



**St John Fisher**  
Catholic Church, Coventry

## PARISH NEWSLETTER

ST JOHN FISHER CATHOLIC CHURCH, TIVERTON ROAD, WYKEN, COVENTRY, WEST MIDLANDS, CV2 3DL



### Served by and Contact Details:

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**Parish Secretary** : Mrs Sweeny D Costa

**Office time** : Every Tuesday and Friday 9.30am-4.30pm

**Ph: 02476 443459**

For Weddings and Baptisms: Kindly make appointment with the parish priest

Baptisms on the Second and Fourth Sundays

Eucharistic Adoration on Fridays at 8-30am

ROSARY Prayer on WEEKDAYS at 8-40am

Confession: Fri 8.30am, Sat 6-00pm, Sun 9-00am or on request

**FOR PARISH HALL HIRING, CONTACT: MRS CATHY O'TOOLE - 07506358587**

(Mon – Fri, 10-00am-5-00pm)

**TODAY WE CELEBRATE FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, 11<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2025, YEAR C.**

**Sunday readings: New Sunday Missal on Pg No 856**

**Acts 13:14, 43-52;**

**Ps 99; Response: We are his people, the sheep of his flock.**

**Revelation 7:9, 14-17;**

**John 10:27-30**

**LIVE STREAMING –**

St John Fisher Catholic Church Coventry

**SAFEGUARDING OFFICER-** The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and National and Archdiocese's policies and procedures at all times. Our parish Safeguarding Representative is **Mrs. Rebecca Fawcett**. She can be contacted at

[sg.stjohnfisher.covty.rcaob.org.uk](mailto:sg.stjohnfisher.covty.rcaob.org.uk). Alternatively, the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on **01212306240** or at [safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk) if you have any concern.

**HEALTH AND SAFETY:** Mr David McAnenny & Charles Fernandez

### Websites

PARISH WEBSITE – <https://sjfcov.org>

ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM –

[www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk](http://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk)

COVENTRY DEANERY WEBSITE –

[www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk](http://www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk)

PARISH MASS	SCHEDULE	TIME	INTENTIONS
SAT	10	06-30 PM	Margaret Asini RIP; Hugh McAteer RIP; Jericho B'day Int
SUN	11 World Day of prayer for vocations	07-30 AM 09-30 AM 11-30 AM 03-00 PM	Syro- Malabar Qurbana Tom McGee RIP; Jacqueline Smith RIP Barney Gallen RIP ; Bernard Martin Teeling Sp Int Syro- Malabar Qurbana
MON	12	09-00 AM	<b>NO Mass</b>
TUE	13	09-00 AM	Micheal Ruddy RIP;
WED	14 St Matthias	09-00 AM	Paddy Ring RIP
THU	15	09-00 AM	Annie Duffy RIP
FRI	16	09-00 AM	Nora Crishel RIP; Noreen Forde
SAT	17	10-30 AM 01-00 PM 06-30 PM	<b>FHC SJF Batch I</b> <b>FHC SJF Batch II</b> Baby Leo RIP; Margaret Asini RIP; Jadesola Adedoyin B'day Int ; Sean Conmy RIP
SUN	18 FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER	07-30 AM 09-30 AM 11-30 AM	Syro- Malabar Qurbana Annetta Kocur B'day Int ; Liam McHugh RIP Sean Newsome RIP & Eve Newsome RIP; Connor James Teeling Sp Int

### SJF Parish Collection on 04/05/2025

GAD [53]	£ 555-50	NON-GAD [7]	£ 28-00
Loose	£ 342-35		
Candles	£77-00	St Anthony's	£ 22-00
Piety	£60-00	100 Club	£90-00
Tea & Coffee	£ 35-60		

### 8 DAY CANDLES [£4-00 NOW] – THANK YOU

SHRINE	THIS WEEK 12/05/25	NEXT WEEK 19/05/25
<b>Our Lady's</b>	Lillian Skidmore Sp Int	Hugh McLiveney Sp Int
<b>Sacred Heart</b>	Cathy Family & Friends	Lillian Skidmore Sp Int
<b>St Joseph's</b>	Mary Brown	Mary O'Rielly Sp Int
<b>St Anthony's</b>	Margaret Dunn	Peace all over the world



*Let us keep in prayer our Pope Leo XIV that he may always be guided by the Holy spirit in leading the flock entrusted into his care.*

**We remember and pray for all those who have died recently , and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.**

**ETERNAL PEACE AND HAPPINESS, GRANT TO THEM ALL, LORD.** We remember in prayer Families and Friends who miss the presence of someone they love. **MAY THEY BE ASSURED ALWAYS OF THE LORD'S CARE.**



Prayers are requested for People who are Sick and Unwell at this Moment – Jean Flanningan, Ben Vance, Aneta Luc-Kocur, Phil Griffin, Claire Turner, Bridie Mannion, Paul Bowes, Garry Hole, Margaret Buckley, Cath O'Toole, Eric Holt, Derek Coyle, Kirsty Coyle, Ian Connell, Michael Ward, Jim Ward, Eileen Barnes, Thomas Hewitt, Peter Charman, Elaine Watkins, Arthur Watkins, Michael Butler, Cathy Grant, Peggy James, Christine Ambrose, David Johnson, Jackie Smith, Bridie Barry, John Cunningham, John Dorrington, David Tuson, Alice Parker, Nancy Guvi, Edward Matibiri, Margaret Goss, Kathleen Paton, Grainne Tighe, Malcolm, Irene Paton, Margaret Simpson, Vera Snell, Geraldine Collins, Jacqueline Marajh, Margaret Sidwell, Pauline Miller, Diane Welford, Bill Ward, Mary O'Reilly, Robert Freeman, Eileen O'Connor, Patrick O'Reilly, John McCann

- **The Parish Centre** is open on Mondays for a Cuppa & a Chat from 12noon – 2pm .This is an opportunity to bring people in the community and in the Parish together. If you or your neighbour want a lift to come in, please let us know about it and will arrange the same. ALL ARE WELCOME .
- **Crafty Fishers** – Crafty group will be every second & fourth Thursday evenings 6pm -8pm in the parish centre. Anyone interested welcome to join.
- **Annual Solemn Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Help:** *St Francis of Assisi, Handsworth, Birmingham, Monday 12 May - 21 May.* Weekly Novena Masses at 12:00 noon and 7:00 pm, The Novena Masses will be offered for the intention of all those who participate Special Mass for the sick and housebound on Saturday 17 May at 10:30 am and a Mass of Healing at 5 pm. A special prayer service for children of Primary School age on 19, 20 and 21 May at 10:00 am
- ❖ **Votive candles at shrine** : kindly remember to put the offering while lighting the candle at the shrines in church.
- ❖ We would like to thank Breeda for volunteering in cleaning up the church glass doors .
- ❖ **Murder Mystery-** On 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2025 at 7 Pm at SJF Parish Centre. £40 per person a 3-course meal is included and a mystery to solve! Bar open. Cash & Card accepted.
- ❖ **Events** – for more upcoming events at St John Fishers, Please look at the notice boards or posters around church.
- ❖ Weekly Envelopes are now ready for collection at the back of the church.
- ❖ Today there will be a Second Collection for the **Clergy Training Fund**.

**Readers/Eucharistic ministers Rota for this weekend and next weekend**

DATE	Time	1 <sup>st</sup> Reading & Psalms	2 <sup>nd</sup> Reading, Gospel Acclamation & Bidding prayers	Eucharistic Ministers
SATURDAY 10 <sup>th</sup> May	06-30 PM	Sebastian Tyrone Montes	Nigel McAuley	Terry Breeze & Maureen Steadman
SUNDAY 11 <sup>th</sup> May	09-30 AM	Ella	Michelle Savio	Brid Conmy & Niall Morris
	11-30 AM	Joe Grilli	Bernadette Norman	Manuel & Jaison Abraham
SATURDAY 17 <sup>th</sup> May	06-30 PM	Rija Bobby	Jane Sarginson	Victoria Alfonso & Nacey Abraham
SUNDAY 18 <sup>th</sup> May	09-30 AM	Aaron Jinesh	Ngozi Okafor	Alicia McKray & Gaye Gardner
	11-30 AM	Sinu Xavier	Susan O'Gorman	Joe Grilli & Bernadette Norman

**Prayer for vocations**

O LORD, MY GOD, YOU RENEW THE CHURCH IN every age BY RAISING UP PRIESTS OUTSTANDING IN HOLINESS, LIVING WITNESSES OF YOUR UNCHANGING LOVE. IN YOUR PLAN FOR OUR SALVATION YOU PROVIDE SHEPHERDS FOR YOUR PEOPLE. FILL THE HEARTS OF YOUNG MEN WITH THE SPIRIT OF COURAGE AND LOVE THAT THEY MAY ANSWER YOUR CALL GENEROUSLY. GIVE PARENTS THE GRACE TO ENCOURAGE VOCATIONS IN THEIR FAMILIES BY PRAYER AND GOOD EXAMPLE. RAISE UP WORTHY PRIESTS FOR YOUR ALTARS AND ARDENT BUT GENTLE SERVANTS OF THE GOSPEL. GIVE THE CHURCH MORE PRIESTS AND KEEP THEM FAITHFUL IN THEIR LOVE AND SERVICE. MAY MANY YOUNG MEN CHOOSE TO SERVE YOU BY DEVOTING THEMSELVES TO THE SERVICE OF YOUR PEOPLE. AMEN.

**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 6-00PM Each Day – The Our Father**  
*We pray that God will bless our Parish and all our homes and families for the many good unseen things that go on – which are always seen by God. THANK YOU SO MUCH.*