

# Sacred Heart Parish Weekly Newsletter.

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Dear Parishioners,

A big Thank you to all the parishioners who have wonderfully supported our fund raising efforts over the past couple of months. Nearly £5,000 is a fabulous amount. The New Year's Eve party raised £205. More events to follow including cake

sale, race night (dates to be confirmed), Easter Hamper raffle and Unlock the Music Concert Making will be putting on a live music show/concert on 2nd June (details of tickets to follow), we will also be holding another New Year's Eve party on 31st December 2018 and lots more in between! Put the dates in your diary and we look forward to welcoming you to our social events (it's a great way to meet parishioners you might not normally have a chance to speak to). Follow our events on Facebook (Sacred Heart Coventry).

<b>7<sup>th</sup> January, 2018.</b>	
<b>SOLEMNITY OF THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD (B)</b>	
Parish Mass Book page 49. Preface of the Epiphany of the Lord. Eucharistic Prayer 3.	
Saturday 5.00pm	For all the people of the Parish.
Sunday 10.30am	Aideen Perry, R.I.P. (Mary Henry)
<b>FEAST OF THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD.</b>	
Parish Mass book p51	
Monday 9.00am	Holy Souls.
Wednesday 5.45pm 6.30pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Richard Hanlon (Pascal and Sue O'Malley)
Thursday 9.00am	Richard Norton, R.I.P.
Friday 9.00am	William Walsh (Diane Digby)
Saturday 8.15am 9.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Mr and Mrs Connelly
Confessions	Saturday 9.30am – 10.00am and 4.30pm -4.50pm.
<b>14<sup>th</sup> January, 2018.</b>	
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)</b>	
Parish Mass Book page 54. Preface I of Sundays. Eucharistic Prayer 2.	
Saturday 5.00pm	Ernie and Veronica Mills, R.I.P. (John, Elizabeth, Veronica)
Sunday 10.30am	For all the people of the Parish.

God bless,

*Fr. Tony.*



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:** £1,002.69 (Gift-Aid: £201.00 non Gift-Aid: £499.69 Bank Credits: £302.00.). Thank you very much.

**Next weekend** January collection towards Our Hopes.

**Counters this week Team A.**

**7-Day Candles: 6<sup>th</sup> - 13<sup>th</sup> January.**

**Sacred Heart:** Tincy (Special Intention.)

**Our Lady:** Alisha Family Protection; Catriona Murphy, R.I.P.; Special Intention LO

**By the small Crucifix:**

**Coventry Winter Night Shelter is up and running through the winter until 31st March 2018.** The

Catholic community is represented by the shelter at St Osburgs on Wednesday nights, and it also coordinates Monday nights at St Columbas.

**Throughout this time we are hoping for donations of the following items in the night shelter box in the foyer:**

Coffee, Tea, Sugar, Mens boxers - size small, Mens body spray/spray deodorant, Drinking chocolate, Cupasoup, Pot noodles, Squash, Biscuits, Cereals (small variety pack type) Tooth brushes, Tooth paste, Disposable razors. Any donations of cash (or cheque or bank transfer) will also be very gratefully received to help with the costs of heating the very large hall at St Osburgs.

**Please remember in your prayers** Joyce Powell, Etta Montague, 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, 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 2<sup>nd</sup> February.

**Prayer Group** meets again after the holidays

**There are now 123 of you receiving the weekly newsletter by email!** Please send me an email to request the Newsletter. [parish@sacredheart-coventry.org](mailto:parish@sacredheart-coventry.org) **Over 50's meet on Mondays in the Hall.** Please see noticeboard for date of next meeting. New members welcome.

**MEDJUGORJE IRISH CENTRE PILGRIMAGES 2018:** 7 nights B&B and Airport Shuttle service from €279 per person. Book any flight - any time and we provide guaranteed airport shuttle service. Call us for further info and book the dates that suit you. Tel. 01 4434510 or email [reservations@med-irishcentre.com](mailto:reservations@med-irishcentre.com).

**Vice Principal for St. Patrick's.** The Archdiocese of Birmingham, in partnership with The Romero Catholic Academy wish to appoint a Vice Principal within St Patrick's Catholic Primary School to support the leadership and development of our popular and successful school. For further information regarding this vacancy please visit our website below: [www.romeromac.com/vacancies](http://www.romeromac.com/vacancies) Please note the closing date for this vacancy is noon 26<sup>th</sup> January 2018

### 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.