## 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



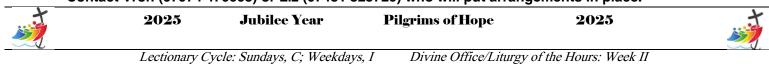
Fr Anton Webb Parish Priest

Sat	15th November	18.00	Vigil Mass for 33 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday in the Year		No Sunday Masses until after Christmas whilst Father Anton is off Sick
Sat	22nd November	d November   18.00   Vigil Mass for Solemnity of Christ the King.   Bill & E		Bill & Enid Vincent	
Sat	29 <sup>th</sup> November 18.00		Vigil Mass for First Sunday in Advent		

Please Lookout for Together emails or the Parish website for updates on all Services, including Confessions, or contact Georgina Mellows or Vron Corben

For a for a Priest in an emergency

Contact Vron (07974 470605) or Liz (07481 825729) who will put arrangements in place.



Pray for the sick: Maurice Lyons and Moira Brennan & Father Anton

**Brown Evelopes:** Please use a brown envelope to add names of deceased Family and Friends in and place in the Basket on/near the alter these will remain throughtout November.

## Red Wednesday, 19h November.

The theme for this international day for the persecuted is 'A Global Cry for Religious Freedom.' Building's across the world from Toronto and Montreal to Australia, and Europe, including for the first time the European Parliament building in Brussels, will be lit in red to symbolise the blood shed by people of all faiths for their beliefs. 10,000 people are expected to attend events with 500,000 accessing events online. Please pray for all at home that day. Next year the European Parliament will be hosting a conference on religious persecution.

**Financial giving for 2025-26 and Gift Aid:** If you are new to the parish and a UK taxpayer wishing to give to the church in future, using envelopes, direct debit or standing order, or if you have any questions on the Gift Aid scheme, please contact Mark Greaves, the accountant for the Parish, at <a href="markgreaves@live.co.uk">markgreaves@live.co.uk</a> with your contact details. If you wish to change the way you give or have any other questions, please also likewise be in touch. Many thanks for your continuing generosity.

**Justice and Peace Group**: In November we are collecting for a charity that regularly takes donations to Ukraine. Items needed are: over the counter medication like paracetamol, feminine hygiene products, adult nappies/Tena type, toothpaste and toothbrushes, toiletries, batteries and torches, hand knitted or crocheted items, tinned meat and fish. Financial donations welcome to cover the cost of transport. Please bring your donations to Liz or Vron in church, or leave them at 2 Byford Way, or 37 Fairmeadow, by the end of November

**Diocesan Advent Retreat 2025:** Begins on Monday 24th November at 7:30pm. Each week Avril Bagient will be joined by a special guest to explore the theme "Disrupted by Grace", by delving into the stories of some of Jesus' more disreputable ancestors in Matthew 1. Click on <a href="https://northamptondiocese.org/grace/">https://northamptondiocese.org/grace/</a> to find out more!

## **Parish Activities:**

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

ID: 880 9972 0242 Passcode: 769634

**Monthly Parish Coffee Morning** Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November at Lakers Garden Centre from 10.30am – 12.00pm. Come and meet other Parishioners for informal chat and catch up.

Mass Intentions or other	The Housebound/Infirm	New/Moved Parishioners	Parish Safeguarding	Parish Newsletter
Services	If you need a lift to Mass	All are welcome! Please	Our officer is	Submissions to
Please contact Georgina	or require Holy	send us your contact	Emma Cull.	mary.williams.public
Mellows in person, or by	Communion at home,	details so that a priest can	For any concerns	@gmail.com
phone or email.	owing to infirmity, please	more easily visit if you	contact her on:	
_	contact Liz Mostyn	ever require one urgently.	01296 714457	by the end of each
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			gmail.com	-