

# Sacred Heart Parish Weekly Newsletter.

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Dear Parishioners,

**Many thanks to everyone** who sponsored me for the 2 laps around Draycott Water last Sunday to raise funds for new hymn books. Together with members of the Folk Group I did complete both laps and so your sponsorship money can now be paid at the paper stall.

on 16<sup>th</sup> September, Lenton's Lane on 23<sup>rd</sup> September and London Road on 30<sup>th</sup> September all at 3.00pm.

God bless,

*Fr. Tony.*

**SHY – Sacred Heart Youth** starting again this Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> from 6.30pm – 8.30pm **DO COME ALONG.**

**If there are any children Y6 or above who need to be Confirmed** please see Catherine

Smith or Fr Tony after Mass.

**The Romero Catholic Academy, Coventry** is offering a wonderful opportunity for two Senior Leaders to join our vibrant, thriving \multi-Academy Company of Eight Schools. Vacancies for Principals of Good Shepherd and Corpus Christi Schools. Please see poster in porch for more information.

**Blessing of the Graves** this year will take place at: St Pauls, this Sunday at 3.00pm and Canley

<b>9<sup>th</sup> September, 2018. 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time. (B)</b>	
Parish Mass Book page 69. Preface of Sundays VI. 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	K.K. Joseph, R.I.P.
Wednesday 5.45pm 6.30pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Thanksgiving – Special Intention
Thursday 9.00am	<b>St. John Chrysostom, Bishop, Doctor of the Church.</b> Seamus O’Sullivan, R.I.P. (Kitty O’Sullivan)
Friday 9.00am	<b>Exaltation of the Holy Cross.</b> Mrs Caroline Ikazoboh, R.I.P.
Saturday 8.15am 9.00am	<b>Our Lady of Sorrows.</b> Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Special Intention.
<b>Confessions:</b>	Saturday 9.30am - 10.00am and 4.30pm - 4.50pm
<b>16<sup>th</sup> September, 2018. 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time. (B)</b>	
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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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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:** £1,053.39 (Gift-Aid: £283.50 non Gift-Aid: £467.89 Bank Credits: £302.00.). Thank you very much. **This week** collection for Catholic Education Service. **Next weekend** collection for Our Hopes.

**Counters this week Team C.**

**7-Day Candles: 8<sup>th</sup> - 15<sup>th</sup> September.**

**Sacred Heart:** Catriona Murphy, R.I.P.; Frank O'Brien, R.I.P.; Tincy Special Intention.

**Our Lady:** Alisha family protection; Benedette & Louise birthday special intentions.

**By the small Crucifix:** Special Intention LO.

**RASH** (Rambling At Sacred Heart) The next walk will be at Bretford on Sunday 30th September. Details are in the porch.

**SUPPER PARTY WITH MUSICAL CABARET – SATURDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> NOVEMBER IN THE CHURCH HALL**

**AT 7.00PM.** Singers from 'Unlock the Music Concert Making' will be singing/performing a wide range of songs from James Bond themes to old time music hall and everything in between. Tickets on sale nearer the time and will include a supper meal (e.g. chicken&chips or vegetarian option) desert and tea/coffee. Bring your own drinks. **PUT THE DATE IN YOUR DIARY.**

**Apostleship of the Sea** invites you to a Mass in honour of our patron Stella Maris, Our Lady Star of the Sea. Come pray for the work of Apostleship of the Sea and for seafarers on Saturday 15th September 2018 at 430pm in St Chad's Queensway, Birmingham, B4 6EU. Archbishop Bernard Longley will celebrate Mass, followed by a reception. All invited. Please RSVP by email to [salvina@apostleshipofthesea.org.uk](mailto:salvina@apostleshipofthesea.org.uk) [www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk](http://www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk)

**IMPORTANT. NAMES ON THE SICK LIST. (The 'Please remember in your prayers' list)**

The new General Data Protection Regulations apply to Churches. If your name or the name of a friend or relative of yours is printed in the newsletter in the prayers for those who are sick, and you would like that name to remain on the list, **please complete a consent form, available from the sacristy, as we now need consent.** In September, once the holidays are over, we will restart the sick list from scratch for those whose consent forms we have received and more forms will be available for future use. This is because the bulletin is publicly available to all who come to the church, as well as being on the notice board, the parish website and the Deanery website. This is necessary to make sure the church takes proper care of your information and complies with the current data protection law.

**Please remember in your prayers** Gerry Clarke, Benny and Bridie McAndrew, Eunan MacIntyre and all who are sick.

**PRAYER VIGILS** On the first Friday of every month. from 6.00pm - 8.00pm. The next one will be on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> October.

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

**AND STILL increasing! There are now 134 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.

**We are replacing our Jumble Sales** with long-term fundraising and need the following items:

**WANTED:**

Clothes, Shoes, Handbags, Belts, Towels, Bedding, Soft Toys, Costume Jewellery, (and CDs/DVDs - in a separate bag) **(NO BOOKS/BRIC-A-BRAC/ TOYS/DUVETS ETC)**

**Please leave items in Church Hall.**

**Cash raised will go towards Church Roof Repairs**

#### 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.