

Our Lady of the Assumption Swynnerton

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Sunday 11th August, 2019 Nineteenth Sunday of the Year

FEAST DAYS

Monday 12th August St. Jane Frances de Chantal

Jane was born in Dijon, France in the year 1572. She was married and had six children. Following the death of her husband, she performed many charitable works. She founded the Visitation Order and she died in the year 1641.

Tuesday 13th August St Pontian & St Hippolytus

Pontian became pope in 231. St Pontian and St Hippolytus were exiled to Sardinia in 235 where Pontian abdicated his papacy. They suffered martyrdom under Emperor Maximus Thrax.

Wednesday 14th August St. Maximilian Kolbe

Maximilian died in Auschwitz in 1941. A Polish Franciscan priest who during the war turned his friary into a refugee camp. He was arrested but continued his priestly work in Auschwitz, he took the place of a condemned man and was finally given a lethal injection after being starved for two weeks.

Thursday 15th August. The Assumption of Our Lady Holyday of Obligation

Friday 16th August St. Stephen of Hungary

(969 -1038) St Stephen was born during the year 969. He ruled as King of Hungary with great wisdom and was outstanding for his justice and piety. He organised the evangelisation of his country. He died in 1038. He is the patron of Hungary.

Sunday 18th August Twentieth Sunday of the Year

Day	Time	Service	Confession*
Saturday 10th	5:30pm	Mass - Fred & Flo Chambers RIP	11:00 - 11:30 am*
Sunday 11th	10:00am 6:00pm	Mass - For the People of the Parish Mass (EF) - Special Intention (Duhig)	
Monday 12th	9:30am	Mass - Mady Chavasse intentions	
Tuesday 13th	9:30am	Mass - Adrian Wort RIP	
Wednesday 14th	9:30am 7:30pm	Mass - For the Sick Mass - Robert Campbell RIP	
Thursday 15th	9:30am 7:00pm	Mass - For the People of the Parish Mass (EF) - Special Intention (Duhig)	
Friday 16th	9:30am 2:30pm	Mass - Pauline Bevans intentions Mass - (HMP Drake Hall) Michael Domer RIP	
Saturday 17th	5:30pm	Mass - James O'Brien RIP	11:00 - 11:30 am*
Sunday 18th	10:00am 6:00pm	Mass - For the People of the Parish Mass (EF) - Pauline Bevans intentions	

Note: Services in Black in church
Services in Blue elsewhere

* After all Masses on request

- ❖ **SURVIVE-MIVA APPEAL:** This weekend we welcome Mr Alan Edwards, who will speak at the 5.30pm and 10am Masses on behalf of Survive-Miva, the organisation which raises funds to purchase vehicles to assist missionaries around the world in their often arduous work and travels. I am sure you will respond to the appeal with your customary generosity.
- ❖ **SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF OUR LADY:** To remind you that Thursday this week is the great feast of The Assumption of Our Lady into Heaven. It is a Holyday of Obligation. The usual Mass times apply: Vigil Mass on Wednesday at 7.30pm; Mass on Thursday at 9.30am and (in Latin) at 7pm.
- ❖ **ANNUAL PARISH HOG ROAST:** Friday October 11th in Swynnerton Village Hall. Put the date in your diary!
- ❖ **PARISH RAFFLE:** I apologise that the list for any donated prizes for the Parish Raffle failed to appear last weekend. It should be there by now! Many thanks in advance for any prizes you kindly give.

Quotation

"That transformation of our material bodies to which we look forward one day, has already been accomplished - we know it now for certain - in her, our Blessed Mother Mary"

From a sermon on The Assumption by Monsignor Ronald Knox (died 1957), famous Catholic convert and preacher.

Collection:	Gift Aid Envelopes	£ 176.00
	Loose	£ 260.10
		£ 436.10
Congregation:	76 Adults & 11 Young People	

Thank you, God bless

Fr. Paul.