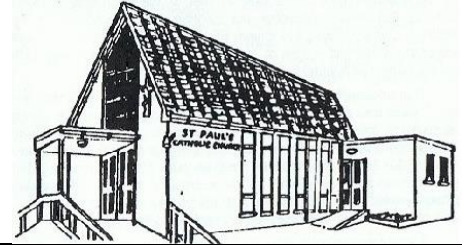




Kings Norton Parish



**SS JOSEPH & HELEN
STATION ROAD**

**SATURDAY EVENING MASS
5:00PM**

SUNDAY MORNING MASS 9:00AM



**ST PAUL'S
SISEFIELD ROAD**

**SUNDAY MORNING MASS
11:00AM**

The Love of our Father

7th Sunday Ordinary Time 23rd February 2025

Parish Priest	Rev. Fr. David Barry	0121 458 1236
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Covenant Co-ordinator	Alan Catton (Ss. Joseph & Helen)	
	Paul Ingram (St Paul's)	
Parish WhatsApp Contact	(Ss. Joseph & Helen)	07779 938 318
Parish Rotas	Dierdre McDermott (St Paul's)	

The Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally. May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread joy and peace throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever.

Masses this Week	St Joseph's	St Paul's
Saturday 22nd	5pm	Vidjo Marie Lasson RIP
	After Mass	Rosary in the Lady Chapel - for the Sanctity of Human Life
Sunday 23rd	9am	People of the Parish
Monday 24th	9am	Maura Ruane RIP
		11am Carole Costello
		10am J and H
		3.30pm St Paul's Rosary Group
Tuesday 25th	9am	Kathleen Hyland RIP
		10am Joe Houston RIP
Wednesday 26th	9am	Thanksgiving
	6pm	Adoration
Thursday 27th	12noon	Eddie Jennings RIP
		9am School Mass
Friday 28th	9.15am	School Mass
		10.30am Brendan Collins
Saturday 29th	5pm	Tony Murphy RIP
	After Mass	Rosary in the Lady Chapel - for the Sanctity of Human Life
Sunday 1st	9am	People of the Parish
		11am People of the Parish

Prayer for Pope Francis' Return to Health

Almighty and eternal God, you are the everlasting health of those who believe in you. Hear our prayers for your sick servant Francis for whom we implore the aid of your tender mercy. Through Christ our Lord. Amen. Our Lady of Lourdes, health of the sick. Pray for him.

St Joseph's WhatsApp Group – if you would like to be a member of the group, please text **07779 938 318**

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

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: sg.stjoseph-sthelen.bham@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

Saints of the week

Monday	St. Polycarp, asked to renounce Christ and save his life. He replied, "For 86 years I have served him and he has never wronged me. How can I renounce him who has saved me?".
Friday	St Gregory of Narek, wrote prayers into an encyclopaedia to guide people of all nations.
Saturday	St Oswald, Bishop of Worcester who washed the feet of the poor every day in Lent.

We pray for the repose of the soul of Michael McGrath who recently died and for: Margaret Tyler, Elizabeth Walsh, John Fee, Mary Tibbitts, Mary Flynn, Joseph Harty, Mary Binder, James Kennedy, Ben Field, William Purcell, Catherine Cater, Michael Logan, Thomas Shelley, Josephine Mooney, Margaret Vale, Joseph Tullett, Graham Cartmell, Margaret Craig, Lawrence Healy, Stephen Jones, Jim Nightingale, Shelagh Brenni, Frances Lewis, Daniel Campbell, James Hipkiss, Mary Murray, Peter McDonnell, James Rogers, Lawrence Venencia, Thomas McGann, Jenny Cushing, Owen Conachy, Rita Wray, Irene Shaw, Ada Murray, Gisela Henderson, Helen Howes, Florence Holmes, Rodney Cook, Violet Hughes, Tom Cuneen, Gerald Dudgeon, Kitty Madden, Henry McAllister and Mollie Mulrane whose anniversaries are this week. **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, Paddy Dunn, Tom Ellard, Pamela Foran, Sandra Francis and Ruth Harris.
Wednesday	Philip Hartley, Glyn Hemmings, Theresa Hogan, Caroline Holland, Robert Holland, Dorothy Hughes, Margaret Hunt, Mark Hurley, Cornelia Jogielska and Michael Kelly
Thursday	Thomas Koshy, Betty Lee, Pam Logan, David & Peter Lunn, Jacqueline Maloney, Isabel Martins, Tyler Fox, Nora McCarthy and Matt McElhoney
Friday	Maureen McLaren, Jill McLoughin, Donatha Michael, Bridie Frith, Peter Harper, Winifrida Zulu, Gerard Duce and Michelle Moorhouse Dante Brenni
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 **this week** - 5pm Peter Foley 9am Matt & Sophie Singleton
 next week - 5pm Adam and Michelle Bell 9am Jacqui Francis & Paul King

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

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

QE Hospital – 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 the Church Hall

B30 Foodbank – Last Week donations in were 1,336kgs and we gave out 2,282kgs, feeding 249 people

Tea Party in the Church Hall - St Joseph's School Council are hosting tea, coffee and cakes plus, an exciting raffle to win an Easter Egg! After the morning mass on St Joseph's Feast Day March 19th.

Adapted Mass - St Brigid's, Northfield, this Sunday 4 to 4.30pm, especially for those with additional needs.

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