

SERVICES THIS WEEK Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time B

SATURDAY 29 SEPT. OL 12.30 Patrick & Agnes Mulvey  
 SP 5.00 Mary O'Regan  
*Psalter Week 2*  
**VIGIL MASSES**

SUNDAY 30 SEPT. SJ 9.00 People of the Parish  
 OL 10.00 Mark Andrews  
 SP 11.00 People of the Parish  
**TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)** SJ 5.30 James McGarvey  
 Kathryn Rogers Anniversary

MONDAY 1 OCT. SP 10.00 Peter Dimambro  
 Sch. 2.15 St Joseph's School Mass  
 SJ 7.00 John Goggin RIP (JF)  
*St Therese of the Child Jesus* Christine Craig RIP (MR)

TUESDAY 2 OCT. Sch. 9.15 St Patrick's School Mass  
 SJ 9.30 Cathy Rogers: Get Well (AP)  
 SP 12.30 Tess Loughnane  
*The Guardian Angels*

WEDNESDAY 3 OCT. Sch. 9.15 St Anthony's School: Memorial  
 Mass for Rowan Fitzgerald  
 OL 10.00 Eileen Lawless  
 SP 12.30 Betty Shoulin  
*Feria*

THURSDAY 4 OCT. SP 12.30 Mrs Harkin's Intentions  
 SJ 7.00 Cathy Rogers: Recovery from  
 illness (J&WF)  
*St Francis of Assisi*

FRIDAY 5 OCT. SJ 9.30 Intentions of Bridget Kennedy  
 OL 10.00 Patrick Ward  
 SP 12.30 Stephanus BL De Rozari  
*CAFOD Harvest Fast Day*

SATURDAY 6 OCT. SJ 9.30 Shirley Le Strange RIP  
 SP 10.00 Gerry Quinn  
*Feria* **VIGIL** OL 12.30 Jimmy Dunne  
 SP 2.15 MASS FOR THE SICK  
 SP 5.00 Joe & Gertrude Coggins  
 Jim McGreevy

SUNDAY 7 OCT. SJ 9.00 Teresa Skinner RIP Anniv.  
 Jessie d'Souza RIP Anniv.  
 OL 10.00 Margaret Fitzmaurice  
 SP 11.00 Aoife, Jozse & Zsuzsanna Wukics  
 SJ 5.30 Tom Commoford: Recovery  
**TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B)**

CONFESSIONS

**Saturdays**

SP: 9.15-45

SJ: 10.00

OL: 11.45-12.15

SP: 4.15-45

EXPOSITION

**Sundays**

SP: Holy Hour  
 3.00

**Mondays**

SJ: 6.30

**Fridays**

OL: 10.30

SP: 11.00

**Saturdays**

SP: 9.00

SJ: 10.00

ROSARY

SJ: **Tuesdays &**

**Fridays, 9.10**

SP: **Daily** (except

Mondays), Noon

MORNING PRAYER

**Saturdays**

SJ: 9.15

SP: 9.40

MONICA'S PRAYERS

1st and 3rd

Fridays of each

month: **SP, 5**

**October** at 1.00

and **OL, 19**

**October** at

10.30.

SUMMIT YOUTH PRAYER GROUP

Come along on

**Tuesday 2**

**October** from

6.00 pm in the

Flint Room of SP

Parish Centre.

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 & Dean of Warwick: Fr John Cross V.F.  
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 Retired Clergy: Fr Christopher Greaney  
 Deacon: Rev David Palmer

Sunday 30 September 2018  
 Twenty-Sixth Sunday in  
 Ordinary Time: Year B

Dear Parishioners,

Last week I attended the Memorial Mass for Bro. Michael Richards who lived in the Presbytery at St Joseph's with Fr Brian for many years. It was a lovely evening remembering Bro. Michael and was attended by clergy from the Sacred Heart Fathers of the Deanery. Fr Brian Boyle spoke about Bro. Michael's life and we all gathered for a lovely party afterwards. To me this is the essence of our Catholic Faith: community, thanksgiving, sharing in the Eucharistic Celebration, and then a good meal together. I wish we could do it after every Mass.

This coming Saturday will be an opportunity for us to meet again for another Mass: the Mass for the Sick at St Peter's (starting at 2.15 pm). Many of us take medication of one sort or another or know of someone who does. This Mass is an opportunity to seek the Healing of the Sacrament of the Sick as a community gathered together in faith, to celebrate and share the Eucharist and to follow it with a lovely tea in the Parish Hall. Everyone is welcome.

On Sunday evening we have our Youth Mass at 5.30 pm at St Joseph's. Over the last year Erin our Youth Worker has helped to make this a resounding success and we shall be sad to say farewell. However I'm sure we shall have an opportunity to see Erin again from time to time in her new role as Director of Soli Centre. We shall have an open meeting to think about the future of Youth Work on Sunday 7 October straight after the 5.30 pm Mass in St Joseph's Parish Hall.

Every blessing, Fr John.

## THIS WEEK

*Cleaning*

Monday  
 Tuesday  
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*Team 1*

1 October  
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*St Peter's*

6.30 Novena to Our Lady with Exposition, SJ  
 1.00 Pastimes group, Main Hall, SP  
 6.00 Summit Youth Prayer Group, SP Flint Room  
 9.30 Art Group in SJ Hall  
 7.00 Hand in Hand Group, Main Hall, SP  
 CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY  
 9.00 Toddler Group, Main Hall, SP  
 9.30 Mass with Novena to the Sacred Heart, SJ  
 2.15 MASS FOR THE SICK  
 10.00 (Kindaid) Cake Sale after Mass  
 3.00 St Joseph's Altar Servers' outing  
 7.00 Open meeting in SJ Hall re. Youth Work

## ST JOSEPH'S, WHITNASH



**Our New Mother and Toddler Group** starts on **Monday 15 October**, 9.30 until 11.00 am and it will cost £1.00 a session. Contact Helen Dalby if you are interested: [stjosephsmothersandtots@gmail.com](mailto:stjosephsmothersandtots@gmail.com) or contact Fr. Andy (01926 772712).

**Our Altar Servers' Trip** to the Bowling Alley: This will be on **Sunday 7 October** at 3.00 pm. Please see the sign-up sheet in the Sacristy.

**Children's Liturgy:** It is lovely to see the children growing in confidence and enjoying their special liturgy. Please encourage your younger children to join in – you are very welcome to accompany them out of church, see them settled in and then re-join the Mass.

**We are making our Hall more affordable:** our hall can be a source of growth to the parish, as much as income. From Monday 1 October 2018, groups consisting mainly of parishioners, on discussion with Fr. Andy, will not be charged. For children's parties and social evenings the charge will be £20.00 deposit and £10.00 per hour. For funeral, wedding and baptism receptions, £20.00 deposit plus £30.00. All these will include the use of the kitchen.

**200 Club:** Subs will be collected next **Sunday 7 October**.

**Thanks** to all who came to celebrate the life and long years worked here at St. Joseph's by Bro. Michael, at his Memorial Mass on Tuesday evening. Thanks also to those who prepared both for the Mass and the celebration afterwards. It was good to remember him in gratitude and prayer.

**Keeping the Church Clean:** Thanks to those who have offered their time. Can we avoid the sight of our Parish Priest with a pinafore and duster?! We do need more help.

**Our ongoing Book Sale in the Narthex:** This week adult paperbacks on sale at 50p.

**Using the Key Safe:** *Would those using the key safe please 'scramble' the numbers after closing it.*

**NB:** The **Parish email address** will only work when the dot is in the right place, which may account for recent problems. Make sure you use: [st.josephs47@outlook.com](mailto:st.josephs47@outlook.com)

## YOUTH MINISTRY

**True Survivor** retreat for young men aged 14-18 in Alton, Staffordshire from 26-28 October. Full details from [www.beyondthewild.org](http://www.beyondthewild.org)

**Fuse fireworks** event on **Sunday 4 November** at Oscott College £10.00. Please contact Jane Rebika in the Parish Office to book your place.

Our Lady & St Peter's: Items for the newsletter by Wednesday evening to [newsletterstpeters@gmail.com](mailto:newsletterstpeters@gmail.com)  
St Joseph's: Items for newsletter by Wednesday evening to [janvireson@gmail.com](mailto:janvireson@gmail.com)  
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**At St Joseph's this week Our Lady's Seven Day candle burns for Annie and Harry Fraser, Anniversary.**

**Offertory last week:**

£695.32. Thank you.

**Second Collection:** Fr

Hudson's Care £362.98

**ATTENDANCE:** 378

**Second Collection today:**

Parish Maintenance

**Next Week: Sun 7 Oct.**

**9.00 am Mass:**

Katherine Wimpenny, Milsy

John, Joan Gibbons.

Reader: Ted Forde.

**5.30 pm Mass:** Niall

Herbert, Salvatore

Monastero, Christopher

Snelson.

Reader: Paddy Close.

**Second Collection:** None.

**Counters:** M & J

**St Peter's Offertory last week**

£1,040.63. Thank you.

Second Collection:

Fr Hudson's Care £512.89

**Second collections:**

Today: Church Maintenance.

Next week: CAFOD Harvest Fast

**Our Lady's Offertory last week**

£284.46. Thank you.

Second Collection:

Fr Hudson's Care £251.11.

**Second collections:**

Today: Church Maintenance.

Next week: CAFOD Harvest Fast

## OUR LADY'S & ST PETER'S



**The CAFOD annual Harvest Fast Day is Friday 5 October.** This weekend CAFOD representative Ann Allison will be making an appeal at the St Peter's Masses. We are encouraged to pray, to eat simply and give what we can (in the envelopes provided) to those in dire need.  
**Soup and Rolls** in St Peter's Hall after Mass 1.00–2.00 pm on **Friday 5 October**, Harvest Fast Day.

**The Mass for the Sick** at St Peter's on **Saturday 6 October** at 2.15 pm. Donations of home-made scones or cakes for the refreshments can be dropped off on the day from 10.45 am.

**PASTIMES Jumble Sale:** Congratulations to all who organised the event and to those who helped on the day. A magnificent £673.00 was raised and is donated to Church Maintenance. A big thank you to Pastimes.

**Kindaid's next cake sale** will take place after the 10.00 am Mass on **Sunday 7 October**.

**The Hand in Hand group** is meeting on **Thursday 4 October** in St Peter's Hall at 7.00 pm. All are welcome.

**SP Piety Shop** now has its Christmas stock. Please come and browse. More stock next week.

**Thank you Our Lady's Church!** Aid to the Church in Need has written to thank Our Lady's for the strong support you gave to its appeal in the summer. A grand total of £757.64. Brilliant.

**SPAN donations last week:** Gift Aid £40.00; General £53.01; Crisis in Africa £33.06. Thank you.

**Children in non-Catholic schools:** preparation for **Confession** and **First Holy Communion**.

Please register candidates with [marygrayling@gmail.com](mailto:marygrayling@gmail.com). Preparation will start after the Christmas holiday on **Saturday 19 January** after the 12.30 pm Mass at Our Lady's Church.

**Creation Time:** until 4 October the Feast of St Francis. This has been introduced by the Pope to help us respond to his encyclical letter on caring for our common home (*Laudato Si'*). Please take a little time to visit the display next to the Justice and Peace board at St Peter's (near the Calvary).

**Just Desserts** is coming! **Saturday 20 October** at 7.30 pm. Tickets (£7.00, £3.50 child) from a Kindaid organiser. A soup starter and as many puddings as you can eat!

**A Retreat Day for the Readers of Catholic Leamington:** This will take place on **Saturday 24 November**, in SP Parish Hall. Please would all readers, weekday as well as Sunday, give thought to this and try to keep the date free. It is proposed that **all readers** from the three

churches **will be recommissioned** at their particular Mass on the first weekend in Advent – **1/2 December**.

**NEW IN PIETY SHOP**  
"Prayers Before the Blessed Sacrament" by Fr Timothy Menezes: a *compendium of prayers for every occasion... to help you come before the Lord in a time of adoration.* (£4.99).

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**The next Churches Together walk** is on **Saturday 20 October** at 10.00 am from Rowington – full details on the poster in the church entrance.

**St Chad's Cathedral:** vacancy for a full-time Steward Porter. See noticeboard.

**Tales of the Unexpected:** The only way to take my photograph is to say "Cheese" and then give me a lump of cheddar. Best woofs, Bertie :-)) xx

ROSARY

The **J&P Rosary intention** for October is to pray 'that young people throughout the world may have access to education and work'.



Recently deceased

Kate Myles, John Cronin, Kitty Ryan, Ita Edwards, Isabel Holland, Christine Craig.

**Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord. May they rest in peace. Amen.**

Anniversaries

Patrick O'Mullane, Catherine Fitzpatrick, Fred Bakewell, Daniel Looney, Madge Hanratty, Ellen Hill, Jim Ryan, Kathleen Bowne, Grete Gilbert, Harrison Crowley, Salvatore Fragola, Patrick O' Brien, Henry Smyth, Bridget Hayes, Patrick Hawkins, Gerald Fitzgerald, Lina Talamini, Peter Scott, Donald Andrews, Zofia Sawczyc, Rowan Fitzgerald.

**May they rest in peace and rise in glory. Amen.**