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Holy Mass Year B. Psalter Week 1

Sat 16th 6:00pm Franciska Ofodile RIP

16th 6:00pm Our Lady & St Joseph Family Mass

Sun 17th 9:15am Joseph Willett RIP—Steve Saunders RIP

Children's Liturgy begins in the Hall before Mass

Refreshments in the Hall after 9:15am Mass

Sun 17th 11:00am Henry Goff RIP

Weekdays Holy Rosary: 9:10am led by parishioners

Mon 18th 10:00am Requiem for John Barrass

Tue 19th 9:30am Ayodile's Family Thanksgiving

19th 9:30am St Thomas More School Mass

Wed 20th 9:30am Stony Mathias RIP - Eusebiu RIP

Thu 21st 9:30am Joan O'Riordan RIP Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Fri 22nd 9:30am Betty McGowan RIP St Cecilia

Sat 23rd 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 Berkmire, Liz Lloyd, Mary Furlong, Illeana Goodman, Jane Kalnins & Mufaro Kwambana.

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

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

Anniversaries week beginning 17th November 2024:

Stephen Saunders, Eleanor Stanley, Teresa Jones, Joseph Willett, Margaret Stewart, Charles Wilkinson, Merle Theobald, Jean Barry & John Sabin,

Clergy Anniversaries:

Rev Bernard Boulton, Canon Philip Coyne, Archbishop John McIntyre, Rev Gerry Jackson, Rev David Higham & Deacon Pat Linthwaite

# Our Lady of the Angels Catholic Church

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#### FORMATION OF OUR PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL

Time has come to form our Parish Pastoral Council (PPC). As the title suggests, the purpose of a PPC is to help bring about the mission and vision of the parish. Canon Law is brief in its treatment of parish councils. Unlike the Finance Councils (Can 537) which are mandatory, parish pastoral councils are established by the diocesan bishop if he judges it necessary after hearing from the Council of priests. Parish Councils are presided over by the Parish Priest consequent of his role in representing the juridic needs of the parish. In addition to parishioners, the PPC should include in its membership, those who hold pastoral office such as assistant parish priests and deacons.

The PPC is consultative, it does not make laws, it supports the parish priest in the running of the parish by finding resources, employing expertise prudently advising him in what needs to be done for the fulfilment of **Evangelisation, Formation, Liturgy and Social Outreach**. The Council should operate according to the norms set out by the diocesan bishop (Canons 532, 536). It enjoys consultative voice but the parish priest should be mindful of the views expressed by a Parish Pastoral Council especially when there is a consensus (Canon 127 §2, °2).

The PPC can have office holders such as the secretary or assistant parish priest. However, a document *Ecclesiae de mysterio*, 1997 art.5 n.3° clarifies that "actions cannot be decided in the absence of the parish priest, hence they are to be considered invalid, null and void any deliberations entered into or decisions taken by a Parish Council which has not been presided over by the parish priest or which has assembled contrary to his wishes". Of course there can be extreme cases when the parish priest and the Parish Pastoral Council are not singing from the same page.

The archbishop has decreed that in the present pastoral climate, Parish Pastoral Councils be formed within this year 2024 as bodies of "ecclesial co-responsibility" in the evangelisation of each parish. I wish to ask you to write down for me the people who you think could serve our parish in that capacity.

Since the pastoral council will act as people's representative, the eyes and ears of the Parish priest, the person you nominate "must be blameless, never arrogant or hot tempered, nor a heavy drinker of wine, or violent or obsessed by personal profit; but a person who is hospitable and a friend of all that is good, sensible, moral, devout and self controlled. The person must have a firm grasp of the unchanging message of our Catholic teaching, so that he/she can be counted on, for both expounding the sound doctrine, and refuting those who argue against it, so that the message of God is never disgraced (Titus 1:7-9, 2:6).

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:

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 <a href="mailto:safe-guarding@rcaob.org.uk">safe-guarding@rcaob.org.uk</a>.

### FINANCE: Second Collection: 24th Nov Catholic Youth Service

Parish Finances week beginning 10/11/24

COLLECTION: £843.96 of which Gift Aid £287.00

FABRIC FUND: £373.17 of which Gift Aid: £193.61

NOV Tap & Go: £362.00 of which Gift Aid: £196.00 Thanks!

NOVEMBER STANDING ORDER: £1510.67

To DONATE

Sunday 9/10th November Mass attendance 652 Scan QR Code



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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 18/25th Christian Meditation

Tue - Nov 19/26th 7:30pm RCIA

Tue - Nov 19th Seniors after Mass

Wed - Nov 20/27th Bible Study after 9:30am Mass

Wed - Nov 20/27th 7pm Bible Study

Wed - Dec 18th Coffee morning after Mass

#### **MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE:**.

**Solemnity of Christ the King** marks the end of the Church's liturgical year and the beginning of a new one. It is a National Youth Day, we are reminded of the presence of young people among us. Let us support them by encouraging them to take active part in parish building along with us. Above all, let us prepare them to take over what we are doing now.

**Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 2025** thousands of pilgrims visit the Grotto of Our Blessed Mother at Lourdes. You can register and book your place now for Birmingham Archdiocese Pilgrimage 2025 which is also the jubilee year. The pilgrimage will take place from Saturday 24th—Friday 30th May 2025. To book your place please go to www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/loudes.

**Mr. Stan Banks reception** of body in church on 28th Nov at 4:00pm. There will be Mass for deceased Cateneans at 6:15pm.

**Thanks to St. Thomas More Catholic Secondary** School for facilitating the Saturday Mass this weekend. The involvement of young people in Church activity is so appreciated since we look to young people to take on the work that we have faithfully done over the years.

**Take Action by opposing assisted suicide** the Catholic Bishops Conference calls upon Catholics in England and Wales to unite in prayer and compassionate action to oppose assisted suicide, which is as a matter of fact another way of legalizing suicide in this country. A bill on assisted suicide was tabled by Labour MP Kim Leadbeater and a vote will be taken on Friday November 29. Please pick a card at the back of the church, sign it and post it today to your MP.

**Presentation Sisters Teresa, Helen and Jacinta**, would like to thank the Parishioners who attended the Coffee Morning after Mass on Wednesday 13 November; sincere thanks go to those who donated, provided refreshments, organised raffle and bought tickets. The final count has reached £340.00. Thank you for your generosity.

**Tabletop Sale 7.12.24** Tabletop Christmas Sale Fundraiser Will be held in the parish hall Coton Road, Nuneaton CV11 5UA Each table will be let at £20. A £10 deposit is all that's needed to secure your table! 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.

**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).

Walk With Me booklets are available to help us prepare for Christmas. They contain very good prayers and biblical reflections for each day of Advent. Please take them for your family, your friends and for yourself. Although there is a suggested £1.00 to help in printing cost, please take one by all means.

Masses Requested for Holy Souls, the names of the deceased are being written down. They will be sent to Nairobi with the donations you have given, to be distributed to priests of Apostles of Jesus working in mission lands round the world, to support their work of evangelisation. At every Mass, the names of your loved one will be mentioned as the intention of that Mass. From the heaven of heavens may God listen and grant his mercy.