

Sacred Heart Parish Weekly Newsletter.

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Dear Parishioners,

MASSIVE CONGRATULATIONS TO SACRED HEART SCHOOL. Ofsted inspected the school on 6th March and have AGAIN rated the school as OUTSTANDING.

carved stone that fits perfectly into the whole building making it strong and beautiful, and without us, it would be not complete, lacking something.

God Bless,

This Sunday s Vocations Sunday. This is a lovely reflection, based on the First Reading, on Vocation:

Fr. Tony.

First Reading: Acts 4:8-12

- You have been filled with the Holy Spirit!

Just as the first Christians were given new life and energy to know what God wanted of them, you have received this same gift of God's help through the Holy Spirit to know what God is inviting you to do.

- Praying in the Name of Jesus brought healing to a man who couldn't walk. God knows your name and just like the first disciples, he is calling to you by name: we just have to try to listen to his voice and it is hearing his voice that can make us whole.

- Jesus is called a stone that was rejected, but he was shown to be the one on whom everything was built. God doesn't depend

on any of us, he is the foundation! But he asks us to follow him in a particular way, that no one else can do, just like a uniquely

22nd April, 2018. FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (B)	
Parish Mass Book page 137. Preface III of Easter Eucharistic Prayer 3	
Saturday 5.00pm	For all the people of the Parish.
Sunday 10.30am	Anne Moore-Martin, R.I.P. (Stephen Norman.)
Monday 9.00am	SOLEMNITY OF ST. GEORGE, MARTYR, PATRON OF ENGLAND. Annamma Padavathil, R.I.P. (Saly Mathew.)
Wednesday 5.45pm 6.30pm	Feast of St. Mark, evangelist. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Ann MacIntyre, R.I.P. (Celine McCrea)
Thursday 9.00am	Ottavio Licata, R.I.P. – 15 th Anniversary (Maria Licata)
Friday 9.00am	Bobby Anderson
Saturday 8.15am 9.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Barney Grafton, R.I.P. (The Grafton Family.)
Confessions	Saturday 9.30am – 10.00am and 4.30pm -4.50pm.
29th April, 2018. FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (B)	
Parish Mass Book page 139. Preface IV of Easter Eucharistic Prayer 3	
Saturday 5.00pm	Ernie and Veronica Mills, R.I.P. (John, Elizabeth and Veronica)
Sunday 10.30am	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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BABY CHANGING UNIT
Provided in the disabled toilet.



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

Last week's Offertory: £997.99 (Gift-Aid: £231.00 non Gift-Aid: £464.99 Bank Credits: £302.00.). Thank you very much.

This weekend collection for the Clergy Training Fund. **Next weekend** collection towards Our Hopes.

Counters this week Team C.

7-Day Candles: 21st – 28th April

Sacred Heart: Thomas O'Toole, R.I.P.

Our Lady: Catriona Murphy, R.I.P.;

By the small Crucifix:

RASH (Rambling At Sacred Heart) The next walk will be on Sunday 29th April at Fillongley. Details in the porch. – Do come along, its great fun.

Please remember in your prayers Joyce Powell, Etta Montague, Austin O'Malley, Karen Pattinson, Alan Stanley, Suzanne Martin, Larry O'Brien, Brendan Duffy, Carol Burton, Jane Malone (Allsop), Kevin Casey, Maureen Bell, Joan O'Keefe, Christopher, Catherine and Clifford Browne, Winnie Coleman, Peter Gibbons, Kathleen Tierney, James O'Brien, Kitty Bracken, Maria Scott, Eunan MacIntyre Junior, Bridie McAndrew, Benny McAndrew, and all who are sick, for the repose of the souls of all who have died and for all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

PRAYER VIGILS On the first Friday of every month. from 6.00pm - 8.00pm. The next one will be on Friday 4th May.

Prayer Group meets every Tuesday in the Parish Hall at 7.30pm. All are welcome.

AND STILL increasing! There are now 133 of you receiving the weekly newsletter by email! Please send me an email to request the Newsletter. parish@sacredheart-coventry.org

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

The Coventry Catholic Fellowship are holding a fund raising dance on 21st April 2018 for people with special needs. Music by Richard Gissane "Wild Rover" at Christ The King 8pm till late tickets £4.00 pay at the door. Support for this would be much appreciated.

Medugorje youth festival 31st July - 7th Aug meeting @ St Thomas More in Margaret Roper Room 5pm 22nd April. Brief history, informal discussion on trip and prayers. Mass to follow, all welcome.

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGES 6th May to 13th May and 7th October to 14th October. Please see poster in porch and contact Deacon Keith Millage (Christ the King, Coventry) 07860 109029 KeithMillage@aol.com

Pilgrimage to Walsingham on Saturday 12th May. Coach leaving Christ the King at 7.45am for an 8.00am departure. If you would like to go the cost is £15 per person including the Diocesan Affiliation Fee and places can be booked by contacting Fiona on 024 7659 1618

Liturgy Matters! A Society of St Gregory Gathering at St Thomas More, Coventry on Saturday 5th May from 10.00am to 4.30pm. Looking at Singing and Music for Mass, Preparing the Liturgy and Exploring the texts. Cost £10 per person (bring your own packed lunch) Please see poster in porch for more details.

LiveSimply Prayer

Compassionate and loving God, you created the world for us all to share, a world of beauty and plenty. Create in us a desire to live simply, so that our lives may reflect your generosity. Creator God, you gave us responsibility for the earth, a world of riches and delight. Create in us a desire to live sustainably, so that those who follow after us may enjoy the fruits of your creation. God of peace and justice, you give us the capacity to change, to bring about a world that mirrors your wisdom. Create in us a desire to act in solidarity, so that the pillars of injustice crumble and those now crushed are set free. Amen.