



THREE SAINTS PARISHES

St Joseph's Tewkesbury St Nicholas' Winchcombe St Thomas More Cheltenham

PARISH PRIEST FATHER JOBY LUKOSE

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR CHRISTINE DAVIES

PENTECOST SUNDAY

Saturday 23rd May Woodmancote – Mass 3.00pm

St Thomas More Vigil Mass 5.00pm
[Thanksgiving 102nd Birthday]

Sunday 24th St Joseph's Mass 9.00am
[People of the Parish]

PLANT SALE AFTER MASS

St Nicholas' Mass 11.00am
With Children's Liturgy
[Caroline Clarke Birthday]

Monday 25th Memorial of the Blessed Virgin Mary
Mother of the Church
St Nicholas Rosary 10.00am

Tuesday 26th Memorial of St Philip Neri
St Thomas More Adoration 5.30pm
Mass 6.00pm *[People of the Parish]*

Wednesday 27th FEAST OF ST AUGUSTINE OF CANTERBURY
St Joseph's Adoration 9.30am
Mass 10.00am *[People of the Parish]*

Thursday 28th FEAST OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST
THE ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST
St. Nicholas Mass 9.30am
[People of the Parish]

Friday 29th Weekday in Ordinary Time *No Services*

Saturday 30th St Thomas More Adoration 4.30pm
Vigil Mass 5.00pm
[J J Flood Anniversary & P Delaney Birthday]

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

Sunday 31st St Joseph's Mass 9.00am
[Richard & Anne Williams and departed children]

Nicholas' Mass 11.00am
With Children's Liturgy
[Moir Purnell 1st Anniversary]

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CAN BE FOUND IN THE PARISH MASS BOOK

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PARISH PRAYER

Lord Jesus Christ, bless our parish family. May we experience your Divine Providence in all our needs - both spiritual and material. Protect us from all harm. Shower your abundant grace on all in our parish family. Strengthen among the members the bond of fraternal love and sharing. May we grow in generosity and concern for the needy. Keep our priest faithful in obedient service to you so that, by his life and ministry, he may bring you glory in Christ. Strengthen our faith and grant us the spirit of sacrifice, so that, with thy grace, we may provide for the needs of our parish. We ask this through our Lord, Jesus Christ, who lives and reigns forever and ever.

Amen

IN YOUR PRAYERS + Please pray for all the sick of our parish and those who care for them. May Anniversaries in this parish are : Terry Blane, James Kelly, Betty Dines, Anthony Phipps, Lilian Roney, Helen and Martha Doran, Maya Malene, Sheila Craven, Paula Claire Gibson, Agnes Cronin, Moira Purnell and Dominic Crouch

DIOCESAN PRAYER LINK + This week we pray for those living and worshipping in the parish of **St Mary** Swindon

SECOND COLLECTION + Last weekend's second collection for Catholic Communications Network realised £198.00 Thanks to all for contributions.

GAMES NIGHT + Thank you to all who supported the games evening at Renee and Ewoud's £200 was raised for the roof fund at St Thomas More.

SOME CHANGES TO NORMAL SCHEDULE +

Please note that this week we do not have Adoration before the Mass at St Thomas More on Saturday 23rd or the Mass at St Nicholas on 28th. The Mass on Thursday will be at the earlier time of 9.30am

POSTLIP MASS + On the next First Friday – 5th June - Bishop Bosco will celebrate Mass with Fr Joby in St James Chapel Postlip. We are limited as to numbers because of fire regulations. If you wish to attend this Mass please let our Administrator Chris Davies know by phoning and leaving a message to that effect on 01684 293273. This is going to be very much 'first come, first served' and numbers are currently up to 48 at the time of printing this newsletter.

CANON DAVID RYAN +

Next weekend we will take up a second collection for Canon David who is celebrating his Golden Jubilee of Ordination this year

RECOMMISSIONING + Our Ministers of the Holy Eucharist will be recommissioned on June 6th /7th - the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (CORPUS CHRISTI) The ministry of the Holy Eucharist is a sacred and vital service in the life of our parish communities. I encourage all parishioners to keep our ministers in your prayers, that the Lord may continue to strengthen and guide them as they faithfully carry out this holy ministry.

DR SCOTT HAHN + This Catholic writer, author, broadcaster and teacher is coming to this country in May and will be speaking at **St John the Evangelist, Bath**, on **Tuesday, 26 May at 7.00pm**. It will be a ticketed event only - more than two thirds of the tickets have already been purchased - so please don't delay if you haven't booked already.

In addition, Dr. Scott will be signing his books which CTS will bring with them. This is a truly great opportunity for our diocese to welcome Dr Hahn; you will not want to miss this great speaker. There will be 350 tickets at £20 per person. Doors open 6:00 pm Check-in / Book Sales & Refreshments To book tickets go to <https://aecsouthwark.churchsuite.com/events/oicym1qd>

LISTENING TO CHRIST IN THE SCRIPTURES + Fr Lukasz Popko OP to St Francis Nailsea, whose works include 'Questioning God' will give talks on Saturday 20th and Sunday 21st June and there will be a Day of Recollection on Monday 22nd June. Please see poster in the porch area. Further details Fr Frank on 01275 851530

SAFEGUARDING +

Ensuring the safety of all in our church is the responsibility of each person. **All** those involved in voluntary work in our parish should have at the very least have read the leaflet entitled "*What should I do if I have a concern*". Copies should be available in the porch area or can be requested from our PSR Marian Dick or the Parish Office – phone 01684 293273 or email the Parish Administrator tewkesbury.stjoseph@cliftondiocese.com

YOUNG ADULTS SOCIAL +

Are you aged 18-35? Come and join CYAN (Catholic Young Adults Nourished) as we meet others and grow in faith. Our May social will be a "Bring and Share" on Saturday 30th May @ 6:30pm, St Thomas More's Parish Hall. Parking is available on site. Meet other young Catholics, socialise and take part in this month's faith discussion on 'Pentecost and the Holy Spirit'. For catering, please let us know if you would like to come - email cyanloucestershire@gmail.com or DM'ing us on our Instagram page: cyan_glos. Please do also inform us of any dietary requirements. We hope to see you there! God Bless!

THURSDAY

Entrance Antiphon	Christ, Mediator of the New Covenant, has an eternal priesthood because he remains for ever.
Responsorial Psalm	Behold, I have come, Lord, to do your will.
Gospel Acclamation	Alleluia, alleluia Christ became for us obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Therefore God has highly exalted him and bestowed on him the name that is above every name. Alleluia
Communion Antiphon	And behold, I am with you always, even to the end of the age.