

Customary Prayers Said at St. Anne & St. Joseph

Jubilee Prayer Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally.

May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen

Diocesan Prayer for Vocations" Heavenly Father, we ask you to send labourers into your harvest. Inspire, in the hearts of your people, vocations to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life. Bless our families with a spirit of generosity, so that those whom you call have the courage to give themselves to your Church in faith. Through Christ our Lord. Amen,"

Prayer for peace: Almighty and eternal Father, God of wisdom and mercy, whose power exceeds all forces of arms and whose protection in the strong defence of all who trust in thee, enlighten and direct we beseech thee, those who bear the heavy responsibility of government throughout the world in these days of stress and trial. Grant them the strength to stand firm for what is right and the skill to dispel the fears that foment discord. Inspire them to be mindful of the horrors of atomic war for victor and vanquished alike, to seek conciliation in truth and patience, to see in every man a brother and a sister that the people of all nations may, in our day, enjoy the blessings of a just and lasting peace.

Conscious of our own unworthiness, we implore thy mercy on a sinful world, in the name of thy Divine Son, the prince of peace, and through the intercession of his blessed mother and all the saints.

Queen of all saints Pray for us

Queen of the Holy Rosary.....Pray for us

Queen of Peace.....Pray for us

OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS

Parish Finances week beginning 2/11/25

COLLECTION: £867.23 of which Gift Aid £276.50

FABRIC FUND £253.25 of which Gift Aid: £253.25

OCTOBER Tap & Go: £859.00 of which Gift Aid: £666.00

NOVEMBER STANDING ORDER: £1184.67

JOHNSDON ASSOCIATION: £160.58 To DONATE

Sunday 1/2 Nov Mass attendance 594 Scan QR Code

*Many
Thanks!*



Gift Aid it! - to add 25% to the value of your donation contact the parish office!



**Our Lady of the Angels, St Anne's & Saint
Joseph Catholic Parish**
The Presbytery, Coton Road, Nuneaton CV11 5UA



Part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham Reg. Charity No.234216

9th November 2025

THEY NEED OUR PRAYERS AS WE SHALL NEED THEIRS

The month of November begins with the Solemnity of all the saints, however the rest of the month is spent praying for the departed who might not have come into the presence of God. It is impossible to figure out how many saints there are in heaven, just as it is impossible to figure out how many grains of sand are on the seashore! What we were reminded in the Reading that day was that, Saints are from every tribe, every language and from every nation. The Bible does not say that all people from the mentioned places go to heaven, all that it said was that those who were standing before the throne were from every tribe, tongue and nation. Christians are so lucky to know that their family members and fellow citizens who have died in friendship with Christ are indeed in the presence of God.

God's love and mercy does not rule out his justice, heaven is not up for grabs it is something we must work hard for; our Lord Jesus Christ likened it to "*Entering through the narrow door*" a biblical phrase, that represents a difficult path to eternal salvation. It contrasts the "wide gate" and "broad road" which are easy to find and easy to take, yet they lead to destruction. The "narrow gate" that leads to life is taken by only a few.

Since it is not that every time we are disposed to choose the narrow door which requires spiritual striving, humility, dedication, shedding off worldly possessions (Matt 7:13-14, Lk 13:24), we are touched and dented by sin. During this month Christians are asked to request their priests to celebrate a Holy Mass for the repose of the souls of their departed family members. The dead need our prayers now, just as one day we shall need the prayers of others.

The Masses you request for Holy souls and donations enclosed will be sent to priests in very poor and difficult missions to be celebrated by them and with their people. Last year 2024, Holy Souls Masses were sent to missionaries in Cuba, Uganda and Sudan as showed in their letters on the noticeboard.

It would be foolish and superfluous to pray for the dead if we did not take into account our hope for resurrection 2Mac 12:44-45.

Fr Jimmy Lutwama AJ

PARISH OFFICE INFORMATION

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Parish Secretary: Ms. Stephanie Taunton (Mon-Fri 9am -1pm)

Schools: **Our Lady** and St. Joseph Primary School CV11 5TY TEL: 024 76383807
St. Ann Catholic Primary School Camphill Drive, Nuneaton CV10 0JX

Parishioners with Special Pastoral Ministries

Catechists at OLA: Lianne Pap, Pawlina Vernau, Helen Hawley, Sr. Jacinta, Helen Oulton –Doris

Catechist at St. Anne: Theresa Harriss

Safeguarding representatives : St. Anne Klabisz Ingrid
OLA: Christine Scullion

Music Directors; OLA Mr. David Lloyd , Stephen Angafor, Allan

St. Joseph: Stella Inglis Roy

St. Anne: Anthony Bell, Lynn Bell, Cathy Cox

Head of Altar Servers: OLA Danny Murphy
St. Anne Michael Casey
Communication St. Anne Mary Sheridan

Parish Finance Committee OLA Phil Yeomans

PARISH SAFEGUARDING POLICY

Safeguarding ensures our children and vulnerable adults are kept safe. It is the responsibility of all people within the Parish. If you see anything that could be harming to children or vulnerable adults, say something and report it to the Parish Priest, Safeguarding Representative, or the Safeguarding Team at the Diocese. See it, Say it, Report it. We wish to keep our Parish communities safe, and should you want to carry out a role or set up a group or activity, please let the Parish Priest and your Safeguarding Representative know. They can support you with this and ensure that processes including Safer Recruitment paperwork and follow up is completed. Thank you for your support in keeping our Parish community safe. The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies and procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative are: Christine Scullion and Ingrid Klabisz. Christine can be contacted at Christine.Scullionsg.oloangels.nuneaton@rcaob.org.uk. Ingrid can be contacted at: sg.stanne.nuneaton@rcaob.org.uk

Please contact the Diocesan Safeguarding team on 0121 230 6240 / safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk or the Police if you have any concern.

Diocesan News and Communication

Notice of Funeral Arrangements for Fr. Simon Hall

Of your charity, please pray for the repose of the soul of Fr Simon Hall who died on 29th October, 2025. The Reception of Fr Simon's body will be at St Teresa of the Child Jesus RC Church, Stone Road, Trent Vale, Stoke on Trent ST4 6SP, on Wednesday 19th November at 6pm, followed by Holy Mass. The Funeral Mass will be celebrated on Thursday 20th November at 12 noon, at Holy Trinity RC Church, London Road, Newcastle Under Lyme, ST5 1LQ Archbishop Bernard Longley will preside.

A coach to and from the service is being arranged if there is sufficient interest. Anticipated cost is £12 per head. If you would like to attend the service and travel by coach please contact Kevin Goodyear on 07976 006758 or kbgoodyear@gmail.com by MONDAY 10th NOVEMBER to express your interest.

The burial will be on Friday 21st November at 11am at Oscott Cemetery, Hawthorn Brook Way, Sutton Coldfield, B23 5LF.

Letter of Archbishop: Following the death of Fr. Simon I wrote an email of condolences to the Archbishop on your behalf for the loss of his young priest Fr. Simon. Below is his reply which he asked me to share with you:

Dear Fr Jimmy

Many thanks for your thoughtful email of 30 October 2025. I can appreciate the great sadness with which your parishioners in Nuneaton will have received the news of Fr Simon's recent death and I am sure that their expressions of appreciation for his ministry among them were heartfelt and very poignant. It is good to know that you arranged the special time of prayer for the people to remember Fr Simon and also to pray for his grieving family at this very difficult moment. Please pass on my kindest wishes to all your parishioners and be assured of my thanks for all that you do.

With my prayers and kind regards.

Yours devotedly in Christ

Bernard Longley

Archbishop of Birmingham

Priests who are sick or convalescing especially Mgr Patrick Daly. Please remember them in your prayers.

Pay Some Attention to this:

Collection for Training Missionary Apostles of Jesus: today we have a second collection to support the training of students training for missionary work with the Apostles of Jesus Missionaries in Africa. Thank you for supporting this crucial work to make sure that young men who feel called to the priesthood get the formation they need. Cheques can be made payable to the Charity "Apostles of Jesus Missionaries Support UK"

The Christmas Fair for Our Lady of the Angels will go ahead on 30th November this year. **Your donations are going to be most important.** We will be setting everything up on Saturday 29th between 2:00-5:30pm. Please Donate items that are clean, in good condition and ready to sell.

This year we will be running a The Present Room - we are looking for small unwanted gifts that you might have received in Christmas's past. The children pay £2.50 to select a gift and gift wrap it for mum or dad. We are also looking for donations of any spare gift wrapping you might have...wrapping paper, bows, ribbons, Sellotape etc.

We need lots of bottles (for the tombola), any bottle donations please take them to the presbytery for safe keeping. Plants, Christmas wreaths, pottery and glass ware, loved piety items, ladies scarves, jewellery and handbags, pictures and picture frames, jigsaw puzzles (no pieces missing).

We would ask that donations are clean and in good condition ready for sale.

Please bring any of the items mentioned, to the hall, from 2:00pm onwards on 29th. Thank you for your helpful support.

St. Anne's Christmas Fayre - will take place on **Friday 5th December 2025 less than** Five weeks to go! Donations for the Parish raffle, bottle stall and children's stall are requested. Please hand in donations to: Michael - Saturday evening Mass St. Anne's Church Mary S - Sunday 08.30 Mass St. Joseph's Church Julie – Sunday 10.30 Mass St. Anne's Church . Thank you for your generosity

Children at Mass

The future of the Church and of the world relies heavily on the young. I thank families with children, who prepare them for Sunday Mass; you are doing a fantastic ministry. Please teach them to learn what to do when they come to church. Let us all support families with children at Mass.

MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE

RCIA this year, we have been so blessed with a good number of candidates who wish to be received into full communion with the Church. There are 3 at St. Anne and 9 at Our Lady of the Angels. Thanks to God for such an abundant harvest. Please keep them in your prayers and inspire them by your own witness to Christ.

Quiz Night: the Knights of St. Columba invite each Parish to send a team of 5 people to represent their parish in the Quiz competition. Entry Fee is £10.00 per team. The winning team will have their name engraved on the Deanery Quiz Trophy and will hold it for 12 months. The Quiz will take place at St. Osburg's Catholic Church, Barras Lane Coventry CV1 4AQ on Friday 21st November 2025 starting at 8:00pm.

Appreciation: Winnie Broadaway and Linda Glover extend their gratitude to you all for the messages of condolences and sympathy which you sent to them when they lost their dear ones. Thank you for attending the funeral in person and for the prayers you offered for the repose of the deceased souls.

Memorial Mass for Deanary deceased clergy will take place at St. Elizabeth Church Foleshill Coventry (63 St. Elizabeth Road, Coventry CV6 5BX) on 11th November and will start at 7.00pm. We are all invited to attend this Mass to pray for our recently deceased priests and deacons.

Catholic Meditation Spending some time in silent meditation brings serenity in mind and heart. You are welcome to join a group of parishioners who are being taught how to spend time in meditation. This exercise takes place every Monday at Our Lady of the Angels Parish Hall from 7.30pm.

Placing them in the merciful hands of the Lord: Today Sunday 9th November at 4.5pm there will be Divine Mercy Devotional prayers. These will include ●Adoration ● Benediction● and Lighting a Candle for a loved one in their memory. Could you invite a friend/neighbor to join us or offer someone a lift to church?

OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS MASS SCHEDULE

Dedication of the Lateran Basilica— 9th November 2025.

Sunday Vigil (Saturday) 8th November 6:00pm Pro Populo

Sunday 9th 9:15am Sebastian Maliackal RIP—Patrick Corcoran RIP (1st ann)

11:00am Kath Cashmore RIP

4:00pm Divine Mercy Devotional Prayers

Weekdays Holy Rosary: 9:05am led by parishioners

Mon 10th 9:30am Anthony, Dennis & Pauline Batey RIP *St Leo the Great*

Tue 11th 9:30am Iris & Joe Sabec RIP *St Martin of Tours*

Wed 12th 9:30am Benson Fernandes birthday Thanksgiving *St Josaphat*

Thu 13th 9:30am Rita Buagenza RIP (bday ann)

13th 9:30am OLST School Mass

Fri 14th 11:00am Amir Jamadhar RIP

Sat 15th 9:30am Thanksgiving

Sat 10.00 am Exposition of the blessed sacrament & confessions:

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

MASS SCHEDULE ST. ANNE AND ST JOSEPH FOR THE WEEK 31st

Dedication of the Lateran Basilica— 9th November 2025.

Saturday 8th November Mass at St. Anne's 5:00pm

Sunday 9th November Mass at St. Joseph's 08:30am

Mass at St. Anne's 10:30am

Tuesday 11th November Mass at St. Anne's 09:30

Wednesday 12th November Mass at St. Anne's 09:30

Thursday 13th November Mass at St. Anne's 09:30

Friday 14th November Exposition, 6:00pm Confession 6:15—6:45pm

Mass at St Anne's 7:00pm

Saturday 15th November Mass at St. Anne's 17:00

Sunday 16th November Mass St. Joseph's 08:30am

Mass at St. Anne's 10:30

CONTINUOUS PRAYER FOR THE PARISH INTENTIONS

For the sick: Marie Lewis, Mary Browner, David Marsh, Kirsty Kalnins, Codey Darlison, Cynthia Mallabone, David Reeves, Joan Hanlon, Margaret Berkmire, Liz Lloyd, Mary Furlong, Jim Jarvis, Martin Reed, Alice Guiney, Abi Glenn, Carol Wright, Caelan Shannon, Mary Kelly, Debra Bowman, Rachel Anderson, Swaren Baden, Stephen Gilbey & Terry Mallabone.

Doreen Fleming, Rita Clifford, Lyudmyla Vasilenco, John-Joseph Shannon, Joyce Haluk, Diane Compton-Belcher, Anne Franklin, Rosie Gilbert & Kaste Deeming. Please remember all those in hospital and parishioners who receive the Blessed Sacrament at home.

For Parishioners recently deceased

Kath Cashmore & Michael Broadway OLA

Adela Foster, Terry Garratley & Elizabeth Barrie (St. Anne).

Parishioners whose Anniversaries we remember during the week

Anniversaries week beginning : 9th November 2025

Mary Aucott, Joan Gosling, Kathleen Long, Thomas Sheehan, Seamus Maguire, Paul Byrne, Mary Leroy, Charlesina Godfrey, Janet Banks, Alfred Baxter, Francis Smith, Terence Sullivan, Mary Stevens, Margaret Roberts, Richard Collins, James Mulcahy, Geraldine Bailey, Gwendolene Hewitt, Andrew Wilson & Carolyn Cook.

Priests whose anniversaries appear during the Week:

Rev Michael O'Keefe, Deacon John Burton, Rev Petroc Howell, Rev Laurence Smith, Rev Thomas O'Connor & Rev William Boyle.