# THE CATHOLIC FAITH COMMUNITIES OF ST JOHN VIANNEY AND OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION COVENTRY

## NEWSLETTER

**WELCOME** ~ COMMUNITIES OF FAITH, PRAYER AND SERVICE

Both our Parishes invite each person to be an active and participating member in Parish Life. We care for each other, and we want to worship and serve our Lord and one another. Do please consider volunteering by participating wherever you feel you can help, and you can serve.

GO IN PEACE telling the Good News, sharing in the Breaking of the Bread, enriching the Community through our talents, treasure, and time: transforming the Community, by prayer and by action.

ST JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC CHURCH I BISHOPTON CLOSE, COVENTRY CV5 7GW

OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH 650 TILE HILL LANE NORTH, COVENTRY CV4 9TA

**Served by and Contact Details:** 

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OUR DEACON - Rev Mr Andy Lansberry 07769 293022

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The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham (Registered Charity No 234216).

PARISH SECRETARIES

SJV LOUISE CAWLEY 02476 466332 E-mail stjohnvianney.covty@rcaob.org.uk OFFICE HOURS:

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OFFICE HOURS:

Tuesday, Thursday and Friday 9.00AM - 3.00PM

ST JOHN VIANNEY RC PRIMARY SCHOOL

O2476 464088 Headteacher Mrs Veronica Gosling
OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION RC PRIMARY SCHOOL
O2476 466655 Headteacher Mrs Rachel Askew

<u>CELEBRATIONS</u> of the Sacraments of Baptism, Marriage and Reconciliation - DO PLEASE CONTACT FR DES.

WEBSITES

SJV – <u>www.st-john-vianney.org.uk</u>
ARCHDIOCESE - <u>www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk</u>
COVENTRY DEANERY WEBSITE – <u>www.coventry-</u>
catholicdeanery.org.uk

LIVE STREAMING

YOU TUBE – ST JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC CHURCH COVENTRY
OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH COVENTRY
04/08/2024 23.45PM.

Have an Excellent Week - Filled with Faith + Joy, Love + Peace. Do Take Great Care Fr Des.

The Parishes operate in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese's policies and procedures at all times. Our Parishes Safeguarding Representative is TRICIA TOWNER. She can be contacted at sg.stjohnvianney.covty@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 - or safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.

### 18<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 3<sup>RD</sup>/4<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2024 YEAR B

MASS BOOK - PAGE 114 "A Judaeo - Christian Community in the Roman Catholic Tradition"

<u>MASSES</u>		<u>TIMES</u>	INTENTIONS	<u>FEAST</u>
SATURDAY 3 <sup>RD</sup>	OLA	4-30PM	Peter Marius Knox RIP / Maureen Glendon RIP	
	SJV	6-00PM	Tony O'Sullivan RIP	
SUNDAY 4 <sup>TH</sup>	SJV	9-30AM	Fr Brendan Carrick RIP / Carol McNamara RIP	St John Vianney
	OLA	11-00AM	John Paul Cassidy RIP / Wynne Family RIP	
	OLA	2.00PM	BAPTISM - JACK MOODY	
MONDAY 5 <sup>TH</sup>	<u>OLA</u>	10.00AM	FUNERAL MASS William McDonald RIP	Dedication of St Mary Major Basilica
TUESDAY 6TH	SJV	9.00AM	Jim O'Leary RIP	Transfiguration of the Lord
WEDNESDAY 7TH	OLA	9-00AM	Intentions Keith Meneaud / Special Intentions (WS)	
THURSDAY 8 <sup>TH</sup>	OLA	12.00PM	Intentions John & Irene McSparron	St Dominic
			Intentions Kate & Ernest Hackett	
FRIDAY 9 <sup>TH</sup>	SIV	9.00aAM	Intentions Tony McLoughlin / People of the Parish	St Teresa Benedicta
SATURDAY 10 <sup>TH</sup>	OLA	4-30PM	Wayne Arkill RIP / People of the Parish (OLA)	
	SIV	6-00PM	Intentions Tony McLoughlin / People of the Parish (SJV)	
SUNDAY 11TH	SIV	9.30AM	Kath Chambers RIP / People of the Parish (SJV)	
	OLA	11-00AM	Ellen Holland & Family RIP / People of the Parish (OLA)	
	SJV	12.30PM	BAPTISM - FINLEY KETTLE	
	SJV	1.30PM	BAPTISM - BLAKE BEESLEY	

#### <u>AUGUST 2024 CANDLES – YOUR INTENTIONS</u>

[Donations £5.00 – please use Mass Intention envelopes - Thank you!]

Mass Intention envelopes - Thank The Altar Sanctuary Lamp:

SJV OLA

Our Lady's Shrine:

SJV OLA

Peter Marius Knox RIP

Sacred Heart Shrine:

SJV OLA

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Please remember in your prayers all who have died recently, especially Ethel Maureen Grys, Mollie McKie, Cecilia Dodds, Vince Quinn, Brian Mannion, Tony Conway, Peter Marius Knox, Willam (Bill) McDonald, Maureen Clendon, Frances McCarron, Kate Maudlin, Tony O'Sullivan, Carol McNamara, Fr Brendan Carrick, Catherine Nixon, Jim O'Leary and all those who have died because of violence, terrorism, and tragedy and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

ETERNAL PEACE AND HAPPINESS, GRANT TO THEM, O LORD. We remember in prayer Families and Friends who miss the presence of someone they love. May they be reassured always of the Lord's Love.

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#### We pray for the welfare and the well-being of all our people: -

Please remember in your prayers to the Lord this week the elderly, the ill, the house-bound, the sick of our Parish, all those in our hospitals, all in our nursing and residential homes, those dying in our hospices, and all those who have asked us to pray for them.

May all know the Lord's Comfort and Peace. May the Lord bless all those who care for them.

We pray that God will bless our Parishes and all our homes and families for the many good unseen things that go on - which are always seen by God.

#### COLLECTIONS for 27th/28th July.

SJV GIFT AID [Envelopes] [14] £89.00

LOOSE £144.24 TOTAL £233.24

OLA GIFT AID [Envelopes] £108.10

LOOSE £148.12 TOTAL £256.22

Thank you all for your continued financial support for both our parishes.

RECONCILIATION - The Sacrament of God's Love - God's

Friendship - God's Peace

[1] After Masses [2] On Request

[3] Penitential Services [Advent/Lent/Summer]

A Simple Prayer – In Jesus' Name we continue to pray, In Jesus' Name we continue to serve, In Jesus' Name we continue to love, In Jesus' Name we continue to live, In Jesus' Name we continue to listen. AMEN

Don't forget at 6.00PM each day - the Our Father.

#### **PARISH DIARIES**

#### ST JOHN VIANNEY

Sunday Tea/
Coffee Rota: 4th August – Kath Kennedy
11th August - Maureen

18th August – Teresa & Verne

Volunteers needed please!!

**<u>Craft + Chat:</u>** First Tuesday of the Month

1.30PM-3.30PM Parish Hall.

Over 60's Exercise: Wednesdays 10.00-11.00PM

#### **OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION**

**Children's Liturgy:** Sunday 11.00AM Mass. **Sunday Tea/Coffee:** After 11.00AM Mass in the

Joan Clarke room.

Craft/Computer Club: Wednesdays 10.30am-

12.30pm

<u>Divine Mercy Novena</u>: Thursdays 11.00AM. <u>Lunch Club</u>: Thursdays after 12.00PM

Mass.

Church Cleaning: 1.30PM on 2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup>

Thursdays of the month

Today we celebrate the Parish Feast of St John Vianney. There are very few parishes in England and Wales dedicated to St John Vianney and our parish is the only one in the Archdiocese of Birmingham.

John Vianney was born in 1796, in Dardilly, France, the son of a poor farmer. Because of the persecutions in the French Church following the Revolution, he had to wait until he was 13 to receive his first Holy Communion.

After 11 years of study, he was ordained into the priesthood and assigned as the Pastor of the remote village of Ars, some miles from Lyon. He began teaching and preaching to the people, visiting those in need and encouraging the people to receive the Sacraments, especially the Sacrament of Confession. He would often spend 14-18 hours each day in the confessional and people would come from near and far to confess their sins to the holy Cure of Ars. He lived an austere life, which was founded upon prayer, care for the Lord's flock and a great belief in the mercy of God.

His died 4th August 1859, exhausted by the ministry that he had received. He was canonised a Saint in 1925.

May the Holy Pastor of Ars intercede for us the people of this parish.

#### **PARISH EVENTS and ITEMS OF INTEREST**

PARISH FEAST DAY: Solemnity of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary on *Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> August* there will be a sharing supper after Mass, please complete the form at the back of church with what you will be bringing (to avoid duplicates)

Flowers with Friends at OLA: As part of OLA's feast day celebrations Christine Tolan will be holding a flower arranging class on *Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> August* at *10.30am* during Craft Club, if you would like to attend it will be £5.00 for Craft Club members and £10.00 for non-members. Please see Michelle to book a place.

Coach to Harvington Hall: St Thomas More's a quote for a coach is £840 for 53 seats. It would depart St Thomas More at 12.30pm and return for c6.30pm. £16-£20 depending on numbers.(which is cheaper than the quote we received for a minibus which would have been £30.00 a person). Please let the secretaries know before the 18th August to see if this is viable.