

Holy Mass Year B. Psalter Wk4

10.00 Exposition of the blessed sacrament & confessions:

Sat 14th 6:00pm KC Lukose RIP - John Ross Rip (bday ann)

Sun 15th 9:15am Joseph Willett RIP (bday ann)

Children's Liturgy begins in the Hall before Mass

Refreshments in the Hall after 9:15am Mass

Sun 15th 11:00am Franciska Ofodile RIP

Weekdays Holy Rosary: 9:10am led by parishioners

Mon 16th 9:30am John Bowen RIP *Ss Cornelius & Cyprian*

Tue 17th 9:30am John-Paul Del'Frati RIP

17th 9:30am St Thomas More Welcome Mass

Wed 18th 9:30am Pat Rudkin bday Thanksgiving - Martin Tamang RIP

Thu 19th 9:30am Liz Bostock RIP

Fri 20th 9:30am Clive Osbourne *Ss Andrew Kim Tae-gon & Paul Chog Ha-sang*

Sat 21st 9:30am Ray & Pat (wedding ann) Thanksgiving *St Matthew*

* 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, Joan Thomas & Illeana Goodman .

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

For the recently departed: Sr Eileen Keating

Anniversaries week beginning 15th September 2024:

Joseph Smith, Marjorie Boswell, John Kelly, Alfred Smith, Michael Cauchi, Damian Solecki, Jessie Murray, Martin Dowling & Margaret Lynskey.

Clergy Anniversaries:

Rev Richard Dinnis, Rev Patrick Meagher, Archbishop George Dwyer, Rev William Oddie, Canon Peter McKenna, Rev Alan Holtham, Rev Peter Lees, Rev John Steward, Canon David Mellor & Rev John Roddy.

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THE CONNECTION IS VERY REMOTE

I have been impressed by the number of woodpigeons busily feeding their young. If you are a small vegetable gardener like Roger in the parish allotment, woodpigeons are by no means friendly. The devotion of animals, birds and insects to take care of their young, is a lesson to human beings, how God has created man with superior wisdom to aspire for eternal values. It has been so good to see children back in school. Let us support them and the teachers to achieve excellence.

Catholic schools have governing bodies to assist the Church in maintaining Catholic ethos. Acting together, all the governors have a duty under civil law to conduct them with a view to promoting high standards of academic achievement. In doing so, they must comply with the school's Instrument of Government, and Trust Deed. Each of these documents will contain a clause defining the school's Catholic ethos, character and purpose.

Foundation Governors are appointed by the Bishop, they have additional duties and responsibilities to secure the Catholic character of the school and to ensure it is run in accordance with the Trust Deed.

The governing body of a Catholic school must use its legal powers to ensure its employment policies are consistent with the school's fundamental purpose. It must abide with directions from the school's trustees, so fulfilling its statutory duty to maintain and develop the religious character of the school.

Overall some 46% of teachers working Catholic schools ought to be baptised Catholics. The employment contracts given by governing bodies to all teaching staff will include a clause emphasising the religious character of the school and the corresponding duties of the employees. That clause will be worded along the following lines or something very similar:

"... The teacher hereby agrees: ... to have regard to the Roman Catholic character of the School and not do anything in any way detrimental or prejudicial to the interests of the same;"

You need not be a Catholic to secure a place for your child in a Catholic School. Some people finding out that there are requirements including to produce a baptismal certificate, they get tempted to ask for baptism, not because they are want to become Catholics but because they want a place for their child in a Catholic school. The connection between the two is very remote.

If you want to have your child baptised, you need to know that at least one parent must be baptised Catholic, a child must have at least one baptised Catholic for a godparent. Parents who want a godparent who is baptised in another denomination (faith), they will not be listed as a godparent but as a witness. The minister will need to see proof of baptism. You should contact the church at which you were baptised for a copy of your baptismal certificate. You must reside within the parish boundaries and to attend Mass weekly. Do not seek baptism for your child because you want to secure a place in a catholic school. The connection is very remote indeed.

Jimmy Lutwama AJ Parish Priest (Ed)



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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: 15th Sept Catholic Evangelisation

Parish Finances week beginning 8/9/24

COLLECTION: £842.77 of which Gift Aid £250.00

FABRIC FUND: £221.17 of which Gift Aid: £221.17

AUG Tap & Go: £254.00 of which Gift Aid: £179.00

SEPTEMBER STANDING ORDER: £1353.67

CATHOLIC EDUCATION: £230.58 To DONATE

Sunday 7/8th September Mass attendance 688 Scan QR Code

Many

Thanks!



Gift Aid it! - to add 25% to the value of your donation contact the parish office!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

SECOND COLLECTIONS: SEPT 15th Catholic Evangelisation & 22nd Fr Hudson's

Mon - Sep 16/30th	Christian Meditation 7:30pm
Tue - Sep 24th	Seniors after 9:30am Mass
Tue - Sep 17/24th	7:30pm RCIA
Wed - Sep 11/25th	Bible Study after 9:30am Mass
Wed - Sep 18th	Coffee morning after 9:30am Mass
Wed - Sep 25th	Bible Study 7pm
Sun - Sep 29th	Novena Shared Table 1pm

15th September 2024 MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE:

Today 15th September Second Collection for Catholic Evangelisation., remember you can also donate using the card machines at the back of church.

Invitation to a meeting: I wish to invite you all to a very important meeting to be addressed by our area Bishop Richard Walker and the Dean of Coventry Mgr. Tom Farrell which will take place on 16th October starting from 7:00pm in the parish Church here at Nuneaton. This is a lifechanging meeting to be attended by Catholics from Our Lady of the Angels, St. Anne, St. Benedict **Atherstone**, Sacred Heart Bulkington and St. Francis Bedworth. You are all invited to guide the diocese on that date in the plans it will put forward for our evangelisation and mission.

Gift Aid Scheme I wish to thank all the parishioners who offer their Sunday donations through Gift Aid. The parish Secretary Steph Taunton will submit our claim in the next week or so. If you are a taxpayer please consider giving your Sunday donation through Gift Aid.

Quarant'ore Eucharistic Festival Fr. Simon Baker Parish priest of at St Thomas More in Coventry invites you to a Eucharistic festival from Thursday 3rd – Sunday 6th October 2024. During the forty hours, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed and all are encouraged to come and spend time with the Lord. The Quarant'ore will also be interspersed with 'themed' Holy Hours, the Divine Offices and the Holy Rosary. Our Eucharistic Festival will be a wonderful opportunity for us to grow in love of the Lord, in the most precious gift of the Blessed Sacrament and to echo those words of Fr Francis Stanfield, 'Sweet Sacrament divine, hid in thine earthly home; lo, round thy lowly shrine, with suppliant hearts we come.' It will also be possible to buy Votive candles for intentions that will be placed around the Blessed Sacrament for the Forty Hours. If anyone would like to sign up to sit with the Lord at a particular time, please call 02476411900 or email stm.covty@rcaob.org.uk.

Death Announcement the Presentation Sisters (Sr. Helen, Theresa and Jacinta) regret to announce to us the untimely death of their Provincial Superior Sr Eileen Keating which occurred on Thursday morning. It is not long since the Province chose her as their coordinator. Please remember her in your prayers.

Church Wardens needed to help us in the direction of events during Mass. Please volunteer your time by doing something. Books need to be given out and placed back, collection has to be taken and the faithful need to be welcomed and sat in the Church. Forms are available at the back of the church where you can write your name, the support you would wish to offer and your contact. Thank you for volunteering.

Father Hudson's Care is the Social Care Agency of the Archdiocese. The charity's Annual Parish collection is coming up on Saturday 21 - Sunday 22 September and we're looking for volunteers who would be willing to speak in their local parish about the work the charity does. If you would be willing to speak, for support and guidance please contact us on: fundraising@fatherhudsons.org.uk

New Bible Study Evening Group. Starts on 25th September at 7:00pm. We will be studying the Book of Revelation. Please bring a friend and a notebook!

Novena to Our Lady Undoer of Knots Starts 20th September finishing on 29th at 1:00pm with a shared table. Masses will be daily at 9:30am or 7:00pm. If you have a special celebration and would like it mentioned please contact Steph on 02476 382137 and give your name and request.