

Induction of Fr. Jimmy as parish priest of St. Anne's and St. Joseph's Camphill will take place on Friday 30th January 2026 at 7:00pm. This is in addition to his responsibility as Parish priest of Our Lady of the Angels Nuneaton. Please keep him in your prayers.

Bishop Richard Walker will confirm some pupils of St. Anne primary school and some parishioners on Wednesday 21st January 2026 at 6:00pm. On 12th February, he will confirm the pupils of Our Lady and St. Joseph Primary School at 7:00pm.

Cakes for CAFOD in the parish hall at Our Lady of the Angels after 9.15am Mass Sunday 18th January. Please support by baking/buying cakes. All proceeds will go to CAFOD.

Apostles of Jesus Missionaries ordained eight seminarians to diaconate on 8th December 2025. Thanks to all who support the formation of candidates to the priesthood, by doing so, you become missionaries without leaving your homes.

Customary Prayers Said at St. Anne & St. Joseph

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, St Anne's & St Joseph's Catholic Parish
The Presbytery, Coton Road, Nuneaton CV11 5UA



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

11th January 2026

.GIFT AID IS A SURE PART OF OUR SOLUTION:

Each country has its own bad side but there is no country no matter how small or poor , which does not have good side, things to admire or to envy. Writing as someone born from outside the UK, there are three things which I greatly appreciate of this country.

1. That smoking tobacco in public closed places was banned and remains banned.
2. That the NHS serves every person without exception.
3. That the Government supports the people who pay it tax, by giving back to them 0.25% in every pound they donate to their own preferred charity.

As far as I'm concerned these three things are worthy of our admiration

The diocese encourages each parish to find its own means and ways of approach to solving its practical needs. I mentioned to you that, **evangelisation, carbon neutrality** and **financial resilience** are close to my heart. It is for these reasons that I advocate for the formation of catechists: men, women and young people who wish to share their faith with others. We need to become mindful of our carbon emissions, and resilient when we are faced with difficulties.

Did you know that your generosity enabled our parish to witness a number of weddings last year, that over 100 children and adults received First Holy Communions and Confirmations? Are you aware too that a number of adults were received into full Communion with the Catholic Church after completing their RCIA program? Programs such as these, require expenditures on them, I thank you that you are one of the people who support these causes financially.

Giving your Sunday donations through Gift Aid Scheme (if you are a tax payer), is something I encourage everyone to do; it is easy and it does not cost you more than what you decide to donate. However, it helps the parish to benefit further. If you give your Sunday donation through GA, on every pound you donate, the government adds to your donation £0.25 pence to become £1.25. If you are a taxpayer and register for Gift Aid, when you give your donation say £5.00, the HMRC will add £1.25 so that your donation becomes £6.25 without you paying anything extra. If you pay UK income tax you are able to sign up for Gift Aid.

Imagine more parishioners signed up for Gift Aid, we would raise thousands of pounds more to support our parish. It allows the parish to receive that extra 25p for every pound you donate. For us this makes a big difference, as it becomes a certain path to the parish finance resilience.

We are so blessed that many parishioners have work and faithfully pay tax on their income, do not let the government get what otherwise it gives back to you.

PARISH OFFICE INFORMATION

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Fr. Pius Mmanda, AJ.- fr.piuss.mmanda@rcaob.org.uk
Deacons: Rev Mike Skidmore 024 76384406 Rev Phil Bracken 07355 535666
Parish Sisters: Sr Therese, Sr Jacinta & Sr Helen 024 76350615 (Presentation Sisters)
Parish Secretary: Ms. Stephanie Taunton (Mon-Fri 9am -1pm)

Schools: Our Lady and St. Joseph Primary School CV11 5TY TEL: 024 76383807
St. Anne's 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's: Teresa Harriss

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

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

St. Joseph's: Stella Inglis Roy

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

Head of Altar Servers: OLA Daniel Murphy
St. Anne's Reg Woolley

Communication St. Anne's : 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.

MATTERS OF IMPORTANCE

Peace Sunday: the 59th World Day of peace 2026 will take place on Sunday 18th January. Pope Leo has announced the theme – ‘*Peace be with you all: Towards an ‘unarmed and disarming peace.*’ He has continued the exhortation of Pope Francis that the call to live nonviolent ‘is core to Catholic Social Teaching and a key to peace in a world scarred by violent conflict. Novena for Christian Unity starts on Sunday 18th January and concludes 24th January.

Sunday of the Word of God: coincides with the Third Sunday in Ordinary, January 25th. Please bring the Bibles that you have in your families so that the Word of God may bless us as we shall bless the books that contain the Word of God.

Training to become a catechist: are you interested in teaching the Catholic Christian faith in our parish? If so, Fr. Jimmy would like to form parishioners endowed with deep personal faith, witness, and accompaniment, who can assist different faith groups to develop their faith or to sustain it. You will learn to explain the faith, live as a witness, and guide others in ways of how to be a committed catholic. Particular interest is in young people who wish to share their faith with other people. At the end of the course the catechist will be expected to lead prayer services in the schools, visit the sick with Holy Communion and let the parish priest know those who need a visit. If you are interested please contact Fr Jimmy.

Help Needed ALPHA course started on 9th January 7pm-9pm. Everyone is welcome. Could you please contribute £1 towards funding the Alpha Course. We are providing our guests with a light meal plus drinks. We would be most grateful for a little financial help. Thank you very much, Bring your questions and come and journey with us. The Alpha Team

Death and Funeral announcement of Fr. David Francis Keniry, retired priest of the Archdiocese of Birmingham, who died on Tuesday 9th December 2025. He worked in Coventry in Potters Green for some years. The reception of his body will be at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, 123 Cannock Road, Burntwood WS7 0BB on 13th January at 6pm, followed by the celebration of Holy Mass. The Funeral Mass will be celebrated on 14th January at 12 noon, presided over by Archbishop Bernard Longley. The burial will take place at 3.30pm, at St. Charles Borromeo, Hampton on the Hill, Warwick. CV35 8QR

Bible Study will focus on Wisdom Literature, including the books of Sirach, Proverbs, Wisdom and Psalms, linking in with New Testament readings For details see Pat Rudkin.

Pay Some Attention to this:

OUR PARISH, OUR RESPONSIBILITY

Dear Brothers and sisters, last week I shared with you the three ambitions that I asked of you to implement this year :Evangelisation and mission, Carbon Neutrality and Resilience. I mentioned that the expansion of the boundaries of our parish require that we take a radical view of becoming evangelisers. Carbon neutrality requires us to re-examine our contribution to climate change which is destroying the planet. Resilience calls on us to do our best to be financially capable of meeting those inevitable expenses to keep the parish. Thank you all for the planned giving which is linked to a number of charities.

I have great admiration for people who have great affection for our church building and its surrounding grounds. A few have expressed their requests to have their ashes interred in our parish cemetery. This emphasises the need to maintain in good order our church building and its grounds. Apart from keeping our church safe, neat and tidy in appearance, there are other important reasons that not only make church maintenance worthwhile but excellent value for money and for planet.

As a parish, our carbon footprint is not good. Through regular maintenance, we are able to conserve what has been passed into our care. Yes, we cannot stop decay, but we can slow it down. We are able to minimise the risk of extensive high cost repairs through regular cleaning of gutters, drains, church boilers and radiators. Doing so is cheaper than having to replace something like the roof following years of neglect..

A church well-looked after means that we do not have to worry about mould growing in the narthex or water dripping through the roof during Mass. Regular statutory inspection of church buildings and trees, helps us to safeguard us and our visitors. Our church is beautiful, it enhances the quality of life of its members and it enriches our worship. To put it mildly, our church is cherished. We look after this church not only for us, but for our children and their children. We want them to inherit from us this beautiful, humble place of worship, prayer, petition and praise.

Over the coming years, I foresee that a good amount of money will be spent on regular and necessary maintenance of the church, the presbytery and the parish hall. To reduce our carbon emissions and to contribute to a healthier environment for our children and for their children, we shall need not only good boilers but also benefit from the greener energy by installing solar panels to reduce our dependence on fossil fuels to keep our church warm.

In the meantime, I wish to ask you to cultivate a habit of saving on our parish expenses. When the door is left open during this cold spell, heat is lost, to build it again, we have to keep the boilers running, and when the boilers keep running, the more we have to pay for doing so. Take charge by avoiding unnecessary

OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS MASS SCHEDULE

Baptism of the Lord– 11th January 2026

Sunday Vigil (Sat) 10th 6:00pm Eric Ormond RIP (8th ann)

Sunday 11th 9:15am Kurian Mathew RIP

11:00am Pro Populo

Weekdays Holy Rosary: 9:05am led by parishioners

Mon 12th 9:30am VU Joseph RIP (ann)

5:00pm Reception of Pauline Morris

Tue 13th 10:30am Requiem for Pauline Morris

Wed 14th 9:30am Scariah Cherian RIP

Thu 15th 9:30am Dr Criston RIP - Gasper Perumpettikunnel RIP

Fri 16th 9:30am Ronald Baldock RIP

Sat 17th 9:30am Pro Populo St Anthony

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

Baptism of the Lord– 11th January 2026

Sat 10th Jan Mass at St. Anne's 5:00pm

Sun 11th Jan Mass at St. Joseph's 08:30am

Mass at St. Anne's 10:30am Trevor and Adela Foster (RIP)

Mon 12th Jan (No Mass)

Tue 13th Jan Mass at St. Anne's 09:30 John Robertson & Ben Woloszczuk RIP

Wed 14th Jan Mass at St. Anne's 09:30

Thu 15th Jan Mass at St. Anne's 9:30am

Fri 16th Jan Exposition, 6:00pm Confession Mass at 7:00pm

Mass at St Anne's 7:00pm

Sat 17th Jan Mass at St. Anne's 17:00

Sun 18th Jan Mass at St Anne's 09.30

OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS

Parish Finances week beginning 04/01/26

COLLECTION £688.23 of which Gift Aid £217.50

FABRIC FUND £376.5 of which Gift Aid: £189.60

DECEMBER Tap & Go: £785.00 of which Gift Aid: £544.00

JANUARY STANDING ORDER: £1236.67

To DONATE

Sunday 23/4th Jan Mass attendance 409

Scan QR Code

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

2ND COLLECTION: 18TH JANUARY PAX CHRISTI

Many
Thanks!



OUR LADY OF THE ANGELS—Parish Hall

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

JAN 2026

Mon - 12/19/26th Meditation 7:30pm

Tue - 13/20/27th RCIA 7:30pm

Tue - 20th Seniors after Mass

Tue - 13/20/27th Knit & natter 1:30-3:30pm

Tue - 13/20/27th First Holy Communion classes 4pm

Wed - 21st Coffee morning after Mass

Wed - 7th Kinship Group 12-1pm

Wed - 21/28th Bible Study group after morning Mass

Thu - 15/22/29th Confirmation classes 4pm

St Anne's collections—For the month of December 2025

First Collection Gift Aid: £275.04 Non Gift Aid: £489.48

Building Fund Gift Aid: £391.99 Non Gift Aid: £539.99

CHARITY: Poor Parishes £45.00 Non Gift Aid: £00.00

CONTINUOUS PRAYER FOR THE PARISH INTENTIONS

For the sick: Philip Jennings, 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, Rachel Anderson, Swaren Baden, Stephen Gilbey, Terry Mallabone, Joan Turnball, Neil Bailey & Jean Skidmore.

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

For Parishioners recently deceased:

Pauline Morris (13th Jan 10:30am) Frank McAleer (6th Feb 10am)

Parishioners whose Anniversaries we remember during the week

Anniversaries week beginning :11th January 2026

Christine McCrea, Victor Newcombe, Mary Jackson, Mary Temple, Florence Bernard, Edna Jarvis, Robert Childs, Martin Fallon, Philip Dunn, Denis Wilks, Ruth Flanagan, Barbara Kalnins, Stanley Wilkinson, Paul Hiscox, Bridget Collins, Michael Nellany, Evelyn Brown, Pauline Glendenning & Jeanne Bannister.

Martin O'Connor, Henry McShane, Jimmy McParland, Patrick Reilly, Frank Ball, Mandy Roy, Derek Owens, Karen Rowe and Rose Waraich

Priests whose anniversaries appear during the Week:

Deacon William Murphy, Rev Patrick Farrelly, Rev Patrick McSwiney, Rev Patrick Joyce, Deacon Brian Dockerty, Rev Benedict O'Gorman, Deacon Thomas Carter, Rev Gerard Pauleve, Rev Cyril Bennett, Canon Matthias Corrigan & Rev Archibald Snell.