



In our parish

CATHOLIC LEAMINGTON

St. Joseph's Parish Newsletter



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Children's Liturgy: during the first part of morning Mass, this Sunday and every week in term time.

Fr David's Installation as Canon: St Chad's Cathedral, Tues 3rd June 12.15pm

Holy Hour and Confessions on Tuesday 18th March at 6pm, followed by a **Vigil Mass for the Solemnity of St Joseph** at 7pm when we welcome Seminarian Luke Theobald who will preach at the Mass.

DURING LENT: — Stations of the Cross will be prayed together on Friday evenings at 7.00pm in church.

—Getting More out of the Mass. Lent study group **on Thursday evenings at 7.30pm** designed for allcomers, using video clips and allowing time for questions and discussion.

—Walk With Me booklets for Lent: Some available in the Narthex & back porch.

—Good Friday Walk of Witness: 11am, starting at the Methodist Church.

Grounds Maintenance: We are looking for volunteers to take on some of the work that Joe has taken care of over recent years. Could you take responsibility for mowing half of the church lawns?

We are now looking for a paid cleaner for our Church Hall: with some opening and closing duties for groups too—please talk to Fr David or Hazel if interested.

Bingo at St Joseph's Saturday 22nd March: 7pm for eyesdown at 7.30pm. £6 entry. Cash Prizes. Raffle in aid of Myton Hospice. Tea and Coffee provided. Bring your own food/alcohol

Missio Boxes: Please could all the Little Red Boxes be brought in for the Spring Counting by the 30th March—either give directly to Jan or leave in the Sacristy.

Youth Group: Next meeting for years 6,7 & 8 Thursday 27th March, 7-8.30pm, Davenport Room, St Peter's Church Hall.

Deanery Day Pilgrimage to Littlemore, one of our Diocesan Jubilee churches (Oxford OX4 4JX) Saturday 22nd March: Travelling from the various parishes by car to arrive mid morning (ie from here about 9.30am to arrive for 10.30am Mass there).

"The faithful, pilgrims of hope, can obtain the Jubilee Indulgence granted by the Holy Father if they devoutly visit any Jubilee site and engage in Eucharistic adoration and meditation, concluding with the Our Father, the Profession of Faith in any legitimate form, and invocations to Mary, the Mother of God."

Cards now available in the Repository for Mothering Sunday and Easter

16th March, 2025 Second Sunday of Lent



JUBILEE YEAR 2025
"Pilgrims of Hope"



To find out more, visit: www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/jubilee-year or scan:

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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

Roland Wildman, Frank Benson,
Joyce Collins, Hugh Williams,
Cornelius Twomey, Philip James

Recently Deceased

Margaret Cunningham and Sheamus Cleary

May they Rest in Peace and Rise in Glory

Our Lady's 7 Day Candle
burns this week for



Deceased members of Conlon & McHugh Families

Our Lady's 7- Day Candle:

Dates available to book from
15th June onwards.

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

Sacramental Preparation in the coming year for young people. **Please see Fr David as soon as possible to register your interest for Confirmation** (year 6 and upwards)

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

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

Masses during the coming week

Sunday 16th March 10.00am Mass : People of the Parish
The Second Sunday of Lent 5.00pm: Confessions
2nd Collection: CAFOD 5.30pm Mass: Ints. Of Aidan and Anna Boyle

Monday 17th 9.30am Mass: Cheryl Barker Recovery from
St Patrick Surgery

Tuesday 18th 9.00am Private prayer and Rosary
St Cyril of Jerusalem 9.30am Mass: In Thanksgiving (AJ)
There will be two visiting 6.00pm Holy Hour and Confessions
priests hearing Confessions 7.00pm Vigil Mass for St Joseph: Vocations
during the Holy Hour

Wednesday 19th 9.30am Mass: Holy Souls
Solemnity of St Joseph

Thursday 20th 6.30pm: Adoration
Lent Feria Mass at St Peter's at 10.00am

Friday 21st 9.30am Sacred Heart Novena and Rosary
Lent Feria Mass at St Peter's at 7.00am
6.00pm: Station Mass, St James Chapel, Lord
Leycester Hospital

7.00pm: Stations of the Cross

Saturday 22nd 8.30am Adoration and Rosary
Lent Feria

Sunday 23rd March 10.00am Mass : Brian McCrory RIP
The Third Sunday of Lent 5.00pm: Confessions
2nd Collection: Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham 5.30pm Mass: People of the Parish

Offertory Collection 9th March:	Gift Aid	£104.70
	Non Gift Aid	£314.92
2nd Collection: Building and Maintenance Fund		£130.47
Average Weekly Giving by Standing Order	Gift Aid	£457.93
	Non Gift Aid	£33.69

LIVESTREAMING: ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH WHITNASH—YOU TUBE

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