

Feast of the Dedication of the Lateran Basilica, Year C

8-9th November 2025

De Profundis Prayer

Out of the depths I have cried unto Thee, O Lord; Lord, hear my voice. Let Thine ears be attentive to the voice of my supplication.

If Thou, O Lord, shalt mark our iniquities: O Lord, who can abide it?

For with Thee there is mercy: and by reason of Thy law I have waited on Thee, O Lord.

My soul hath waited on His word: my soul hath hoped in the Lord. From the morning watch even unto night: let Israel hope in the Lord. For with the Lord there is mercy: and with Him is plenteous redemption. And He shall redeem Israel from all his iniquities.

Eternal rest give to them, O Lord. And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.



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.

Our Lady & St. Anne, Caversham

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**PARISH
ADMINISTRATOR
VACANCY AT OUR LADY &
ST ANNE CHURCH
CAVERSHAM RG4 5AB**



Following the announcement that Lis Leddy will be retiring 31/12/25, the parish is looking to recruit a new parish administrator.

The role is part-time, 15 hrs/week, 5 hours/day on Tues./Wed. and Thurs. @ £12.72/hour.

For further information including the job description, please contact ol.stanne.caversham@rcaob.org.uk

Closing date: 5pm Thursday 27th November

Short listing: Monday 1st December

Interviews: Thursday 4th December

Blessing of Graves at Henley Rd

Fr Joe and some of the Reading priests will be blessing graves at Henley Road Cemetery on Sunday 9th November at 2pm.



Parish Advent Carol Service

A time of spiritual preparation with Advent readings and carols to support us as we watch and wait for the coming of the Kingdom of God. **Thurs 18th December** in the church, at 7.30pm. All welcome. Followed by festive refreshments.

Parish Mass for the Bereaved

This will be on Thursday 20th November at 7.30pm.

CAFOD WORLD GIFTS CATALOGUE:



Unsure what to get for Christmas for people who have enough 'stuff'?

Want to give people who are close to you a gentle reminder of the true spirit of Christmas by making a true difference to the lives of those living in poverty? Then CAFOD World Gifts are the answer!

Catalogues available on the table in the narthex.

The Saint Vincent de Paul Society will be hosting a Quiz night with a cheese and wine supper on Saturday 29 November at 7pm. The Quiz will start at 7.30pm. The tickets are £10 per person which includes a complimentary glass of wine and a selection of cheeses. The rest of the evening will be BYO. Teams will be made up of 4 or 6. So gather friends together for a fun evening.



The tickets on sale at every mass until the 29 November. For further info, please speak to a member of the SVP. We look forward to welcoming you on the 29 November.

Weekly income 1st-2nd November

C'less:	£ 261.00
Loose	£ 335.20
Candles	£ 32.05
Our Lady's Lamp	£ 10.00
Johnson Association	£ 424.00
Tea/coffee	£ 280.67

Weekly S Orders: £820.00

St Anne's Catholic Primary School

Prospective parents and carers are warmly invited to visit St Anne's Catholic Primary school, where faith, learning and community come together in a nurturing environment. Come and see on:

25th November - 1.30pm

To book, contact school on:

Tel: 01189375537

email admin@stannes.reading.sch.uk

website: www.st-annes.reading.sch.uk

Rest in Peace

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Nigel Snell whose funeral service will take place here at Our Lady & St Anne's on Monday 10th November at 12noon.

May he rest in peace and rise in glory.



POPE LEO'S NOVEMBER PRAYER INTENTION

In November, we pray with Pope Leo that those who are struggling with suicidal thoughts will find the support, care and love they need in their community, and be open to the beauty of life.



Dates for your diary:

- Blessing of Graves at Henley Road Sunday 9th November 2 pm,
- Parish Annual Bereavement Mass Thursday 20th November, 7.30pm
- Tamesis Chamber Choir "Advent into Christmas" Sunday 7th December 4-6pm, here at Our Lady & St Anne church. Tickets £14, £5 children/student in full time education available at [Tamesis Advent into Christmas](#)
- **Parish Advent Carol Service** Thursday 18th November, 7.30pm with festive refreshments

Youth Group



- 16 Nov - Bingo and prep for Youth Sunday
- 7 Dec - Bowling (offsite)
- 21 Dec - Christmas party in the school hall

St Martin's Catholic
Primary School
Pendennis Avenue
Caversham Park Village
RG4 6SS

Executive Head: Mrs B Tobin

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Mass intentions

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Remembrance Sunday

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Saturday	8 th November	4.30pm	<i>Confession</i>
		5.30pm	People of the parish
Sunday	9 th November	10.00am	Molly Xavier RIP
[Remembrance Sunday Requiem]			
Monday	10 th November	9.15am	Repose of Holy Souls
		12noon	Funeral service – N Snell RIP
Tuesday	11 th November	11.00am	Deceased clergy of the deanery
Wednesday	12 th November	6.30pm	Bridie & Jimmy O'Sullivan RIP
Thursday	13 th November	9.15pm	Repose of holy souls
Friday	14 th November	9.15am	Thgvg Our Lady & St Anne

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Saturday	15 th November	4.30pm	<i>Confession</i>
		5.30 pm	People of the parish
Sunday	16 th November	10.00am	Zygmunt Powiecki RIP



OUR LADY'S LAMP

Lit this week for:

Poppy Arabella Norris

Please keep 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 Representatives are **Sue Houghton** and **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.