

SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY: The Parish Feast Day is this weekend and will be celebrated at all weekend Masses

THE ANNUAL DIOCESAN THANKSGIVING MASS FOR MARRIAGE will take place on Saturday 9th October, 12noon at St Chad's Cathedral.

If you are celebrating a milestone anniversary during 2021 (from your 1st up to 60th (every 5 years), and every year over 60) please email Lianne Pap (Marriage and Family Life Co-ordinator) marriage.mass@rcaob.org.uk for your names to be listed in the Mass booklet.

You can also send in 'then & now' photos to be part of the video compilation. We are looking to find the longest married couple in the diocese, so if you think you, your parents or grandparents could be it then let Lianne know! The Mass is open to all married couples, as well as those preparing to marry in 2021 but you will need to register a place via email – marriage.mass@rcaob.org.uk Closing date to register for the Mass is 1st October.

NOTICE FROM THE ARCHBISHOP RE: 19th JULY: Following the announcement that step 4 of the Government's Covid-19 response roadmap will come into effect on Monday 19th July, I am pleased to be able to forward to you the latest guidance from the Bishops' Conference. The guidance is accompanied by the statement *Sunday – it is our Day* which says, "It is our continuing judgement, therefore, that it is not possible at the present time for all of the faithful to attend Mass on a Sunday thus fulfilling their duty to God. It is hoped that it will be possible for all Catholics in England and Wales to fulfil this most important Church precept, that of the Sunday Obligation, by the First Sunday in Advent 2021. In the meantime, all Catholics are asked to do their best to participate in the celebration of the weekly Sunday Mass and to reflect deeply on the centrality of Sunday worship in the life of the Church."

Holy Water Stoups - will remained unfilled, but holy water will be available for you to take home in a small container.

Votive Candles – People can now light their own candles but under the guidelines that only one person at a time will lit a candle, before Mass, people cannot congregate around them. After Mass it will be the system as before due to the congestion for people exiting Church at OLA.

Offertory and collection– There will be no changes to the current way this is carried out.

Veneration of Statues – although touching of the statues is allowed we ask that you keep this to a minimum and no kissing.



**OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION
and
ST JOHN VIANNEY**

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Charity Number 234216



Sunday 15th August 2021

**SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN
MARY**

Preface of Ordinary Time and Eucharistic Prayer III



St Pius X (2 June 1835 – 20 August 1914)

Feast Day: 21 August

Born Giuseppe Melchiorre Sarto the second of ten children in Riese, a Province of Treviso, Venice, Italy. He was made Pope on the 4th August 1903, He was distinguished for his continuous service to the Church and to all souls. He is perhaps best remembered for his encouragement of the frequent reception of Holy Communion, especially by children. He strongly defended the purity of the Catholic doctrine against the modern heretics. He was a humble man and once said. "I was born poor, I lived poor, I will die poor."

Our Lady of the Assumption

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Parish Office Opening Hours

Michelle Tues, Thurs and Friday 9am to 3pm

(Michelle currently works from home on a Friday)

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Parish Office Opening Hours:

Office currently closed until September

Parish Safeguarding Officer: Claire Littlewood

CONFESSIONS: Available by request after weekday Masses or by appointment with Fr. Sebastian.

BAPTISMS: By appointment, they take place the 1st & 3rd Sundays at SJV and the 2nd & 4th Sundays at OLA. Please speak to Parish Secretaries

MARRIAGE: By appointment with Fr. Sebastian

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

WEEKLY OFFERINGS: For anyone wishing to donate to the Parish either on a regular basis via standing order or for a one-off donation, please see: <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/support-our-work>.

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

Remember in your prayers those who have died recently May they rest in peace.

Live feed can be found on YouTube search and subscribe: **OLASJVCOV**

OLA Sanctuary Candle this week is in honour of Christian Okure – RIP Ann and Rene Costelloe – RIP Ann

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(Parish Feast Day)

Saturday 14 th	11.00am at OLA 12.30pm at OLA 4.30pm Mass at OLA 6.00pm Mass at SJV	Baptism & Holy Communion of Thomas Family Baptism of Nala Ron Pegg – RIP Ann Angela Normoyle - RIP (Luff)
Sunday 15 th	9.30am Mass at SJV 11.00am Mass at OLA 12.30 at SJV	Hilary Kirkby - RIP (Carr) People of the Parish Baptism of Connor & Alfie
Monday 16 th	9.30am Mass at SJV	Live Stream Only John Gilroy - RIP
Tuesday 17 th	9.30am Mass at OLA	John Bateman – RIP B'day
Wednesday 18 th	9.30am Mass at SJV	Carole Stanley & Family - SI
Thursday 19 th	12.00noon Mass at OLA	Rene Costelloe - RIP
Friday 20 th	9.30am Mass at SJV	Live Stream Only Frank Murphy - SICK
Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time		
Saturday 21 st	1pm at OLA 4.30pm Mass at OLA 6.00pm Mass at SJV	Wedding of Jerry & Francie Nancy Hollingsworth – RIP Frank Dolan - RIP 3 rd Ann - (Dolan)
Sunday 22 nd	9.30am Mass at SJV 11.00am Mass at OLA Followed by	Sister Carmel Little CSJP (Clifford) Bill & Ellen Wynne - RIP Baptism of Cian