



ST JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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The Parish is part of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Birmingham (Charity No. 234216)

Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time Year B

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| Sat 10 th | 19 th Sunday of OT | 5.00pm | Carterton | Phil Bailey RIP |
| Sun 11 th | | 9.30am | Burford | Pro Populo |
| | | 11.00am | Carterton | Pro Populo |
| Mon 12 th | Feria | 6.45pm | Carterton | Rosary Prayer Group |
| Tues 13 th | Feria | 10.00am | Burford | Celebrant's Intention |
| Wed 14 th | St Maximillian Kolbe | 9.30am | Carterton | Alan Whieldon Ints |
| Thur 15 th | Assumption of the BVM | 10.00am | Burford | Fr Leo Targett RIP |
| | | | Carterton | Special Intention (SP) |
| Fri 16 th | Feria | 9.30am | Carterton | Elaine Petherick RIP |
| Sat 17 th | Feria | No Mass | | |
| | 20 th Sunday of OT | 5.00pm | Carterton | Rebecca Phillips RIP |
| Sun 18 th | | 9.30am | Burford | Pro Populo |
| | | 11.00am | Carterton | Ryszard & Anne Nagorski Intentions |

Welcome to the celebration of Holy Mass. If you are visiting our parish for this weekend you are most welcome, do feel free to introduce yourself and join us for coffee/tea in the church hall after mass.

Please pray for the sick, housebound and those in the armed forces suffering mentally and physically from the effects of war: Deacon Bernard Curtin, Justin Family members His Majesty King Charles and Princess Catherine at this time.

Recently deceased.

Confessions are available during exposition at St Joseph's on Friday mornings, before weekday masses at Burford, before the Saturday evening Mass, and of course on request.

Safeguarding. The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Francesca and can be contacted at: sgstjoseph.carterton@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on [0121 230 6240](tel:01212306240)/ safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.

Livestream We are now livestreaming masses. This can be accessed via a search on YouTube or via the link on the Website. The livestream can be viewed on YouTube for 12 hours after the event but is not kept after that. I am concerned that this doesn't become a cause of anxiety for people. If it is it can be stopped but I think that would be a shame. I really can't think many people will be watching this feed, how would they even know about it?! It was only really a by-product of sorting out the stream into the Church Hall, and I thought that those members of our parish who can't physically be with us at mass in church for whatever reason can feel close to us and the Lord by these means.

Year of Prayer Talks

Tuesday September 24th Fr. Damian Howard SJ

(Corpus Christi, Headington - live-streaming available)

Wednesday October 23rd Fr. Joe Evans (Opus Dei) (Holy Rood, Abingdon Road)

The Angelus Prayer

V. The angel of the Lord declared unto Mary.

R. And she conceived of the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary,...

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord

R. Be it done unto me according to thy word.

Hail Mary,...

V. And the Word was made flesh

R. And dwelt among us.

Hail Mary,...

V. Pray for us, O holy Mother of God

R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ

Let us pray: **Pour forth, we beseech thee, O Lord, thy grace into our hearts;**

that, we to whom the incarnation of Christ, thy Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may by his passion and cross, be brought to the glory of his resurrection, through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

Rosary Prayer Group 6.45pm every Monday evening.

Solo's Friendship Group This group meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the alternating between coffee at 11.15am and Lunch at 12.30pm.month

Church Choir Rehearsals 7-8pm on Tuesday evenings. New members MOST WELCOME!

Faith Sharing Group Will resume again in September.

Parish Fun Day on Sunday August 11th a Game of Rounders' followed by a BBQ and or shared lunch back at the Church Hall. BYO Food and Drinks.

Making Financial Contributions to St Joseph's I do try not to 'go on' about money as I realise money is tight for most people at the moment, but equally we must still be mindful of the parish debt.

We have 2 new ways of making financial contributions to your parish now here at St Joseph's.

- On line by card: simply scan this code on your smart phone



- Also we now have a card reader in the porch on the way to the Hall where you can also make contactless payments for First and Second Collections or indeed make one off donations towards the Parish Debt which still stands at £150,000

Please be reassured, you will be able to continue donating using cash via the collection bags at Mass.

The Assumption of Our Lady Body and Soul into Heaven Since the time of the promulgation of the dogma of the Assumption of Mary by Pope Pius XII in 1950, there has been much new discovery. We now have *written evidence* of belief in the Assumption of Mary as far back as the third century. Though it is not necessary for there to be written evidence all the way back to the second century for us as Catholics because we have Sacred Tradition and Sacred Scripture as interpreted by the Magisterium of the Church first and foremost that has already given us the truth of the Matter, it is really exciting that new historical discoveries continue to be made and once again . . . and again . . . and again, they confirm the Faith of our Fathers.

