



Christ the King

with St. Augustine's

& Our Lady of Lourdes



14, Westhill Road, Coundon, Coventry, CV6 2AA

The Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham Registered Charity No. 234216

TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (Year B)
6th September 2015 **Mass Book Page 70**

Dear Parishioners,

This weekend, we have our Parish trip to Harvington Hall. The bus will leave at 1.30pm, but please be ready by 1.15pm so that we can leave promptly. Deacon Joe will lead the Parish group. We also have an extended walk for the Walking Club this week, again leaving the car park at 1.30pm. It is a ten mile walk and is a preparation for the Sponsored Walk to be held on 27th September. It will follow the same route and allow us to do a little bit of planning. The details for the Sponsored Walk have now been completed and thanks to those who have volunteered to do the walk. Could you please pick up a sponsorship form from the back of the church at the weekend or from the Sacristy or Parish Office during the week. Children are also invited to take part in a shorter version of the walk and we will send out details through the school next week. The Sponsorship will all go towards supporting the work of the Little Sisters of the Poor. Also this weekend on Sunday, we have the first of our blessing of the graves at London Road Cemetery. We will meet at the Memorial in the newer part of the cemetery at 3.00pm.

Thanks to all who helped with the Family Camp. Once again, Carmel Keane and her team of Youth Leaders worked hard to make sure it was a great success and we were blessed with good weather and got home before any of the rain on Sunday afternoon. We have written to book the site again next year for the last weekend of the school holidays which is Friday 2nd September to Sunday 4th September 2016.

I have written to all the Year 7 pupils inviting them to join our Youth Group and would like to encourage some of the existing group members to move on to our Youth Cafe. This coming year we will be again planning for Lourdes and for World Youth Day in Krakow. The Youth Group starts up this Tuesday 8th September at 6.30pm (Years 7 and 8) and the Youth Café on Tuesday 15th September at 7.00pm (Year 9 and above). Could we please encourage our young people to come along to the Youth Group, new members are always welcome and could parents of Year 7 children particularly make an effort to encourage your child to come along this Tuesday.

Next week we have an appeal from a Missionary Sister who will speak at each of the Masses. We will also be starting our talks on the Catholic Faith on Wednesday 23rd September at 7.00pm. These talks will be every fortnight and cover two subject areas and will have accompanying handouts. We will have a full programme list, including dates and subjects next week. We will welcome any one considering joining the Church.

This weekend, we begin our Blessings of the Cemeteries at London Road and will meet at the Memorial in the newer part of the cemetery at 3.00pm. On Sunday 13th we will have Canley at 3.00pm and on the 20th September, St Paul's, again at 3.00pm. We will have a Blessing at Lenton's Lane on October 4th at 3.00pm to avoid clashing with the Sponsored Walk on September 27th. We are happy to bless any other graves in other cemeteries by appointment. Let us know if you need any other graves blessing.

In October we will be organizing an Open Day at each of the Churches to welcome people in to our church buildings and make them aware of some of the work that we do. We will

Parish Clergy:

Very Rev Canon Tom Farrell, Parish Priest

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Father Andrew Franklin, Priest in residence

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Deacons: Rev Pat Flanagan, Rev Gerry O'Reilly, Rev Tony Janew and Rev Ioe Patterson.

provide refreshments and tours of the churches. We are also going to organize some welcome events involving our senior Youth Group members.

Pope Francis has issued a letter on "Protecting the Environment and the Planet". The letter is called "Laudato si" and we will have some copies of this available on the weekend of September 20th, we will also speak about the letter in our sermons over that weekend. We may also wish to consider some of the work done by our Justice and Peace Group and raising awareness of this type of Catholic action and witness.

We are now opening the bookings for Santiago which will be next May half term, Saturday 28th May to Saturday 4th June 2016. The day of departure will depend on flights. We need to gauge the level of interest as accommodation needs to be booked early. Please sign the list at the back of Church or call in at the Parish Office.

The Mass Intentions book for 2016 is now open.

The Boxing Club is now starting up again after the summer and we are looking for sponsors for this coming season. If you are interested in helping this aspect of Parish life please contact Brendan Malone on 07950 690122.

We visit an increasing number of elderly people in the Parish through bringing Communion or through the Pastoral Care Group, if there is an emergency or a matter that requires attention, it is good for us to have a "Next of Kin" contact details. If you feel there is anyone who would benefit from this or you want to give us these details yourselves, we can add this to the Parish Census records, as the Church is often contacted in cases of emergency. Please hand in details to the Parish Office.

Most of the Parish groups are now up and running after the summer break and thanks to all of those who lead these groups.

God bless.

Fr Tom

This week we pray for

Vera Jones
May she rest in peace.

We pray for those preparing for Baptism.

Rafferty James King

We pray for those preparing for Marriage.

Matthew Owens and Emma Wallace
Anne Marie Gardiner & Paul Burke

Tea and Coffee

Available after Mass at both Christ the King & St Augustine's.

Online Webcam

Go to the website and follow link.



Pause for thought.

Courage is what it takes to stand up and speak.
Courage is also what it takes to sit down and listen!

Christ The King Church

Saturday	10.00am 6.00pm	Jesef Kubasiewicz. Anniv. Tom Cole. Anniv.
23rd Sunday of the Year - 6th Sept.	9.00am 12 Noon	Dorothy and Ted McQuillan. Anniv. Jack Bolger. Anniv.
Monday	9.15am	John McCreesh's Intentions.
Tuesday	9.15am	Special Intentions (PF).
Wednesday	12 Noon	Mary and Martin Maloney. Anniv.
Thursday	12 Noon	Sheila Scampton. Dec'd.
Friday	9.15am 7.00pm	Paul Butterly. Anniv. Holy Souls. Martin Burns. Anniv.
Saturday	10.00am 6.00pm	Pat Caldwell. Anniv. Sheelah and Brian O'Donnell. Anniv.
24th Sunday of the Year - 13th Sept.	9.00am 12 Noon	Jimmy Cryan. Anniv. Bernard West. Anniv.
Confessions	Saturday	10.30 am to 11.30 am. 7.00 pm after the Evening Mass.
St Augustine's Church		
Sunday	10.30am	Rose Campbell. Dec'd.
Monday	7.00pm	Marion Sadler's Intentions.
Wednesday	9.00am	Thelma McGurk. Anniv.
Sunday	10.30am	Fr Joe Hogan's Intentions.
Confessions	Saturday	3 rd October 2015

Collections

Thank you for your weekly offerings for 30th August, 2015.

Loose Plate	£	810.00
Gift Aid	£	861.47
TOTAL	£	1,671.47

Thank You!

Second Collection next Sunday for "Comboni Missionary Sisters"
Gift Aid Organiser John Rock - 76 594318.
 Thank you for your continued support!!!

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This week's diary

Monday 7th September 2015

9.45am Toddler Group
1.30pm-2.30pm Italian Group
7.00 pm Legion of Mary meets in the Meeting room on Monday.
 Contact Deacon Pat 76335383 or Jean Stokes. 07742442298.
7.00pm Justice and Peace – Meeting in the Library.

Tuesday 8th September 2015

10.00am Toddler Group
6.30pm Youth Group.
7.30pm Charismatic Prayer Group in the Meeting Room.

Wednesday 9th September 2015

9.00am Toddler Group.
1.30pm-3.00pm Adult Crochet Class.
LECTIO DIVINA Next Meeting will be on 16th September.

Thursday 10th September 2015

10.00am Toddler Group
7.30pm-9.30pm Patricians Meeting in the Library.

Friday 11th September 2015

Friday 12th June 2015

10.15am Toddler Group.

FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Blessing of the Graves – London Road - 6th Sept. at 3.00pm.
Canley - 13th Sept. at 3.00pm. **St Paul's** - 20th Sept. at 3.00pm.
Lenton's Lane – 4th October at 3.00pm
Harvington Hall Pilgrimage – Sunday 6th September.
Cardinal Newman Youth Choir - 27th Sept. at St Aug's - 10.30am Mass
Cardinal Newman Youth Choir – 22nd November at CTK - 12 Noon Mass

PARISH PRAYER

God our Father you call us together
 To make our Parish a sign of the heavenly kingdom.
 Help us through this Church and our lives
 To be a fountain of faith, a beacon of hope
 And a haven of charity and prayer.
 We ask these prayers through Christ Our Lord. Amen

Christ the King Rota

5 th / 6 th September	Readers	Ministers
6.00pm	M McCreesh A French	P Ward S McNulty
9.00am	J Griffin A Holleran	A Gibson M Berry
12 Noon	M O'Farrell C Coyle	M Brennan T Mack
12 th / 13 th September		
6.00pm	F Lambert C Duckett	A Corkerry C Corkerry
9.00am	School Children K Millage	PJ Stephenson J McElroy
12 Noon	P Ryan J O'Farrell	M Brennan F McLintock

St Augustine's Rota

6 th September	Readers	Ministers
10.30am	D Field M Farrelly	S Mawson C Keane
13 th September		
10.30am	K Curry G Reidy	B Burke R Jesurani

Community Centre www.ctkparishcentre.co.uk

Mercia Friendship Club 10th June 1.00pm – 3.00pm

Sunday night in the Centre: Bingo from 8pm – 9pm.

"Open the box" Jackpot of £900 on 7 Keys.

Music by: "Declan Gaynor".

Monday nights Upstairs – Keogh Academy of Irish Dance.

Children's Lessons, Beginners to Championship levels 7.00 pm.

Adults Ceili Lessons Beginners to Advanced levels 7.30 pm.

Tuesday Morning Gentle Yoga 10.00 -11.00am. A free cup of

tea before start. Details Maureen 76415586 or 07507636623.

Tuesday 7.30 – 10.30pm – Ceroc.

Tuesday 8.30pm – Accoustic Guitar Sessions

Wednesday Evening Martial Arts classes.

Wednesday Yoga Classes relax and get fit: try our Sun Power

Yoga! 6.30 pm to 8.00 pm All welcome, beginners, men &

women £7 per session for details contact Maureen 76415586 /

07507636623.

Wednesday Line Dancing – 8.00pm

Baptisms

Please talk with one of the Priests after Mass giving your name,
 address and 'phone number, so that we can arrange a home
 visit and give you the necessary application form and literature.

School Details

www.ctk.coventry.sch.uk 76335790, www.st-augustines.coventry.sch.uk
 76596988, www.cardinalnewman.coventry.sch.uk 76332382

Other Items of Interest.

GATEWAY LADIES CHARITY EVENT on Thursday 17th September at 7.00pm at Christ the King Community. Entry fee is £3.50 and includes a complimentary drink. To purchase a ticket please call – 024 76 333304 or pay on the door. All proceeds raised will go to Tiverton School for Children with learning difficulties. A range of stalls to indulge your shopping needs.

COVENTRY INTERCULTURAL MASS on Sunday 20th September at St John Fisher Church at 4.00pm. Refreshments and a taste of different cultural foods after Mass. All welcome!

VOLUNTEERS NEEDED Charnwood House Care Home, Beake Avenue. Can you spare an hour or two a week to befriend residents: chat, play a board game or do a jigsaw puzzle? Maybe you can offer a skill: gardening, singing or playing a musical instrument. If so, contact: June Mills on 024 76 332744.

WORLD YOUTH DAY (WYD Krakow) is an event for young people (16 - 35*) organized by the Roman Catholic Church. **World Youth Day** was initiated by Saint John Paul II in 1985. For more information contact Maria Bracken – maria.bracken@bcys.co.uk or www.go2wyd.co.uk.

BCYS PARISH LEADERS RETREAT DAY – 26th September. For more information please email: erin.dougherty@bcys.co.uk or visit: www.bcys.co.uk.

BCYS Weekend Retreats – 2nd – 4th October. Alton Castle Retreat – School Years 5 – 9. Soli Retreat – School Years 10 – 13. Visit: www.bcys.co.uk.

SKY BLUE EXPRESS – Return bus service is back for the new season. Leaving from CTK Club to all CCFC home games. Bus leaves the club 35mins before KO // £3.50-Adults, £2-youth & £5-Family (1 adult//1 youth).

NATIONAL JUSTICE AND PEACE NETWORK Open Networking Day on Saturday 19 September 2015, Warwick Road URC, 10 Warwick Row, Coventry CV1 1EX, 10.30 am - 4.00pm. '**Francisconomics: The Saint, the Pope and the Economy of Enough**'. Looking at economics in the light of Franciscan spirituality and the papal encyclical on the environment (Laudato si') **Speaker: Paul Bodenham**. Chair, Green Christian. **There will be opportunity to hear about justice and peace activities from groups around the country. Representatives of Catholic/Christian Agencies will report on their work and suggest practical ways of becoming involved in campaigning for social justice.** Tea and coffee will be provided, bring your own lunch. **For further details contact:** Ann Kelly: Tel: Email: admin@justice-and-peace.org.uk Tel: 02079014864

CTK FOOTBALL CLUB: Tote Draw for August 1st-No 75 – T Mack, 2nd- No 5 – P Brett, 3rd- No 170 – D Murphy, 4th- No 135 – G Farrell.

Useful Information

There are 24/7
 Live Internet Camera's
 Operating in both Church's.



If you hear the Fire Alarm. Leave by the nearest exit, go to the assembly point in the car park and await further instructions.



Parish Contact numbers:

Presbytery: 76591618, Community Centre: 76593444
 Christ the King Primary School: 76335790
 St Augustine's Primary School: 76596988, Sports Centre: 76601118



Parish Website: www.ctk-cov.org.uk

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/ctkco>

Parish Secretary: Fiona McLintock - admin@ctk-cov.org.uk

Newsletter items to secretary by Wednesday Evening.



Baby Changing Facilities.
 Available in the Disabled Toilet



Please switch off your mobile phone when in the Church.



An induction Loop System is provided in the church.
 Please switch your Hearing Aid to the "T" position

