

our parish

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<u>Thank You:</u> We welcome Mgr Danny McHugh as our celebrant this Sunday morning and Fr Stephen Day this Sunday evening, also Fr Kevin Hooper who will celebrate the Funeral Mass for Sarah O'Donovan on Thursday.

<u>Anniversary of Fr Joe McKenna RIP:</u> 20th January-Fr David will celebrate Mass privately while he is away for this intention.

<u>Children's Liturgy:</u> Takes place during the first part of morning Mass, every week in term time.

First Holy Communions 2025: Sundays after morning Mass, for those preparing with the parish catechists. A parents meeting for **ALL** parents on Monday **27th at 6pm** in our hall, and Commitment Mass on Sunday **2nd February** at 10am

Lourdes Pilgrimage with the Diocese May 24-30th: We will have a meeting on the morning of Saturday 25th January at 10.15am for anyone who would like to talk about the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes. Any pilgrims needing nursing care need to be assessed over the next month or so. More nurses and helpers are needed. <u>Booking and Travel Arrangements | Birmingham Diocesan Trust</u>

<u>Men's Group</u>: The next meeting will be on **Tuesday January 21st** at7.45pm at the Hungry Horse. Please contact Peter Lawson for details on 01926 430176

<u>**Retro Disco : Saturday 8th February**</u> Doors open 7pm for 7.30. Admission by ticket £4 to include tea and coffee or you may bring your own chosen drinks.

Parish Theatre Trip: WAGS Gang Show, Royal Spa Centre, Leamington , **Sat. 1st March** at 2pm. Tickets £15. <u>Contact Jackie Patterson 0790 343 5060</u>

<u>Little Red Box:</u> An unnamed full Missio box was left in the Narthex recently. Thank you: The empty box is waiting for collection —please could you write your name on the label?

<u>Free to a good home:</u> A folding mobility scooter - the item must be collected. Contact the Parish Office if you are interested.

Next Youth Group Meeting for years 6,7,8: Thursday 30th January - 7pm— Davenport Room, St Peter's Church Conference Centre, Leamington. Young adults group : If you're within the age group (18 -35 years) and would like to join or continue the group (we have a group chat) do get in contact with Rose on 07484 127253.

St. Joseph's Parish Newsletter



19th January, 2025 The Second Sunday in Ordinary Time



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Deanery Website: <u>https://www.banburyandwarwick-catholicdeanery.org.uk/</u>

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Piety Shop: Philomena Watts via the Parish Office or notebook in the shop

Those we keep in our Prayers

Please Pray for the Sick of our Parishes as well as those who care for them

Maureen O'Sullivan, Edvige Giorgio, Marie Clare Banner, Sue Maher, Anne Kirby, Stephen Murphy, Fina Monastero, Mario Fasi, Eileen Hiorns

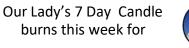
Anniversaries

Patrick Lane, David Kelly, Brian McCann, John Dickerson, Maureen Rawsthorne, Pauline Jenkins, Fr Joe McKenna, Tom Silk, Tony Cooper, Phil Lane, Margaret Brown, Vincent McGreevy, Patrick Murphy, Michael Crowley, Leslie Fishnet, Ian Kirby.

Recently Deceased

Josephine Grant, Maureen Mulgrew, Sarah O'Donovan

May they Rest in Peace and Rise in Glory



<u>Our Lady's 7- Day Candle:</u> Dates available to book from 18th May.

Lawrence Allen RIP

BOOKING A BAPTISM: Please collect a Baptism form after Mass and return it to Fr David, when you can discuss dates and other arrangements.

<u>Sacramental Preparation</u> in the coming year for young people. Please see Fr David to register your interest for First Confession and Holy Communion (yr 3 upwards) and also Confirmation (year 6 and upwards)

<u>CONFESSIONS</u>: Usually 10.00am on Saturday mornings, 5.00pm on Sunday evenings (before Mass) or at other times on request. See the Mass Schedule.

<u>CHILDREN'S LITURGY</u> During term time this will take place during the 10am Sunday Mass, starting at the beginning of Mass.

Masses during the coming week

Sunday 19th January Second Sunday in Ordinary Time 2nd Collection: Pax Christi	10.00am Mass : John Maher Anniversary 5.00pm: Confessions 5.30pm Mass: People of the Parish
Monday 20th January St Fabian	Mass at St Charles Borromeo, Hampton on the Hill, at 10.00am
Tuesday 21st St Agnes	9.00am Private prayer and Rosary
<u>-</u>	Mass at St Peter's at 10.00am
Wednesday 22nd St Vincent	Mass at Our Lady's at 10.00am
Thursday 23rd St Nicholas Owen	Mass at St Peter's at 10.00am 1.00pm: Funeral Mass for Sarah O'Donovan
	6.30pm: Exposition
Friday 24th St Francis de Sales	9.30am Sacred Heart Novena and Rosary10.00am Mass: Alice Kearns RIP
Saturday 25th Conversion of St Paul the Apostle	8.30am Adoration and Rosary 9.30am Mass: Madgie Callaghan RIP Confessions: 10.00am
Sunday 26th January Third Sunday in Ordinary Time	10.00am Mass : People of the Parish
	5.00pm: Confessions 5.30pm Mass: Lawrence Allen RIP
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LIVESTREAMING: <u>ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH WHITNASH—YOU TUBE</u> St. Joseph's is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham, Reg. Charity No. 234216