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Confession: Fri 8.30am, Sat 6-00pm, Sun 9-00am or on request

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PARISH WEBSITE – <https://sjfcov.org>

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www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk

COVENTRY DEANERY WEBSITE –

www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk

WE CELEBRATE SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 16TH FEBRUARY 2025, YEAR C.

Sunday readings: New Sunday Missal Pg No- 800.

Jeremiah 17: 5-8

Ps 1; Response: Blessed the man who has placed his trust in the Lord.

1 Corinthians 15:12,16-20;

Luke 6:17,20-26

PARISH MASS	SCHEDULE	TIME	INTENTIONS
SAT	15	06-30 PM	Margaret Asini RIP; Sean Fitzgerald RIP
SUN	16	07-30 AM 09-30 AM 11-30 AM	Syro- Malabar Qurbana Teresa Jones RIP; Fr Tony Joyce Sp Int; Lillian Skidmore Sp Int Hughes Family Sp Int; Jane McMorroW RIP
MON	17	09-00 AM	NO MASS
TUE	18	09-00 AM	Christopher Winders RIP
WED	19	09-00 AM	Mrs.J.Hand RIP
THU	20	09-00 AM	Tony Cotterall RIP
FRI	21	09-00 AM	Margaret & Terry Buckley
SAT	22 Feast of chair of St Peter	10-00 AM 06-30 PM	Teresa Mulrine RIP Margaret Asini RIP; Josie Carey
SUN	23	07-30 AM 09-30 AM 11-30 AM 03-00 PM	Syro- Malabar Qurbana Piotr Kokur (B'day); Willie Conefrey Mary Pethullis RIP; Esther Maloney shelly RIP; Mrs. J. Hand RIP Syro- Malabar Qurbana

❖ Today there will be a second collection for Racial Justice.

A big thank you to Sarah O’Gorman , Sue & Cathy for preparing the delicious food And wonderful children & Mrs Corry of St John Fisher School for their excellent service at the deanery Meeting at SJF on 11th Feb 25.

SJF Parish Collection 09/02/25

GAD [48]	£418-00	NON- GAD [7]	£27-00
Loose	£ 318-30		
Candles	£90-80	St Anthony	£19-30
Tea & Coffee	£ 19-30		

Online donations in the month of January 2025

Weekly GAD	£597-00	weekly donations	£339-00
Piety	£157-00	Fish N Chip Quiz	£89-00
Hall Rent	£68-00	Pax Christi	£5-00

Thank you all

8 DAY CANDLES [£4-00 NOW] – THANK YOU

SHRINE	THIS WEEK 17/02/25	NEXT WEEK 24/02/25
Our Lady’s	Vocations to Priesthood	Vocations to priesthood
Sacred Heart	Lillian Skidmore Sp Int	Lillian Skidmore Sp Int
St Joseph’s	Sick and housebound	Peace in the world
St Anthony’s	Political leaders	Refugees

We remember and pray for all those who have died recently
Deacon Pat Flanagan ,Patricia Mary Brophy and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

ETERNAL PEACE AND HAPPINESS, GRANT TO THEM ALL, LORD. We remember in prayer Families and Friends who miss the presence of someone they love. **MAY THEY BE ASSURED ALWAYS OF THE LORD’S CARE.**

Pope's prayer Intention for February: For vocations to the priesthood and religious life- let us pray that the ecclesial community may welcome the desires and doubts of those young people who feel a call to serve Christ's mission in the priesthood and religious life.

Prayers are requested for People who are Sick and Unwell at this Moment – Ben Vance, Aneta Luc-Kocur, Phil Griffin, Claire Turner, Bridie Mannion, Paul Bowes, Garry Hole, Margaret Buckley, Cath O'Toole, Eric Holt, Derek Coyle, Kirsty Coyle, Ian Connell, Michael Ward, Jim Ward, Eileen Barnes, Thomas Hewitt, Peter Charman, Elaine Watkins, Arthur Watkins, Michael Butler, Cathy Grant, Peggy James, Christine Ambrose, David Johnson, Jackie Smith, Bridie Barry, John Cunningham, John Dorrington, David Tuson, Alice Parker, Nancy Guvi, Edward Matibiri, Margaret Goss, Kathleen Paton, Grainne Tighe, Malcolm, Irene Paton, Margaret Simpson, Vera Snell, Geraldine Collins, Jacqueline Marajh, Margaret Sidwell, Pauline Miller, Diane Welford, Bill Ward, Mary O'Reilly, Robert Freeman, Eileen O'Connor, Patrick O'Reilly, John McCann

- **The Parish Centre** is open on Mondays for a Cuppa & a Chat from 12noon – 2pm .This is an opportunity to bring people in the community and in the Parish together. If you or your neighbour want a lift to come in, please let us know about it and will arrange the same. ALL ARE WELCOME .
- **Crafty Fishers** – Crafty group will be every second & fourth Thursday evenings 6pm -8pm in the parish centre. Anyone interested welcome to join.
- **Retreat for Eucharistic ministers** –from 9.30 am to 1.00 pm this would include Mass, Adoration, two talks and refreshments. **Eucharistic Ministers** retreat will be held on **22nd March at St Thomas More.**
- **The Archdiocese is recruiting for the following four positions:**
Operations Director, IT Manager, Finance Manager and Gift Aid Officer. Full details and closing dates can be found at www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/jobs. If you think you have the skills, please do apply.
- **Thanksgiving mass for Marriage –Register now:** Are you celebrating a significant wedding anniversary in 2025? Are you engaged to be married this year? Or would you simply like to give thanks to God for your marriage, and ask for His ongoing blessings? If so, you are invited to attend this year's thanksgiving mass for marriage To be held at St Chad's Cathedral on **Saturday 3 May at 12noon.** Celebrated by Bishop Richard Walker. Mass will be followed by light refreshments. Registration for this event is now open. **The deadline for booking is Sunday 13 April. To register please visit :www.vocations.org.uk/marriage-mass.**
- **The Jubilee year :** Lenten session on Pilgrims of Hope on the synodal pathway- Pope Francis said, "It is precisely the path of synodality which God expects of the church of the third millennium". This lent, you are invited to explore with others what it means to be a pilgrim of hope making this synodal journey and what significance the current Jubilee year has in deepening our understanding of the working of the Holy Spirit at this time in our history. This exploration of faith will take place over four Monday evening sessions at St Osburg's Parish Hall on 10th, 17th, 24th and 31st March 2025. sessions will run from 7.00pm to 8.30pm. Please register your interest in these sessions, by contacting one of the following: Barbara McGowan – 07528644617 / Paschal Somers- 07403625292 .The deadline for registration is Monday 24th February 2025.

Readers/Eucharistic ministers Rota for this weekend and next weekend

DATE	Time	1 st Reading & Psalms	2 nd Reading, Gospel Acclamation & Bidding prayers	Eucharistic Ministers
SATURDAY 15 th February	06-30 PM	Rija Bobby	Cyprian Mendonca	Chinenye & Mary Cantillon
SUNDAY 16 th February	09-30 AM	Berna Billane	Pete Walker	Luise Ivens & Moira Thomas
	11-30 AM	Lesley Ramos	Sinu Xavier	Susan O'Gorman & Cath McAnenny
SATURDAY 22 nd February	06-30 PM	Veeda Mendonca	Chinenye	Terry Breeze & Maureen Steadman
SUNDAY 23 rd February	09-30 AM	Ella	Michelle Salvo	Brid Conmy & Niall Morris
	11-30 AM	Bernadette Norman	Sophie Greener	Halina Greener & Litty sijo

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The Feast of the Chair of St. Peter is a commemoration of the contributions of the Apostle to the Christian Church. It celebrates his authority and endless efforts to build a strong community around the teachings of Christ and has been celebrated since the earliest times in the Christian era. Peter, the Chair of St. Peter represents the papacy, the unbroken succession of popes throughout the Church's 2,000-year history. Given by Christ Himself to St. Peter in the Gospel of Matthew, Chapter 16 verses 13-18, Peter's supreme pastoral office is passed to each of his successors as Bishop of Rome. **The chair of Saint Peter**, also known as the Throne of Saint Peter, is a relic conserved in St Peter's Basilica in Vatican city, the sovereign enclave of the Pope inside Rome, Italy. The relic is enclosed in a sculpted gilt bronze casing designed by **Gian Lorenzo Bernini** and constructed between 1647 and 1653. In 2012, Pope Benedict XVI described the chair as "a symbol of the special mission of Peter and his Successors to tend Christ's flock, keeping it united in faith and in charity. **Grant, we pray, almighty God,** that no tempests may disturb us, for you have set us fast on the rock of the Apostle Peter's confession of faith. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, for ever and ever.

A Simple Prayer –

In Jesus' Name, we continue to pray, In Jesus' Name, we continue to serve, In Jesus' Name, we continue to love, In Jesus Name, we continue to live. In Jesus' Name, we continue to listen. AMEN

Don't Forget 6-00PM Each Day – The Our Father

We pray that God will bless our Parish and all our homes and families for the many good unseen things that go on – which are always seen by God. THANK YOU SO MUCH.

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