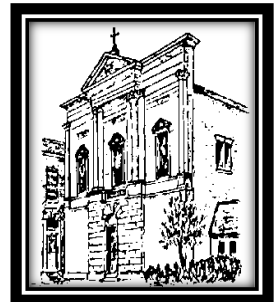





# Catholic Parishes of Our Lady Queen of Peace and St George



<p><b>Our Lady Queen of Peace</b> <i>Bransford Road, Worcester, WR2 4EN</i></p>	<p><b>St George's Catholic Church</b> <i>Sansome Place, Worcester WR1 1UG</i> <i>Car park postcode WR1 1UT</i></p>	
<p><b>Telephone: NEW PHONE NUMBER – 01905 23688 / Mob 07950 655 941</b> Parish Office - <a href="mailto:stgeorge.worcester@rcaob.org.uk">stgeorge.worcester@rcaob.org.uk</a></p>		
<p> CatholicWorcester</p>	<p><a href="http://www.catholicworcester.org">www.catholicworcester.org</a></p>	<p> @CatholicWorcs</p>
<p>8th May 2022</p>	<p><b>FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER</b> <b>World Day of Prayer for Vocations</b> Good Shepherd Sunday - p268</p>	<p>Psalter Wk4(C)</p>
<p><i>Day of Prayer for the Candidates for the Sacraments</i></p>		
<p>Link for Mass: <a href="http://www.churchservices.tv/worcester">www.churchservices.tv/worcester</a> &amp; <a href="#">Links to donation websites</a> <b>OLQP – <a href="https://investmycommunity.com/ourladyqueenofpeacearchdioceseofbirmingham2142">https://investmycommunity.com/ourladyqueenofpeacearchdioceseofbirmingham2142</a></b> <b>St George - <a href="https://investmycommunity.com/parishofstgeorgeworcesterarchdioceseofbirmingham2141">https://investmycommunity.com/parishofstgeorgeworcesterarchdioceseofbirmingham2141</a></b></p>		
<p><b>CLERGY AND PARISH CONTACTS</b> Canon Brian McGinley (<i>Parish Priest</i>); <a href="mailto:canon.brian.mcginley@rcaob.org.uk">canon.brian.mcginley@rcaob.org.uk</a> Fr Prabhakar Pamisetty, M.F. (<i>Assistant Priest</i>), <a href="mailto:fr.prabhakar.pamisetty@rcaob.org.uk">fr.prabhakar.pamisetty@rcaob.org.uk</a> Mgr Patrick Kilgarriff (retired), Father Ron Cosslett (retired) <i>Permanent Deacons:</i> Rev Paul O'Connor, Rev Chris Blackman, Rev Tony Hartshorn, Rev Reginald Lewis (retired), Rev Krzysztof Wasilewski Parish Secretary: Mary C Carns - Parish Assistant: Ninetta Adorasio Parish Safeguarding representatives: St George: Emma Raine Tel: 07771 194701 OLQP: Sam Rudd <a href="mailto:sg.olqop.worcester@rcaob.org.uk">sg.olqop.worcester@rcaob.org.uk</a></p> <p><b><i>The PARISH OFFICE is open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday &amp; Friday 9am - 3pm excl Bank Holidays</i></b></p>		
<p><b>PLEASE PRAY FOR:</b> All the children who are celebrating their First Holy Communion and all those responsible for their instruction. <b>PLEASE PRAY FOR: The Sick and Housebound</b> of the two parishes. We include those in hospitals, nursing homes and their own homes. <i>Our Lady, Health of the sick, Pray for them all.</i> † <b>The Recently Baptised:</b> Walt Ernest William Smith, Emilia and Maisie Gibbs, Oliver and Charlie Rathbone <i>Welcome to the Family of Christ</i> † <b>The Recently Deceased incl:</b> Ann Rollings, Maria Foster, Mary Maurer, Edward Stawiszynski, Dn Jack Foxall, Fr Laurence Crowe, Bridget Ethna Cawley, Zoltan Filkas. <i>May they rest in peace</i> † <b>Parish Anniversaries incl:</b> John Coverdale, Mary Meenaghan, Gerald Stilphen, Monique Stride, Josephine Jones, Alexander Rollings, Maria Mazzei, Anthony Fogell, Judith Hickman <i>May they rest in peace</i> † <b>Clergy Anniversaries incl:</b> Canon Francis Woodward, Rev. Francis Carr, Walter Joret, Patrick Cocklin, Dcn James Duffy. <i>May they rest in peace</i> †</p>		
<p><b>The Pope's Prayer Intention for May: For faith-filled young people</b> We pray for all young people, called to live life to the fullest; may they see in Mary's life the way to listen, the depth of discernment, the courage that faith generates, and the dedication to service</p>		






## A Message from Archbishop Bernard

Many parish communities in our Archdiocese have already been most generous in their support – financial and through prayer - for those who are suffering because of the war in Ukraine. Many parishes have supported Caritas organisations in Europe and Ukraine, as well as other international agencies, with generous donations.

You may be aware that there have been many generous offers of accommodation in parishes around the Archdiocese to welcome those who are fleeing the war and are settling, temporarily or even possibly long-term, in Britain. I asked Father Hudson's Care on behalf of the Archdiocese to coordinate a response to these generous offers and they are now involved in supporting the matching process between individuals and families here willing to host individuals and families from Ukraine.

I believe it is now the time to have a **SECOND COLLECTION** to support our ability to respond to the many needs connected with this work of welcome. Any money that your parish donates will be held as a restricted fund by Father Hudson's and will only be used to support any necessary work :

- To recruit a worker for up to 6 months who will support the host and refugee families, particularly with the complex Visa and matching process, and then afterwards staying in touch with them and ensuring that they get the full support that they are supposed to get from the local Council and other statutory agencies.
- Some of this collection will be used as a crisis fund for this where necessary.
- Existing Catholic Ukrainian communities in the Archdiocese may also request some of this funding.

	<p><b>NEWMAN ASSOCIATION WORCESTER CIRCLE</b></p> <p>An open meeting will be held on          Wednesday, May 11, in St George's Parish Hall at 7.30pm          to discuss the possibility of a relaunch of the Worcester Circle of the Newman Association. The Association was inspired by Newman's vision of an educated Catholic laity, engaging with issues in both the church itself and in its mission to the world on the basis of faith and reason          All welcome, bring along ideas of Speakers, topics and the time at which future meetings might be held.</p>	
	<p>Coffee at Our Lady's after 10am Mass</p> <p><u>NB</u> No Coffee at St George's next week after 11.30am Mass          (First Holy Communion Thanksgiving Party)</p>	
	<p>The Programme continues -          Next event - 9<sup>th</sup> June          Cooking delicious vegetarian food -          Practical demonstration and tasting</p>	
	<p><b>Quiz Night</b> – Next Friday – 13<sup>th</sup> May –          Our Lady Queen of Peace Hall – 7.30pm          Team of 4 welcome – or link up with others on          the night. Entry only <u>£2.50</u> per person. Raffle.          Usual rules – Bring your own drinks and nibbles.</p>	

**Belmont Abbey Hereford**  
**Wednesday**  
**11<sup>th</sup> May 2022**  
**Annual Torchlight Procession**  
**in honour of Our Lady**  
**at 9.00pm**  
**with recitation of the Holy Rosary and**  
**hymns around the Abbey Gardens**  
**Preacher: Dom Augustine Primavesi**  
**All Welcome**  
**In loving memory of**  
**Br Bernard Wassall**



Last year, many of you rallied to raise funds to keep children in their schools during the pandemic. This year, to complement our work in healthcare, family support, education and housing, we're asking how we can create a sustainable and hopeful future for these communities, especially their young people. Many Christians lost their jobs as pilgrimages and tourism ground to halt in the pandemic, while communities desperately need skilled individuals to fill key roles. You're invited to help raise funds for the charity's vital work in the Holy Land by virtually walking, running, cycling or swimming the 100-mile pilgrimage route from Nazareth to Bethlehem. **Could you walk alongside young people and help provide crucial training, giving them a stable future and a means to support their communities?**

[Sign up for the Challenge here](#)

Job Opportunities	
 <p><b>HYGIENE TECHNICIAN REQUIRED</b></p> <p>Insuraclean is a national specialist commercial cleaning company with invaluable experience in providing deep cleaning services for the catering industry.</p> <p>Essential Criteria:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Be reliable and hardworking with a professional attitude</li> <li>• Be able to work to a schedule</li> <li>• Be able to work as part of a team</li> <li>• Be able to work using their own initiative</li> <li>• Flexible on working times</li> </ul> <p>Desirable:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Experience of commercial kitchen cleaning</li> <li>• Experience of kitchen extraction cleaning (TR19, NAAD21)</li> <li>• Knowledge and understanding of COSHH regulations</li> <li>• Full UK/EU driving licence</li> <li>• Emergency First Aid at Work training</li> </ul> <p>Experience is not necessary as full training will be provided.</p> <p><b>Venue:</b> Based from Worcester. Nationwide travel.</p> <p><b>Salary:</b> £20,000 per year plus overtime.</p> <p><b>Apply to:</b> office@insuraclean.co.uk to schedule an interview and receive an application form</p>  <p>Apply to office@insuraclean.co.uk</p>	<p><b>Dog Walker Needed</b>  Monday to Friday – 1 ½ hrs at lunchtime  Car owner essential  Contact Claire 07971 004 234</p>  <p><b>Job opportunities -</b>  <b>Director of Education Services, Archdiocese of Birmingham</b>  <i>We are recruiting a visionary Director of Education Services who, along with a capable and committed education team, will help realise the enormous potential within a forward-thinking Diocesan family of schools working in solidarity with one another.</i></p> <p><i>Other opportunities currently listed on our website include:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>NEW: Operations Manager - Brushstrokes charity</b></li> <li>• <b>Programme Leader at Soli House</b></li> <li>• <b>Development Director for CIGB - Workplace chaplaincy</b></li> <li>• <b>Administration Assistant Apprentice, Columban Missionaries</b></li> <li>• <b>Newman University, Council Members</b></li> </ul>



## Liturgical Information –

*“The Sheep that belong to me, listen to my voice”*

*No Confessions this weekend*

*Confessions after 10.00am Mass on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May (10:45 – 12:00)*

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>7<sup>th</sup></b>	OLQP	6.00pm	Vigil Mass of Sunday
<b>Fourth Sunday of Easter – World Day of Prayer for Vocations</b>					
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>8<sup>th</sup></b>	OLQP	10.00am	Mass - <b>Manuel Trovoada - RIP (6 mth Anniv)</b>
			St G	10.00am	Mass - <b>Esaltina Maria - Birthday</b>
			St G	11.30am	Mass - <b>Mary, Frank &amp; Tom Crean - RIP</b>
			St G	2.00pm	Polish Mass
<b>Monday</b> <i>Easter Feria</i>	<b>May</b>	<b>9<sup>th</sup></b>	St G	10.00am	Mass - <b>Thanksgiving to Our Lady for Nazaneen's Release</b>
<b>Tuesday</b> <i>Easter Feria</i>	<b>May</b>	<b>10<sup>th</sup></b>	St G	10.00am	Mass – <b>For Jesse's appeal</b>
			OLQP	6.00pm	Mass - <b>Mary Carns Intentions</b>
<b>Wednesday</b> <i>Easter Feria</i>	<b>May</b>	<b>11<sup>th</sup></b>	St G	10.00am	Mass - <b>Anna Cox</b>
			OLQP	10.00am	Mass - <b>All Ukrainian Refugees</b>
<b>Thursday</b> <i>Easter Feria</i>	<b>May</b>	<b>12<sup>th</sup></b>	St G	10.00am	Mass - <b>Jean Edwards</b>
			St G	12.00pm	Requiem Mass - <b>Maria Foster</b>
<b>Friday</b> <i>Easter Feria</i>	<b>May</b>	<b>13<sup>th</sup></b>	St G	10.00am	Mass - <b>Pamela Down – RIP</b>
			St G	11.30am	Funeral Service - <b>Mary Maurer - RIP</b>
<b>Memorial of Our Lady of Fatima</b>					
<b>Saturday</b> <i>Easter Feria</i>	<b>May</b>	<b>14<sup>th</sup></b>	OLQP	10.00am	First Communion Celebration Mass
			St G	10.00am	Mass – <b>People of the Parish</b>
<b>Feast of St Matthias Apostle</b>					
			OLQP	6.00pm	Vigil Mass of Sunday - <b>People of the Parish</b>
<b>Fifth Sunday of Easter</b>					
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>May</b>	<b>15<sup>th</sup></b>	OLQP	10.00am	Mass - <b>People of the Parish</b>
			St G	10.00am	First Communion Celebration Mass - <b>Bessy</b>
			St G	11.30am	First Communion Celebration Mass - <b>Dec'd of Greene and Schoolcraft Families</b>
			St G	2.00pm	Polish Mass
<p><b>To all Gift Aiders - please collect your envelopes from the back of Church.</b>  <b>At St George's, envelopes are available for 2<sup>nd</sup> Collections for those who donate via Standing Order</b>  <b>Second Collection this weekend - 8<sup>th</sup> May - Clergy Training Fund</b>  <b>Second Collection next weekend – (14/15<sup>th</sup> May) For Ukraine (Fr Hudson's Care)</b></p>					
<p>OLQP - As you will have noticed, the Offertory is not always counted – please ring the office and offer your help                  St George – If you notice at Sunday Mass that an Offertory Collection is not being taken, PLEASE collect the bags from the cupboard at the bag of church and help take up the collection. No collection was taken up last Sunday at 10am Mass and you will see that the</p>					
<p><b>Wednesday Word link:</b> <a href="http://www.wednesdayword.org/sunday-gospel.html">http://www.wednesdayword.org/sunday-gospel.html</a></p>					
<b>Dates for your Diary</b>					
From Sunday, 1 <sup>st</sup> May		No 8am Mass at St George until further notice			
Wednesday, 11 <sup>th</sup> May		Annual Torchlight Procession, Belmont Abbey – 9.00pm			
Weekend - 14/15 <sup>th</sup> May		Ukraine Appeal			
Friday, 13 <sup>th</sup> May		Quiz – Reaching the Unreached – Our Lady's Parish Hall			
Weekend - 21/22 May		Appeal on behalf of Homeless – Sisters of the Immaculate Heart of Mary			
Saturday, 3 <sup>rd</sup> September		March for Life UK London			