



OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL, REDDITCH

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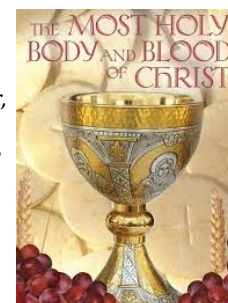


NEWSLETTER 2211 **SOLEMNITY OF CORPUS CHRISTI 22ND JUNE 2025**

Readings: Genesis 14:18-20 Psalm 109 1 Corinthians 11:23-26 Gospel Luke 9:11-17 Psalter Week 4

Please note this is a two week Newsletter, your editor is on leave and therefore the office will not be manned on Thursday & Friday of this week.

Reflection to the weekend Everything begins, one might say, from the heart of Christ who, at the Last Supper, on the eve of his passion, thanked and praised God and by so doing, with the power of his love, transformed the meaning of death which he was on his way to encounter. The fact that the Sacrament of the Altar acquired the name 'Eucharist' - 'thanksgiving' - expresses precisely this: that changing the substance of the bread and wine into the Body and Blood of Christ is the fruit of the gift that Christ made of himself, the gift of a Love stronger than death, divine Love which raised him from the dead, 'this is why the Eucharist is the food of eternal life, the Bread of Life.
Pope Benedict XVI



MASS INTENTIONS for the week beginning 22nd June 2025

Saturday	5pm	Joe & Mary Ginty & Ints of Evllin Benny (21st B'day)
Sunday	8.15am	Albert & Eva Langston 9.45am (Polish)
	11.15am	Maura Heath & Bill Wilson (b'day a)
	6pm	In Thanksgiving (CH) & People of the Parish (live-streamed)
Monday	1 pm	Funeral Mass Marina Huber
	6pm	Grateful thanks to St Anthony
STM School	9am	Fr Brendan Garrick
Tuesday	9.30am	In Gratitude to Our Lady
Wednesday	9.30am	Daniel Flanagan
Thursday	7pm	Michael & Antonina Bobowski (Wedd A) & Philip Lennon (1st A)
STA School	9.40 am	Fr Sandy Brown
Friday	9.30am	Pat Reardon
	1.30pm	Funeral Mass Gerald (Gez) Rutherford
	7pm	Latin Mass Holy Souls
Saturday	9.30am	Alan Richardson
	5pm	Paddy & Joe Loftus (a)

Fr Tony
Princess of Wales Hospital
Cottage Suite Bromsgrove
Please keep him in your prayers

After Mass on Tuesdays
Flame of Love of the
Immaculate Heart of Mary
Prayer Meeting

CONFESSION & BENEDICTION
SATURDAY 10AM—11AM
OR BY APPOINTMENT

Mount Carmel 6pm Sunday Mass is
Live Streamed—Visit our website
and click on 'Watch Live'

Solemnity of St Peter & Paul, Apostles 29th June 2025

Sunday	8.15am	Mary McGlynn 9.45am (Polish)
	11.15am	Michael & Ann O'Brien & People of the Parish
	6pm	Nancy Grogan (live-streamed)
Monday	12 noon	Funeral Mass Eamonn Kelly
	6pm	Ints of Hajrah & John McMahon
MC School	9am	Fr Brendan Garrick
Tuesday	9.30am	Holy Souls
Wednesday	9.30am	Ints of Madeleine Podesta
Thursday	7pm	Ints of Nimisha (19th b'day)
Friday	9.30am	Ints of Fr Tony
	7pm	Latin Mass Ints of Gebetsliga
Saturday	9.30am	Norah O'Leary
	5pm	Jo & Mary Ginty & Samuel & Kathleen McCallion
Sunday	8.15am	Jack & Mary Wishaw 9.45am (Polish)
	11.15am	People of the Parish 6pm Nora Doyle (Live-streamed)



IMPORTANT NOTICE

We have had a visit from the Police Community Officer following a complaint that parishioners attending Sunday Mass are parking in the Resident's Private car park opposite the church and restricting access by parking on the corners of the entrance.

Please use the church car park at all times

For the Sick ...

Please pray for **FR TONY, BRIAN DIXON, CAROLINE & BOB HOLLAND, EDDIE & GERALDINE MCGROARTY, JOHN HEATLEY, DELIA BREE, PAUL MCCONNELL, JULIAN MCRANDAL, DAVID CRUISE, MICHAEL & MARIA YATES, PIUS MCDERMOTT, JANE-CHRISTINA THOMSON, HELEN HORVATH, JEAN MAITLAND, EILEEN GIBBON, FRANK & MARY FALLON, MARGARET WILLIAMS, LEXI BRADBURY, FR MICHAEL WHITE, LORNA PARSONAGE, ALISTAIR CROWLE, ANNIE CLEARY, VILMA WILLIS, TRACEY & JOHN HAWTHORNE, BARBARA HARTHILL, JANE ELLIOTT, MARGARET ANNE SEAMAN, ROBERT CARTER, SUSAN PORTER**

For the Dead ...

Please pray for **MARINA HUBER Funeral Mass 1pm Monday 23rd June, GERALD RUTHERFORD Funeral Mass 1.30pm Friday 27th June, EAMONN KELLY Funeral Mass 12 noon Monday 30th June, PAULINE FLYNN Funeral Mass 11am Tuesday 8th July, PATRICIA DEELEY Funeral Service 12.30pm Monday 14th July at the Abbey Chapel, ZOFIA PATROTY Funeral details to be confirmed, ADAM HARRISON**



Lamp at the Shrine of Our Lady

This week in loving memory of **MICHAEL & ANTONINA BOBOWSKI (WEDD A)**

Next week for the intentions of **NIMISHA (B'DAY)**

Week after next **FREE AT THE MOMENT**



Lamp at the Shrine of the Sacred Heart

This week in loving memory of **TIANA THOMAS ((1ST ANNIV)**

Next week for the intentions of **NIMISHA (B'DAY)**

Week after next **ELIJAH KOTT (BAPTISM)**

PRAYER FOR PEACE IN THE UKRAINE & MIDDLE EAST

Loving God, we pray for the people of Ukraine and the Middle East, and for all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them. We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices. We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need. May we walk in our ways so that peace and justice become a reality for the people of Ukraine, the Middle East and the world. Amen *Our Lady Queen of Peace, pray for us*

Saints for the Week

Monday Saint Etheldreda (Audrey), Abbess

(c.630-679) St Etheldreda is one of the most popular royal saints of the Saxon period. She was the daughter of the powerful King Anna of East Anglia and married twice, the second time to King Egfrith of Northumberland. St Etheldreda eventually took the veil and founded a double monastery on the Isle of Ely. She died on 23 June 679.

Tuesday Solemnity of the Nativity of Saint John the Baptist

Friday Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

Saturday The Immaculate Heart of Mary

Weekly Statistics :

Weekend	14/15 June 2025
1st Collection	£747.38
2nd Collection	£334.12 (Day for Life)
Attendance	782

These figures do not include Standing Orders or Dona payments

Seniors Next Meeting

2pm Thursday 3rd July
in the Parish Hall

Cake Sale for Myanmar (Burma) CAFOD Earthquake Appeal

After the 11.15am Mass on 6th July in the Parish Hall. Donations of home made or shop bought cakes needed please. Please hand in to the parish from Monday week (30th June). Thank you. For a country already suffering under a brutal regime the needs of the thousand's affected by the quake are still great. CAFOD is working with the Catholic church in Myanmar to provide help and support, but more funds are needed.

Act now Change forever—mass lobby of Parliament 9th July

CAFOD and other charities are organising an opportunity for you and thousands of others concerned about climate change and poor country debt to meet their MP to express that concern and ask for government action to address these moral issues. More information at : <https://cafod.org.uk/news/campaigning-news/join-us-for-the-mass-lobby-of-parliament>

Visitation of the National Pilgrim Virgin Statue of our Lady of Fatima & the Relics of Saints Jacinta & Francisco St Chad's Cathedral, Saturday 28 June—

Start 8am—6pm - For Programme of events see poster in church or visit St Chad's website

Vacancy at the Diocese for a Chartered Surveyor (RICS) General Practice Surveyor, Property Team

Job Title : Senior Surveyor Location: Birmingham/Coleshill/Hybrid remote working
Terms: Permanent/Full time (may consider part time for the right candidate)
Salary: £50,000 pa to £55,000 pa pro-rata. Applications including a CV ad supporting statement to be submitted to the HR department to julia.hale@rcaob.org.uk by noon on Monday 30 June 2025. shortlisting w/c 30 June 2025, Interviews w/c 21st July 2025.

PARISH HALL When you leave, please make sure all lights are switched off, toilets flushed and the hall is left in a clean and tidy state
PARISH TOILETS During Mass times the toilet in the parish hall will be open. Please make sure the toilet is flushed and left as you would wish to find it. **Please do not put paper towels or nappies in the toilet—thank you.**



Thank You

from Joanna Kane (parishioner), the new Mayor of Redditch, to everyone involved in the Mayor's Community Mass at Mount Carmel last Friday. A retiring collection raised just over £400, which will be shared between the parish, and the Mayor's chosen charity for the year, the Primrose Hospice and Family Support Centre. Thank you very much for your generosity.

COUNTERS FOR THIS WEEKEND

Team 10 F Joseph J Tomi M Reji S Sebastian

COUNTERS FOR NEXT WEEKEND

Team 11 S Jose B Babu B Jacob

COUNTERS FOR WEEKEND AFTER NEXT

Team 1 T Craig G Blundell L Kings T Cordha

FEAST DAY OF OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL MASS

7pm Wednesday 16 July
Social & BBQ in garden and parish hall

GRAND DRAW

Raffle Tickets available now
Donations of raffle prizes
1st Prize £100 2nd Prize £50
plus other prizes would be gratefully received

Enrolment into the Brown Scapular



If anyone would like to be enrolled into the scapular during the Mass, please let Fr Jason know

FUND RAISING MEETING

**Tuesday 1st July
6pm Parish Hall**

Topics for discussion
Patronal Feast 16 July
and another Quiz Night
All welcome

Parish Pilgrimage to Evesham Saturday 12th July

Meet at Mount Carmel
12 noon Mass at St Egwins,
Walk to the Abbey
concluding with Benediction
Opportunity for Confession

If you are interested in going, please register with the parish office so we have an idea of how many would like to go.

