

Sacred Heart Parish Weekly Newsletter.

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Dear Parishioners,

Fire Alarm system. The Fire Brigade have been to inspect our new fire alarm, emergency lighting and testing procedures. They are very happy with everything. One thing remains to be done and that is to hold a **fire drill/full evacuation of the Church** after Saturday and Sunday Masses. This will be carried out next weekend **May 20th/21st**. Mass will continue as normal and after the final blessing the fire alarm will be sounded and we must **all** evacuate the building. Please follow the instructions of the Fire Marshalls.

This weekend we welcome Fr Coleman Kimaryo who will be making the annual Mission Appeal on behalf of the Spiritans (Holy Ghost Fathers.)

Weekly Newsletters.

When I calculated how many newsletters we throw away each year I was really shocked. Just printing the weekly newsletter comes to **14,560 sheets of paper each year which are thrown away!** As part of our response to Pope Francis' call to live more simply, avoid waste and protect the world God has given us **I want to email the weekly newsletter to everyone who has email.** (Your email addresses will not be shown, so no-one will see your email address and you won't see anyone else's) Please email me today to say you want to receive the

newsletter by email. parish@sacredheart-coventry.org and within a week or so you will start to receive the newsletter by email. There will always be some paper copies available for visitors and those without email, but I hope that 90% of Newsletters can now be emailed. **This isn't about saving money. In the grand scheme of parish accounts the cost of the weekly newsletter is negligible. It's about finding ways to reduce waste and move away from our "throw away" society..... and the next Live Simply meeting** will be on Wednesday 7th June at 7.00pm in the House-Do come along.

God bless,

Fr. Tony.

14th May, 2017	
FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (A)	
Parish Mass Book page 145. Redemptorist Sunday Missal Page 310. Preface IV of Easter. Eucharistic Prayer 2.	
Saturday 5.00pm	For all the people of the Parish.
Sunday 10.30am	Vincent Clohessy, R.I.P.
Monday 9.00am	Eugene P. Heavey.
Wednesday 5.45pm 6.30pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Michael Coady
Thursday 9.00am 5.00pm	Eamon Finlan Reception of Katie Szpalikowski's body into Church
Friday 10.00am	Requiem for Katie Szpalikowski.
Saturday 8.15am 9.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Special Intention
Confessions	Saturday: 9.30am - 10.00am and 4.30pm -4.50pm.
21st May, 2017	
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (A)	
Parish Mass Book page 148. Redemptorist Sunday Missal Page 314. Preface V of Easter. Eucharistic Prayer 2.	
Saturday 5.00pm.	Margaret Mary Craig – 5 th Anniversary and Arrol Craig, R.I.P. (Paul and Terence Craig)
Sunday 10.30am	Year 5 Mass of Enrolment. For all the people of the Parish.



If you hear the fire alarm leave by the nearest exit following the instructions of the fire marshals. The Assembly Point is in the car park

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An Induction Loop system is provided. Please switch Hearing-Aid to 'T'



BABY CHANGING UNIT
Provided in the disabled toilet.



Please switch off mobile phones when in Church. Thank you.

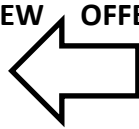
Last week's Offertory: £906.76 (Gift-Aid: £295.00 non Gift-Aid: £309.76 Bank Credits: £302.00.) Thank you very much. Collection for the Clergy Training Fund: £119.45. Good Friday collection for the Holy Places: £271.94.

This Weekend Fr Coleman Kimaryo will be making the Annual Mission Appeal by the Spiritans (Holy Ghost Fathers)

Next weekend May collection towards Our Hopes.

Counters this week: Team C.

PLEASE COLLECT YOUR NEW OFFERTORY ENVELOPES FROM THE PORCH.



7-Day Candles: 13th - 20th May.

Sacred Heart: Tincy (Special Intention.); Frank O'Brien, R.I.P.; Sean (Special Intention); Mahima Mahesh (Special Intention);

Our Lady: Catriona Murphy, R.I.P; Alisha Family Protection; Joseph (Special Intention)

By the small Crucifix: Joseph (Special Intention)

Please remember in your prayers Alan Stanley, Suzanne Martin, Larry O'Brien, Brendan Duffy, Carol Burton, Jane Malone (Allsop), Eamon Finlan, Kevin Casey, Maureen Bell, Dulcie Stalker, Joan O'Keefe, Christopher, Catherine and Clifford Browne, Winnie Coleman, Angel Nyanzi, Peter Gibbons, Kathleen Tierney, James O'Brien, Kitty Bracken, Eileen Franey, Maria Scott, Eunan MacIntyre Junior, Bridie McAndrew, Benny McAndrew, and all who are sick, for the repose of the souls of Katie Szpalikowski, Bernard Grafton and all who have died and for all whose anniversaries occur at this time. Please keep in your prayers the families of all those who are sick and those who have died.

RASH The next walk will be on Sunday 28th May at Withybrook. Details in the porch. June's walk will be on Sunday 25th. Mount St. Bernard on July 23rd.

Over 50's meet on Mondays in the Hall. Please see noticeboard for date of next meeting. New members welcome.

Prayer in Thanksgiving for the Consecration of the Church

Almighty Father, we give you thanks for the Consecration of our Church. Send your Spirit from heaven to make this church an ever holy place, a house of prayer and action reaching out to those in any need. Build the temple of your spirit deep within us, creating its beauty from the holiness of our lives, that we may be living stones proclaiming the gospel by our words and our deeds. Through Christ Our Lord. Amen.

PRAYER VIGILS On the first Friday of every month. So that younger people are able to come these will run from 6.00pm - 8.00pm. The next one will be on Friday 5th May.

Missio Red Boxes. Can holders of the red boxes please bring them to church for emptying. The total collected last year was £990.00 and with the phasing out of the round £1 coin it's important that the boxes are emptied.

"The Gift" Life in the Spirit Course. To be held at Christ the King Church – 6 sessions beginning at 7.15pm on Thursday 27th April, 4th, 11th 18th, 25th May and 8th June. If you wish to know more, an overview of the course will be held **on Sunday 23rd April at 6.30pm at Christ the King Church.** Please see flyers for further information."

Prayer Group meeting every Tuesday in the Hall at 7.30pm.

Fatima Centenary 1917/2017 - Celebration Event Saturday 13th May at St Peter Apostle church, Dormer Place, Leamington Spa CV32 5AE which is a pilgrimage church in the archdiocese for the Centenary Year. Mass at 10am. Film the 13th Day in afternoon. For details see St Peter's website: www.stpetersleamington.org

MARRIAGE HELP – Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-vi) has helped tens of thousands of couples at all stages of disillusionment or misery in their marriage. This programme can help you too. There is no group therapy or group work. For confidential information about Retrouvaille or to register for the next programme commencing with a residential weekend on 9th – 11th June, please visit www.retrouvaille.org.uk; call or text 0788 75296983 or email.

Divine Mercy Apostolate run by Marian Fathers is organising **8th National Divine Mercy Pilgrimage To Walsingham on Saturday, 3rd June 2017.** Please see poster.