

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

Remember in your prayers those who have died recently especially Anne Doherty, Michael McRorey, Fr Andy Kenny, Tony Carey, Reg Allen, John Curtlin, and Ellen Wynne 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.

Your Prayers are also asked for the response of the soul of Bishop Leo McCartie who passed on Thursday 23rd April aged 94 year. Bishop Leo visited the Parishes in the 1980s when he was Auxiliary Bishop of Birmingham. May his soul rest in peace,

MASS INTENTIONS: Please contact Michelle or Johanne on their respective telephone number for Mass requests.

SUPPORT IN THE COMMUNITY: A group of volunteers from both Churches have been making calls this week to some of their parishioners. We will continue to do this over the next few weeks, if you know of anyone who would appreciate a call please contact Johanne or Michelle.

DONATIONS TO PARISH: Ideally this might be via standing order but for anyone wishing to donate to the Parish on a one-off basis, as opposed to a standing order, the Diocese have now set up an online donation page. You can do this with a credit or debit card, click donate at the top of the page and follow the instructions. <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/>

VOCATION SUNDAY: Next Sunday is Vocation Sunday, please keep look out on the Facebook pages and website for a letter from Pope Francis, the Vocation Prayer and other information in preparation for this.

PRAYER FOR VOCATION SUNDAY 2020

Heavenly Father,
we thank you for the witness and ministry
of the bishops, priests and deacons and consecrated men
and women in the Archdiocese of Birmingham.
Continue to send labourers into your harvest.
Inspire the hearts of your people
to answer your call to the priesthood,
the diaconate and to the religious life.
Bless our families with a spirit of generosity
and may those you call have the courage to give
themselves to your Church in faith.
Send your Holy Spirit upon me
to guide me in my own vocation.
Enlighten my mind to show me what you want of me;
fill my heart with the determination
to answer your call in faith, hope and love.
Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen



OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION and ST JOHN VIANNEY

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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER – YEAR A.

26th April 2020

Preface of Easter II-V - Eucharistic Prayer III

Reading 1	Acts 2:14, 22-33	<i>It was impossible for him to be held in the power of Hades.</i>
Psalm	Ps 16:1-2. 5, 7-11 r. 11	<i>Show us, Lord, the path of life.</i>
Reading 2	1 Pet 1:17- 21	<i>Alleluia, Alleluia! Your ransom was paid in the precious blood of a lamb without spot or stain, namely, Christ. Alleluia!</i>
Gospel Acclamation	Luke 24:32	<i>Lord Jesus, explain the scriptures to us. Make our hearts burn within us as you talk to us.</i>
Gospel	Luke 24:13-35	<i>They recognised him at the breaking of bread.</i>



**St Catherine of Siena – Patron Saint of Europe
Feast Day 29th April**

Born 25th March 1347 – Died 29th April 1380

Born during the time of the plague in Siena, she was her Mother's 25th child. As a child she had mystical experiences, she was able to see others guardian angels.

She was a Dominican and one of the most brilliant theological minds of her day,

She was given stigmata which only became visible after her death. Her letters are considered to be amongst the most brilliant writings in the history of the Catholic Church

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

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We pray that Pope Francis and all religious leaders will be able to inspire courage and hope in a world which is hurting because of the coronavirus. **Lord, hear us**

We continue to pray for all those who are working on the frontline to help and support others at this time. May God reward the many people who give of themselves with generous self-sacrifice and compassion. **Lord, hear us**

We pray for families that the increased time together will draw them ever closer to each other in unbreakable love and understanding. **Lord, hear us**

We pray for governments as they make major decisions which will affect the lives of millions of people, that their decision-making will be guided by compassion, wisdom and a willingness to serve the most vulnerable members of society. **Lord, hear us**

We pray for all those whose education has been disrupted during this period of isolation and the closure of schools, colleges and universities. May they make the best of whatever learning opportunities come their way and may they not lose hope in the future. **Lord, hear us**

We pray for everyone who has not had a chance to say goodbye to a loved one, that their aching hearts will find peace and comfort and that those who have died might be enjoying eternal rest. **Lord, hear us**

We pray for all those who are sick for whatever reason, that they might find healing and full recovery. **Lord, hear us**

In this time of turmoil and uncertainty we place our intentions into the loving hands of Our Mother Mary 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:
https://www.youtube.com/results?search_query=olasjvcov

3 rd SUNDAY OF EASTER		
Saturday 25 th	9.30am	Michael Lanigan - RIP
Sunday 26 th	9.30am from SJV 11.00am from OLA	Tony Carey RIP - (Carter) Marita Visgarda & Kieran Marren - RIP
Monday 27 th	9.30am	Helena & Stanislaw Praciak - RIP
Tuesday 28 th	9.30am	Ellen Wynne - RIP
Wednesday 29 th	9.30am	People of the Parish
Thursday 30 th	9.30am	Kevin Allen – RIP
Friday 1 st May	9.30am	People of the Parish
Saturday 2 nd	9.30am	Fr Bengt-Ove Jakobsson – B'day Intentions
3 rd SUNDAY OF EASTER		
Sunday 3 rd	9.30am from SJV 11.00am from OLA	People of Parish Joan Clarke – RIP Ann

OLA Sanctuary Candle is lit for Fr Ben's Birthday Intentions