

# Sacred Heart Parish Weekly Newsletter.

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Dear Parishioners,

## Mass for deceased Clergy of the Coventry Deanery.

Each year in November Mass is celebrated for the repose of the souls of all the priests who have served the parishes of the Coventry Deanery. Each year the Mass is celebrated in a different church in the Deanery and this year the Mass will be

held at 7.00pm in St Mary's, Raglan Street with refreshments for everyone afterwards. Please make every effort to attend and pray for the repose of the souls of the priests who have served our parishes over the years.

## **Soon, the winter Night Shelters will be activated again**

and this reflection by the late Cardinal Carlo Martini is very powerful:

*The extraordinary precariousness of Jesus' birth, unacceptable even to the poor Bedouin shepherds who at least had a proer tent, makes an impression on all who accidently pass by the manger or are called there by the heavenly voice. This young family's lack of a roof overhead is an invitation to open one's heart and home.*

*There are many among us (some very young) who spend their nights in bus or train stations – who lack a home or work, or any security. There also are those whose house is not a home because of an atmosfers of hostility or*

*indifference which seems to reign therin.*

## CHRISTMAS LUNCH.

At Christmas some people can be on their own and so Christmas can be a lonely time for them. We would like to provide Christmas lunch for 20 people who would otherwise be on their own and who would like to share the day with others. If you, or anyone you know, is interested please have a word with Fr Tony after Masses.

God Bless,

*Fr. Tony.*

16 <sup>th</sup> October, 2016 29 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (C) Parish Mass Book page 87.	
Saturday 5.00pm	Ernie and Veronica Mills, R.I.P. (John, Elizabeth and Veronica)
Sunday 10.30am	Year 2 Children - Gift of God's Word. For all the people of the Parish.
Monday 9.00am	<b>St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr.</b> Dave Griffin, R.I.P. (K. Griffin.)
Wednesday 5.45pm 6.30pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Olivia Natalianga, R.I.P.
Thursday 9.00am	Bill Kirkwood, R.I.P. (Birthday) and Daniel Kirkwood, R.I.P. (Mary Henry)
Friday 9.00am	Elizabeth Clark, R.I.P. (Yvonne McGurk)
Saturday 8.15am 9.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Canon Peter Reilly, R.I.P.
Confessions.	Saturday 9.30 -10.00am and 4.30 – 4.50pm.
23 <sup>rd</sup> October, 2016 30 <sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (C) Parish Mass Book page 89.	
Saturday 5.00pm.	Frank Morris, R.I.P.
Sunday 10.30am	For all the people of the Parish.



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:** £848.68 (Gift-Aid £202.00 non Gift-Aid: £335.68 Bank Credits: £311.00.) Thank you very much. CAFOD Family Fast day collection: £319.90. **Next weekend:** collection for World Mission Sunday (and if you have and red boxes at home, please bring them in to be emptied.)

**Counters this week: Team A.**

**7-Day Candles: 15<sup>th</sup> - 22<sup>nd</sup> October.**

**Sacred Heart:** Maria (Special Intention); Tincy (Special Intention.); Mahima R. Mansa.

**Our Lady:** Catriona Murphy, R.I.P.; Alisha Family protection; Prosper Dowden, R.I.P.

**By the small Crucifix:**

**Justice and Peace Group:** meets again on Monday 7<sup>th</sup> November.

**Please remember in your prayers** Pauline Smith, Larry O'Brien, Brendan Duffy, baby Zachary Dias, Carol Burton, Jane Malone (Allsop), Eamon Finlan, Kevin Casey, Maureen Bell, Dulcie Stalker, Joan O'Keefe, Christopher, Catherine and Clifford Browne, Alan Wilkinson, Winnie Coleman, Angel Nanyanzi, Ron Hamilton, Peter Gibbons, Kathleen Tierney, James O'Brien, Kitty Bracken, Meira Hollick, Eileen Franey, Maria Scott, Eunan MacIntyre Junior, Bridie McAndrew, Benny McAndrew, Martin McAndrew, and all who are sick, for the repose of the souls of John O'Loughlin 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.

**Over 50's meet in the Hall** every fortnight on a Monday. Please see noticeboard for date of next meeting.

**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 2<sup>nd</sup> September.

**Are you interested in becoming a Catholic? Are you a Catholic who would like to know more about your faith? Are you a non-Catholic in a Catholic family who would just like to understand the Catholic faith better?** Our series of meetings on the Catholic Faith start on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> September from 7.30pm -8.45pm in the Parish Hall. They are very friendly with tea/coffee and biscuits. **DO COME ALONG**

**A Saint for the Midlands – Cardinal John Henry Newman.** Three talks in October/November. Please see poster in porch for more details.

**Sacred Heart School:**

**Lunchtime Supervisor (Permanent)**

**Living Wage**

**(£7:85 pro-rata - term time only)**

**Start date: 7<sup>th</sup> November 2016**

**To apply for these posts – please go to WMJobs for the downloadable documents.**  
<http://www.wmjobs.co.uk/>

Please return ALL documents for the attention of Mr Madia, Head of School via email or at the school  
Visits to the school are warmly welcomed – email Mr Paul

Madia [pmadia@sacredheart.coventry.sch.uk](mailto:pmadia@sacredheart.coventry.sch.uk) for an appointment.

**Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School.** Vacancy for Phase Leader KS1 and Class Teacher. For further information please go to: [www.romeromac.com/vacancies](http://www.romeromac.com/vacancies) Closing date is 3rd November 2016 at 12.00pm.

**October 23<sup>rd</sup> is World Mission Sunday. PLEASE** return your red boxes to Church before then, so they can be counted. There are 65 boxes held by parishioners and so far, only 17 have been counted.

**Catholic Convention and Healing Service** on every second Saturday of the month at B C C, Birmingham. Coach will be departing from Sacred Heart Church, Coventry. For more details and booking, please contact Jose on 07868842984.

**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.