



CORPUS CHRISTI and ST. ANNE'S

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Saturday 11th - Sunday 19th November, 2023

THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY A1

Saturday	11th	5.00pm	Corpus Christi	Walter & Kathleen Fearick; Jim & Ann Redmond; people of the parish
Sunday	12nd	9.00am	St. Anne's	Yvonne Young
		11.00am	Corpus Christi	Chukwudi & Anne Malize; Hugh Duffy
Monday	13th	No Mass		
Tuesday	14th	1.00pm	Holy Family	Deanery Mass for deceased clergy
		5.00pm	St Anne's	Reception of Yvonne Young
		6.00pm	Corpus Christi	Adoration & Benediction
		7.00pm	Corpus Christi	Holy Souls
Wednesday	15th	9.15am	Corpus Christi	Kath McNamara
		1.00pm	St Anne's	Funeral Mass for Yvonne Young
Thursday	16th	9.30am	St Anne's Church	Tony Kavanagh
Friday	17th	9.30am	St Anne's	Mary Richards
		6.00pm	St Anne's	Rosary & Adoration
Saturday	18th	9.30am	Corpus Christi	Adoration
		10.00am	Corpus Christi	Mass for our deceased loved ones <i>followed by refreshments in Fr Tuite room</i>
THIRTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME A1				
Saturday	18th	5.00pm	Corpus Christi	John Flanagan; people of the parish
Sunday	19th	9.00am	St. Anne's	Mary Rynne; Holy Souls
		11.00am	Corpus Christi	Theresa Anatuanga

Please pray for **Layton, Leila and Logan Herbert** who will be Baptised at St Anne's this weekend, that they and their family may grow in faith and love through this great sacrament.

Second Collections

This Weekend

M.S.F./ parish debt

Next Weekend

Youth Service

Extraordinary Ministers and Readers

11th/12th Nov
 5pm Marie Anne Bowell;
Pat Timmons.
 9am Mateusz Dabrosz;
John Fallan.
 11am John Teeling;
Mary Pearson.
 4th/5th Nov
 5pm Pat Timmons;
David Haywood.
 9am Seamus Brannigan;
Jocelyn Gallen.
 11am Victoria Uche;
Maria Bloodworth.



THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

Responsorial Psalm

For you my soul is thirsting, O God, my God.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Stay awake and stand ready, because you do not know
 the hour when the Son of Man is coming.

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia!

Financial Matters

	Corpus Christi	St Anne's
First Collection		
Gift-Aided (+SOs)	£472.20	£147.50
Non Gift-Aided	<u>£199.23</u>	<u>£93.84</u>
Total	£671.43	£240.34
Second Collection		
Johnson Fund	£216.79	£118.83
Thank you		

WE WILL REMEMBER - STAY AWAKE

The first is our Remembrance Sunday refrain; the second is Jesus' conclusion of today's parable. But they're not as dissimilar as they might at first seem. Wisdom is seeking after and following the way that leads to growth, harmony, and true happiness. Forgetting the wars is going to sleep and just means we'll have another one. Utter foolishness. Forgetting what people gave so that we may have freedom means we demean them and the freedom they fought for. As our bishops warned us, at Vatican II, if we forget Christ and stop striving to love each other, then the only peace we will know is the peace of death. Foolishness says, oh it'll never happen to us. Wisdom says, of course it will, unless we build on Christ, and listen to his voice. Whose voice do you listen to most?

They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old: age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.

At the going down of the sun and in the morning: we will remember them.

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,

It's been a good week - what Our Lady has promised is, not surprisingly, coming true. This Sunday is Remembrance Sunday, but also our Masses of Commitment for Confirmation. Please make our Confirmandi families welcome. Just to remind you of dates this week:

The **Deanery Mass for deceased clergy** is at Holy Family church, **1.00pm** on Tuesday 14th November.

33 DAYS TO MORNING GLORY Wednesday, 6pm in the Fr Tuite room - some great spiritual growth going on.

JOURNEY IN FAITH this Thursday 16th November, 7.45 - 9.00pm at Sacred Heart, Harefield Road, CV2 4BT. We missed some of you - but a good start.

CONFIRMATION preparation Thursday, 16th November, 6.00 - 7.10pm at St Anne's Church. A good start too.

Saturday 18th November, we have our **10am Masses for deceased loved ones** at Corpus Christi, followed by tea and biscuits. All are welcome - please let me have any names before the day. We'll light a candle for each loved one during Mass.

NOVEMBER, PRAYING FOR THE DEAD

We have our **Holy Souls boxes** at both churches. White slips and plain envelopes are for names of loved ones; envelopes with writing on (brown at St Anne's, white at Corpus Christi) are for Mass offerings, towards Masses for the Holy Souls.

CORPUS CHRISTI COMMUNITY CENTRE The diocese came to look at what we are doing and planning - and were very impressed. Unless there's any complaints in the next two weeks, it looks like we'll be granted faculty by then, as it is called.

Thank you so much for joining in our public consultation - we got nearly 500 forms returned! And some very favourable comments too - from parishioners, footballers, locals and all. We still will have our two meetings - parish Council 22nd, and parish 29th, 7.15pm both, but with so much positive and no negative feedback, it seems the path ahead is clear. Nevertheless, the final sheet I promised you is available this weekend - with a chance to fill in a feedback form and pop it in the box, for the parish council to consider.

An unusual request - but every grant is different! We can apply for a grant from the FCC who look after landfill sites. This process actually costs them money, and so for a grant to be considered, we have to have what they called Third Party Contributors to say they are willing to give money to them, to offset their costs. In our case, we are asking for £50,000, but in order to get that we need to offer them £5,375. Is anyone willing to contribute to this? **We only have to give it if they give us £50,000** - so for every pound you would be willing to give, we pretty well get £10. If you are willing to offer any amount, could you give me a letter saying that you are willing to be a Contributing Third Party to FCC in relation to the grant application for help with renovating and reopening Corpus Christi Community Centre, Coventry. Letters need to be given me in the next two weeks.

DAY OF RENEWAL "Come to me all you who labour and are overburdened, and I will give you rest" (Mt. 11:28). A day of refreshing renewal and healing. Speaker Ros Powell. Next Saturday, 18th November, 10am- 4.30pm, St Thomas More Church, CV3 5DE. All welcome, drinks provided, please bring own lunch.

UBI CARITAS AND QUIZ NIGHT Marie Reid has been a faithful servant of St Anne's since before it was built. We want to acknowledge such generosity, and have successfully requested the diocesan award, the Ubi Caritas, for her. We are going to present it to her at 7pm Mass on Friday 1st December. Please come along and support her. Following the Mass, we have our parish quiz. We're hoping for 10 teams of 6, from both churches. Only £1 per person. Bring and share food. Raffle prize donations please. Start getting your team sorted! Proceeds to parish funds. There's sign up lists at the back of the churches. We'd like you to come to both, but you can come to either.

ADVENT AND CRIBS The Harvest Services really took off this year, at third time of asking, so let's see if the same will be true of our Advent blessings of our crib figures. Over the four Sundays of Advent you are asked to bring different figures, gradually adding them to your crib scene at home. To help, crib sets are now on sale - £20 for 11 figures. Also, the blessing of the big crib at Broadgate, is on 1st Sunday of Advent, 3rd December at 4.00pm.

Yours in Jesus and Mary,

Fr Stephen



Prayer to St Michael

to protect the Church, our parish and our churches

Saint Michael, the Archangel, defend us in this day of battle,
be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil;
may God rebuke him, we humbly pray,
and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God,
cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits
who wander through the world seeking the ruin of souls.
Amen.

