

# ST ALBAN'S R.C. PARISH, WINSLOW

Pastoral Area of Milton Keynes / Diocese of Northampton

Worshipping at  
St Laurence C. of E. Church  
on the High Street  
in Winslow



*Deo vero ac vivo*

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Sun	15 <sup>th</sup> September	11:30	Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time	<i>Pro Populo</i>
Sun	22 <sup>nd</sup> September	11:30	Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time <i>ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT AFTER MASS</i>	
Sun	29 <sup>th</sup> September	11:30	Twenty-Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time	<i>Corbens' Golden Wedding Anniversary</i>

**Parish Mass** is normally on Sundays at 11:30am, excepting the First Saturday of the month when it is a Vigil Mass at 6pm

**Confessions:** 1st Sat. 5:30pm, side chapel ; **Baptisms:** By arrangement ; **Weddings:** Catholic weddings not normally possible

*Lectionary Cycle: Sundays, B; Weekdays, II*

*Divine Office/Liturgy of the Hours: Week IV*

**Please pray for sick parishioners:** Yvonne Williams, Mary Lyons, Maurice Lyons, and Moira Brennan

**Today is *Evangelii Gaudium* Sunday** (formally Mission Sunday). It gives us the opportunity to reflect on the great mandate we have been given by the Risen Lord to evangelise the whole world: "Go therefore and make disciples of all nations." (Mat. 28:19). Inspired by the ongoing Synodal process, Scripture, and Pope Francis' Apostolic Exhortation, *Evangelii Gaudium*, the diocese has chosen the theme this year to be *Growing as Missionary Disciples*. We are all encouraged to pray for our parish communities, that they would become intentionally missionary in their life and witness.

**Adoremus (Let Us Adore)**, the National Eucharistic Congress, took place yesterday at Oscott College. Fr Anton intended to go to represent our Pastoral Area but in the end was unable to. In connection with this national event, the Bishops of England and Wales asked that all parishes hold a period of Adoration at the end of Mass today. In our parish, **our period of Adoration will be at the end of Mass next Sunday for half an hour**. Attendance is, of course, optional but it would be nice if everyone could spend at least a few minutes adoring Our Lord at any time during that short half hour period.

**Secrets of St Paul:** This Tuesday, Mission Northampton begin a course for anyone interested in finding out more about the great evangelist, St Paul. If you are interested in missionary discipleship, then this is the course for you. For more information, please visit <https://northamptondiocese.org/courses/secrets-of-paul-online-weekly-from-17th-september-2024/>

**An Important Date for Your Diary:** Bishop David will be making a Pastoral Visitation of our Parish at the Vigil Mass on Saturday, 1<sup>st</sup> February next year. This will be his first visit to our parish. Please do try to come on that evening to extend to him a warm parish welcome and the support of our prayers.

**Tuesday Zoom Prayer Meeting**, 9:15am. Half an hour of prayer, readings, & catch up.

ID: 880 9972 0242 Passcode: 769634

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88099720242?pwd=OFNiSURaeWN3MUtxY05wWGFva0o4Zz09>

## **Mass Intentions**

If you would like Mass said for any intention—living or dead—please contact Fr Anton in person or by email to arrange it.

## **The Housebound/Infirm**

If you need a lift to Mass or require Holy Communion at home, owing to infirmity, please call or email Fr Anton.

## **New/Moved Parishioners**

All are welcome! Please send us your contact details so that a priest can more easily visit if you ever require one urgently.

## **Parish Safeguarding**

Our officer is Emma Cull.  
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