

World Day of Prayer for Creation

22 nd Sunday	^r in Ordinary Time 1 st Sep	tember 2024	
Parish Priest	Rev. Fr. David Barry	0121 458 123	36
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Masses this week		St Joseph's St Paul's					
Saturday 31st	5pm	Thomas Koshy RIP					
	After Mass	Rosary in the Lady Chape	I - for the sanctity of Human Life				
Sunday 1st	9am	People of the Parish	11am	People of the Parish			
Monday 2nd	9am	Chris Cody RIP	10am	Jenny Mytton & Margaret Isacc			
			3.30pm	St Paul's Rosary Group			
Tuesday 3rd	9am	Henretta Coyle RIP	10am	Seamus Kelly RIP			
Wednesday 4th	9am	Hannah & Paddy	10am	Private Intention			
		McDermott-Roe RIP					
Wednesday 5th	6pm	Adoration					
Thursday 6th	11.45am	Neil Tighe RIP	10am	Winifred & Harry Heath RIP			
Friday 7th	9am	Karen Corcoran	10am	Private Intention			
Saturday 8th	5pm	Edward O'Reilly (Ann RIP)				
	After Mass	Rosary in the Lady Chapel - for the sanctity of Human Life					
Sunday 9th	9am	People of the Parish	11am	People of the Parish			

Prayer for the Season of Creation - September 1st to October 4th

O Lord we pray, let justice flow like water, and uprightness like a never-failing stream! May we remember that this world is your creation and it is for all your people. That we are called to take up climate and ecological justice for the earth our common home. And to speak out with and for those most affected by climate change and injustice.

Pope's Prayer Intention for September - For the cry of the Earth

We pray that each one of us will hear and take to heart the cry of the Earth and of victims of natural disasters and climactic change, and that all will undertake to personally care for the world in which we live.

UCM Meeting – The Union of Catholic Mothers Meeting will be in the Church Hall on September 2nd at 2pm

St Joseph's live streams Mass and other Services at www.ssjandh.org. Please see notices in church for more detail Saints of the Week

Tuesday St Gregory the Great, a Prefect of Rome who became a monk then papal legate and later Pope. He greatly influenced the life of the Church and unified the liturgy. Wednesday St Cuthbert, a Bernician hermit-monk who became bishop of Lindisfarne. Thursday St Teresa of Calcutta, an Albanian Nun who founded of the Missionaries of Charity.

We pray for all who have recently died Chris Gascoigne & Bill Holland RIP for those whose

anniversaries are this week: Kenneth Downward, Martin Griffiths, Michael McDonagh, Percy Miles, William Moran, Angela Bamber, James Mulvey, Ellen Marklow, James Conlon, Joy Moorhouse, Michael Booton, Angela de Nicolo, Francis Mulvey, Tony O'Hara, Barbera Manyer, Jan Morawski, John Keaveney, Myra Pritchard, Noel Cody, Peggy Brown, Edward O'Reilly, Helen Raybould, Michael Harty, Robert Harvey, Junior Jones, Kathleen (Kay) Maguire, Patrick Maguire, Patrick O'Mahony, Peter Whelan, Catheriine McLetchie, Jane Clarke and Murial Davies.

Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Let us remember each day in our prayers the sick and the housebound

Monday	Sandra Andrews, Jennifer & Lynn Bolton, David Bunn, Olive Butler, Sharon & Margaret
	Carrol, Peter Charnley, Margaret Field, Ann Checkley and Christine and Kirsty Cheshire
Tuesday	Dawn Collins, Mary Connell, Rachael Costello, Doreen Cutler, Marie & Sarah Duffy, Tom
	Ellard, Pamela Foran, Sandra Francis, Ruth Harris and John Ahern.
Wednesday	Philip Hartley, Glyn Hemmings, Theresa Hogan, Caroline Holland, Robert Holland,
	Dorothy Hughes, Margaret Hunt, Jan & Mark Hurley, Conelia Jogielska and Michael Kelly.
Thursday	Thomas Koshy, Betty Lee, Pam Logan, David & Peter Lunn, Jacqueline Maloney, Isabel
	Martins, Tyler Fox, Nora McCarthy Dante Brenni, Nuala Bielby and Matt McElhoney.
Friday	Maureen McLaren, Jill McLoughin, Donatha Michael, Bridie Frith, Tom Geherty, Peter
	Harper, Winifrida Zulu, Gerard Duce, Michelle Moorhouse and Gemma Mackenzie
Saturday	Fr Dominic Innamorati and Fr Tony Rohan both of whom grew up in St Joseph's Parish
	and for Fr Michael Ho former Parish Priest of St Joseph's.

Parish Notices:

Baptisms and Marriages - by personal arrangement only with the Parish Priest, usually after Mass. Please avoid using the telephone for these important sacraments.

Readers	<u>this week</u>	5pm	Peter Foley	9am	Matt & Sophie Singleton
	<u>next week</u>	5pm	Adam and Michelle Bell	9am	Jacqui Francis & Paul King

Second Collection next week - for the work of the Catholic Education Service

Church Cleaning - we need weekly teams volunteers to clean our church. Can spare you 30 minutes?

<u>The Piety Shop</u> - is now open on request, after 5pm Mass Saturday and after 9am Mass Sunday. Please contact Cat Wall - 07930 948087.

<u>QE Hospital</u> – Please make sure that your hospital registration details include that you are a Catholic. Do not wait until a point of crisis before you ask for a Priest and ask Father Barry for the Sacrament of the Sick if you know you are going into Hospital for major surgery. The Chaplaincy number is: 0121 371 4574

Tea and Coffee after 9am Mass - in St Joseph's Church Hall

B30 Foodbank Last week we received in 2,879kgs and we gave out 2,449kgs of food feeding 272 people.

<u>Aid to the Church in Need</u> – Podcast on the "The suffering Church in South Sudan" presented by Bishop Alex Lodiong, from South Sudan https://acnuk.org/acn-news/break-the-silence

Starting and returning to School – Welcome to all the children in our Parish Schools

<u>Annual Pilgrimage to Harvington Hall</u> - Shrine of the English Martyrs, Sunday 1st September. Free tours can be booked on arrival. Confessions 1.45 to 2.30, Mass 3pm. Bring your own chairs and packed lunch.

Our Parishes operate in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese's policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are: Paul King (Ss. Joseph & Helen) and Annette Manning (St. Paul's). They can be contacted at:

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