



CORPUS CHRISTI and ST. ANNE'S

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Saturday 30th March - Sunday 14th April, 2024

<u>EASTER SUNDAY</u> B2				
Saturday	30th	7.30pm	Corpus Christi	EASTER VIGIL Mary Healy; Jack Bell; Roseanne
<i>followed by light refreshment, welcoming our newly Baptised</i> - do remember clocks go forward tonight!				
Sunday	31st	9.00am	St Anne's	John & Helen Fallan; Angelo and Maria Discenza
		11.00am	Corpus Christi	Trevor Bloodworth; pro populo
EASTER OCTAVE: Monday: 10am Mass at St Osburg's (CV1 4AQ); Corpus Christi : Tues 6pm adoration; Tues 7pm and Wed 9.30am Communion Services; St Anne's : Thurs & Fri 9.30am Communion Services; Fri 6pm, Corpus Christi , Rosary and adoration.				
Saturday	6th	9.30am	St Anne's	Christina & Kazimir Bieliauskas <i>followed by adoration and Confessions</i>
<u>DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY</u> B2				
Saturday	6th	5.00pm	Corpus Christi	Michael & Ann Tobin; Rhona Toal; Angela Gormley; Mary Gavin
Sunday	7th	9.00am	St. Anne's	Sally Rafferty; Maria Pickering
		11.00am	Corpus Christi	William & Sheila Fawcett; pro populo
Monday	8th	6.00pm	Corpus Christi	Reception of Liz Merry Betty Devine
THE ANNUNCIATION		7.00pm	Corpus Christi	Funeral Service for Liz Merry Adoration & Benediction
Tuesday	9th	10.00am	Corpus Christi	Walter & Kathleen Fearick
		6.00pm	Corpus Christi	Doreen Cadden
		7.00pm	Corpus Christi	Mrs F Nielson
Wednesday	10th	9.15am	Corpus Christi	Baby Isaac
Thursday	11th	9.10am	St Anne's school	Rosary and Adoration
Friday	12th	9.30am	Corpus Christi	Jadviga
		7.00pm	St Anne's	
Saturday	13th	9.30am	St Anne's	
<i>followed by Adoration and Confessions</i>				
<u>3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER</u> B2				
Saturday	13th	5.00pm	Corpus Christi	Frances Glancy; Jim Durkan
Sunday	14th	9.00am	St. Anne's	Margaret Ann Paris; Velotta family
		11.00am	Corpus Christi	Pat & Win Fitzpatrick

Please pray for **Fatuse Phoebe Ayompiosi** who are will be baptised on 7th April, that she and her family may grow in faith and love through this great sacrament.

Second Collections

Easter Masses

all monies offered go to your parish priest
thank you

Next Two Weekends

Community centre/
Parish Debt

Extraordinary Ministers and Readers

EASTER

7.30pm Chukwudi Malize, John Teeling, Patti Hynd-Anderson, Pat Timmons, Marie Anne Bowell;
Julie Martin

9am Seamus Brannigan;
John Fallan.

11am Chukwudi Malize; ;
Anne Malize.

Divine Mercy Sunday

5pm Caroline Ward;
Julie Martin.

9am Seamus Brannigan;
Franklin Darko.

11am Emmanuel;
Mary Pearson.

3rd Sunday of Easter

5pm Marie Anne Bowell;
Pat Timmons.

9am Jocelyn Gallen;
John Fallan.

11am Gerard McAleese;
Maria Bloodworth.

EASTER SUNDAY

Responsorial Psalm

This day was made by the Lord; we rejoice and are glad.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia, alleluia!

Christ, our Passover, has been sacrificed:
let us celebrate the feast, then, in the Lord.

Alleluia, Alleluia, alleluia!

Financial Matters

	Corpus Christi	St Anne's
First Collection		
Gift-Aided (+SOs)	£336.64	£173.67
Non Gift-Aided	<u>£283.18</u>	<u>£128.56</u>
Total	£619.82	£301.23
Second Collection		
Community centre /parish debt	£542.92	£167.00
Thank you!		

CC Pledges £8,500 (of £8,600) **CC fund-raising £4,186** (of £15,000) **SA fund-raising £1,943** (of £8,000)

Safeguarding: The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocesan policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Caroline Ward, Pat Timmons & Rosaria Petrucci. They can be contacted at: sg.ccandstanne.covty@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240/ safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.

Dear Parishioners,

A Happy and Holy Easter to you all! He is risen. Death is conquered. Suffering no longer has to be meaningless, but a path to eternal life. and God has shown us how infinite is his love for us every one of us. How can we not be full of joy! All the difficulties of life have an end; all that is good and true and beautiful lasts for ever. Let us be full of the fruits of the Holy Spirit this day - of peace and joy and kindness, knowing that the best possible news in the Universe comes true today.

A very big thank you to everyone who has helped with our Holy Week services, but also to all who have made that little bit more of an effort, taken another step into a living faith. Once more, more of you came to the Mass of Our Lord's Supper, and many of you stayed a little bit longer with Christ than you were comfortable with. Our Good Friday services were full of meaning and reverence. And lots of us have been changed within that little bit more. God's growth is normally slow but sure - you're his masterpiece and artists take time over their pride and joy to make sure they get it right.

Thank you to our readers, ministers and our foot washers. Thanks also to our sacristans, cleaners, brass polishers, florists, wardens, lifters, and all who have helped behind the scenes. A special thanks to our choirs and altar servers. The choir have had to cope with losing Mary, our St Anne's organist, and so had to rely on each other even more - and did so. And the servers really came of age this week - really knowing what to do and when. It's great for the services - and for my stress levels: I really have been able to relax more into the spiritual meaning of the services, as I know that practical stuff is in hand. Thank you.

EASTER RAFFLE

Our joint raffle has been a great success - thanks to the organisers. We now come to the draw! Half the prizes will be drawn for after the Vigil, and the other half after 9am Easter Sunday Mass, at St Anne's. Both times, refreshments are provided for us to celebrate Easter together, so please do stop over, share the joy, and find out if you have one more Easter Egg than you were expecting!

EASTER MONDAY MASS As always, this is at St Osburg's, 10am, Easter Monday, 1st April. It is a good way to honour the Blessed Sacrament - the great living memorial of our sacrificed, Risen Lord.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY There are leaflets available to help you with this great devotion. The build up starts today!

ANNUNCIATION Because of Holy Week and the Easter Octave, the Annunciation - Mary's yes to God and the Word becoming flesh, is delayed until Mon 8th. We'll have Mass 7pm then to celebrate such an important event.

JOURNEY IN FAITH Congratulations to Kelly and Genevieve, Goldie, and Ama, who are to be Baptised and Confirmed at the Easter Vigil, and for those receiving the same at Sacred Heart also. Our sessions recommence at 7.45pm 11th April at Corpus Christi: medical ethics and a party. Do bring some party nibbles.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION This also starts Thursday 11th April, 6-7pm at Corpus Christi.

CORPUS CHRISTI COMMUNITY CENTRE Still steadily plugging away - pledges are nearly all in, fund-raising building up nicely, all demolishing is very nearly complete in centre, and we're still progressing with our grants. We have a Finance Committee meeting Wed 10th April, 7pm, and then I'll report back to everyone where we are and what we're doing. The only catch is connected to the group getting our grant application for internal refurbishment ready. We haven't got all our quotes in yet, and we might have to wait a bit anyway to put the bid in, so **can we postpone our meeting a week to Sat 13th April, 11am?** Sorry for any inconvenience caused.

We've had to have the trees in front of the centre cut down - they have damaged the drainage system, even to the point of causing the church cellar to flood more - and would damage the building. It's always sad to chop trees down, but it was essential, and wow has it changed the look of the centre - it's like it has suddenly reappeared. It has really changed the upstairs view from the presbytery - it's like I've gained 6 more neighbours!

ST ANNE'S PARISH DEBT Pretty well a quarter of the way there. Please all play your part.

Please pray for all those who have died recently including **Liz Merry** (funeral Tues 9th, 10am at CC) and **Maria Discenza** (funeral Tues 16th, 2pm SA). May they be united to the Risen Lord.

Have a great Easter.

Yours in the Risen Jesus and his rejoicing Mary,

Fr Stephen



EASTER MARIAN ANTHEM

Regina Caeli, laetare, alleluia!
Quia quem meruisti portare, alleluia!
Resurrexit, sicut dixit, alleluia!
Ora pro nobis Deum, alleluia!

O Queen of Heaven rejoice, alleluia!
For he whom you did merit to bear, alleluia!
Has risen, as he said, alleluia!
Pray for us to God, alleluia!

**HAPPY
EASTER**
HE IS RISEN!