

Our Lady & St. Anne, Caversham

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Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C 19th-20th July 2025



Patronal Feast Day – Ss Joachim and St Anne

This will be celebrated at Masses on the weekend of
Saturday 26th July – Sunday 27th July.

Saint Vincent de Paul Society

The Saint Vincent De Paul Society have been asked to collect the following food items for the Weller Centre.



Tins of spaghetti, baked beans, beans and sausages and tuna. Cereals and biscuits. These items are in very short supply. If you can please drop an extra item of the above into your shopping, it will make a huge difference. We thank you for your continued support.



Thursday Tea/Coffee

Fancy a cuppa and a chat after Mass on Thursdays? Everybody is welcome, bring a friend. It usually happens even if there is no Mass.

Second Collection

A second collection for the **Apostleship of the Sea** will be taken at all Masses this weekend.



This QR code takes you to the parish website where you will be able to donate.

Weekly income 12th/13th July

C'less:	£ 449.65
Loose	£ 171.35
Candles	£ 13.15
Tea/coffee	£ 65.70
200 club	£ 80.00

Weekly S Orders: £820.00

From the Sports Centre, Bethlehem:

Dear Mr. Mike Ryan,
Warm greetings from Collège des Frères (De La Salle) – Bethlehem. On behalf of our school and the De La Salle Club team, I wish to extend our sincere gratitude for the generous support you and your wife have shown through your recent donation. We are pleased to formally acknowledge the receipt of your donation of \$4,700, which will be dedicated to supporting our youth and community outreach programs. In today's challenging environment, your gift means more than ever.

Your donation enables us to provide materials, extracurricular programs, and scholarships—making a real difference in ensuring our students remain in school, engaged, and hopeful. You are empowering them not only academically, but emotionally, socially, and spiritually in a time of hardship.

We look forward to sharing a full report, complete with photos and videos, after our upcoming activities. We want you—and your parish community—to see firsthand the impact of your generosity.

Please convey our deep appreciation to **The Roman Catholic Parish of Our Lady & St Anne with the Shrine of Our Lady of Caversham**. Your compassion upholds the spirit of global solidarity and helps our Christian students stay connected to their roots and education.

May God bless you both abundantly for your kindness. We are profoundly grateful, and we remain united in faith and hope as we serve our young people. With deep appreciation and warm regards,

Ekhlas Bannoura
Director at College des Freres Bethlehem

St Anne's School

Exciting News from St Anne's School!

We're delighted to announce that our brand new St Anne's School website is now live!

Visit <https://st-annes.reading.sch.uk/> to explore the latest news, upcoming events, and all the information you need about our school community.

We invite you to discover more about our school, celebrate our achievements, and see why St Anne's is such a wonderful place for children to grow and learn.

Mrs Tobin



Saint Michael Archangel,
defend us in battle,
be our protection against the
wickedness and snares of the devil;
may God rebuke him, we humbly
pray;

and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host,
by the power of God,
cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits
who prowl through the world
seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.



Dates for your diary:

20th July Youth Club sports eve
on school field 5-7pm

21st July Leavers Mass in church

23rd July End of term

27th July **Patronal feast day**

7th September Youth club games
night in Cenacle

PILGRIMAGE TO MEDJUGORJE



*6th - 13th October, 2025 for the
Feast of the Holy Rosary*

This pilgrimage is being organised
by Christ the King Parish,
Reading.

Medjugorje, in Bosnia
Herzegovina, is a holy place of
amazing grace where millions of
pilgrims go and where one finds
great peace, love, joy and healing -
a real encounter with Heaven.

The cost is £799 per person.

If you are interested, please *contact*
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Mass intentions

16th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Year C

Saturday	19 th July	4.45pm	<i>Confession</i>
		5.30pm	People of the parish
Sunday	20 th July	10.00am	Thressia Vargheese RIP
Monday	21 st July	9.15am	Gerard Mulholland RIP
		[school leavers Mass]	
Tuesday	22 nd July	No Mass	
Wednesday	23 rd July	6.30pm	
Thursday	24 th July	9.15am	Th'giving for Alex's exams
Friday	25 th July	9.15am	

Ss Joachim & St Anne [patronal festival]

Year C

Saturday	26 th July	4.45pm	<i>Confession</i>
		5.30 pm	Jackie Clyne RIP
Sunday	27 th July	10.00am	People of the parish

OUR LADY'S LAMP

Lit this week for

Maureen Fisher RIP

Please remember her
in your prayers this week.



Evening Prayer
before Saturday
Mass, approx.
4.45pm.
Everybody is welcome.



The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is **Julia Feeney**. They can be contacted at: sg.ol.stanne.caversham@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240/ safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.