SAINT JOHN VIANNEY CATHOLIC CHURCH

Vianney House,
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Coventry,
CV5 7GW

Our Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham (Registered Charity Number 234216)

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5TH APRIL – SOLEMNITY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD

April Month of the Blessed Sacrament **I Sunday** Year A **I Parish Mass Book** pg. 251 **I Weekday** Year 2 **I Psalter** Week 1

SOLEMNITY OF THE RESURRECTION OF THE LORD	Saturday 4th	8.00pm **SOLEMN EASTER VIGIL MASS** – People of the Parish
	Sunday 5th	9.10am Morning Prayer 9.30am **EASTER SUNDAY MASS –** Richard Mooney RIP *(Mass with the Sacraments of Baptism, Confirmation and First Holy Communions)*
Easter Monday	Monday 6th	*10.00am Holy Mass for the Deanery at Saint Osburg's (CV1 4AQ)* 6.00pm Reception of the Body of Mary Bell
Easter Tuesday	Tuesday 7th	9.00am **Holy Mass** – David Goodall RIP 11.00am Baptism 12.30pm Funeral Mass for Mary Bell RIP
Easter Wednesday	Wednesday 8th	6.00pm **Holy Mass** – Intentions of Sue Taylor
Easter Thursday	Thursday 9th	9.30am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 10.00am **Holy Mass** – Intentions of Kevin Larkin
Easter Friday	Friday 10th	9.00am **Holy Mass** – Tamara Davies RIP
Easter Saturday	Saturday 11th	10.00am **Holy Mass** – Intentions of Patsy Johnson
SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER *Octave Day of Easter and Divine Mercy Sunday*	Saturday 11th	6.00pm **Vigil Mass of Sunday** – Intentions of Bob Middleton
	Sunday 12th	9.10am Morning Prayer 9.30am **Sunday Mass –** Bernadette, Seamus & James Whelan RIP 12.30pm Baptism *Teas and Coffee after Mass in the Parish Hall*

PARISH SAFEGUARDING NOTICE

Our Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Rep is Tricia Towner, who can be contacted at sg.stjohnvianney.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.

OFFERTORY & COLLECTIONS

Offertory Collection: 29/03/2026
Gift Aid: £79.00 **Loose:** £300.99 **Tap&Go:** £65.00
Total: £444.99
Second Collection for Church & Easter Flowers –
Total: £164.18
Good Friday Collection for the Holy Places

Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday Collection is the traditional Easter offering made to your Parish Priest.

Online Giving:
https://donate.mydona.com/st-john-vianney-coventry
or you can use the **Tap&Go** MyDona Card Machine in the porch.

Thank you for your continued generosity and financial support of the parish.

CATHOLIC EDUCATION

Both schools are part of the
Holy Cross MAC

Website www.hccmac.co.uk

Saint John Vianney Primary School
Mount Nod Way, Coventry, CV5 7GX
Headteacher Mrs. Veronica Gosling
Telephone 02476 464088
Website www.sjv.hccmac.co.uk

Bishop Ullathorne Catholic School
Leasowes Ave, Coventry, CV3 6BH
Headteacher Mrs. Sarah Boyle
Telephone 02476 414515
Website www.bishopullathorne.co.uk

PRAYER INTENTIONS

For those who are sick and housebound, those in nursing homes and hospital: Terence Cassidy, Steve Ward, Peter Hughes, Sylvia Flynn, Mary Harty, John Hoban, Laura Crowe and Jean Carver.
For those who have died: Mary Bell, Fr Joseph Narikuzhi, Chris Tyson, William McMenamin, Sister Terese O'Neil and Mary Harty
Parish April Prayer Intention: For the Easter season. Risen Lord, deepen our trust in the hope of Your Resurrection. Strengthen our faith in times of doubt and fill us with the joy of new life. May we always live as witnesses to Your promise of victory over death. Amen,
Pope Leo's April Prayer Intention: For priests in crisis. Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

WISHING YOU A VERY HAPPY EASTER

Thank you to everyone who have worked so hard in the background and generously given their time to prepare the church over these past few days, those who have helped move things around for the various liturgies, Church cleaners, flower arrangers, sacristans, as well as our stewards who have welcomed many people to our Church, those who have read at the liturgies, provided music, our wonderful team of altar servers who have assisted at the altar. Fr Alex and Deacon Andy wish you all a very blessed Easter.

EASTER SUNDAY SACRAMENTS: Many prayerful congratulations to Jessica and Rachael, who will be receiving the Sacraments of Initiation on Easter Sunday morning, as well as Sashon, who will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation and Ryan, Niyla and Francesco, who have been prepared by our parish Catechist Tricia Towner, will be making their First Holy Communion. Please pray for them and their families as they prepare to take this important step forward in faith.

KEEPING CHILDREN SAFE IN CHURCH: This is a polite notice that if your child needs to go to the toilet, they must be accompanied by an adult.

FUNERAL: Please pray for the repose of the souls of parishioners who have died recently, especially:
Mary Bell RIP: 6.00pm Reception of Body on Monday 6th April; Funeral Mass on Tuesday 7th April at 12.30pm, followed by Burial at Saint Andrew's Cemetery at 2.00pm.

RED BOX 2025: THANK YOU! St John Vianney raised £758.42 through our Red Boxes and donations to Missio and the Mill Hill Missionaries.

PARISH ROTA

THIS WEEKEND: Easter Sunday

4th April - 8.00pm Vigil Mass:

Readers: See below.
Stewards: (C Clay & M Flynn)

5th April - 9.30am Sunday Mass:

Readers: See below.
Stewards: (K Connelly & A Whelan)
Tea & Coffee: (Resumes on 12th April).

NEXT WEEKEND: Second Sunday of Easter

11th April - 6.00pm Vigil Mass:

Readers: 1st Reading, Responsorial Psalm (TBC),
2nd Reading, Gospel Acclamation, Bidding Prayers (TBC)
Stewards: (M Bell & T Cawley)

12th April - 9.30am Sunday Mass:

Readers: 1st Reading, Responsorial Psalm (TBC)
2nd Reading, Gospel Acclamation, Bidding Prayers (TBC)
Stewards: (M Sandy & L Yardley) **Tea & Coffee:** (Maureen).

EASTER VIGIL MASS 8.00PM **LITUGY OF THE WORD** From Page 221 *READER 1* (First Reading) Genesis 1:1, 26-31a & (Resp Psalm) Psalm 104 (103) – C Carr *READER 2* (Third Reading) Exodus 14:15-15:1 & (Resp Psalm) Exodus 15 – M Sandy *READER 3* (Fifth Reading) Isaiah 55:1-11 & (Resp Psalm) Isaiah 12 – T Cawley *READER 4* (Epistle Reading) Romans 6:3-11 & (Resp Psalm) Psalm 118 (117) – P Olley *READER 5* (Bidding Prayers) – Deacon Andy	**LUCERNARIUM** Page 216 **GLORIA** (Dan Schutte) sheet **LITANY** Page 238 **BLESSING OF WATER** Page 239 **RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL PROMISES** Page 244 **OFFERTORY** (270) Christ is alive with joy we sing **COMMUNION** (644) Alleluia, Sing to Jesus (720) Be still for the presence of the Lord **RECESSIONAL** (287) Thine be the glory
EASTER SUNDAY 9.30AM **LITURGY OF THE WORD** Page 251 *READER 1* (1st Reading & Resp Psalm) – D Smith *READER 2* (2nd Reading & Bidding Prayers) – A Whelan **RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL PROMISES** Page 244	**ENTRANCE** (268) Alleluia, give thanks to the risen Lord **EASTER SEQUENCE** Sung by Fr Alex **GLORIA** (Dan Schutte) sheet **OFFERTORY** (287) Thine be the glory **COMMUNION** (663) Sweet Sacrament Divine **RECESSIONAL** (270) Christ is alive with joy we sing

PARISH, DEANERY & DIOCESIAN EVENTS

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: 6.00PM MASS, SATURDAY 18TH APRIL 2026 At the start of Mass, the children will go into the Parish Hall for their own Liturgy of the Word and return to the Church for the Liturgy of the Eucharist. All children and families welcome.

BEAUSALE AND BEYOND: SATURDAY 18TH APRIL AT 2.00PM
Another superb presentation by the Birdman Philip Smith, and Wildlife locally and in Namibia Show, tea, coffee and cake £5.00 donation, all proceeds to go to Myton Hospice Warwick. 60 Tickets on sale and selling fast! If anyone could offer donations of cakes for this event, please let Fr Alex or Catherine Carr know. Many thanks.

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS AT ST MARY & ST BENEDICT: SUNDAY 12TH APRIL Commencing at 2.00pm. All welcome.

LETTER TO THE HEBREWS & THE SAVING WORK OF CHRIST: SATURDAY 25TH APRIL 2.30pm to 4.15pm at All Souls. The Letter to the Hebrews is one of the most complex books of the New Testament; at its heart, it has a simple and encouraging message. Led by Fr. Richard Ounsworth OP, Parish Priest of Holy Cross Priory, Leicester and lecturer at Blackfriars, Oxford.

THANKSGIVING MASS FOR MARRIAGE: SATURDAY 2ND MAY, 12 NOON AT ST. CHAD'S CATHEDRAL An invitation is extended to married couples, those celebrating a milestone anniversary and those preparing to marry this year, Mass followed by light refreshments. For more information, and to register your attendance: www.vocations.org.uk/marriage-mass.

2026 WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE: SATURDAY 9TH MAY *Principal Celebrant Canon Jonathan Veasey VG*. 1.30pm Mass in Chapel of Reconciliation, 3.00pm Procession to the Priory Grounds, 4.00pm Prayer at the site of the Holy House For more information email: olas.stourbridge@rcaob.org.uk

WE BELIEVE FESTIVAL: FRIDAY 24TH TO MONDAY 27TH JULY 2026 Takes place at St. Mary's College Oscott, the diocesan seminary. It's an unmissable opportunity to discover the traditions and charisms that flow through the Church, to grow in authentic community, and to encounter the transforming love of God. To find out more: www.webelievefestival.com.