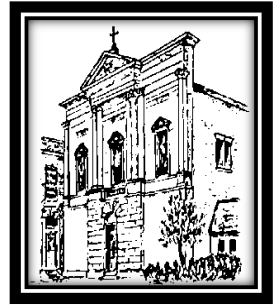




Catholic Parishes of Our Lady Queen of Peace And St George



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CLERGY AND CONTACTS

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PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS

MON, TUES, THURS, FRI 9.00-3.00pm (Office closed on Wednesdays)

Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time

8th September 2019

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PLEASE PRAY FOR:

The sick and housebound of the two parishes. We include those in hospitals, nursing homes and their own homes. *Our Lady, Health of the sick, Pray for them all.* †

THE RECENTLY BAPTISED: Anna Amess, Frankie Bethell, Lena Magdalena Filip

Welcome to the family of the Church †

THE RECENTLY DECEASED: Margaret Payne, John HG Stretton, Cyril P Ashcroft

THE DEAD: Anniversaries: Olive Doreen Bourke, Adrian Eric Doughty, Edward Cuffe, Kathleen Cecilia White, Barrie David Lewis, Michael Frederick Taylor. *May they rest in peace* †

CLERGY ANNIVERSARIES: Rev Arthur McCrystal, Mgr Thomas (Tom) Fallon, Rev David W Hunt, Rev Dominic Round, Rev Guy Colman. *May they rest in peace* †



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Saturday 14th September – Day of Recollection for Eucharistic Ministers

Monday 16th September – Date for Return of First Holy Communion Enrolment Forms

Sunday 22nd September - Date for Return of Confirmation Candidate Enrolment Forms

Wednesday 9th October – Deanery Visitation – Evening Prayer and Opening Meeting

Tuesday 26th November – Confirmations - Catholic Worcester at the Cathedral – 7pm

General News

ENROLMENT for CONFIRMATION PREPARATION

For children **NOT** attending Catholic schools who are due to receive the Sacrament of Confirmation (Year 6 and above), application forms are available at the back of church and should be returned to the Parish Office by **22nd September**.
Parents' meeting - 23rd Sept at 8pm
First children's session
Saturday 28th September 9.30am-11.00am
Enrolment Mass – Sunday 29th Sept at 9am
All sessions held in Parish Hall unless stated.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS

Canon Brian will lead a Day of Recollection for Ministers of both Parishes on Saturday 14th September at Holland House, Crophorne.

Places are limited to **15** so please contact the Parish Office as soon as possible to book. Please contact me if you have not specified any dietary requirements for lunch. There are a few spaces remaining. *Mary*

ENROLMENT for FIRST CONFESSION and FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION

For children due to receive the Sacraments, application forms are available at the back of church and should be returned to the Parish Office by 16th September.
Parents' meeting - 23rd Sept at 7pm
First children's session
12th October 9:30 -11:00
All sessions held in Parish Hall unless stated.

COME and SING

**Elgar's Dream of Gerontius
Saturday 19th October at**

Saint Andrew's Methodist Church
Pump Street, Worcester WR1 2QT
Come and sing Sir Edward Elgar's much-loved choral work hosted by the Friends of Worcester Three Choirs Festival led by Brian Kay and accompanied by Christopher Allsop, you'll have a chance to experience singing one of the composer's most dramatic and popular work. Ticket price £25 – available via www.3choirs.org or 01453 768 928.

A WARM WELCOME to WORCESTER to Fr Michael Amalados

Please pray for Fr Amal as he settles into his new duties as Parish Priest at St Joseph's (Warndon) and Holy Redeemer (Persnore).

He has made a change to the Sunday morning Mass at Warndon (new time 11am) in order to be able to serve both Parishes on Sundays.

HARVEST LUNCH

Please join us and share in a harvest meal of soup and bread, made with produce from the parish garden.

Parish Hall – Our Lady Queen of Peace
Saturday 5th October at 12 noon

No charge, but please make a donation to the foodbank.



NEWMAN ASSOCIATION WORCESTER CIRCLE

Autumn Programme
NEWMAN - A Journey to Sainthood
Speaker: Rev. Douglas Lamb
Thursday, 19 September, 7.30pm at
St George's Parish Hall, Worcester WR1 1UT

The caring that Jesus illustrates
Speaker: Dr Christine Dodd
Thursday, October 17.

How do we keep hoping –
lessons from the Middle East
Speaker: Rev. Timothy Radcliffe, OP
WEDNESDAY, 13 November
Everyone very welcome. Refreshments
Non-members £3.00

PARISH WALK

Are you reasonably fit and enjoy a walk?
Then meet up with
Liam Bond and John Waddoups
at The Old Bush, Callow End on
Monday 16th September 9.30 am start
for a 6mile walk. The walk is not arduous but
trousers (NOT SHORTS) and hiking sticks are
advised.

We plan to have lunch at The Old Bush.
Contact John Waddoups 07928758263



for READERS

covering the period 21st Sept – 29th Dec

are available at the back of Church

Please collect your copy.

Christmas readers to be advised.

EDUCATION SUNDAY

Today is an ecumenical day of prayer and celebration for all those involved in education throughout England and Wales. This year the focus is 'Form and Flourish'.

Today Catholics are encouraged to reflect on the Church's enormous contribution in this country and pray for all those involved in Catholic education.

The Catholic Education Service (CES) is the agency of the Catholic Bishops of England and Wales charged with safeguarding and promoting our remarkable network of successful Catholic schools. The CES represents Catholic education to the Government, Ofsted and other national bodies to ensure Catholic schools are empowered to flourish.

KEYS

When you brought shoe boxes for Sr Christine's appeal, did you also accidentally leave **2 keys** in one of the bags? If you think you did, please contact the Parish Office to reclaim them.



Meeting for Friends on
Thursday 12th September at 7pm
in St George's Parish Hall
New members always welcome.

CANONISATION OF BLESSED JOHN HENRY NEWMAN

'Holiness in the World'.

Lecture to be given by David McLoughlin on **14th Sept at 2:15pm** A Reflection on the Life of John Henry Newman at The Queens Room, St Nicolas Place, Kings Norton, Birmingham, B38 8RU.

Organised by Newman Association
Birmingham Circle.

Find this and other events and news on www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk and also on www.newmancanonisation.com

FILM NIGHT

Friday 13th September at 7pm
"Unplanned"

is the true story of Abby Johnson, a former volunteer, then clinic director at Planned Parenthood in Bryan, Texas.

It is based on her best-selling 2014 memoir *Unplanned: The Dramatic True Story of a Former Planned Parenthood Leader's Eye-Opening Journey Across the Life Line.*

If you are concerned about abortion, this is a film to watch.

Catholic Worcester Youth Group

restarts on 8th September

7-8.30pm in St George's Parish Hall.

Focusing on school years 7-11, we meet once a month on

2nd Saturday of each month

with subs of £2 per meeting.

We have many activities planned and events to attend. Come along for fun, laughter, faith and belonging.



Any questions, please contact Maria on 07810272775

Liturgical Information

8th September – 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Saturday 7th <i>Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	10.30 – 12.00pm	St George	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i> <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)</i> <i>Vigil Mass – Gertie Ronan - RIP</i>
	10.30 – 12.00pm 12.30pm	St George St George St George	
<i>Education Day</i>	4.30pm	Spetchley	<i>Vigil Mass</i>
Sunday 8th September <i>Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	6.00pm	St Joseph	<i>Vigil Mass</i>
	9.00am	St George	<i>Mass – Jacob Kuri - RIP</i>
	11.00am	St Joseph	<i>Mass – nb Change of Mass Time</i>
	11.00am	OLQP	<i>Mass – Thomas Cotterell - RIP</i>
<i>Education Day</i>	2.00pm 5 - 5.45pm 6.00pm	St George St George St George	Polish Mass <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)</i> <i>Mass – Pro Populo</i>
Monday 9th <i>Feria</i>	12.00pm	St George	<i>Mass – Frank MacCauley - RIP</i>
Tuesday 10th <i>Memorial – St Egwin</i>	9.15am	OLQP	<i>Mass – Frances Plant - RIP</i>
Wednesday 11th <i>Feria</i>	12.00pm	St George	<i>Service of the Word and Holy Communion</i>
Thursday 12th <i>Feria</i>	10.00	OLQP	<i>Mass – Nicholas Bishop - RIP</i>
Friday 13th <i>Memorial – St John Crysostom</i>	12.00pm	St George	<i>Mass – Margaret Adkins - RIP</i>
Saturday 14th <i>Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	10.30 – 12.00pm	St George	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</i> <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)</i> <i>Vigil Mass – Anne Lesley Keeley (RIP)</i>
	10.30 – 12.00pm 12.30pm	St George St George St George	
<i>Home Mission Day</i>	6.00pm	St Joseph	<i>Vigil Mass</i>
Sunday 15th September <i>Twenty-fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	9.00am	St George	<i>Mass – Andrew and Chris Cleary - RIP</i>
	11.00am	St Joseph	<i>Mass – nb Change of Mass Time</i>
	11.00am	OLQP	<i>Mass – Peter Prowting - RIP</i>
	2.00pm 5 - 5.45pm 6.00pm	St George St George St George	Polish Mass <i>Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)</i> <i>Mass - Bernard and Josephine Coughlin - RIP</i>

COLLECTIONS *Thank you for your continued support and generosity*

2nd Collections this week - Building Fund - St George and Catholic Education - OLQP

Next week - Catholic Evangelisation (formerly CASE)

OUR LADY QUEEN OF PEACE			ST GEORGE		
Week commencing	25/08/19	01/09/19		25/08/19	01/09/19
	1st Collection	1st Collection		1st Collection	1st Collection
	£	£		£	£
Gift Aid	221.20	160.70	Gift Aid (Env)	207.00	143.90
Loose Plate	233.57	208.74	Loose Plate	434.97	463.70
Total	444.77	369.44	Standing Orders	290.68	842.00
			Total	932.65	1449.60

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