

## Weekday Mass Times and Intentions

### St Francis

### St Augustine

Monday St Cornelius, Pope and St Cyprian, Bishops, Martyrs  
**9.30am** Olive Demaine (Birthday Anniv) (Pam and Kevin Alexander)

Tuesday Feria  
**12noon** Michael Childs (12<sup>th</sup> Anniv) (Val and family)

Wednesday Feria  
**10.00 am** For the health of Paul  
(Jane and Joseph McDonnell)

Thursday Feria  
**7.30pm** People of the Parish

Friday St Andrew Kim Tae-gon and companions, Martyrs of Korea  
**9.30 am** Years 4 and 2 Mass in church  
**7.30pm** Martin Harban (Monique Knight and family)

Saturday **Feast of St Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist**  
**10.00am** Father Bernard Garratt (Johnson Association)  
Joanna Bazen (Father David)

**St Augustine's Church is usually open for prayer on Sunday and Wednesday**

**Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 10.30am – 11.00am and 4.45 pm – 5.15pm**

### Collections recently:

**8 September: £463-06** and Standing Orders: **£900 approx per week.**

**'Catholic Education' Collection: £461-66**

Thank you for your kindness and generosity

This Parish is part of the RC Archdiocese of Birmingham Reg. Charity No.234216

**Please pray for those who are sick:** King Charles III and the Princess of Wales, Gabrielle and Brian Chapman, Karen Tooth, Kathleen O'Connor, Norma Brownbill, Charlie and Gabrielle Henville, Father Ian Hoskins, Robin Davis, Geoff Roberts, Alison Kidman, Caroline Burke, Susan and Michael Jones, Tom and Susan Wilding, Margaret Wright, Sheila Simmonds, Alexandra Salter, Glen Dalton, Anne Storey, Agnes Pauling, Richard Hayward, Lynne Long, Cathy Smith, Joan Hodge, Sheila Sumner, Ninu Bonnici, Ostep Chervok, Barbara MacIlwaine, Ann Brown, Sue Taylor, Marie Foley, Margaret Tenney, Joan O' Leary, Jeanette Jackson, Nigel Clark, Margaret Bailey, Margaret Kirk, Noel Kelly, Mary Lilley, Tony Cox, Margaret Sullivan, Paul (Friend of J and J McDonnell), Rev Michael Ford, Patricia Bailey, Nick Mottram, Tony Cotterill

### **Those who have died recently:**

Jenny Sangster, Norman Lane, Canon Philip Dyson, Margaret Ford, John Partridge, Father Peter Blundell

## **The Catholic Parish of Kenilworth**

Served by the Churches of St Francis and St Augustine  
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### **Notices for week commencing**

**'Evangelii Gaudium Sunday' 15 September 2024**  
**Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary time Year B**  
**Within the 'Season of Creation' Psalter Week 4**

## Sunday Mass Times and Intentions

### St Francis

### St Augustine

**Sat**  
**Sun**

**5.30pm** Ted Lewis (Liz and Eric Kirwan)  
**8.30am** Norman Lane (Cecilia and family)  
**10.30am** Bernadette McDonnell (8<sup>th</sup> Anniv) (Joseph, Jane and family)  
Ann and Jim Rixon (Peter and family)

### Next Sunday

### St Francis

### St Augustine

**Sat**  
**Sun**

**5.30pm** Teresa and Joseph Gleeson (Anniv's) (Roberts family)  
**8.30am** People of the Parish  
**10.30am** Tadeusz Cieslak (100<sup>th</sup> Birthday Anniv) (Witold, Eva and family)  
Jim McCarthy (Lynda and family)

### **SAFEGUARDING: PERMANENT NOTICE FROM THE ARCHBISHOP**

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese's policies and procedures at all times.

Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is J. Barr who can be contacted at [sg.stfrancis.kenilworth@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:sg.stfrancis.kenilworth@rcaob.org.uk) or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 or at [safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk) if you have any concern.

### **ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM VISION**

Our Vision is to be a Catholic Diocese which is faithful to the mission entrusted to us by Jesus Christ, full of missionary disciples who work together co responsibly in vibrant communities of faith, joyful in their service of God and neighbour.

### **SEASON OF CREATION**

The Season of Creation continues until 4 October, the Feast of St Francis of Assisi. This is an ecumenical season dedicated to prayer for the protection of creation and the promotion of sustainable lifestyles.

Pope Francis has established this to encourage the Catholic community around the world to pray for our common home. Because of climate change, people are already facing droughts, wildfires, floods and storms. Climate change highlights the issues of injustice, just as much as it destroys natural habitats and wildlife.

### **SUNDAY 14 / 15 SEPTEMBER IS 'EVANGELII GAUDIUM SUNDAY'**

Evangelii Gaudium Sunday calls us to be joyous in proclaiming our faith. Evangelii Gaudium is Latin for Joy of the Gospel. The day supports the work carried out by the **Mission Directorate** on behalf of the Bishops' Conference.

A key focus of work is responding to Pope Francis' calling of a Jubilee Year in 2025 with the theme 'Pilgrims of Hope'. Please support the Mission Directorate through prayer and **giving to the second collection**. However much you give, big or small, it will go directly to support this important work to bring the joy of the Gospel to all.

### **EUCCHARISTIC CONGRESS**

In solidarity with this event at Oscott College, there will be **Holy Hour and Benediction at 4.00 pm this Sunday at St Francis' Church**. All are invited and welcome.

### **VOTING FOR THE CHARITIES TO BE SUPPORTED 2024 – 2027**

There will be the opportunity to vote for these charities over **14 / 15 and 21 / 22 September**. Ballot boxes will be in each church, together with ballot papers, for you to cast your vote - only one vote per person please! See list on home page.

The total number will be calculated by the Chair and Secretary of the Parish Pastoral Council, and the result given in the Bulletin.

### **WELCOME**

We welcome into the Catholic Church, **MAISIE MARY SALLIE SWAN**, who was baptised recently at St. Francis' Church. We pray for Maisie, for her parents, family members and Godparents.

### **SALVE**

Members send grateful thanks to parishioners for supporting the recent puddings / produce sale. It raised the sum of £205 and we now have sufficient funds to make a donation to Young Carers and F.H.L. Water Aid.

### **GRAND RAFFLE**

Tickets will be on sale from next **Saturday, 21 September**. The first 3 prizes are £100, £50 & £25. We invite each parishioner or family to take **at least 1 book of tickets** to buy or sell. The draw will take place at Autumn Fair.

### **AUTUMN FAIR**

**This will take place on Saturday 12 Oct at 10.30am**

**and Sunday 13 Oct after 10.30 Mass.**

This is the Parish main annual social and fundraising event. It is a great opportunity to meet friends old and new and shop early for Christmas. All proceeds go towards our three newly chosen Church charities. A list of stalls for your donations will soon be on the notice board in the Gazed Link.

**Those who wish to help should contact Angela Cowley on 07527 224488.**

### **SVP COMMUNITY WARM HUB**

The SVP Warm Hub continues to meet every Tuesday morning (10am to 12 noon) in the Parish Centre. Everyone is welcome to come along for the morning, or just drop in for refreshments and enjoy the warm, friendly atmosphere.

### **PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL**

The next meeting will be at the Priest's House on **Tuesday, 17 September at 7.30pm.**

### **FATHER HUDSON'S CARE COLLECTION**

This year's second collection takes place over **Sunday 21 and 22 September.**

This is a major fundraising event for the social welfare agency of our Archdiocese, as the money raised goes to support their five areas of work: Homelessness, Older People, Disability, Children & Family and Refugees and Migrants. **Envelopes are available in both churches. We will have a Pastoral Letter from the Archbishop this Sunday.**

### **SVP FOODBANK COLLECTION**

The next collection by SVP of non-perishable food and household items for local Foodbanks will be on Saturday, 28 September in the car park of St. Francis' Church from 11am -1pm. The Foodbanks continue to experience great demand; - if you are able to, please support their work. Among items most urgently needed are – cereals, UHT Long-life Milk, tinned tomatoes, rice pudding, instant coffee, tea bags, fruit juice or squash, cooking sauces.

### **SVP – COLLECTION OF FOREIGN NOTES AND COINS**

Members of SVP will be holding their annual collection of foreign notes and coins after all Masses over **Sunday 5 / 6 October.**

If you have any spare currency, perhaps following a holiday, the SVP would be most grateful to receive it and put it to good use.

### **MISSIO BOXES**

Please could you bring your **Red Missio Box** into church for counting? Many thanks for your continued support in this way of the Missio missionary appeal, Jonathan Shipton, 07476405215.

**WITH EVERY BLESSING AND GOOD WISHES TO YOU ALL, FATHER KEVIN.**