

# University of Warwick Chaplaincy

## Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

10<sup>th</sup> June, 2018

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This week we shall have Mass here in the Chaplaincy on Thursday and Friday at 12.30 pm as usual. I hope to be in the Chaplaincy on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday if you want to see me, or I should also be happy to see you at St. Joseph's if you want a chat or would like to celebrate the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession).

*(Mass times this week, at St. Joseph's unless otherwise stated)*

Sunday, 10 <sup>th</sup> June <b>Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	9.00 am 11.00 am 12.30 pm (University Chaplaincy) 5.00 pm	<i>For the health and blessing of the Kuncewicz Family Intentions of the Ordinariate The People of the Parish Adrian Spencer</i>
Monday, 11 <sup>th</sup> June <i>Memorial of St. Barnabas, Apostle</i>	10.00 am 7.00 pm	<i>John Paul Cassidy RIP Fr. Paul's Intentions</i>
Tuesday, 12 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>No Mass Today</b>	
Wednesday, 13 <sup>th</sup> June <i>Mem. of St. Anthony of Padua, Priest &amp; Doctor of the Church</i>	10.00 am	<i>Archbishop Bernard Longley (intentions)</i>
Thursday, 14 <sup>th</sup> June	10.00 am 12.30 pm (University Chaplaincy) 7.00 pm	<i>Elizabeth Conry RIP Private Intention Fr. Paul's Intentions</i>
Friday, 15 <sup>th</sup> June	10.00 am 12.30 pm (University Chaplaincy)	<i>Trea Blaney Private Intention</i>
Saturday, 16 <sup>th</sup> June <i>Op. Mem. of St. Richard of Chichester, Bishop</i>	<b>No Mass Today</b>	
Sunday, 17 <sup>th</sup> June <b>Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> <i>Day for Life</i>	9.00 am 11.00 am 12.30 pm (University Chaplaincy) 5.00 pm	<i>Fr. Michael Jordan RIP Intentions of the Ordinariate Private Intention The People of the Parish</i>

**Welcome to our celebration of Mass today.**

**At last (or so it seems) we have returned to the "Ordinary Time" of the year. We hear the wonderful news that Jesus has come to defeat the powers of evil and death.**

*Sacred Heart of Jesus, Seat of Divine Wisdom, enlighten us!*

*Our Lady of Good Counsel, pray for us!*

*St Thomas Aquinas and St. Aloysius Gonzaga, patrons of students, pray for us!*

*St Joseph of Cupertino, patron of those taking exams, pray for us!*

**A big thank you to everyone who helped last week with the arrangements around Fr. Michael's reception on Sunday evening and his funeral on Monday. Several visitors commented to me how much they appreciated the welcome they received, as well as the music and everything connected with the services. Well done to everyone, and thank you!**

**Mass next Saturday.** I am sorry but both Fr. Paul and I have to be elsewhere next Saturday and therefore there will be no Mass or Confessions at St. Joseph's that morning.

### Prayer Before Mass

God our Father, you sent Jesus, our High Priest, to redeem us and you willed that His saving work should continue through the ministry of priests. Enlighten us to celebrate this Sunday Mass with our priest, so that, empowered by the Word of life and the Eucharist, we may be strengthened by the Holy Spirit to live to the full our Christian calling. We ask this through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

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[www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk/sjtw](http://www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk/sjtw)

[www.cathsocwarwick.wordpress.com](http://www.cathsocwarwick.wordpress.com)

[www.coventryordinariate.co.uk](http://www.coventryordinariate.co.uk)

### **CathSoc end of the year social**

On the 18th of June, there will be potluck and boarding games social meeting in the chaplaincy at 7:30 pm. Bring a friend, food contribution and good mood! Let's celebrate all that hard work we did throughout the year.

**Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine**, Ireland, 10<sup>th</sup> September 2018. £599.00 per person sharing. Price includes flight from Liverpool or Birmingham with 10kg hand luggage, all taxes, luxury transfers, 4 nights' in Knock House Hotel with full Irish Breakfast and 4 Course Dinner. All entertainment, excursions and guided tours included. Limited single rooms at supplement of £100. Groups and Individual bookings welcome. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or [knockpilgrimages@gmail.com](mailto:knockpilgrimages@gmail.com). Knock Pilgrimages is a member of the Travel Trust Association and is fully protected by ATOL T7613.

**Next Sunday will be Day for Life 2018: Modern Slavery and Human Trafficking.** Day for Life is celebrated yearly by the Catholic Church in Ireland, Scotland, and England and Wales. It is a day dedicated to raising awareness about the meaning and value of human life at every stage and in every condition. This year we shall remember all those who are suffering or have survived human trafficking and modern slavery.

**Priestly Ordination.** Please pray for Deacon Timothy Boniwell of the Ordinariate community. He is due to be ordained a priest, along with 7 others, by the Archbishop at the Birmingham Oratory on Saturday, 30<sup>th</sup> June, and he will celebrate his first Mass at St. Joseph's at 11.00am on Sunday, 1<sup>st</sup> July.

**Brightlights 2018 - Holy Daring.** Calling all young Catholics! Bookings are now being taken for this year's summer festival at Alton Castle in the Staffordshire Moorlands. The Brightlights Festival has been bringing together Catholic young adults for over 20 years - to celebrate their faith, learn more and delve deeper into the Gospel, listen to great speakers, take part in insightful workshops and spend time together encountering the Sacraments. Faith and prayer, music and dancing, fun and games. For more visit [www.brightlights.org.uk](http://www.brightlights.org.uk).

**Young Adult Retreat, with Redemptorist Youth Ministry, 29<sup>th</sup> June-1<sup>st</sup> July.** Cost £150 (discounts available for students and the unwaged). Journey together exploring different aspects of the identity of Jesus, at Perth, Scotland. Ask me for more details.

**Lancaster Diocese Youth Service**, based at Castlerigg Manor, Keswick, are looking for young adults to join their gap-year team this August. This is an opportunity to share your faith with others and develop new skills. [www.castleriggmanor.co.uk](http://www.castleriggmanor.co.uk)

**Eucharistic Congress.** There is still time to join the Eucharistic Congress, 7<sup>th</sup>-9<sup>th</sup> September, in Liverpool. Tickets are £40 per day for Friday and Saturday, with seminars and speakers. Sunday is open to all, with Adoration, Holy Mass and a Blessed Sacrament procession. To book or for further info go to [www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/adoremus](http://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/adoremus).

**"18+ Prayer Group".** There is a new idea to start a prayer group for young people which would meet once each month. It is to offer mutual support on your journey of faith and to develop friendships. The first one will be in St. Joseph's parish hall on Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> June. There will be refreshments from 7.00pm with the meeting at 7.30-8.30pm. All welcome - please tell a friend and bring them along.

**Year For Priests.** The Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus last Friday marked the start of a year of thanksgiving, prayer and celebration for priests. There are cards on the table with information and prayers.

**Westminster Youth Ministry** ask "Are you being called to join us for a year as a Volunteer Missionary?" They offer Community, Ministry, Formation, and Prayer. If you are interested and want more details, please see me.

**Life in the Spirit Prayer Group.** Everyone is welcome. It meets in the parish hall every second and fourth Monday of the month, starting at 7.30pm with prayer and praise, followed by *Lectio Divina* and finish around 8.30pm, followed by tea/coffee and a chat for those who can stay till 9.00pm. The objectives are: **1) Personal growth** using: personal morning Bible study and sharing of insights; the *Examen* at night to review "God incidents or guidance" during the day. **2) Small community growth.** The next meeting will be tomorrow (Monday).

**'Finding God in the mess':** an invitation to the ACTA summer retreat in Birmingham - Ignatian Spirituality with Margaret Holland, chaplain at Newman University, on Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> June, at St Paul's Conference Centre, Selly Park, B'ham B29 7LL, 10.30-4.00. Bring a packed lunch. Mass at 3.15pm. No charge, but donations welcome. To book email Jean: [mjriordan@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:mjriordan@hotmail.co.uk)

**The Golden Jubilee Celebration of the Apostles of Jesus Missionaries:** This year is the 50<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the foundation of the Religious Missionary Institute of the Apostles of Jesus. Some of the Institute serve here in Coventry. Celebrations at St. Osburg's on **11<sup>th</sup> July**.

**University Open Days, Friday, 22<sup>nd</sup> June and Saturday, 23<sup>rd</sup> June.** If there is anyone around to help meet and greet visitors here in the Chaplaincy, 10.00-3.00 or any bit of that each day, I should be grateful for a bit of support and company. Thanks.

**"Celebrate Birmingham"** is a lively, charismatic, Catholic, faith-filled weekend for the whole family at St Mary's College Oscott, on Saturday, 30<sup>th</sup> June, and Sunday, 1st July. There will be inspiring talks, children streams, Masses, Reconciliation, workshops. For info visit [www.celebrateconference.org](http://www.celebrateconference.org); Tel: 01564 772238; or Email [Birmingham@celebrateconference.org](mailto:Birmingham@celebrateconference.org)

**Tailpiece:** A child came into class one day, leaving the door wide open. "Who was born in a barn, then?" asked the teacher. "Jesus, Miss" came the innocent reply.

**If you are taking exams, good luck!  
If you have finished try not to gloat too much.  
May God be with you to bless and help you.  
Fr. Harry**