



In our parish

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

Children's Liturgy: Re-commences today and will continue weekly for the term.

Musicians: Do we have any musicians who are hiding their talents? Please talk with Fr David.

Irish Music Lessons: after school on Fridays here in our hall. See the notice from Comhaltas in the narthex.

ADOREMUS Eucharistic Congress: Saturday **September 14th** at Oscott College and then a Holy Hour on **Sunday 15th from 4pm until 5pm** here at St Joseph's.

Young adults retreat (18-35): Saturday 14th September 10.30am-4pm. The retreat is nearby with lunch included. Cost is £25

PARISH A.G.M. This will be held on **Monday 16th September**, 7 for 7.30pm in the hall. A chance to review the life of the parish over the last year together, and look ahead. There are two seats for members to join the council for a year—would you be interested?

Sacramental Preparation 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 Confirmation (Yr 6 and upwards)

Men's Group: Next meeting is Thursday 19th September 7.45pm at the Cricketers Arms, Archery Road, Leamington Spa. Please contact Peter Lawson, 01926 430176 to confirm attendance by 17th Sept. Dietary needs in advance please!

Social Event: Afternoon Tea Dance: Saturday **19th October**.

Warm Hub: Starting in November, the SVP is planning to run a Warm Hub in the Parish Centre on a Monday morning (1030 -1.30pm) but we need volunteers to just be there and help with tea and coffee making. If you think you can give any amount of time, contact Bob Drumgoole on 01926 740496 or any SVP member.

Employment Opportunity in the Diocese: RICS Chartered General Practice Surveyor. Applications by 18th Sept. Poster in the narthex for more information.

New Youth Group-Spark: Our exciting brand-new youth group called 'Spark' - for children in Years 6,7 and 8 in Catholic Leamington and Warwick—begins on Thursday 26th September, 7-8.30pm in the Davenport Room in the Dormer Conference Centre at St. Peter's. Further meetings will take place on the last Thursday of every month. Spark aims to provide a fun and safe space for young people to explore and find out more about their faith with those of a similar age. Contact Rose Herbert or paulmilton04@gmail.com with any questions.

CATHOLIC LEAMINGTON

St. Joseph's Parish Newsletter



8th September 2024 Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Mothers' Prayers: Claudia Pallister, 07850382433

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, Fr Brian Boyle, Sue Maher, Anne Kirby, Stephen Murphy, Fina Monastero, Mario Fasi, Eileen Hiorns

Anniversaries

Santo Fragola, Peggy Murphy, Anna-Marie Kelly, Kathleen Underhill, Barry Dorgan, Bernard Kirwan, Lotty Greenrod, John Gilligan, John Kane, Zainab Lawless

RECENTLY DECEASED

Emma Bannon and Ann Harris
May they Rest in Peace and Rise in Glory

Our Lady’s 7 Day Candle burns this week for

Eileen Godfrey



Our Lady’s 7- Day Candle: Dates to book the 7-day candle are now available on 6th October and then from the 10th November

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.

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, beginning today, this will take place every Sunday morning, starting at the beginning of Mass.

Masses during the coming week

Sunday 8th September 10.00am Mass: People of the Parish
Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time 5.00pm: Confessions
2nd Collection: Catholic Education Service 5.30pm Mass: Anna-Marie Kelly RIP

Monday 9th 9.30am Mass: Holy Souls
St Osburg

Tuesday 10th 9.00am Private prayer and Rosary
Blessed Agnellus of Pisa 9.30am Mass: Charles and Graham Ferguson—Birthdays

Wednesday 11th Mass at Our Lady’s at 10.00am
Feria

Thursday 12th 6.30pm Adoration
The Most Holy Name of Mary 7.00pm Mass: Paul Clancy RIP

Friday 13th 9.30am Sacred Heart Novena and Rosary
St John Chrysostom 10.00am Mass: Intentions of Helen Monastero
Followed by Coffee in the hall

Saturday 14th 8.30am Adoration and Rosary
Exaltation of the Holy Cross 9.30am Mass: Martin & Maureen Wall RIP & Patsy Mullan RIP
10.00am Confessions

Sunday 15th September 10.00am Mass: Bernard Kirwan RIP
Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time 2nd Anniversary
2nd Collection: Catholic Evangelisation 4.00—5.00pm Holy Hour
5.00pm: Confessions
5.30pm Mass: People of the Parish

Last Week’s	Gift Aid	£180.67
Offertory Collection	Non Gift Aid	£284.42
2nd Collection: Building and Maintenance Fund		£207.40

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