



## In our parish

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**The 5.30pm Mass today is our Confirmation Mass and we welcome Bishop Richard Walker to the parish.** Do keep all those receiving the Sacrament in your prayers.

**Next Weekend we will welcome Fr Peter Walters:** Fr Peter is Founder and Director of the charity **Let the Children Live** and he works in Columbia. A charity of Last Resort which helps boys and girls from the streets and shanty-towns of Medellin. Those whom everyone else has given up on. He has kindly agreed to celebrate the Sunday Masses here and will speak about the work of this charity, for which there will be an Appeal.

**Alpha Course:** For those searching and enquiring about the faith—This will start again on **28th July** in Presbytery sitting room at 7.30pm

**Leavers' Mass for our Yr 6 students:** Thursday **17th July, 2.00pm.** NB Change of time. Please keep the students in your prayers.

**SVP National Summer Raffle:** 1st prize £5,000, 2<sup>nd</sup> prize £1,000 and 15 prizes of £100. Tickets will be on sale after the Masses on the **last Sunday of June (29th), July (27th) and August (31st).** The draw will be made Thursday 25th September. Your local Conference will receive 50% of the money we raise from the sale of tickets. Thank you for your support

**Thanks to everyone who helped organise the Games Evening,** and those who supported it—it was a great success!

**Next Ladies' Night:** Wednesday **July 9th** at 7.00pm, The Racehorse in Warwick.

**Youth Jubilee Day at St Chads, Birmingham – Saturday 5 July** - includes games, workshops, a tour. A group will be going from St Peters/Our Lady's. For information contact Paul Milton — [paulmilton04@gmail.com](mailto:paulmilton04@gmail.com)

**Celebrate the Jubilee at WeBelieve:** a festival of Catholic Life. From **25th-28th July**, four days of music, keynotes, conversation & worship at St Mary's College, Oscott.

**Become a Foundation Governor:** St Joseph's School is looking for more foundation governors to join the Governing Body. Any practising Catholic is welcome to apply. Governor meetings are generally held on Thursday evenings and reasonable expenses can be paid for babysitting if required. If you would like further information please contact the school or the Chair of Governors, Anne Buttrum. Contact details are on the school's website.

Visit the diocesan website for more information: <https://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/>

**The Diocese is looking to appoint a Senior Surveyor:** Location: Birmingham/Coleshill/Hybrid remote working Terms: Permanent/Full-Time (May consider part time for the right candidate) Salary: £50,000 p.a. to £55,000 p.a. pro-rata. **Closing date 30th June.**

**Youth Group:** Next meeting for years 6,7,8 is Thursday 26th June, 7-8.30pm, Davenport Room, Conference Centre, St Peter's.

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## St. Joseph's Parish Newsletter



**22nd June 2025 The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ**



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



## Those we keep in our Prayers .....

### Anniversaries

Olive Webb, Peter Darby, Domenico Passalacqua, Tom Maguire, Carol  
McCreehy, John Skinner, John Egan, Br. Michael Richards

### Recently Deceased

**Terry Styles, David O Sullivan, Fr Ron Coslett, Fr John Baggley**  
*May they Rest in Peace and Rise in Glory*

### 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

Our Lady's 7 Day Candle  
burns this week for the  
good health of  
**Dallas & Philomena**



### Our Lady's 7- Day Candle:

Dates available:  
from 31st August.

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

**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.

**Piety Shop: Cards available for Confirmation**

## Masses during the coming week .....

**Sunday 22nd June**  
**The Most Holy Body and  
Blood of Christ**

**2nd Collection: Peter's  
Pence (Instead of next Sun-  
day)**

**Monday 23rd**  
*St Etheldreda*

**Tuesday 24th**  
*The Nativity of St John the  
Baptist*

**Wednesday 25th**  
*Feria*

**Thursday 26th**  
*Feria*

**Friday 27th**  
*The Most Sacred Heart of  
Jesus*

**Saturday 28th**  
**The Immaculate Heart of  
Mary**

**Sunday 29th June**  
**Saints Peter and Paul**

**2nd Collection: Let the  
Children Live**

**10.00am Mass :** People of the Parish

**5.00pm Confessions**

**5.30pm Mass:** Edith Caroline Robinson RIP  
**Confirmation Mass**

**6.30pm: Reception into church of  
David O'Sullivan**

**1.15pm: Funeral Mass for David O'Sullivan**

**7.00am Mass:** Holy Souls

Followed by Private prayer and Rosary

*Mass is at Our Lady's at 10am*

*Mass is at St Charles Borromeo at 12 Noon*

**6.30pm: Adoration**

**9.30am: Sacred Heart Novena and Rosary**

*Mass is at St Peter's at 12 Noon*

**8.30am: Adoration and Rosary**

*Mass is at 10am at St Peter's*

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<b>Offertory figures for 15th June</b>	Gift Aid	£114.00
	Non Gift Aid	£401.40

<b>2nd Collection: Day for Life</b>	£262.55
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<b>Average Weekly Giving by Standing Order</b>	Gift Aid	£413.38
	Non Gift Aid	£22.61

**SPAN in June** supported a school for the blind and the Kiirua Mission  
Hospital, both in Kenya, displaced children with play and learning and CAFOD

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

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