

**The Catholic Parishes of  
ST JOHN VIANNEY  
and OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION  
Coventry**

## **NEWSLETTER**

**WELCOME to our Masses this weekend and a special welcome if you are joining us for the first time.**

**ST JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
1 BISHOPTON CLOSE, COVENTRY CV5 7GW  
**OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
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**CELEBRATIONS** of the Sacraments of Baptism, Marriage and Reconciliation - PLEASE CONTACT FR DES.

**BAPTISM dates at SJV and OLA Churches**

**SJV Sunday 13th July - OLA Sunday 20th July**  
**SJV Sunday 14th September - OLA Sunday 21st September**  
**SJV 12th October - OLA Sunday 19th October**  
**SJV Sunday 9th November - OLA Sunday 16th November**

**PARISH SECRETARIES**

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**CATHOLIC SCHOOLS IN OUR PARISHES**

**ST JOHN VIANNEY PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
02476 464088 Headteacher: Mrs Veronica Gosling  
**OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION PRIMARY SCHOOL**  
02476 466655 Headteacher: Mrs Rachel Askew  
**BISHOP ULLATHORNE CATHOLIC SCHOOL**  
02476 414515 Headteacher: Mrs Sarah Boyle

**WEBSITES:**

SJV - [www.st-john-vianney.org.uk](http://www.st-john-vianney.org.uk)  
OLA - [www.ola-cov.org.uk](http://www.ola-cov.org.uk)  
ARCHDIOCESE - [www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk](http://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk)  
COVENTRY DEANERY WEBSITE - [www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk](http://www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk)

**SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVE - SJV and OLA**

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**SAFEGUARDING:** Our Parishes operate in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese's policies and procedures at all times. Our Parishes' Representative is **Tricia Towner** or contact the Diocesan Safeguarding Team on 0121 230 6240 or [safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk) if you have any concerns.



24/7 LIVE  
STREAMING IN  
BOTH CHURCHES -  
Please see notices  
in Churches.

**Have an Excellent Week – Filled  
with Faith + Joy, Love + Peace. Do  
Take Great Care.  
Fr Des  
22/06/2025 23.45PM**

The Parishes of SJV and OLA are part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham (Registered Charity Number 234216).

**21<sup>st</sup> / 22<sup>nd</sup> June 2025**

## **CORPUS CHRISTI (YEAR C)**

**FEAST**

(Mass Book p 83)

<u>MASSES</u>	<u>TIMES</u>	<u>INTENTIONS</u>	
<b>SATURDAY 21<sup>ST</sup></b>	<b>OLA 4.30PM</b> <b>SJV 6.00PM</b>	<b>June Leek RIP / John Bradley RIP</b> <b>William Greensmith RIP / People of the Parish</b>	
<b>SUNDAY 22<sup>ND</sup></b>	<b>SJV 9.30AM</b> <b>OLA 11.00AM</b>	<b>Rey Bernard Ramos RIP / Jim Heffernan RIP</b> <b>Annie &amp; John Gannon RIP / People of the Parish</b>	
<b>Monday 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>SJV 10.30AM</b>	<b>FUNERAL MASS JOHN PATRICK MAHON RIP</b>	
<b>Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>SJV 9.00AM</b>	<b>Special Intention (SC) / Sonia Robinson RIP</b>	<b>St John the Baptist</b>
<b>Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>OLA 9.00AM</b>	<b>Intentions Catherine Collins</b>	
<b>Thursday 26<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>OLA 12.00PM</b>	<b>Peter Marius Knox RIP / Intentions Terry Allen</b> <b>Special Intention (KM)</b>	
<b>Friday 27<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>SJV 9.00AM</b>	<b>Cornelius Collins RIP</b>	<b>Feast of Sacred Heart of Jesus</b>
<b>SATURDAY 28<sup>TH</sup></b>	<b>OLA 4.30PM</b> <b>SJV 6.00PM</b>	<b>Kevin Lambert RIP</b> <b>Teresa Gallagher RIP / Mick O'Keefe RIP</b> <b>Mary O'Keefe RIP / Siobhan O'Keefe RIP</b>	
<b>SS PETER &amp; PAUL</b>	<b>SJV 9.30AM</b>	<b>Intentions Candidates for Confirmation SJV &amp; OLA</b>	<b>SS PETER AND PAUL</b>
<b>SUNDAY 29<sup>TH</sup></b>	<b>OLA 11.00AM</b>	<b>Noone and Gannon Families RIP</b> <b>Jim Heffernan RIP</b>	

## JUNE 2025 CANDLES – YOUR INTENTIONS

[Donations £5.00 - Thank you!]

### The Altar Sanctuary Lamp:

SJV OLA **Kevin Lambert RIP**

### Our Lady's Shrine:

SJV OLA

### Sacred Heart Shrine:

SJV OLA

Please remember in your prayers all who have died recently, especially Manuel Velasco, John Mahon, Bridge Neylon, Ben Kelly, Gez Doran, Jeffrey Lines, June Leek, Nora Pigott, and all those who have died because of violence, terrorism, and tragedy and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time. ETERNAL PEACE AND HAPPINESS, GRANT TO THEM, O LORD.

We remember in prayer Families and Friends who miss the presence of someone they love. May they be reassured always of the Lord's Love.

### OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS for 14<sup>th</sup> / 15<sup>th</sup> June

<u>SJV</u>	GIFT AID [Envelopes] [20]	£129.00	
	LOOSE	£223.50	<b><u>TOTAL £352.50</u></b>

2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection for Day for Life	£209.16
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<u>OLA</u>	GIFT AID [Envelopes] [18]	£180.48	
	LOOSE	£254.75	<b><u>TOTAL £434.75</u></b>

2 <sup>nd</sup> Collection for Day for Life	£198.10
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### **NEXT WEEKEND (29th June) SECOND COLLECTION for PETER'S PENCE**

Thank you for your continued financial support for both of our parishes.

### *ST JOHN VIANNEY*

<u>Sunday Tea/</u>	22 <sup>nd</sup> June – Kath Kennedy
<u>Coffee Rota:</u>	29 <sup>th</sup> June – Louise
	6 <sup>th</sup> July – Maureen
	13 <sup>th</sup> July – Teresa & Verne
<u>Craft + Chat:</u>	1st Tuesday of the Month
	1.30pm-3.30pm Parish Hall.
<u>Over 60's Exercise:</u>	Wednesdays 10.00am-11.00am.

### *OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION*

<u>Sunday Tea/Coffee:</u>	After Mass - Joan Clarke room.
<u>Craft/Computer Club:</u>	Wednesday 10.00am-12.30pm.
<u>Divine Mercy Novena:</u>	Thursdays at 11am.
<u>Lunch Club:</u>	Thursdays after 12noon Mass.
<u>Church Cleaning:</u>	2 <sup>nd</sup> & 4 <sup>th</sup> Thursdays of each month. <b><u>Volunteers needed!</u></b>

**YOUNG ADULTS GROUP MEETINGS:** St Osburg's, 7pm to 9pm. Next meeting. To find out more please email Fr Benedict [fr.benedict.skipper@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:fr.benedict.skipper@rcaob.org.uk).

**MEMBERS OF THE LGBTQ+:** Monthly meeting to support and accompany 18+ LGBTQ+ Catholics, family members, and friends in a safe and respectful setting. **Next meeting 7:00pm date tba** at 13 Stoney Road, CV1 2NP. For details contact Deacon Leo 024 7641 9731 [dcn.leo.poole@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:dcn.leo.poole@rcaob.org.uk).

**CHARIS:** Corpus Christi Church every 4<sup>th</sup> Friday of the month 6.00pm-8.00pm.

## PARISH NEWS

**DONA MACHINES:** There are now contactless donation machines at both Churches where you can now tap and go whilst at church.

Alternatively, you can go to each church's website, follow the link or scan the QR code.

### ST JOHN VIANNEY

Donate online: <https://donate.mydona.com/st-john-vianney-coventry>

or use QR Code:



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### OUR LADY OF THE ASSUMPTION

Donate online: <https://donate.mydona.com/our-lady-coventry>

or use QR Code:



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Please be reassured you will be able to continue donating using cash. We will continue to have envelopes for both gift aid and non-gift aid.

**SJV PASTORAL CARE GROUP EVENT: Saturday 19 July 2025 at 2.00 pm in the Parish Room.**

A volunteer from the Warwickshire Search and Rescue Team will give a presentation about their work.

Tickets cost £5 each will be on sale after all Masses on 5th/6th and 12th/13th July.

All proceeds will go towards the work they do and the help they provide. Please support this worthy cause.

### DIARY DATES:

**OLA – CONFIRMATION on Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July**  
**SJV – CONFIRMATION on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July**