

St. Joseph the Worker

Second Sunday in Ordinary Time

15th January, 2017



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Sunday, 15 th January Second Sunday in Ordinary Time Peace Sunday	9.00 am 11.00 am 12.30 pm (University Chaplaincy) 5.00 pm	Catherine & Robert Carr (intentions) Intentions of the Ordinariate The People of the Parish Winnie Hastings
Monday, 16 th January	10.00 am 7.00 pm	Faith Walker (Special Intention) Fr. Paul's Intentions
Tuesday, 17 th January Memorial of St. Antony, Abbot	No Mass Today	
Wednesday, 18 th January Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity	6.00 pm	Maureen Opren RIP
Thursday, 19 th January Feast of St. Wulstan, Bishop Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity	10.00 am 12.30 pm (University Chaplaincy) 7.00 pm	Sarah Ann & Joseph Morris RIP Private Intention Fr. Paul's Intentions
Friday, 20 th January Optional Memorials of St. Fabian, or St. Sebastian, Martyrs Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity	10.00 am 12.30 pm (University Chaplaincy)	Mark Langham (get well) Private Intention
Saturday, 21 st January Memorial of St. Agnes, Martyr Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity	10.00 am followed by Exposition 2.00 pm Marriage Service	Tom Magill RIP George Adam Sukoco Sikatan & Natalia Wahyuni Hadiyanti
Sunday, 22 nd January Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Octave of Prayer for Christian Unity	9.00 am 11.00 am 12.30 pm (University Chaplaincy) 5.00 pm	Eddie O'Connell RIP (Anniversary) Intentions of the Ordinariate The People of the Parish Margaret & Tommy Dunne (Wedding Anniv.)

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday, 10.30-11.00 am.

Mass attendance last weekend: 200

Gift Aid secretary: Peter Kennedy, Tel: 76411002.

Last week's collection: £520.89; Gift Aid: £217.50.

Thank you.

Reading Rota	9am	5pm
Today	Peter O'Brien	Wendy Piper
Next Week	Paul Keenan	John Mulvenna

Welcome to St. Joseph's Church

Please pray for all the Sick of the Parish including: Anne and Abie Doherty, Bob Jones, John McKelvie, David Martin, Anne Healy, Patsy Sarayar, Mary Smith, Dave Chimber, Kathleen Gavin, Danny Harrington, Phil Irwin, Kath Kearney, Ann Bullock, Bridget Cherry, Betty Mulvaney, Tom Murray, Eddie Kelly, Tess Skerrett, Alice Horner, Enid Butcher, Ann Kelly, Mari Meadowcroft, David Barnes, Terry Richards, Eleanor Oldham, Eileen Kennedy, Uthaya Swoboda, Gabrielle, Brian McLaughlin, Beryl Poppett, Margaret Dunne, Val O'Leary, Keelin Treharne, Ron Hamilton and Ted Rodgers.

Those who have died. Please pray for **Carol McCarron, Peggy Isdale, Violet Carroll**, and all who have died recently, and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time: Mgr. John Cregg, Canon Matthias (Matt) Corrigan, Frs. Robert Kirby, Benedict O'Gorman, Gerard Peuleve, Cyril Bennett, Archibald (Archie) John Snell, Timothy Dinan, Cecil Keane, Bernard Robertson, C. J. Gregory Winterton, CO, Edward Leicester, CO, Edward Kirner and Deacon Thomas Mark Carter and also Katrina Clifford, Mary McNamee, Mary Kelly, Mary Verdon, Dennis Thorne, James Brouder, Monique Tilson, Angela McKay, Andrew O'Connor, Anne Griffen, Joyce O'Neill, Thomas Clifford, Elizabeth Ford, Bridget Reilly, Margaret Hodson, Margaret Treacy, Cecilia Ferguson and Nora Rowan. Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord. May they rest in peace.

The Sacred Heart Candle is burning this week in Thanksgiving.
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www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk/sjtw

www.cathsocwarwick.wordpress.com

www.coventryordinariate.co.uk

We shall be singing the **Sanctus** at the 9.00 Mass today. The words are:

Holy, holy, holy Lord, holy, holy Lord God of hosts,
Heaven and earth, heaven and earth, are full of your glory, are full of your glory
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest (2).
Blessed, blessed is he who comes, (2) Blessed is he, blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord.
Hosanna, hosanna, hosanna in the highest (2).



Today is the Second Sunday in Ordinary Time. Sunday Mass readings are taken from Cycle A, and Weekday readings are from Year 1. Today is also designated as **Peace Sunday**, a day when the Bishops of England and Wales invite us to pray for world peace and to reflect on the theme that Pope Francis has chosen: ***Nonviolence: a style of politics for peace***”.

Marriage. Please pray for George Adam Sukoco Sikatan and Natalia Wahyuni Hadiyanti as they prepare for their marriage this Saturday, 21st January. May God bless them and their families.

The Week of Prayer for Christian Unity. The traditional time for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity is 18th-25th January, ending on the feast of the Conversion of St Paul.

Remember: refreshments are available after the 9.00 Mass in the Parish Hall, and on Saturday mornings. Come and have a chat with friends.

Fatima Centenary special event 2017. A celebration event will be taking place for the Warwick, Coventry and other local deaneries on **Saturday, 13th May** in Leamington. Please keep the date free. More details will be available nearer the time. Contact Peter Dimambro 01926 428399 or mdimambro@hotmail.co.uk

Fr. Hudson's Care 113th Annual Fundraising Ball, Saturday, 18th February, 7.30 pm – 1.00 am, at the National Conference Centre, Birmingham. See the poster in the porch for more details.

St. Joseph the Worker Pilgrimage to Assisi and Rome, Tuesday 5th to Thursday 14th September, 2017

- To fly from Birmingham Airport at 6.50 am.
- 3 nights in Assisi (Hotel La Rocca) - full-board
- 3 nights in Rome (Hotel Lancelot) - half-board
- 3 nights at Palazzola - full-board
- Return to Birmingham Airport at 1.10 pm.

Cost (inclusive of flights, transfers, accommodation, coach, entry, tips) will be approx. £1395. Please speak to me for more information, or sign the list in the porch if you would like to go.

200 Club winners: 1st Prize, £15: No. 101, P. Monaghan; 2nd Prize, £5: No. 2, Mrs. Mullen.

Crib Offerings. Thank you for your generous donations for the work of Father Hudson's Care and Missio, the Church's Charity for Mission. They totalled £216.40.

Peace House. As a parish we adopted the Peace House project during the Year of Mercy. We now want to meet up to discuss how we continue our involvement and develop it. There will be a meeting at the Peace House, 311 Stoney Stanton Rd, Coventry CV6 5DS at 7.00 pm tomorrow evening, Monday, 16th January. Everyone is welcome to come along.

Holocaust Memorial Day: Coventry is joining communities across the UK to commemorate Holocaust Memorial Day on the 27th January 2017. This year's theme is "How Can Life Go On", in Broadgate, Coventry City Centre at 13:00 - 13:45 with guest speaker: Dr Martin Stern – a Holocaust survivor.

Congratulations to Fr. Bob Wright in St. John Fisher parish who is celebrating 40 years as a priest today. *Ad Multos Annos* – to many more years.

“Locally Ordained Community Leaders: an ancient solution to a contemporary problem?” A talk by David McLoughlin, on Saturday, 21st January, at St Mary's Parish Hall, Vivian Rd, Harborne B17 0DN. The talk is free and open to everyone, 3.00 – 5.00 pm.

Bishop Ullathorne Catholic School, Coventry, are seeking to appoint a new Headteacher with effect from 1st September, 2017. Salary Scale (ISR) L28-L35 (Group 6.) Closing date Friday 27th January 2017 at 12.00pm. Please see poster in porch for full details.

Parish Forum. The next meeting is on Thursday 26th January, at 7.30 pm, in the hall. If you would like to join the Forum, or comment on any of the items on the agenda, please let Peter O'Brien or me know.

1. Update on Peace House
2. Update from the Ordinariate
3. Planning for Lent and Easter

Vacancy At Princethorpe College: Estates Assistant required to work in the team at Princethorpe College and Crackly Hall School. Closing date 23rd January. Go to www.princethorpe.co.uk/employment-opportunities.

Tailpiece. When a priest had been in his parish for about a year a parishioner asked him what he thought had been his main contribution to the life of the parish. After some thought he replied, "People here didn't know what sin was until I arrived."

May God bless you and all those you love.
Fr. Harry