

Holy Mass Year B. Psalter Week 4

Sat 9th 6:00pm Ayodile's Family Thanksgiving

Sun 10th 9:15am Zacharia's Family Thanksgiving

Children's Liturgy begins in the Hall before Mass

Refreshments in the Hall after 9:15am Mass

Sun 10th 11:00am Frank Bracken RIP

Weekdays Holy Rosary: 9:10am led by parishioners

Mon 11th 9:30am Iris & Joe Sabec—Scaria Cherian RIP *St Martin of Tours*

Tue 12th 9:30am Thanksgiving Birthday Mass *St Josaphat*

Wed 13th 9:30am All those whom my sins have hurt—Jane Muhindi Gachigiri RIP

Thu 14th 9:30am Asha Njoki RIP

14th 9:30am School Mass

Fri 15th 9:30am Ann Munnely RIP - Amiu Jamadhau

Sat 16th 9:30am Pro Populo

Sat 10.00 Exposition of the blessed sacrament & confessions:

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

Let us Pray to the Lord

For the sick:

Theresa Devaney, Marie Lewis, Mary Browner, David Marsh, Kirsty Kalnins, Codey Darlison, Cynthia Mallabone, David Reeves, Joan Hanlon, Margaret Berk mire, Liz Lloyd, Mary Furlong, Illeana Goodman & Jane Kalnins.

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

For the recently departed: John Barrass (18th Nov) Stan Banks (29th Nov) Alma McDonough (27th Nov) & Catherine Bailey (28th Nov)

Anniversaries week beginning 10th November 2024:

Thomas Sheehan, Seamus Maguire, Paul Byrne, Mary Leroy, Charlesina Godfrey, Janet Banks, Alfred Baxter, Francis Smith, Terence Sullivan, May Stevens, Margaret Roberts, Richard Collins, James Mulcahy, Geraldine Bailey, Gwendolene Hewitt, Andrew Wilson, Carolyn Cook & Nancy Burns.

Clergy Anniversaries:

Rev Michael O'Keefe, Deacon John Burton, Rev Petroc Howell, Rev Lawrence Smith, Rev Thomas O'Connor, Rev William Boyle, Rev Joseph Ryan, Rev James O'Sullivan & Rev Raymond Jones.

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10th November 2024

“WHEN THERE WILL BE NO MORE TRAINING FOR WAR” Isaiah 2:4

November starts with the Solemnity of all the Saints, but apart from the Solemn liturgy of the day, the rest of the month is spent praying for the dead. I thank you for remembering these poor souls in your prayers. Many of them prayed for the people called before them, they need our prayers at this moment and when our turn will come, we shall need the prayers of those we shall leave behind. The visit to the cemetery last Sunday was well attended. This was an act of our firm belief in the mercy of God.

Today is Remembrance Sunday. We recall the painful death of our brethren who perished in war. I'm sure that the people who have never experienced war, talking about it, does not bring home the fact that it is one of the worst things that any sober mind would wish to incite or to see taking place anywhere on earth. War is evil and just war theory might not take into account the losses that are involved. The best way is to avoid war at any and every opportunity.

The primary ambition in war is the destruction of life, property and infrastructure of the enemy whether he is real or imaginary. This destruction does not exclusively target the combatants but non fighters, wildlife and vegetation is not spared either. The devil's venomous sting is hidden in the craft of war, turning friends into foes, such that man turns on man as though he was a monster!

'We shall remember them' is a common statement we hear on Remembrance Day. I'm not sure how many men and women who have power in their hands, mean what they say when they utter these words. The person who says those words is expected to imply that he/she regrets that the fallen gave up their today for my tomorrow, but I wouldn't wish to see more of that. However experience shows that the same people are busy making research on how life and property can be destroyed quicker and on a massive scale.

Remembrance Sunday calls on every living person to work for peace, to become a channel of peace and to wish no one anything else except peace. Let us try to think of so many young lives that never lived to experience the goodness of ageing. Think also of the old people who spent their life doing good and living peaceful lives, just to end their life at the violent hands of another man. We realise that to say 'we shall remember them' is not good enough without casting to the bottom of the sea the greed that abides in the human heart which leads to war.

War is a lucrative money maker for some people and governments. I'm sure that it will not be during my life time when we shall live in a world where there will be no ruined wall, no exile or when there will be no sound of weeping in our streets. I'm also sure that it will not be in my life time when there will be no more training for war. However we must start from somewhere by being peace makers. Do not buy a toy gun or a toy pistol as your son's birthday present, instead teach him from the start to hate violence and to value peace.

Fr. Jimmy Lutwama AJ Parish Priest .



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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:

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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
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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.

FINANCE: Second Collection: 24th Nov Catholic Youth Service

Parish Finances week beginning 3/11/24

COLLECTION: £1008.52 of which Gift Aid £485.60

FABRIC FUND: £ 246.24 of which Gift Aid: £246.24

OCT Tap & Go: £ 438.00 of which Gift Aid: £258.00

NOVEMBER STANDING ORDER: £1299.67

JOHNSON ASSOCIATION: £ 208.75 To DONATE

Sunday 2/3rd November Mass attendance 632 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:

Sun - Nov 17th	CAFOD cake sale
Mon - Nov 11/18/25th	Christian Meditation
Tue - Nov 12/19/26th	7:30pm RCIA
Tue - Nov 19th	Seniors after Mass
Wed - Nov 20/27th	Bible Study after 9:30am Mass
Wed - Nov 13/20/27th	7pm Bible Study
Wed - Nov 13th	Coffee morning after Mass

MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE:.

VERY important! Anyone who uses the Parish Hall **MUST** remember to turn the heating off when you leave. It keeps being left on and is very costly to the parish.

Mass for the Deceased Clergy of the Deanery will be at 7.00pm in Corpus Christi Church Coventry on Tuesday 12th November. The names of the priests who have ministered to us and have died, will be read out. You are encouraged to attend if you can.

Pray for Mgr Graham Wilkinson, retired Priest of the Archdiocese, who died on Wednesday 30th October 2024, at the age of 77 at George Elliot Hospital He worked in many parishes including St Chad's Cathedral, English Martyrs, Rugby, St Michael's, Penn and St Peter's Bromsgrove, from where he retired in 2022.

Mass for deceased Cateneans will take place on 28th November 2024 at 6:15pm.

Our Lady & St Joseph School invites all parents for Family Mass on Saturday 16th November at 6pm at OLA Church. This Mass is meant to bring parents together in collective encounter with God in worship.

New Edition of the Lectionary for Mass. The new edition of the Lectionary for Mass (Ordo Lectionum Missae) confirmed by the Apostolic See in 2023 comes into use in England and Wales on the First Sunday of Advent 2024. By decree of the Bishops' Conference, "From that date forward, no other English language edition of the Lectionary for Mass may be used in the dioceses of England and Wales."

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2025 The Dicastery for Promoting Christian Unity has produced, alongside and together with the Commission on Faith and Order of the World Council of Churches, materials for the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2025. The theme for next year is: Do you believe this (John 11:26), and resources specific for England and Wales will soon be circulated. The week will be celebrated between Saturday 18 and Saturday 25 January 2025.

TABLE TOP SALE 7.12.24 Tabletop Christmas Sale Fundraiser Will be held in the Church Hall. If you would like to help raise money for the parish and for yourself, rent a table at £20. A £10 deposit is all that's needed to secure your table! We have a limited number so this will be on a first come basis. On 7th December, you organise your own stall and sell your own items, be it from your 'loft' or made by your own hands. Doors will be opened at 9:30am allowing you time to set up your space. The 'Sale' will start at 11:00am and end at 2:00pm. There will be hot drinks and cakes available to purchase. We look forward to welcoming you.

High Teas!!! On 7th December at 2:30-4:00, following the Table Top Sale, there is an opportunity to book a High Tea at £10 pp. We have a limited number of spaces (28) with a maximum of 4 people per table. If you would like to book a space (payment in advance), please contact Pat (07711102582).

CAKES FOR CAFOD in the hall after 9.15am mass Sunday 17th November Cakes from 50p and all proceeds will go to CAFOD.

World Day of the Poor, 17 November 2024 'The prayer of the poor rises up to God' (cf. Sir 21:5) The Pope's message for the 8th World Day of the Poor invites us to 'be friends of the poor, following in the footsteps of Jesus'. Parishes are encouraged to use this opportunity to reflect on the needs in our local communities, and how we are reaching out with spiritual and material support. Please visit: www.vatican.va/content/francesco/en/messages/poveri/documents/20240613-messaggi-viii-giornatamondiale-poveri-2024.html