



## CORPUS CHRISTI and ST. ANNE'S

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### Saturday 17th - Sunday 25th August, 2024

#### 20TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME B2

<b>Saturday</b>	17th	5.00pm	<b>Corpus Christi</b>	Annie Tobin; Liam McHugh
<b>Sunday</b>	18th	9.00am	<b>St. Anne's</b>	Annie Callaghan; pro populo
		11.00am	<b>Corpus Christi</b>	Mr Shakespeare
<b>Monday</b>	19th	9.30am	No Mass	
<b>Tuesday</b>	20th	6.00pm	<b>Corpus Christi</b>	Adoration & Benediction
		7.00pm	<b>Corpus Christi</b>	Parishioners
<b>Wednesday</b>	21st	9.30am	<b>Corpus Christi</b>	Anne Gaffney
		S Pius X		
<b>Thursday</b>	22nd	9.30am	<b>St Anne's church</b>	Brian Mannion
		Our Lady, Mother and Queen		
<b>Friday</b>	23rd	11.30am	<b>St Anne's</b>	<b>Funeral Mass for Patricia Travers</b>
		6.00pm	<b>Corpus Christi</b>	Rosary and Adoration
<b>Saturday</b>	24th	9.30am	<b>St Anne's</b>	Communion Service
		St Bartholomew <i>followed by Adoration until 10.30am</i>		

#### 21ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME B2

<b>Saturday</b>	24th	5.00pm	<b>Corpus Christi</b>	Sam & Goldie; Christopher & Esther Cummiskey
<b>Sunday</b>	25th	9.00am	<b>St. Anne's</b>	John & Helen Fallan
		11.00am	<b>Corpus Christi</b>	Fr Edwin Cownley; pro populo

### Second Collections

**This weekend**  
 Community centre/  
 Parish Debt

**Next Weekend**  
 Lepra

### Extraordinary Ministers and Readers

**20th Sunday of the Year**  
 5pm Caroline Ward;  
*David Haywood.*  
 9am Seamus Brannigan;  
*Franklin Darko.*  
 11am John Teeling;  
*Mary Pearson.*

**21st Sunday of the Year**  
 5pm Marie Anne Bowell;  
*Pat Timmons.*  
 9am Stella Atansi;  
*John Fallan.*  
 11am Victoria Uche;  
*Maria Bloodworth.*

### 20TH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

#### Responsorial Psalm

Taste and see that the Lord is good.

#### Gospel Acclamation

**Alleluia, Alleluia, alleluia!**

The Word was made flesh and lived among us: to all who did  
 accept him he gave power to become children of God.

**Alleluia, Alleluia, alleluia!**

### Financial Matters

	Corpus Christi	St Anne's
<b>First Collection</b>		
Gift-Aided (+SOs)	£513.50	£126.45
Non Gift-Aided	<u>£151.31</u>	<u>£117.77</u>
<b>Total</b>	<b>£664.81</b>	<b>£244.22</b>

<b>Second Collection</b>		
Community Centre/ Parish Debt	£496.43	£107.26

**Thank you!**

**CCC fund-raising £10,500 (of £15,000)**

**SA fund-raising £4,240 (of £8,000)**

### ‘He who eats my flesh and drinks my blood lives in me and I live in him.’

Jesus' gift of his body and blood isn't some miracle pill that means we suddenly become perfect. Rather it makes the difference between us fully growing through life, or not. We are like plants - who need water, sunlight and good soil. If they have all three, they will grow. If we have Christ's truth and his body and blood, then we don't avoid the difficulties of life, but we do grow through them into images of his Risen body. So let us be renewed in his teaching and in his Body and Blood, so that each day we may grow to be ever more like him.

I think this is a good day to seriously think about returning to receiving Christ under both kinds. Covid is still with us, but no more than any other infection now, and so I think we need to consider all receiving from the chalice. Jesus did ask us to drink his Blood. And he knew what he was commanding - so in prayer we need to ask if it is time to put his command at the top of our wisdom. We need to pray about this in two ways - whether to return to offering the chalice to all, and you receiving.

**Safeguarding:** The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocesan policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Caroline Ward, Pat Timmons & Rosaria Petrucci. They can be contacted at: sg.ccandstanne.covty@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240/ safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.

Dear Parishioners,

It was A level results on Thursday. Well done to our young parishioners who passed - hope you are able to get your place at Uni or wherever your next step is. God is with you, whatever happens. GCSE results this week - more prayers please!

**ST ANNE'S AFTERNOON TEA** is on Saturday 31st August, 3.30pm. This is always an amazing event - please support, have a good time, and help pay off the debt! Tickets are £20, on sale in the porch at both churches, or from Rosaria.

**PARISH VOLUNTEERS** Last call for any volunteer in the parish to get a **Volunteer Registration Form** off Caroline, Pat or Rosaria. Thanks to all of you who have returned them.

**MARCH FOR LIFE Saturday 7th September** We have seen weekly marches in support of Palestinians for months now. We regularly see marches regarding climate change. What is important enough for you to join in a march? Hopefully, protecting the unborn. We've booked a coach, leaving from All Souls Church (CV5 8DX) at 9.45am (plenty of parking space to leave cars during the day). There's Mass there at 9am first, if you want to get the day off to the best start. We set off back from London at 4.30pm, so will be back in Coventry for around 6.30pm. Book a place by emailing Lucia at [allsouls.covty@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:allsouls.covty@rcaob.org.uk) or phone 02476674161. Cost £20 per person, payable on booking. Payment by cheque to *All Souls Coventry* or by cash. Postal address: The Presbytery, Kingsland Avenue, Coventry CV5 8DX.

The annual **Pilgrimage to Harvington Hall**, Shrine of the English Martyrs, will take place on Sunday 1st September 2024. St Thomas More parish are thinking of putting on a coach setting off at 12.30pm for Mass at 3pm and return for around 6.30pm. £16-£20 depending on numbers. If you could ring up St Thomas More's on 02476 411900, to let them know numbers.

**EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS** On Saturday and Sunday 14th/15th September, there is a **Eucharistic Congress** at Oscott College, and every parish is invited to join in with this by having some Eucharistic adoration or such on Sun 15th. One suggestion I've had is to have the Blessed Sacrament exposed at Corpus Christi 3-5pm, for people to pop in, light a candle, and say a prayer. What do you think?

**LECTIONARIES** Advent this year we have new lectionaries - the books from which we get the readings of the Mass. Readers will need to note the new translation. But first of all we have to get the lectionaries themselves. There are four volumes, and obviously we need a set for each church. They are £175 each. Do any of you want to donate one to the church in memory of a loved one? The present Missals and lectionaries have a simple dedication at the front - we could do the same this time. Let me know if you are interested.

This Tuesday, 20th, Father Simon Li Chi Yuen, will celebrate **Mass in Cantonese** at Sacred Heart Coventry, 6pm: 5pm Confessions. 7pm Tea/Coffee in the hall. Sign up link: [https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScuw9qQ2M0Ib\\_iOISNTz0AxNXTY6JhIYjwa2-2EG0uol1ZCNg/viewform](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScuw9qQ2M0Ib_iOISNTz0AxNXTY6JhIYjwa2-2EG0uol1ZCNg/viewform)

Next week we have an appeal from **LEPRA**. There was going to be a speaker coming, but they no longer can - but there will be some info shared about the fight against leprosy, and the need to support those who have it. The retiring collection will be for them, too.

Yours in Jesus and Mary,



### **Prayer to St Michael**

*to protect the Church, our parish and our churches*

Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in this day of battle,  
be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares  
of the devil;

may God rebuke him, we humbly pray,  
and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host,  
by the power of God,

cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits  
who wander through the world seeking the ruin of souls.  
Amen.

