

Sacred Heart Parish Weekly Newsletter.

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Dear Parishioners,



For those who ordered DVD's of the Consecration the last few can be collected from the paper stall. Cost: £5.00

Lampedusa Cross Walk of Witness Sunday

2nd October Join us to walk in solidarity with refugees! We will depart from St Chad's Cathedral at 12.30pm, following the 11am Mass, and walk together along the canal to the Birmingham ICC, venue of the Conservative party conference. (Please note due to the nature of the route along the canal there are mobility issues). We will be accompanied by Archbishop Longley, who will bless those present and speak of the need to Welcome the Stranger in this Year of Mercy. God Bless,

Fr. Tony.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE

FOR NEXT YEAR (2017.) After the success of our

pilgrimage to Lourdes earlier this year I'm thinking of a 9-day pilgrimage next October which would include 3 places: Assisi (because we have a relic of St Francis of Assisi in the new altar), St Giovanni Rotondo (Padre Pio) and Rome. Its very important that we know as soon as possible how many people might be interested as we can't get a price without an idea of numbers. If you would like to know more please collect an information pack from the sacristy after Mass.

VERY ADVANCE NOTICE. This Sunday Mother Teresa is being Canonised in Rome. - I'm sure she would like this idea!... For many Christmas is a time of joy, of families, of being together celebrating the birth of Our Redeemer, **but not for everyone**; for some Christmas can be lonely and sad. This year we would like to provide a Christmas lunch for those who are alone. We need your help. More information to follow.

4th September, 2016	
23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)	
Parish Mass Book page 71. Redemptorist Sunday Missal Page 923. Preface VIII of Sundays page 502. Eucharistic Prayer 2 page 472.	
Saturday 5.00pm	Frank O'Brien, R.I.P.
Sunday 10.30am	For all the people of the Parish.
Monday 9.00am	Tony Armstrong, R.I.P. (Patricia Kirkwood and Family)
Wednesday 9.00am	Renee Longford, R.I.P. (Mary Henry.)
Thursday 9.00am	Feast of the birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Monica Sullivan, R.I.P. (J. H. Meehan.)
Friday 9.00am	Geraldine Corrins (Sue O'Malley/The Caines Family)
Saturday 8.15am 9.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Frank O'Brien, R.I.P. (Maurice and Ann O'Donoghue)
Confessions.	Saturday 9.30 -10.00am and 4.30 – 4.50pm.
11th September, 2016	
24th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C)	
Parish Mass Book page 74. Redemptorist Sunday Missal Page 927. Preface I of Sundays page 499. Eucharistic Prayer 3 page 475.	
Saturday 5.00pm.	Laurence, Thomas and Margaret Cole, R.I.P. (Julie and John)
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: £673.55 (Gift-Aid £153.50 non Gift-Aid: £209.05 Bank Credits: £311.00.). Thank you very much. **Next weekend** collection for the Catholic Education Service.

Counters this week: Team C..

7-Day Candles: 3rd – 10th September

Sacred Heart: Tincy (Special Intention.); Jacob Family Thanksgiving; Michael Hanlon.

Our Lady: Alisha Family protection; Catriona Murphy, R.I.P.; John Doherty – get well.

By the small Crucifix: Mahima Mahesh – Special Intention.

RASH . The remaining walks this year will be on the following dates: September 25th, October 16th
Details of the walks are in the porch.

Justice and Peace Group: meets again after the holidays.

Please remember in your prayers Larry O'Brien, Brendan Duffy, baby Zachary Dias, Carol Burton, Jane Malone (Allsop), Eamon Finlan, Mary Cregan, 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 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 2nd September.

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.

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

QUIZ NIGHT!  Our next Quiz night is on Friday 16th September starting at 7.30pm. Food will be available to purchase. Great fun for everyone. Do come along.

AFTERNOON TEAS.  Our beautiful afternoon Teas are resuming on Saturday September 24th. It is **ESSENTIAL** to book. Please see Eileen for booking and payment.

Coventry Comhaltas are holding a Ceili on Friday 16th September. Christ the King Community Centre, 14 Westhill Road, Coundon, CV6 2AA
Dancing to the Innisfail Ceili Band (from Coventry) also The wonderful Mc Hugh Academy of Irish Dancing Admission £5 Adults, £2.50 Children, £10.00 Family (2 adults & 2 children) Buffet included in price. For more details please contact Mr. Jarlath Mulhern. **Mobile:** 07876 013 590
email: jarlath.m@ntlworld.com
Facebook: Coventry Comhaltas

1000th Anniversary of Saint Osburg. Mass with the Archbishop in St Osburg's Church Sunday 11th September at 11.30am followed by refreshments. The Anglian Bishop and Lord Mayor will be in attendance. Free tickets available for 5 representatives from each parish. Please see me if you would like one. Civic celebration on Friday 9th. 10.30am walk from Lady Godiva statue to Priory Gardens to place flowers at Our Lady of Coventry then to Cathedral for ceremony at 11.00am and refreshments.

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.