

RIP: Please pray for those who have died recently especially Winnie Gallagher (Ireland), Kevin Keane, Deacon Philip Prince, and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time. May they rest in peace.

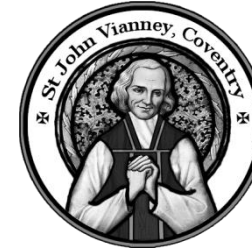
**Let us pray for our sick priests, parishioners, family and friends:** Mary Lynch, Peggy Wilson, Ann Evans, Tina Mulligan, Mrs Staunton, Maura Stone, John Knight, Kevin McNamara, Eugene Gallagher, Brian McGonnigle, Bob Jones, Myles Hastings, Laurence Sullivan, Ann Lennie, Ryan Green, Anne O'Sullivan, Mary Sullivan, Kelsie-Sky Cutting, Sheila Cutting, Shirley Woolston, Harrison O'Leary, George Lawlor, Alan Barry, Cathy Wanczycki, Nora Heavey, Marion Morris, Ann Bullock, Jenny Forbes Smith, Eileen Jackson, Mary Maloney, 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 & Brian 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, Michelle Stokes, Frances Ford, Fr. Petroc Howell, Kay Holland, Sheila Brown, Suzanne Martin, Caroline Fitzpatrick, Roy Haslam, Cathy Cox, Margaret Goodall, Margaret Ames, Baz Nugent, Charlotte Warnock, baby Theo Glover, Maureen Renstead, Cynthia Anson, Teresa Marklew, Eileen Monaghan, Anne Adie and Irene Tennant.



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## CHRIST IS RISEN

**Today we celebrate the joy  
of Our Lord's Resurrection  
from the dead and the  
glorious new life he has  
won for us.**

**He is the Saviour of the  
world.**

**A Happy and blessed Easter  
to all of our parishioners  
and visitors.  
Fr. Jonathan**



**THANKS:** On behalf of our entire parish we thank all those who have worked so hard to prepare the liturgies for Holy Week. The love and devotion that has been poured into our church building and community for our worship of God has been wonderful. Grateful thanks to our singers and musicians, readers and our MC and altar servers, Eucharistic Ministers, church wardens and cleaners, children's liturgy team, those who look after the altar linen and vestments and clean the liturgical vessels. Thank you to our young people who took part in many of the ceremonies and especially to those who read at the Passion on Good Friday. A special word of thanks must go to our flower arrangers whose creativity and prayer enable us to enter into the joy of Easter in a special way.

**SOLEMNITY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD**  
**Sunday 1st April 2016**

<b>Saturday 31st</b>	<b>8.00pm</b>	<b>The Easter Vigil</b>	Des Flynn (Nugent)
<b>Sunday 1st</b>	<b>Mass: 10.30am</b>	<b>Mass of Easter Day</b>	Winnie Gallagher (John, Maggie & Family)
<b>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>EASTER MONDAY</b>		
	<b>Mass 10.00am</b>	<b>Easter Monday Mass at St. Osburg's 10 am</b>	
<b>Tuesday 3rd</b>	<b>EASTER TUESDAY</b>		Gerry Gallagher (Maevie)
	<b>Mass 10.00am</b>		
<b>Wednesday 4th</b>	<b>EASTER WEDNESDAY</b>		
	<b>9.00am</b>	<b>Liturgy of the Word &amp; Holy Communion</b>	
<b>Thursday 5th</b>	<b>EASTER THURSDAY</b>		
	<b>9.00am</b>	<b>Liturgy of the Word &amp; Holy Communion</b>	
<b>Friday 6th</b>	<b>EASTER FRIDAY</b>		Ellen Brady (Morris)
	<b>Mass 7.00pm</b>		
<b>Saturday 7th</b>	<b>EASTER SATURDAY</b>		Intentions of Eira and family
	<b>Mass 10.00am</b>		
<b>SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER</b>			
<b>Saturday 7th</b>	<b>Vigil Mass 6.00pm</b>	<b>Confessions 7.00pm</b>	Private Intention (Keogan)
<b>Sunday 8th</b>	<b>Mass: 10.30am</b>		Intentions of Sylvia Flynn and family

**EASTER MONDAY MASS AT ST. OSBURG'S CHURCH:** For almost 100 years, this has been an annual event when the men of the city and their sons came together for Mass to witness to their faith in the Holy Eucharist. In more recent years it has become a special Mass for the entire Catholic community of the City of Coventry to come

together and witness to their faith. The priests of the Coventry Deanery are asking their parishioners to support this Mass on **Easter Monday at 10am at St. Osburg's Church.**

**EASTER OFFERINGS:** The offerings at the Vigil and Easter Sunday Mass are the traditional gift to the parish clergy.

**EASTER WATER:** Please do take some Easter Water away with you for use at home.

**GIFTS FOR THE POOR:** Thank you to everybody who brought gifts to the Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday, these will now be distributed amongst those in need, especially through the Food Bank.

**WEEKLY DIARY**

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

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

**MONDAY: Tai Chi for beginners in Parish Hall 9.30-10.30 (After Easter)**

**MONDAY:** Parish Youth Group 6.30pm - 8.30pm (**Re-joins 23<sup>rd</sup> April**)

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

**TUESDAY:** Come and See Meeting - 7.45pm – (**meets after Easter**)

**WEDNESDAY:** Extend exercise group at 9.30am

**WEDNESDAY:** SJV Tots 1.00pm - 3.00pm – (**Re-joins 18<sup>th</sup> April**)

**THURSDAY:** Choir Rehearsal 6.45pm - 8.00pm Contact: [gillcostello4@gmail.com](mailto:gillcostello4@gmail.com)

**DATES FOR THE DIARY**

2<sup>nd</sup> April Easter Monday Mass at St Osburg's 10am, 16<sup>th</sup> April Parish Pastoral Council 7pm, 4<sup>th</sup> May Day of Prayer before the Blessed Sacrament for Vocations, 20<sup>th</sup> May 2018 First Holy Communion, 24<sup>th</sup> May 2018 Deanery Vocations Mass, 24<sup>th</sup> June 2018 Sacrament of Confirmation with Abp. Bernard Longley, 1<sup>st</sup> December 2018 Parish Bazaar.

**PARISH FINANCE**

**COLLECTIONS:** Thank you for your offerings for 25<sup>th</sup> March 2018

Gift Aid: £281.90

Loose Plate: £306.14

**Total £588.04**

**Second Collection**

Easter Flowers : **£238.12**

**OFFERTORY ENVELOPES:** A reminder to collect your box of envelopes that are available in the narthex. If you don't have envelopes, but would like a box, please speak to Stephanie Allen on 76463119.

**STANDING ORDER:** The beginning of the new envelope scheme is also a good time to mention the opportunity of contributing to the parish by Standing Order. In the porch you will find the appropriate form to complete and return.

**GIFT AID:** A significant source of income for our parish comes from the tax we are able to receive from contributions regularly made. So many people are contributing to the parish and at the same time their contributions are taxed by the government. **The Parish can reclaim the tax you pay on your contributions if you sign up for the Gift Aid Scheme.** Stephanie Allen our parish Gift Aid Coordinator will be able to help you with this. Please speak to her at Mass or call her on 76463119.