

Holy Mass Year B. Psalter Wk2

10.00 Exposition of the blessed sacrament & confessions:

Sat 3rd 6:00pm Pro Populo

Sun 4th 9:15am Henry Goff RIP

Children's Liturgy is taking a break and will resume in September

There will be NO Refreshments in the Hall after 9:15am Mass this week

Sun 4th 11:00am Hugh & Eamonn McAteer Rip

Weekdays Holy Rosary: 9:10am led by parishioners

Mon 5th 9:30am Deceased members of Nkouatcha Family—Tony & Sheila Kothanikkal (34th Wedding ann)

Tue 6th 9:30am Deceased Members of Tempra & Beneditti families *Transfiguration of the Lord*

Wed 7th 9:30am Pulickal Mani (1st ann)

Thu 8th 9:30am David Vernau RIP (bday ann) *St Dominic*

Fri 9th 9:30am For all the People my sins have hurt *St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross*

9th 10:00am Internment of Ashes Margaret Corbett

Sat 0th 9:30am Pat Moran RIP

* Mass intentions envelopes and Mass cards at the Piety Shop.

Let us Pray to the Lord

For the sick:

Theresa Devaney, Marie Lewis, John Barrass, Mary Browner, David Marsh, Kirsty Kalnins, Codey Darlison, Cynthia Mallabone, David Reeves, Stan Banks, Joan Hanlon, Margaret Berk-mire, Liz Lloyd, Mary Furlong, Juliette-Susan Glover, Liz Bostock, Joan Thomas & Illeana Goodman.

For all those in hospital and parishioners who receive the Blessed Sacrament at home.

For the recently departed: Eamonn McAteer & Jane Goodyear.

Anniversaries week beginning 4th August 2024

Ellen Tierney, Laura Comer, Eugenie Jones, Michael Duffy, Urzula Maciazek, Adam Dalton, Neil Leedham, Norah Chadwick, John Hyrckiv, Charles Keaney & Reece Pinks.

Clergy Anniversaries:

Rev David Ford, Rev Cuthbert Brown, Deacon John Leach, Rev James Gough Rev Francis Gwinnett.

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THE REASON WHY WE WERE BAPTISED:

A life without purpose is very difficult to live. Idleness is more tiring than active life. Disciplined persons prefer having a program to follow; something to aim at, a destination in mind. Nothing can be achieved without intent. As much as opportunity offers, I like asking young people about their dreams. Most of them spontaneously say that *'they do not know,'* while others begin soul-searching for the dreams they had the night before! It takes time to explain to them that by *'dream'*, I was referring to their purpose in life, or what they aim to achieve in life.

On Tuesday evening, we learned about the departure of Jane Goodyear to her eternal reward. As a fellow pilgrim, I felt a sense of relief, that one of us had completed the finishing line as a faithful soldier in the good fight. In the military, it is a greater honour for the soldier to die in battle than to die of malaria or diarrhoea in hospital! The soldiers celebrate rather than mourn, their fallen comrades, but they do not celebrate those who meet their death in non combative circumstances! To esteem the brevity of their fallen comrades we hear them say *'we will remember them'*.

As believers in God and followers of Jesus Christ, there is no reason why we should not breath a sigh of relief and feel thankful to God when one of us departs this life as a faithful servant, and a tireless labourer in the vineyard of the Lord. Jane was that kind of person she focussed her attention on Jesus Christ and created every opportunity to instruct those who wanted to know more about him. She kept on going.

Jane has been unwell for sometime, but that did not stop her from getting involved in the activities building up the Kingdom of God through the Church. In her failing health the words of St. Paul were expressed: *"neither death nor life, no angel no prince, nothing that exists, nothing still to come, not any power, or height or depth, nor any created thing, can ever come between us and the love of God made visible in Christ Jesus our Lord."* Rom 8:38-39.

Our parish has of late lost members who put their faith into action such as Henry Molloy, Hugh McAteer and now Jane Goodyear among others. The offices they held voluntarily need someone to occupy them. We must carry on this ministry. As a community, we extend our condolences to Kevin Goodyear for losing such an iconic person in his life.

Fr. Jimmy Lutwama AJ Parish Priest.

AJ Mission



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Contact the parish office for the Sacraments of Marriage and Baptism.
Hall Bookings, Gift Aid and all general enquiries.

The Parish Team:

Parish Priest: Fr Jimmy Lutwama AJ. fr.jimmy.lutwama@rcaob.org.uk
Deacons: Rev Mike Skidmore 024 76384406 Rev Phil Bracken 07355 535666
Presentation Sisters : Sr Therese, Sr Jacinta & Sr Helen 024 76350615
Parish Secretary: Ms Stephanie Taunton (Mon to Fri 9am to 1pm)

Schools: Our Lady and St Josephs School TEL: 024 76383807
St Thomas More Catholic Academy & Sixth Form College Tel: 024 76642400

SAFEGUARDING: The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our parish Safeguarding Representative: Christine Scullion sg.oloangels.nuneaton@rcaob.org.uk Alternatively if you have any concerns please contact the Diocesan Safeguarding team 0121 230 6240 email safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concerns.

FINANCE: Second Collection:

Parish Finances week beginning 28/7/24

COLLECTION: £793.90 of which Gift Aid £294.05

FABRIC FUND: £503.94 of which Gift Aid: £238.06

JULY Tap & Go: £ 919.00 of which Gift Aid: £714.00

JULY STANDING ORDER: £2430.67

CAFOD Tea/Coffee July: £77.68

Sunday 20/21 July Mass attendance 569

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Meditation, Seniors and Coffee Mornings will take a break for summer and will resume in September .

4th August 2024 MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE:

Message from the Diocesan Safeguarding Team: some of you have asked me why our many of our Altar Servers are not serving these days I have been asked to share the following message from the diocesan Safeguarding Team: “any Altar Servers over the age of 18 need a DBS check. We understand where young people may have served for many years, that this can get overlooked once they reach 18, but they do need a DBS. If altar servers who have reached 18 haven’t recently done so, please could we ask that you work with your Parish Safeguarding Rep, or review your own list of altar servers, and check that any who have now reached 18 in the last year or so, have undergone the full “safer recruitment” process and have appropriate checks. Any questions, please speak to the Safeguarding Admin Team.” All our altar servers have submitted their documentation for a DBS and the process is being handled. I pray that this is done quickly so that we may serve the mystery of our faith together.

Choir on Summer break: the 11:00am Sunday choir members will be taking their annual summer break after this Sunday. I wish to thank them immensely for their commitment and service to the parish through liturgical singing. A parish without a good choir will have the risk of having flat liturgy. The 11:00 O'clock choir will be in action at the beginning of September. In the meantime, it is the opportunity of every member to come on board and become a singer or a choirmaster keeping the words of our forefathers ‘*when the cat is away, mice will play*’. Come on now!

Violin player needed: Fr. Jimmy is looking for someone who knows how to play a violin for a conversation with him. It does not matter the age as long as you know how to play it. He will be pleased to be contacted on 07906124756 , or just come to the parish office.

Bible Study will start on Wednesday morning 4th September after Mass. This is a ONE hour DVD presentation of Salvation History. This will run for 23 weeks during term time only. Bring a friend and a notebook along. 2024. It will be an opportunity to have lunch and to spend the afternoon together. This is a very important togetherness part of which is to invite other people to share our food. Apart from food, we shall need donations of water and soft drinks for children. We shall need some entertainment as well.

A New Stained Glass Window has been purchased and donated to the church in perpetuity by Mrs. Sas Jennings. Thanks to her for adorning our church building. The new window is the second from the bottom of left hand corner.

Death Announcement: I’m sorry to announce to you the death of Jane Goodyear which occurred on Tuesday morning 30th July. She was a key figure in the parish. Our condolences, prayers and thoughts go to Kevin and family at this time. Funeral announcements will be announced later. May Jane *Requiescat In Pace* (RIP).