

St. John Vianney Parish Coventry

RIP: Please pray for those who have died recently especially Cardinal Cormac Murphy O'Connor, Abie Doherty, Des Flynn, Anna Dalli, Fr. Thomas More Mann, Marguerite Lech, Roman Matuszak, Jane Hull, Rita McCormack and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.

Let us pray for our sick priests, parishioners, family and friends: Cardinal Cormac Murphy O'Connor, Mary Lynch, Peggy Wilson, Ann Evans, Tina Mulligan, Mrs Staunton, Maura Stone, John Knight, Kevin McNamara, Eugene Gallagher, Brian McGonnigle, Bob Jones, Myles Hastings, Laurence Sullivan, Ann Lennie, Ryan Green, Anne O'Sullivan, Mary Sullivan, Kelsie-Sky Cutting, Sheila Cutting, Shirley Woolston, Harrison O'Leary, George Lawlor, Alan Barry, Cathy Wanczycki, Nora Heavey, Marion Morris, Ann Bullock, Mary Graham, Jenny Forbes Smith, Eileen Jackson, Mary Maloney, Sylvia Barrow, Philomena Alonge, David Nesbitt, Tony Carey, Paul Evans, Diane McGee, Paul DaPonte, Catherine & John Shorney, Cynthia Goddard, Paul Wooding, Brian Hassett, Sheila Williamson, Sheila Lewis, Rebecca Power, Archie & Sean Kelly, Ruth Chandler, Eva Barratt, Grace Harrison, Mary Harty, Sharon Coleman, Kath O'Sullivan, Jane O'Connell, Mary Morris, Joanne McKinnon, Honora Walsh, Sue Kenney, Valarie Craig, Diane Taylor, Gerard Lawless, Michelle Stokes, Frances Ford, Fr. Petroc Howell, Kay Holland, Brian Chandler and Sheila Brown, Suzanne Martin, Caroline Fitzpatrick, Roy Haslam, Cathy Cox, Josephine Cottrell, Margaret Goodall, Margaret Ames, Baz Nugent, Angela Champion and Catherine Titley.

WEEKLY DIARY

SUNDAY: Tea and Coffee after 10.30 Mass come and meet fellow parishioners

SUNDAY: Evening Prayer and Benediction 6pm (**First Sunday of the month**)

MONDAY: Parish Youth Group 6.30pm - 8.30pm (**Returning 11th September**)

TUESDAY: Craft & Chat 1.30pm - 3.30pm (**First Tuesday of the month**)

TUESDAY: Come and See Meeting – 7.45pm –

WEDNESDAY: Extend exercise group at 9.30am

WEDNESDAY: SJV Tots 1.00pm - 3.00pm (**Returning 6th September**)

THURSDAY: Choir Rehearsal 7.00pm - 8.15pm Contact: gillcostello4@gmail.com

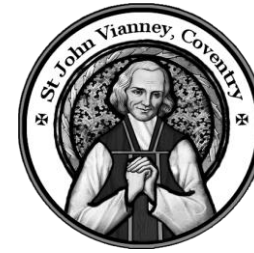
DATES FOR THE DIARY

16th September Holy Half Day, 17th September Blessing of Graves Canley 3pm, 30th September Mass on Mount Snowdon, 30th September Parish Barn Dance, 1st October Blessing of Graves Lodon Road Cemetery, 24th June 2018 Sacrament of Confirmation with Abp. Bernard Longley.

PARISH REGISTER: If you are new to the parish and have not completed a parish registration form, please could you fill one in today? They can be found in the porch. ***If you need to update your details on our parish register e.g. change of address or telephone number, please let us have the new details.***

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TWENTY SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (A)			
SUNDAY 3rd SEPTEMBER 2017			
Liturgy this Week			
Saturday 2nd	Vigil Mass: 6.00pm		Abbie Doherty (Mullen)
	Confessions: 7.00pm		
Sunday 3rd	Mass 10.30am	6pm Evening Prayer & Benediction	Des Flynn (Archie)
Mass This Weekend			
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Monday 4th	FERIA		Rita Gallacher (anniversary)
	Mass 9.00am		
Tuesday 5th	FERIA		Dan Harty (Flynn)
	Mass 7.00pm		
Wednesday 6th	FERIA		Patrick Kenny (Teresa)
	Mass 9.00am		
Thursday 7th	FERIA		
	9.00am	Liturgy of the Word & Eucharist	
Friday 8th	FEAST OF THE NATIVITY OF OUR LADY		Margaret Walker (Darbey)
	Mass 9.00am		
Saturday 9th	OUR LADY ON SATURDAY		Intentions of Stash and Packie (Nancy)
	Mass 10.00am		
TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (A)			
Saturday 9th	Vigil Mass: 6.00pm		Roy Newman (Watson-Kenny)
	Confessions: 7.00pm		
Sunday 10th	Mass 10.30am		Intentions of Teresa Marklew (Sue & John)

STUDENT FOR THE PRIESTHOOD: This weekend we welcome to our parish **Toby Duckworth** who will be undertaking a pastoral placement over the next three weeks. Toby has just completed his first year of training for the priesthood at the Venerable English College in Rome. During his stay with us Toby will be getting involved with different parish activities and outreach. I know that you will make Toby very welcome and he will introduce himself to everybody at Mass this weekend.

YOUTH GROUP: The Youth Group will start meeting **next Monday** evening at 6.30pm in the Parish Hall. It is open to all of our young people from Year 7 and above. Please encourage your children and grandchildren to attend and enjoy spending time together with their friends from our parish community.

COME AND SEE MEETINGS: On Tuesday evenings we meet at Vianney House to explore the scriptures for the forthcoming Sunday and other aspects of our Catholic faith. This week Toby will share his experience of training for the priesthood in Rome. If you have not been before, why not come along this Tuesday. 7.45pm until 9pm. All very welcome.

HOLY HALF DAY: Saturday 16th September beginning with Holy Mass at 10am continuing with adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and concluding with a shared luncheon at 12.30pm. Let us gather as a community to listen, to pray and simply to be with the Lord. The morning will include our parish commitment to a Holy Hour for vocations but also an awesome opportunity to bring our own intentions to the Lord. If you can't make the whole half-day come along for part of it. *"Ask and it will be given to you; seek and you will find; knock and the door will be opened to you."* Mt. 7:7

PARISH BARN DANCE: Tickets are now on sale for the Barn Dance which will take place on **Saturday 30th September** in Eastern Green Village Hall. An important fundraising event for our Year of Mercy legacy project of raising funds for our sponsorship of Moor Town Primary School through the Mary's Meals Charity.

MASS ON THE MOUNT: The bi-annual walk up Mount Snowdon and Mass on the Mount is on **Saturday 30th September** raising money for the Andrew Robinson Young Peoples Trust. We have always given great support to this event. Next weekend there will be sign up sheets for participants and sponsorship forms available.

LIFE IN THE SPIRIT GROUP: The next meeting is on Monday at St. Joseph the Worker 7.15pm for 7.30pm. Please bring your bible or daily missal as we will be doing Lectio Divina.

ALTAR SERVERS: We have a growing group of younger altar servers. If your child or grandchild would like to consider becoming an altar server please speak with Fr. Jonathan this weekend so that some training and preparations can be organised.

CHURCH RESTORATION: Our Year of Mercy legacy also included the on-going restoration of the church. It is our hope that the work on the church can get underway in the next few months. In developing the sanctuary and installing the new altar there is a need to pay attention to our lighting scheme and to the ceiling of the church. Currently this is being looked at to ensure appropriate building regulations can be

obtained. In September we hope to be able to update parishioners with the plans so far.

BISHOP ULLATHORNE: Congratulations to the students and staff of Bishop Ullathorne our parish Catholic secondary school. Their GCSE results set a new record with 72% students achieving A* to C in both Maths and English. City figures show that last week's A level results place our secondary school first in the City for both A*A and A/B grades.

DEANERY APP: A free App for your Android/Apple Phone for Coventry Deanery, giving you information for all the Coventry Parishes. Just go to your App store and search for Coventry Catholic Deanery.

MARYVALE INSTITUTE: Please see the noticeboard for the wide range of courses being offered at Maryvale. There may be something of interest to you to support your faith journey.

YOUNG ADULTS RETREAT: A three part retreat is being organised by the Youth 2000 Movement at Walsingham called 1061. Each retreat provides young people aged 18-35 with an opportunity to come together for prayer and reflection on the gift of faith. See the poster on the noticeboard. More information at www.walsingham.org.uk/1061 Fr. Jonathan would be interested in supporting any young person from the parish who might want to attend.

MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER WEEKENDS: These will be taking place at Barnes Close, Bromsgrove (Non Residential) next weekend 9th-10th September 2017 and at the Ibis Hotel, Rugby (Residential) 24th-26th November 2017. They are enrichment weekends for normal, ordinary marriages (NOT counselling). ME weekends have proved time and time again to be of immense value to couples however long they have been married. All discussions are private to the participating couples; there is no group work. For further information go to www.wwme.org.uk or contact Phil & Rita Jackson on 0121 2447762.

BLESSING OF GRAVES: This year there is to be a deanery celebration for the blessing of graves. Canley Garden Cemetery will be on **Sunday 17th September at 3pm** and London Road Cemetery on **Sunday 1st October at 3pm**.

EDUCATION SUNDAY: Next weekend there will be a second collection for the work of the Catholic Education Service that provides support to all the dioceses of England and Wales in protecting and developing the provision of Catholic education. Thank you for your generosity to the collection.

COVENTRY INTERCULTURAL MASS: Will be celebrated at St. John Fisher on **Sunday September 17th at 3.30pm** by Archbishop Bernard Longley followed by a hot and cold buffet of food from all over the world. everybody welcome to this annual Mass celebrating the great cultures of our faith in Coventry.

INSPIRING HOPE: A talk given by Bishop William Kenney on his experience of Sudan and South Sudan and the work of CAFOD there. Thursday 28th September at Sacred Heart Church Bilton 7.30pm-9pm. All welcome.

EVENING PRAYER AND BENEDICTION: This evening at 6pm. Please come and pray before Our Lord in the Holy Eucharist.