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Holy Mass Year C. Psalter Week

Sat 19th 8:00pm Edwin Jackson RIP

Sun 20th 9:15am Deceased Members of Muhindi Family

No Children's Liturgy Easter Sunday

Refreshments in the Hall after 9:15am Mass

Sun 20th 11:00am Norah Smith RIP - Isabel Hanlon Ints

Weekdays Holy Rosary: 9:05am led by parishioners

Mon 21st 10:00am Mrs Aleykutty Chacko RIP - Anna Girish (engagement Ints)

Tue 22nd 9:30am Antoo Palamatton RIP

22nd 4:00pm Reception of Michael Diskin

Wed 23rd 10:00am Requiem for Michael Diskin

Thu 24th 9:30am Thanksgiving - Michael Diskin RIP

Fri 25th 9:30am Sophie Newman RIP

Sat 26th 9:30am Carmel Cauchi RIP

Sat 10.00 Exposition of the blessed sacrament & confessions:

* Mass intentions envelopes and Mass cards at the Piety Shop.

Let us Pray to the Lord

For the sick:

Marie Lewis, Mary Browner, David Marsh, Kirsty Kalnins, Codey Darlison, Cynthia Mallabone, David Reeves, Joan Hanlon, Margaret Berkmore, Liz Lloyd, Mary Furlong, Jim Jarvis, Martin Reed, Alice Guiney, Abi Glenn, Mick Broadaway, Carol Wright, Caelan Shannon.

For all those in hospital and parishioners who receive the Blessed Sacrament at home.

For the recently departed: Theresa Devaney. (7th May), Joseph McGee. (8th May)

Anniversaries week beginning : 20th April 2025

Malachy Cullen, Peter Bratton, Rosaline Kenny, Norah Smith, Marilyn Dunne, Alexander McAllister, Irene Kinder, Edwin Jackson, Anna Bannister, Margaret Quinn, Irin Marie, Mary Johnstone, Rosemary Young, Garret Murphy & Isabel Callejo.

Clergy Anniversaries:

Rev Hugh Griffith, Rev Andrew Kenny, Rev Oswald Joyce, Rev Liam Bouchier, Deacon Peter Seeney, Bishop Patrick McCarrie, Rev Benjamin Cox, Rev Wilfrid Davenport & Rev Peter Dennison.

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20th April 2025

WE DO NOT COME TO PRAY AS INDIVIDUALS BUT AS A FAMILY

I wish you all a blessed Easter and I thank you for your fidelity to Christ. This newsletter will serve us for **TWO Weekends** the next one will be on 3rd May

The crucifixion, death and resurrection of Jesus was the first thing that all who lived in the vast Roman empire first heard from the people who spoke to them about Jesus of Nazareth. The parenthood of Jesus or his infancy, was not of interest. There is not a single word in the Bible which is attributed to his foster father Joseph. For the early Christians, the early life of Jesus was not the central part of the Good News.

As we know, the disciples on the road to Emmaus, having been joined by a knowledgeable yet ignorant traveller, did not speak to him about where Jesus was born or the kind of parentage that had raised him up, instead they told him about his teaching which had raised their hopes. That hope was dimmed by his arrest, his agony on the cross and by his quick unceremonial burial. Three days had gone by!

The events of Good Friday, agonizing as they were, became the reason to recognise the love of God for the world through Christ. It was the motivating factor to preach him throughout the world. The first Christians were not silent but obstinate 'gossipers' about Jesus to the pagan world.

The Easter we celebrate takes place during the Jubilee year 2025. It comes at a time when we are also establishing our Parish Pastoral Council in response to the directives of our Archbishop. We are pilgrims of hope. Easter is a time to rediscover ourselves as followers of Christ and our duty to witness to him sometimes in a hostile environment. This is what the early Christians did.

The other day, I was reflecting on the lives of our parishioners who have died in the past months. I can assure you that they were faithful runners who firmly held the baton of faith in their hand, they have handed it over to us, it is in our hands. Those who have died are no longer pilgrims of hope but we are. As a parish, let us set into social action by opening our faith to one another, welcoming each other and by getting involved into practical work.

Our predecessors built us the Parish hall with the intention of sharing some life experiences outside Holy Mass through some conversation. Tea and coffee are served to everyone after Mass, as the hall is not open for a selected few but to everyone. Let us enjoy the presence of one another as fellow pilgrims of hope.

It is so nice to see children playing and running about chasing each other in the hall while the parents engage in conversations or have a cup of coffee. As children do so, they learn practical skills how to relate with other people. They cannot acquire them by watching the television. Therefore spend some time back for the good of your child.

Fr. Jimmy Lutwama AJ Parish Priest.

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Contact the parish office for the Sacraments of Marriage and Baptism.
Hall Bookings, Gift Aid and all general enquiries.

The Parish Team:

Parish Priest: Fr Jimmy Lutwama AJ. fr.jimmy.lutwama@rcaob.org.uk
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Presentation Sisters : Sr Therese, Sr Jacinta & Sr Helen 024 76350615
Parish Secretary: Ms Stephanie Taunton (Mon to Fri 9am to 1pm)

Schools: Our Lady and St Josephs School TEL: 024 76383807
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SAFEGUARDING: The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our parish Safeguarding Representative: Christine Scullion sg.oloangels.nuneaton@rcaob.org.uk Alternatively if you have any concerns please contact the Diocesan Safeguarding team 0121 230 6240 email safe-guarding@rcaob.org.uk.

FINANCE: Second Collection: 18th Apr Holy Places

Parish Finances week beginning 13/4/24

COLLECTION: £979.68 of which Gift Aid £335.57
FABRIC FUND: £398.61 of which Gift Aid: £273.28
APRIL Tap & Go: £363.00 of which Gift Aid: £ 204.00
APRIL STANDING ORDER: £1856.67

*Many
Thanks!*



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Sunday 12/13 April Mass attendance 945 Scan QR Code

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Mon - Apr 28th	Meditation 7:30pm
Tue - Apr 29th	4-5pm Holy Communion class
Tue - Apr 29th	Seniors after Mass
Wed - Apr 30th	Bible Class after morning Mass
Wed - Apr 30th	Bible Study 7:30pm
Thu - Apr 18th	Craft Group 12:30pm

MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE:

Annual May Procession will take place on Sunday 11th at 4:00pm. Please come along and together honour our Lady. There will be cake and refreshments in the hall afterwards.

Vocations Jubilee will be celebrated on May 11th. I will ask young people who admire a life of calling to serve as priests and religious to stand up. It is not those who want to become priests or religious, but those who admire a vocation.

Thanks for the 10 priests vestments: received from some parishioners for the 32 members of AJ to be ordained to the priesthood by December. 10 members in temporal vows will take their Perpetual Vows while 10 others will start to prepare for their perpetual vows. 5 Novices will make their first profession and 30 will be admitted to the Major Seminary as postulants.

32 Priest Mass Vestment (Chasuble) each **£61.00 Total £1952.00**

32 Albs for newly Ordained priests each **Alb £.50 All £ 1,600.00**

15 Cassocks for 15 Novices and newly Professed **each £. 34.00 Total £ 510.00**

3 different Spiritual Retreats (facilitation and maintenance) : **£.5512.00**

Cheques can be made payable to “*Apostles of Jesus Missionaries Support UK*” Reg. Charity 1205905 or to the Give by contact Dona Machine at the back to *Train a Missionary Priest*.

Sunday 27th 2:00pm Divine Mercy prayers at St. Mary's Church 52A, Raglan Street Coventry, 3.45pm Holy Mass

Marriage banns: Miroslav Licko, son of Jozef and Magdalena Licko, would like to marry Katarzyna Sulima, daughter of Michal and Anna Sulima. If there is anybody who knows why they should not get married to each other, please let them come and inform the parish priest as soon as possible.

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Holy Mass Year C. Psalter Week 2

Sat 26th 6:00pm Pro Populo

Sun 27th 9:15am Mark Connor RIP (6th ann) - Carmel Cauchi RIP

Children's Liturgy begins in the Hall before Mass

Refreshments in the Hall after 9:15am Mass

Sun 27th 11:00am Pro Populo

Weekdays Holy Rosary: 9:05am led by parishioners

Mon 28th 9:30am Mark Connor RIP (6th ann) - Anna Girish (wedding day)

Tue 29th 9:30am Nuala Nash Private Intention

Wed 30th 9:30am Michael Diskin RIP

Th 1st 9:30am John Ross RIP (10th ann)

Fri 2nd 9:30am Theresa Devaney RIP

Sat 3rd 9:30am