th</sup> @ 11.30 am – **practice @ 11 am**
  - Sun 2<sup>nd</sup> July @ 11.30 am – **practice @ 11 am**

**OSCOTT STUDENT** Rob Carey is preparing for his ordination as a deacon on June 24<sup>th</sup>. As part of his training, and in preparation for his ordination as a priest, he will be joining us here for a month beginning on June 26<sup>th</sup>. I know you will make him welcome and very much at home here at St John Fisher. I ask for your prayers for him as he prepares for his ordination as a priest next year.

### CONFIRMATION FOR CHILDREN IN NON-CATHOLIC SCHOOLS

– Final Class will be on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June @ 9 am

### LIFE & SPUC JOINT PETITION

Please sign the petition in the porch to strip Marie Stopes of its license.

### FREE HEALTHY COOKING COURSE:

St John Fisher School.

Every Monday 1.15 – 3.15 pm

Mon 5<sup>th</sup> June – Mon 17<sup>th</sup> July. Contact School. 76 443333.

### PIONEER REGIONAL COMMITTEE: FEAST OF SACRED

HEART ANNUAL MASS: Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> June @ 7pm at St John

Vianney Church CV5 7GX. All welcome.

### Used Stamps for Myton Hospice and Items for

COVENTRY FOODBANK : Any donations gratefully received.

**CELEBRATE BIRMINGHAM** St Mary's College, Oscott will be hosting a weekend charismatic family conference 'Celebrate Birmingham' on 1<sup>st</sup> – 2<sup>nd</sup> July. The theme will be 'Seek First His Kingdom'. For details, events and prices, please see

[www.celebrateconference.org](http://www.celebrateconference.org),

email [birmingham@celebrateconference.org](mailto:birmingham@celebrateconference.org) or call 01564

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## SUMMER FESTIVAL

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### CHALLENGE NIGHT

Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

**St John Fisher School & St Gregory's School**

**Gates open @ 6 pm**

**Refreshments, Bar, changing facilities - Parish Centre**

6.15 pm Netball & Football Challenges – children

7.10 pm Netball & Football **Friendly Fun** –adults

**On school Fields til 8 pm:**

Spin the Wheel - Tombola - Face painting –  
Stalls - Bouncy Castle

FREE  
ENTRANCE

**From 8 pm onwards**



**Ceilidh + Barn Dance**

(led by Mick Bisiker and his Band)

in Parish Centre

All  
Welcome

- The Summer Festival is a free evening in which we hope to raise funds for both of our schools and for local charities such as the Catholic Fellowship and for the SVP – in which both of our School Councils are heavily involved.
- If you can come along, it would be great to see you!
- If you can donate any bottles, cakes, groceries, teddies etc they will be gratefully received at either school or at the Presbytery

### Pastoral Care of the Sick & House Bound

Fr Paul Birch is the Hospital Chaplain. If you, or someone you know from the Parish, is in hospital and would like him to visit them, please see me. As ever, if you would like to arrange Holy Communion at home for a sick person, please see one of the clergy or contact us on 76443459.

The family of Sally (Wyatt) MacCormack have asked for our prayers as she has moved to St Joseph's Care Home in Coleshill.

### PILGRIMAGE AFTERNOON at MARYVALE

There will be an open air Mass and Procession of the Blessed Sacrament in honour of the Sacred Heart @ 3pm on Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> June.

This follows a week of Masses, Sermons and Novenas each evening from 15<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> June @ 8pm .

For details, please call Maryvale House on 0121 360 8118

### PRINCETHORPE COLLEGE VACANCIES

A Database Assistant and an Archivist are required at Princethorpe College. Details can be found at [www.princethorpe.co.uk/employment-opportunities](http://www.princethorpe.co.uk/employment-opportunities)

### LIGHT RELECTION

Jesus, Moses, and an old man go golfing. The first one to tee off is Moses. He smashes the ball and it is heading right for the water hazard before the green. Moses raises his club, the water parts, and the ball makes it to the green. Jesus gets up to swing, cranks it out, and it is headed for the water hazard. Jesus closes his eyes and prays. The ball skips across the water and lands on the green two feet from the hole. The old man's turn comes and he drives the ball. The ball looks like it is going to drop directly into the water. A fish jumps from the water hazard swallowing the ball, as an eagle drops from the sky, grabbing the fish. As the eagle flies over the green, a bolt of lightning strikes the eagle, making it drop the fish. As the fish hits the green, it spits out the ball and the ball falls into the hole, making a hole in one. Jesus looks at Moses and says, "I really think I'm leaving Dad at home next time!"

God Bless!