



Catholic Parishes of Our Lady and the Apostles (Shipston), SS Peter & Paul (Brailes), and St Francis of Assisi (Kineton)

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CALENDAR, MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS. *Week beginning:*

16th February 2025-6th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Pilgrims of Hope

Saturday 15th	Please note this Mass is to be celebrated in the room below the Chapel (The Croft)		
Vigil	Brailes 5.00pm	Casey Family	
Sunday 16th	Shipston 9.15am Kineton 11.00am	Peggy Chevous Anna May & Thomas Lea	
Monday 17th	Kineton 10.00am	Melanie Wilde	
Thursday 20th	Shipston 10.00am	David Gall	
Friday 21st	Brailes 10.00am	Elicia Westmoreland	(In the Croft)
Saturday 22nd	Please note this Mass is to be celebrated in the room below the Chapel (The Croft)		
Vigil	Brailes 5.00pm	Irene Champion	
Sunday 23rd	Shipston 9.15am Kineton 11.00am	John McCarthy (SI) John Wheildon	Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Please pray for the repose of the following whose anniversaries occur during February Linda Gale, Barbara Spencer, Eileen Kelly, Patricia Henderson, Raymond Locke, Doreen Gateley, Rosalie Batten, Annie Gurr, Robert Tyler, John Walker, Jadwiga Sabatowski, Janet Ward, Robert Jackson, John Fahourdin, Catherine Cresry, Ann Mockler, Elsie Dillon, Fr David Condron, Robert Young Dorothy Maloney, John Wheildon. Carol Titchener, Marie Mourdant. May they rest in peace.

Please also pray for the repose of the soul of **Anthea Anderson** who passed away recently. May she rest in peace.

Pope's Prayer Intention for February. Let us pray that the ecclesial community may welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life

Please note that the prayer group meets on Thursday morning after Mass, at Shipston, for adoration, divine mercy chaplet and the rosary. All welcome.

Offertories:Shipston £123. Brailes £14. Kineton£207

St Francis of Assisi 1975 club: We are looking to add another three to the club today: This will make it a record number of 60 players. Please consider joining and see Laura after Mass. The cost is £12 per annum.

Please keep in your prayers the children who are preparing for their First Holy Communion: Eliza, Tegan, Taylor, Paulino, Jack, Bethan, Emma, Gaby & Nicola.

Brailes :Tri-centenary. As you know we are celebrating 300 years since the chapel was opened next year. As part of the celebration I am hoping that we can publish a booklet. I have asked the historian and author Dr Judith Champ to assist us with this and she is booked to give a talk at Shipston on 15th May. I am letting you know of some of the possible topics that may be included in the booklet and would be grateful if any person reading this from our three places of worship would be interested in assisting Judith in researching any of the following: If so I shall put you in touch with Judith for further help and instructions. If any parishioners has connections with Warwick Museum then please let me know. The following possible topics are:

Brailes before the Reformation. The Bishop Family and land ownership. The Sheldon Family. Priests at Brailes pre and post reformation. Rev George Bishop. Elizabeth Bishop. The vestment collection. The library. The school.

I have also booked a coach for our visit to Oscott College on Sunday 18th May. It would be lovely if we had at least twenty persons from each of the parishes. I shall publish the full details next weekend. God bless. Fr David