



In our parish

Our contactless Dona giving device is in the narthex linking to this QR code.

Alpha Course is taking a week off for Bank Holiday Monday and then continues each **Monday evening**, with a meal at 7.30pm in the Hall—All are welcome.

Missio: Please could the **Little Red Boxes** be returned for counting by the **7th April**—they can be left in the sacristy for collection. Thank you!

Cursillo Encounter Event—Supporting the Diocesan Vision. Saturday 20th April at St Joseph's. 9.30am Mass followed by Welcome refreshments, two talks, sharing and prayer, Adoration in church and ending with lunch which will be provided. See the poster in the narthex.

Employment Opportunity - Deputy Diocesan Solicitor: Permanent Post, 21 hours per week. Please see the notice in the narthex for details. Closing date 8th April.

Divine Mercy Sunday: 7th April 3pm Chaplet & Devotions, confessions available at St Peter's from 2.30pm.

Pastoral Council: will meet on Saturday 6th April at 10am.

Those interested in forming the Social Committee: meeting after morning Mass on Sunday 7th April in the Hall.

Ministries and Gifts Sunday: We all have natural and spiritual gifts given to us by God to be used, shared and enjoyed. If we can discern these and use them our work for church isn't just about jobs and volunteering but really becomes a ministry, whether it is welcoming or hospitality, or maybe things we haven't even thought of yet. On Sunday 14th April there will be a chance to talk after the Masses with people already involved in some of the groups and ministries of our parish.

Youth Provision: Following on from Maria and Michael's talks recently, there will be a meeting on **Thursday 18th April 7.30-8.30pm** at the Dormer Conference Centre at St Peter's, to explore opening a new youth group for year 6-8. All those interested in this exciting new venture please keep the date free and come along.

Ann Williams RIP: Ann was a long-standing and active parishioner at St Joseph's and sadly died last weekend. Her Funeral Mass will be here on Monday 15th April at 11am.

Gift Aid Envelopes: for the new tax year are now available for collection in the Narthex.

Thank You from SPAN: For using the gold envelopes this Lent supporting local families with supermarket vouchers and the work of House of Light and Hope in Lebanon.

CATHOLIC LEAMINGTON

St. Joseph's Parish Newsletter



31st March 2024 The Resurrection of the Lord

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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

Edvige Giorgio, Marie Clare Banner, Fr Brian Boyle, Sue Maher, Anne Kirby, Stephen Murphy, Fina Monastero, Mario Fasi, Eileen Hiorns

Anniversaries

Margaret Carr, Colin Bates, Kathleen Hornsby, Angela Freeman, George Fraser, Mary Burford, Simon Hawkins, Tommaso Carciofo, Frank Lane, Eva Ryan, Monty Jenkinson, Edward Hayes, Paddy Crowley, Eric Black

RECENTLY DECEASED

Bernardette Ann Williams, Anne and Robert Burke
May they Rest in Peace and Rise in Glory

Our Lady's 7 Day Candle burns this week for

Anna Garrett



Our Lady's 7- Day Candle: Dates to book the 7-day candle are now available from the 14th April 2024.

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

Mass Intentions: If you would like to arrange for a Mass to be said for a special intention, please complete one of the envelopes in the narthex and either give it to Fr David or to the Parish Office. It is usual to include a donation (around £10) for this. Sunday Masses are often booked about three months in advance but weekday Masses are more readily available.

HOLY WEEK CONFESSIONS: 10.00am on Saturday mornings, and during Holy Week Monday, Tuesday, Holy Thursday and Holy Saturday at 6pm.

Children's Liturgy: Today's session will be the last before Easter. Children's Liturgy will resume at the beginning of the summer term.

Masses during the coming week

Sunday 31st March
The Resurrection of the Lord

Easter Offering



10.00am Mass: Patrick O'Connor and Ian Wilshire

5.30pm Mass: People of the Parish

Monday 1st April
Easter Monday

10.00am Mass: Lawrence Allen RIP

Tuesday 2nd
Easter Tuesday

9.00am Rosary and Private Prayer

9.30am Mass: Brian McSharry RIP

Wednesday 3rd
Easter Wednesday

9.30am Mass: Michael Behan Anniversary

Thursday 4th
Easter Thursday

7.00pm Mass: Patricia Earle RIP

Friday 5th
Easter Friday

9.30am Sacred Heart Novena and Rosary

10.00am Mass: Tony King RIP

Saturday 6th
Easter Saturday

8.30am Adoration and Rosary

9.30am Mass: Donal and May Murphy In Thanksgiving on Their Diamond Wedding Anniversary

Sunday 7th April
Second Sunday of Easter

10.00am Mass: People of the Parish

2nd Collection: Building and Maintenance Fund

5.30pm Mass: Kathleen Kelly RIP

Divine Mercy Sunday – 3pm Chaplet and Devotions at St Peter's, Confessions from 2.30pm

A blessed and Happy Easter to you all and thank you to everyone who helped in any way to prepare for the Easter Services throughout this last week and to those who attended and took part in the liturgies.

Fr David

Last Week's Offertory Collection

Gift Aid

£193.10

Non Gift Aid

£321.91

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

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