

CATHOLIC LEAMINGTON: 32nd Sunday of the Year (A): Remembrance Sunday

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St Peter's & Our Lady's -Live Stream Only

Saturday 7th November Vigil

SP: 5:00: Dona Georgette Plummer;
Beryl Hartnett

Sunday 8th November: Remembrance Sunday

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time A

SP 11:00: Carlos Alberto Dias;
Bill Dunphy;
Doreen Burford

Monday 9th

SP: 8:00 am: Ann Sayce & Holy Souls
SP: 9:30: School Mass - Live Streamed

Tuesday 10th

SP 11:00: Sidney Simmonds & Holy Souls

Wednesday 11th

SP: 12:00: Una Maddocks & Holy Souls

Thursday 12th

SP 11:00: Requiem Mass: Michael Nolan

Friday 13th

SP 11:00: Mary Price;
Diane Lowther

Saturday 14th Vigil

SP: 9:30: Priest's Intention
SP: 5:00: In Thanksgiving (FG); Special Intention

Sunday 15th

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time A

SP 11:00: Mary & Tom Beirne;
Mick Nolan;
Maria Ortencia Brito Silva

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Sunday 8th November

32nd Sunday in Ordinary Time A

9.00: Margaret McAndrew's Intentions;
Michael Ryan RIP

Monday 9th

7.00: Alice Williams RIP;
Bill Dunphy RIP

Tuesday 10th

9.30: Bernard Maily & Family RIP;
Kathleen McCarthy RIP

Thursday 12th

7.00: Holy Souls

Friday 13th

9.30: Conlon & McHughes Families RIP

Saturday 14th

9.30: Jeremiah Taylor RIP

Sunday 15th

33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time A

9.00: Patrick O'Donnell RIP;
Brian & Margaret Kelly RIP

Saints of the week

Monday 9th November:

Dedication of the Lateran Basilica

Tuesday 10th November:

Memorial of St. Leo the Great, Pope, Doctor of the Church

Wednesday 11th November:

Memorial of St. Martin of Tours, Bishop

Thursday 12th November:

Memorial of St. St. Josaphat, Bishop, Martyr

Confessions:

At **St Joseph's** : On Request

At **St. Peter's**: Saturdays 3:30 - 4:30 and when the Church is open for Private Prayer

Evening Devotions at St. Peter's:

Monday - Friday at 8pm including: Adoration, Divine Mercy Chaplet, Night Prayer and Benediction.

Please note: Thursdays will be Night Prayer only.

Private Prayer: Church Opening Times at St. Peter's and Our Lady's Please find below the opening times:

Mondays: SP - 9:30 - 10:30

Tuesdays: SP - 9:30 - 10:30

Wednesdays: SP - 10:00- 11:00; **OL** - 2:00 - 3:00

Thursdays: SP - 9:30 - 10:30

Fridays: SP - 9:30 - 10:30

Saturdays: SP - 10:00 - 12:00; **OL** - 12:00 - 2:00

Sundays: SP - 9:30 - 10:30

The recently deceased of our churches:

Andrew Kerrigan, Teresa McAndrew, Carmen Lorezco-Webb, James McNally, Christa Maria Cross, Jill Kubiak, Michael Nolan, Solange Beckles, Kathleen McCarthy, Fr. Thomas Williams.

May they rest in peace.

Our prayers for the Sick : Dermot Hurley, Giovanni Allurlino, Edward Behan, Pam Brambles, Mary Craig, Mario Fasi, Edna Hale, Eileen Hiorns, Jo Holleron, Estelle Holmes, John Ireson, Mist Johnson, David Kendall, Mgr Christopher Lightbound, Antonina La Spisa, Nathaniel Manning, Kate Miles, Paula Newton, Jim Olexa, Fr Malcolm Prince, Ann Reilly, Marie-Clare Banner, Patricia Robinson, Peggy Rowlands, Marjorie Smedley, Luke Sweeney, Terena Tam, Terry Tam, George Wall, Elizabeth Weston, Peter Wright & all those at home, or in the nursing homes & hospitals of the parish.

Lord Jesus, watch over all who suffer and are in pain. Bless all those who care for them.

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Seven-day candles:

The Main Altar candle burns for **Eric Duckett**

Dear Parishioners,
Lockdown Two. It sounds like the sequel to a film. At least we know part of the story!
Last time we found websites and Masses all over the world to attend which was great but this time as we move towards the end of the Church's Year and the beginning of Advent it would be good if you could attend one of the weekend or weekday Masses on the Live Stream in our Churches. I say this wearing my Shepherd's Hat, as a Parish Priest— we do not want to 'lose you' to 'other' Churches.
During the last lockdown we all played the field in terms of Masses from the Vatican and around the world but my concern is that sometimes by playing away we can completely lose contact with our home Parish. Watching Mass on live stream is not easy for any of us but when the Priest is talking to the camera he thinks he is speaking to the Parishioners. For us when we celebrate Mass for you it is your faces we see and for live stream we must imagine you are in front of us.
During Lockdown the Priests will make an extra special attempt to keep you informed. I hope you will also keep us informed about anything you might be involved with that we might be able to share for example Zoom prayer groups, working with local, national, and international charities etc. Keep reading the Newsletter, keep reading News Extra. I will record a live broadcast once again and it will be available on the recorded services (scroll down on the MCN website).
Thank you to all who were able to post your November envelopes to the Church. We have seen the names of those you have asked us to pray for and this helps us in our thoughts and prayers for the deceased. Some of you have responded to the Book of Remembrance which is at St Peter's to remember your loved ones.

What can we do during Lockdown?

Each Church will be open for Private Prayer. St Peter's will be open every day for an hour and one of the Priests will be available at these times for Confessions. Please see the Newsletter information boxes to see when St Peter's, Our Lady's will be open. At St Peter's you can also arrange a Mass or 7 Day Candle, light a candle and of course come a say a Prayer. The heating will be on. Perhaps you might be able to incorporate a visit to the Church as part of your daily exercise or pop in when you are shopping. There will be some days when there is a funeral and on those occasions the Church won't be open. We would be grateful if our stewards can continue to be available when the Church is open for private prayer. St Peter's and St Joseph's will have Live Stream Masses. St Peter's will also have evening Devotions. This Sunday is Remembrance Sunday. There will be special prayers at our 11am Sunday Mass at St Peter's for those who lost their lives in the 2 World wars and subsequent armed conflicts.

Every Blessing,
Fr. John

St Joseph's

Church Closing: The Church is now closed due to the new Government Restrictions regarding the Coronavirus Pandemic. However, from Saturday 14th November it will be open for private prayer between 10am - 11am, social distancing and strict cleaning regimes will be in place. Confessions will be heard on request. For the time being there will only be one Mass on Sundays at 9am.

November - Month of the Holy Souls: Mass envelopes are available at the back of the Church for you to put the names of your deceased friends and relatives in, together with a donation, please place the envelopes in the box provided. Holy Mass will then be offered for them during the month of November.

Gift Aid Envelopes for this current year which have not yet been collected are available from Fr Noel or the Sacristy.

Christmas Cards: There is a selection of Christmas cards & gifts in the Narthex, please put the money in the Piety box on the wall (**on Saturday's only**).

New Email Addresses: Please remember to use the new email addresses at the top of the Newsletter as the old ones are no longer in use.



This week
Our Lady's
Seven Day
Candle
burns for
Geo John

Our Lady's 7 Day Candle Intentions for 2021: Dates are now available from 31st January onwards, please place your request together with your donation (£5.00) through the

Presbytery letterbox.

The Catholic Leamington Justice & Peace Rosary intention for November is: 'We pray that those people who are struggling at this time may get the spiritual and practical help they need.'

SAFEGUARDING: St Peter's & Our Lady's Claire Walsh 01926 430070; St Joseph's Honor Hynes email safeguarding.stjosephs@gmail.com. The **Archdiocese Safeguarding Team** can be contacted on 0121 230 6240. An independent support group for survivors of abuse free tel. 0808 801 0331.

Mass Intentions: Please be aware the **earliest availability for Sunday 11am Mass** at St. Peter's is **in the New Year**. Please consider the Saturday 5pm, Our Lady's Sunday 10am or weekday Masses as alternatives. Thank you.

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Come and See: Our "Come and See" (RCIA) sessions start on Wednesday 11th November, at 7.30pm via Zoom. It is not too late to register, so if you or someone you know might be interested in finding out more about the Catholic faith, please contact Margaret on 01926 428399, or email rcia.cathleam@gmail.com The Zoom link is <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/9076106367?pwd=Qnd6cGdsS1o4cXRHWdK1OU9sZEluZz09>

If you don't have access to the Internet it is possible to join the Zoom meeting by phone. Please contact Margaret if you wish to join in this way.

Anniversaries of the faithful departed: Dona Plummer, Ida Parker, Maria Mulchrone, Sheila Houghton, Vladislovas Strasinikas, Grace Wattebot, Mary McCann, Paddy Keating, Barbara Faherty, May Dorgan, Iris Ryan, Catherine Lovell, Bill Hawthorn, Alex Maynard, Michael McConville, Fred Greenrod, James Leahy, Canon Eugene O'Sullivan, Fr. Francis Stanbridge, Fr. Francis Dawson, Fr. Derek Edwards, Fr. John Drinkwater, Fr. Cyril Duck, Fr. Michael O'Keefe, Fr. Petroc Howell and Deacon John Burton. *May they rest in peace.*

Private Masses this Week: The Clergy will be celebrating private Masses this week for **Frank Garvey's Intentions** and **The Repose of the Soul of John Moroney.**

Extra Newsletter for November: A special pre-Christmas November edition of the EXTRA Newsletter is now available on the Catholic Leamington website in the NEWSLETTERS page with contributions from SPAN - Christmas Vouchers scheme; CAFOD— World Gifts and Christmas cards and gifts; Leamington Sings; the Pope's new Encyclical letter; Trinity School virtual open event; and Unite Catholic Youth. Contributions for the next edition by the end of the month please.

CAFOD Harvest Fast Day Collection: Very many thanks to you all for your contributions to the CAFOD Harvest Fast Day Collection this year. We do not yet know the total yet, although the fundraising page reached £487.25 (£597.81 with gift aid added). The fundraising page remains open for this weekend, so if you wish to make a late donation you can still do so at uk.virginmoneygiving.com/CathLeamHarvestFastDay or TEXT 'CAFOD' to 70085. (The total this year will not of course include TEXT and direct donations on the CAFOD website). The money is dedicated to deal with the Covid crisis in the countries in which they are working, to survive, rebuild and heal.

CHRISTMAS VOUCHER APPEAL: SPAN really needs your help to make sure that those in need in the parish and the schools get some support from their community. We will send grocery vouchers to those who we hear of through the parish and the schools. This year will be difficult to collect cash before the end of lockdown and most of the collection will have to be online -so PLEASE HELP as much as you can. The options are - using our NEW Justgiving page - <https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/spanxmasvouchers> this is very easy to use and can collect gift aid too or via your bank to Sort code 40-27-06. Account 21324004 with reference "Vouchers" or dropping a cheque to SPAN to Michael Barker 77, Montrose Avenue, Leamington Spa CV32 7DS. Ref 'donation for Christmas vouchers' on the back of the cheque michaelbarker77@sky.com or print one from our webpage <https://www.catholicleamington.org.uk/span.html> Any queries to Paul Hayden paulhayden@ntlworld.com

Holy Souls Envelopes: are at the back of Church please take one when the Church is open and return it through the Presbytery Letterbox with your deceased loved ones names along with a donation. The names will be placed on the Sanctuary during November. Thank you

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