



"Charity is the soul of faith, makes it alive; without love, faith dies." St. Anthony of Padua

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Solemnity of the Most Holy Trinity

Saturday 14th June—**6.30pm International Mass** Procession and Benediction

Main Celebrant Rev Msgr Antony Chundelikkatt, Vicar General Catholic Syro-Malabar Eparchy of Great Britain.
Followed by community fellowship with shared international food.

Sunday 15th June

7.30am Malayalam Mass 10am Holy Mass—**Sheila Keane RIP**

Monday 16th June—Feria in Ordinary Time

No Mass

Tuesday 17th June—**Feria in Ordinary Time**

Perpetual Novena of St Anthony

9.30am Silent Adoration 10am Holy Mass

Wednesday 18th June—**Feast of the Dedication of the Cathedral**

9.30am Silent Adoration 10am Holy Mass

Thursday 19th June—**Feria in Ordinary Time**

9.30am Silent Adoration 10am Holy Mass

Friday 20th June—**Feria in Ordinary Time**

9.30am Silent Adoration 10am Holy Mass

Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ

Saturday 21st June—**Memorial of St Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious**

6.00pm Holy Mass—**C.P. Intentions: The Turner Family RIP**

Sunday 22nd June

7.30am Malayalam Mass 10am Holy Mass

Thank you for St Anthony of Padua Novena and Feast—Thank you to the Deanery Priests and special thanks to Archbishop Bernard for celebrating the Sacrament of Confirmation.

Office Computer- We have been told we need to upgrade to Windows 11. Unfortunately the office computer is so old it will be unable to run the updated version. Generous contributions towards this would be very welcome.

If you wish to gift aid your donation (and are a gift aider at St Anthony's, please use the additional donation envelope). If you are a tax payer but have not yet signed up as a Gift aider please complete the form to do so.

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Parish Finance SO May £571.70		2nd collection:-
Gift Aid	£ 42.00	Day for Life 21st/22nd June
Cash	<u>£153.70</u>	Peters Pence 28th/29th June
Total	£195.70	

Please pray for the sick and those who care for them especially

Janet Cooper, Chris & Mary Scott, David Walsh, Trevor Quinton, Margaret Smith, Harminder Luis, Martyn Davies, Mary Therese Richard, Doris McShane, Maura Gallagher, Carole Mountford, Mary Doll Gallagher, Robert and Eileen Palmer, Ann O'Rourke, Margaret Clemson, Maureen Tannian.

Names may be added to the list with the consent of the person concerned

We pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Marie Snarski, John Naylaw, Eli Hill, Antonino Vecchio, Catherine Magae, Alex Russell, Norman Bone-Knell, Romolo Coglianese, Les Knowles, Anthony Reynart, Elizabeth Marandola, Jane Taylor, Herbert Butler, Matthew Ryan, John Hood, Alfred Bird, Antanas Ivanauskas, Cecelia McKinnock, Monica Deakin, William Ashley, Madge Farrell, Jerry Forcle, Aurelia Carlesimo.

Rota	Reader	Eucharistic Minister	Counting Team
Sat	Phil Y	Marlene	
Sun	Sandra M	Debra	Liz, Gail, Kath
Sat (Next weekend)	Lewis	Richard	
Sun	Sue	Anne	Anne, Wendy, Marie, Donna

Tombola

The school are not holding a Summer Gala this year. This means we won't be able to have a stall there as in previous years.

However we hope to have a Tombola one Saturday night and Sunday morning after the weekend Masses, either before the end of July or sometime in September.

This will depend on donations of unused gifts or bottles of wine etc.

Please give whatever you can and put in the box provided in the Church porch. Hoping for your usual generous respond as all money goes to our Church.

Sunday 22nd June 3pm Procession of the Blessed Sacrament through Walsall Town Centre, led by Bishop David Evans. It will start from the top of Park St, outside of Poundland (WS1 1LJ) and end with Exposition and Benediction on the Bridge (WS1 1LG). Please come and join us in this wonderful celebration.

Happy Father's Day - Sunday 15th June

On Father's Day, let us pray that all dads remain dedicated to their sacred vocation and persevere in faith in their work, challenges, sacrifices and other burdens and responsibilities. May Saint Joseph, who embraced his role as husband, father and protector of the Holy Family, be an example of courage, trust and humility for all men.

We also remember in our prayers those dads who have completed their work on earth and who now rest in peace with the Father of us all, our loving God.

Through the intercession of Saint Joseph, may God continue to accompany and guide all fathers in their joys and sorrows so that they may bear witness to his unconditional love for us.

Day for Life - Second collection 21st/22nd June

Hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit (Rom 5:5-6).

This year's Day for Life is an invitation to pray for those who suffer and to remain with them like the Good Samaritan, bearing witness to their unique and unrepeatable value. We see this closeness in the generous and fruitful service of healthcare professionals. We see it in another way in families, carers and chaplains who support their brothers and sisters who are sick or frail or struggling with the many burdens of life. As Christians, we affirm them and hold out to them the hope of Jesus Christ who does not disappoint us.

First reading: Dt (4:32-34, 39-40) explained: Deuteronomy was written down much later than the time of Moses (ca. 1250 BC), during the Babylonian Captivity (587-539 BC). Internal corruption and external pressures had brought the Jewish people to the brink of extinction. Kings, priests, prophets, and Temple had all failed to hold them together. Those who produced the written document responded to this crisis by offering amplified explanations of the Mosaic legal traditions, in the hope of setting the Jews on a viable course for their future. Since the audience for the written presentation of Deuteronomy was having a very hard time holding on to its Faith and identity, the book's reminder, that their ancestors had had to make the same struggle to achieve and maintain their strict belief in the one, true and invisible God, must have been encouraging. In today's reading, Moses gives the people reasons to be proud of how they differ from their pagan neighbors. He asserts, in effect, *"We have a better God Who gave us a better Law and we're a better people than any of them There's no other god like our God, the Only Real God, and no other Law like ours, and no other people like us, so shape up!"*