

Sacred Heart Parish Weekly Newsletter.

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Dear Parishioners,

Year 3 Little Helpers. Can I please have a brief meeting with parents and the children who volunteered to be Little Helpers on Thursday at 6.00pm in the House. We can then begin the rota.

Are you interested in becoming a Catholic, or would you just like to know more about the Catholic Faith? Our meetings start on Thursday 14th September in the Parish Hall from 7.30pm -8.45pm. Do come along. Everyone is welcome.

Live Simply. We will be launching our Parish bid to become a Live Simply Parish on the weekend of 9th and 10th September and so there will be **an important Live Simply meeting on Wednesday 6th September** in the presbytery at 7.00pm after the evening Mass.

We now have a Deanery App! Yes, that's right folks – a **free** App for your Android/Apple Phone for Coventry Deanery giving you information for all the Coventry Parishes. Just go to your App store and search for **Coventry Catholic Deanery**

There are now 112 of you receiving the weekly

newsletter by email. This is a response to Pope Francis' call to live simply by finding ways to reduce waste and move away from our "throw away" society. Please send me an email to request the Newsletter. The parish email address is: parish@sacredheart-coventry.org **When you receive the weekly newsletter no-one else will be able to see your email address.**

God bless,

Fr. Tony.

27th August, 2017 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time (A) Parish Mass Book page 66 Redemptorist Sunday Missal Page 639. Preface of Sundays I. Eucharistic Prayer 2.	
Saturday 5.00pm	For all the people of the Parish
Sunday 10.30am	Kevin Gibney, R.I.P. (Eileen Gibney)
Monday 9.00am	St. Augustine, Bishop, Doctor of the Church Mary Robinson, R.I.P. (Ted Robinson)
Wednesday 5.45pm 6.30pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. V. K. Joseph, R.I.P. (Nishy Joseph)
Thursday 9.00am	Mrs G. Bramble – Special Intention
Friday 9.00am	Tess Whatley, R.I.P. (The Reilly Family)
Saturday 8.15am 9.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Special Intention
Confessions	Saturday: 9.30am - 10.00am and 4.30pm -4.50pm.
3rd September, 2017 22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time (A) Parish Mass Book page 68 Redemptorist Sunday Missal Page 643. Preface of Sundays II. Eucharistic Prayer 3.	
Saturday 5.00pm	Anne Duffy, R.I.P. (Olive and Maureen)
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: £830.55 (Gift-Aid: £221.00 non Gift-Aid: £307.55 Bank Credits: £302.00.)
Thank you very much.

Counters this week: Team B.

7-Day Candles: 26th August – 2nd September

Sacred Heart: Tincy (Special Intention.); Catriona Murphy, R.I.P.

Our Lady: Alisha Family Protection; Special Intention – LO;

By the small Crucifix:

New Readers Rotas. For those readers not on email, copies of the new rotas are available for collection from the sacristy.

Please remember in your prayers Angel Nyanzi, 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, 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 all who have died and for all whose anniversaries occur at this time.

PRAYER VIGILS On the first Friday of every month. So that younger people can come these will run from 6.00pm - 8.00pm. The next one will be on Friday 1st September.

RASH (Rambling At Sacred Heart) The next walk will be to Ashow Village on Sunday 3rd September. Depart at **11.30am** Details in the porch.

The Catholic Truth Society (CTS) are making hundreds of CTS books available as ebooks. Leaflets giving details are in the porch or visit www.ctsbooks.org/ebooks

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

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

Marriage Encounter Weekends will be taking place at Barnes Close, Bromsgrove (Non Residential) 9th-10th September 2017 and at the Ibis Hotel, Rugby (Residential) 24th-26th November 2017. They are enrichment weekends for normal, ordinary marriages (NOT counselling). ME weekends have proved time and time again to be of immense value to couples however long they have been married. All discussions are private to the participating couples; there is no group work. For further information go to www.wwme.org.uk or contact Phil & Rita Jackson on 0121 2447762.

Harvington Hall – the annual Harvington Pilgrimage will be taking place on Sunday 3rd September, 2017. Please see poster in porch for more details.

"THE GIFT" As a follow up to our recent LIFE IN THE SPIRIT COURSE, we will be meeting to pray together at Christ the King on Thursday, 7th September at 7.30pm. All are welcome as we continue to support each other on our personal journey of prayer.

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.