

Please pray for the Sick and Housebound of our Parish (list on Notice Board).

Remember in your prayers those who have died recently especially **Dominic Karandu, John Macharia, Kathleen Costello and Valerie Pawsey** who all died recently, due to current restrictions their funerals will be private services, Memorial Services will be arranged once restrictions have been lifted. May they rest in peace.

**MASS INTENTIONS:** Please contact Michelle or Johanne on their respective telephone numbers/emails for Mass requests.

**PARISH BULLETIN:** Will be available from [www.st-john-vianney.org.uk/newsletter.html](http://www.st-john-vianney.org.uk/newsletter.html)  
If you would to receive this via email please contact Michelle or Johanne.

**CORONAVIRUS** In these unprecedented times it is with a saddened and heavy heart that I have had to close the Church for public services. We anticipate being able to stream daily mass through our YouTube page:[olasjvcov](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UC1asjvcov)

We will also be posting the link on the OLA Facebook page when we are due to go live. We anticipate being able to open the church, for private prayer at certain times during the week, these times will be reviewed weekly and may change, depending on how many people want to use the church. This week the opening times will be as follows: -

Our Lady of the Assumption: **Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 10am-12noon**

St John Vianney; **Monday, Wednesday, Friday 9.30am to 10am**

As you can see any mass intentions will be kept when the mass is said each day, if you wish to have a mass said please contact Johanne or Michelle and they will arrange this.

Fr Emmanuel and myself will of course keep you all in our prayers during this troubled time and I ask you keep us in yours.

God bless

Fr Sebastian

**NOTE FROM THE PARISH SECRETARIES:** We are both aware that many of our congregations fall in to High Risk Categories and therefore ask that if you know someone who many just need a bit of shopping done or even just a phonecall please contact us (our home phone numbers in the bulletin and we will arrange this for them. Also if you any Parishioners would like to volunteer to help with the shopping or a phone call please also contact us and we will "buddy" you up. May God protect us all. Johanne and Michelle.

Guidelines issued by the Bishops' for the celebration of the Liturgy together with guidelines for funerals, baptisms and weddings are available on the Deanery website:

<https://coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk/new/>



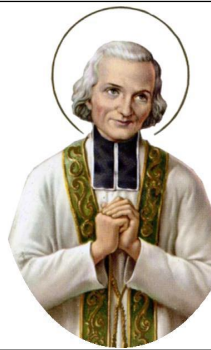
## OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION and ST JOHN VIANNEY

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## FOURTH SUNDAY LENT – YEAR A.

21<sup>ST</sup>/22<sup>ND</sup> March 2020

Preface of the Fourth Sunday of Lent - Eucharistic Prayer II

<b>Reading 1</b>	1 Sam 16:1, 6-7, 0-13	<i>David is anointed king of Israel.</i>
<b>Psalm</b>		<i>The Lord is my shepherd; there is nothing I shall want.</i>
<b>Reading 2</b>	Eph 5:8-14	<i>Rise from the dead, and Christ will shine on you,</i>
<b>Gospel Acclamation</b>	John 8: 12	<i>Glory to you O Christ you are the word of God I am the light of the world, says the Lord; anyone who believes in me will have the light of life. Glory to you O Christ you are the word of God</i>
<b>Gospel</b>	John 9:1-41	<i>He went off and washed himself, and came away with his sight restored</i>



## Our Lady of the Assumption

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**Parish Office CLOSED UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE:**

Parish Secretaries Working Hours: Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: 9am – 3pm

Parish Safeguarding Officer: Patricia Harper Tel: 07970452866 (for safeguarding issues only)

## St John Vianney

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Website: [www.st-john-vianney.org.uk](http://www.st-john-vianney.org.uk)

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Parish Safeguarding Officer: Jo Sharkey Tel: 0773 605 3810

We pray for all Church leaders as they seek to make difficult decisions to protect their flocks. We ask for wisdom to know how to support their parishioners in new ways until church services can take place again. **Lord, hear us**

We pray for our government and those advising them who are in an impossible situation. We ask that their approach will be successful and their plans will protect the most vulnerable in our society. **Lord, hear us**

We pray for all those worldwide who have become unwell with COVID-19. We ask that their symptoms do not become severe and they can recover fully. We pray for all those who have died and the loved ones who mourn them; may they find comfort and peace from God. **Lord, hear us**

With current advice to social distance and self-isolate we pray for a growth in community spirit that although we cannot physically comfort people we will find new ways to support each other. We ask that through this pandemic we learn how to help our neighbour. **Lord, hear us**

We pray for all those who work for the NHS as they work under extraordinary pressures. We ask that they remain healthy and are able to provide care to those who need it most. **Lord, hear us**

Although we are not able to attend church services we ask that through this trial our faith will increase, our prayer life deepen and that our witness of hope to those around us will be powerful. **Lord, hear us**

Let us not forget that we are in the holy season of Lent. As we travel towards the Cross help us to remember that Christ has died, Christ is risen, Christ will come again. **Lord, hear us**

On this Mothering Sunday let us remember all Mothers and especially our heavenly Mother as we say. **Hail Mary..**

## Mass Streaming Times

To watch Masses go to the following page :

<https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/parishes-online>

and click the Parish name, this will take you directly to our YouTube page.

Weekday Mass Sheets: [www.st-john-vianney.org.uk/weekday-mass-sheets.html](http://www.st-john-vianney.org.uk/weekday-mass-sheets.html)

Saturday 21st		No Mass
Sunday 22nd	9.30am from SJV	Pat & Maureen Kelly - Ann (Hassett)
	11.00am from OLA	Francis Hagan – RIP James Donoghue – B'day Ann RIP
Monday 23rd	9.00am	Carmel & John Rixon
Tuesday 24th	9.00am	People of the Parish
Wednesday 25th	9.00am	People of the Parish
Thursday 26th	9.00am	John Keogh - RIP
Friday 27th	9.00am	Eddy Griffin - RIP (Nancy)
Saturday 28th	9.00am	M argaret Kane - RIP
Sunday 29th	9.30am from SJV	Mary Murray - RIP (Howard)
	11.00am from OLA	Michael Lakey – RIP Ann Arthur Fallon - RIP

**CHURCHES TOGETHER IN ENGLAND:** This Sunday, **22 March**, there is a national call to prayer taking place. You can get involved too.

At **7pm** light a candle in the windows of your homes as a visible symbol of the light of life, Jesus Christ, our source and hope in prayer.

Find out how to join in: <https://www.cte.org.uk/Publisher/Article.aspx?ID=569010#>