



# 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

**SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (Year B)**  
**10<sup>th</sup> May 2015**  
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Dear Parishioners,

This weekend we will celebrate the first of our First Holy Communions. The children from Christ the King School will have made their First Communion at the 10.00am and 12 Noon Masses on Saturday and will be leading the crowning of Our Lady's Statue this Sunday morning at the 9.00am Mass. We congratulate the children and thank all those staff and parents who have helped with the preparation. We also thank Mrs Maggie Green who has prepared the children not attending Catholic Schools who will be joining the celebrations. We look forward to the First Holy Communion at St Augustine's on Saturday May 16<sup>th</sup> at 10.00am and again the children will crown the statue of Our Lady on Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> May at the 10.30am Mass. Thanks to all who accommodated the Polling Station in the Church Library. Although a few groups had to move on that day, it avoided us having school closures which I know parents appreciate. Using the Library as a Polling Station also means that many local people visit the Church and we had very positive comments from non-Catholic neighbours about the Church and how good it is to see the Church open each day.

The building work at St Augustine's Church is now complete. Thank you to Seamus Hughes, Gerry Lovely, Tom McShane and Phil Donaghey for all the work involved. There are now proper plinths for the statues and a proper area for the Baptism Font. The Sports Hall and Gym are now complete at St Augustine's and all the facilities are now open again. The foyer is still to be completed.

I am sure that we have all been saddened by the terrible scenes following the earthquake in Nepal. In conjunction with CAFOD we will have a Second Collection next week and I wanted to give you notice of this. If you are a Gift Aider please put your Gift Aid number on a plain envelope with your offering inside and then we can claim gift aid on this. We will match funds you gift from our Parish reserves, as I think it's important to share some of our resources with those that are in dire need.

Our plans for the Pentecost Masses at St Augustine's and Christ the King are going well. We have a good number of language groups already arranged at St Augustine's and there is a list at the back of the Church for Christ the King language group to sign up. We will write the prayers for you to translate in to your own language.

The Parish Report is at the printers and will be available next week. It is a summary version of the report which is eight pages long. It will make for easier reading and we will only produce the full report every five years. The report will also be a good

**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 Joe Patterson.

way of us understanding our Parish life and some of our financial responsibilities for the Parish and the wider Diocese.

Thanks to those who attended the Lourdes meeting last week. If you did not get one of the information sheets, please call into the Parish Office. We will let the Birmingham Pilgrims know about their flight details as soon as these are available from the Diocese. The Walking Club will meet on Sunday 3.00pm on the Car Park. All welcome.

We are having a meeting this week to review our list of Sick and housebound. Please let us know as soon as possible if there are any people who need communion at home or who would appreciate a regular visit so that they can be added to the list. There are over 100 people now being visited on a regular basis and I am very grateful to our Deacons and Ministers who do the majority of this work and for the work of the Pastoral Prayer Group, the SVP and Legion of Mary.

News on two of our former students who lived for a while at Christ the King, Dan Connor who was with us last year has been teaching in Nepal and was in the midst of the earthquake, thankfully he is safe and well and will be returning home to Birmingham next week. John-Paul Lyttle, who was with us four years ago and worked in our schools, is to be ordained a Priest for the Portsmouth Diocese on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> July at 6.00pm. There is an open invitation to any of our parishioners and the details are on the noticeboard. If you want to go, please RSVP to [shspa@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk](mailto:shspa@portsmouthdiocese.org.uk). We wish him every blessing as he prepares for ordination.

Don't forget the Nepal collection next week please!  
God bless.

Fr Tom

**Christ The King Church**

<b>Saturday</b>	10.00am 12 Noon 6.00pm	<b>First Holy Communions.</b> Ben Whelan. Dec'd. <b>First Holy Communions.</b> Sean Raftery. Dec'd. James O'Flanagan. Anniv.
<b>6<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter - 10<sup>th</sup> May</b>	9.00am 12 Noon 6.00pm	James McDonagh. Month's Mind. Denis and John Prendergast. Anniv. Funeral Reception - Thomas Magill. RIP.
<b>Monday</b>	9.15am 10.30am	Maria Hetheron. Anniv. Requiem Mass - Thomas Magill. RIP.
<b>Tuesday</b>	9.15am 6.00pm	John Fox. Anniv. Funeral Reception - Sheila Scampton. RIP.
<b>Wednesday</b>	12 Noon	Requiem Mass - Sheila Scampton. RIP.
<b>Thursday</b>	12 Noon	Ivor Booth. Dec'd.
<b>Friday</b>	9.15am 7.00pm	Bill Hetheron. Anniv. Ann Boyle. Dec'd. Kay Houston - Month's Mind.
<b>Saturday</b>	10.00am 6.00pm	Margaret, Thomas, Anthony and Christopher Concannon. Anniv. Jim Gallivan. Anniv.
<b>Ascension of the Lord - 17<sup>th</sup> May</b>	9.00am 12 Noon	Betty Tierney. Anniv. Mary Farrell. Anniv.
<b>Confessions</b>	Saturday	10.30 am to 11.30 am. 7.00 pm after the Evening Mass.
<b>St Augustine's Church</b>		
<b>Sunday</b>	10.30am	Edwqard and Margaret Cullen. Anniv.
<b>Wednesday</b>	9.00am	Byrne Family. Dec;d.
<b>Saturday</b>	10.00am	<b>First Holy Comm.</b> Sister Monique's Intentions.
<b>Sunday</b>	10.30am	Mary Lou Duwell. Anniv. Michael McCarron. 1 <sup>st</sup> Ann.
<b>Confessions</b>	Saturday	6 <sup>th</sup> June 2015

**This week we pray for**

Sheila Scampton, Ian Campbell, John Neenan and Tom Magill  
May they rest in peace.

**We pray for those preparing for Baptism.**

Ruairi Lucas Kavanagh, Kaja Maria Szlek  
Anna Mae, John Martin and James Martin Rush

**We pray for those preparing for Marriage.**

Laura Jane Cook and Christopher Miller

**Tea and Coffee**

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



**Online Webcams**

Go to the website and follow link.

**Pause for thought.**

Success is not the key to happiness.  
Happiness is the key to success.  
If you love what you are doing you will be successful!

## Collections

Thank you for your weekly offerings for 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 2015.

Loose Plate	£	920.00
Gift Aid	£	937.46
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>1,857.46</b>

Thank You!  
Second Collection next Sunday for Nepal Appeal

Gift Aid Organiser John Rock - 76 594318.

Thank you for your continued support!!!

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## This week's diary

### Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May 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 12<sup>th</sup> May 2015

10.00am Toddler Group

7.00pm Youth Café.

7.30pm **Charismatic Prayer Group** in the Meeting Room.

### Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May 2015

9.00am Toddler Group

1.30pm-3.00pm **Adult Crochet Class.**

**LECTIO DIVINA** Next Meeting will be on 20<sup>th</sup> May.

### Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> May 2015

10.00am Toddler Group

**Patricians** Next meeting will be on May 21<sup>st</sup>.

### Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2015

10.15am Toddler Group.

### FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**Sunday 9am Mass** – The Choir will be led by the children from  
“Our Lady Walsingham”

**Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> May @ 10.00am** First Holy Communions at St Aug's

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> May @ 10.30am** – May Procession at St Aug's

**Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June 2015 – Confirmations** – St Aug's at 10.30am  
CTK at 12 Noon.

**Ascension** – Sunday, May 17<sup>th</sup>.

**Pentecost** – Sunday, May 24<sup>th</sup>.

**Corpus Christi** – Sunday, 7<sup>th</sup> June

### 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

### 9<sup>th</sup> / 10<sup>th</sup> May

### Readers

### Ministers

6.00pm	M McCreesh	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

### 16<sup>th</sup> / 17<sup>th</sup> May

6.00pm	M Duke	H Blanche	M Hamlyn	E Hughes
9.00am	J Ruddy	D Parnell	M O'Brien	B Brennan
12 Noon	P Farrell	F Hoey	L Baldwin	S Carlin

## St Augustine's Rota

### 10<sup>th</sup> May

### Readers

### Ministers

10.30am	K Curry	G Reidy	B Burke	R Jesurasani
17 <sup>th</sup> May				
10.30am	F McManue	M Mulvany	D Field	R Silva

## Community Centre [www.ctkparishcentre.co.uk](http://www.ctkparishcentre.co.uk)

**Mercia Friendship Club** 14<sup>th</sup> May 1.00pm – 3.00pm

Linda, Frank and Friends.

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

“Open the box” Jackpot of £500 on 15 Keys -  
Music by “Mal and Derek”.

**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** for all young at heart to improve

general well being, mobilise and joints lift energy levels. 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** – Acoustic Guitar Sessions

**Wednesday Evening** Martial Arts classes. Little Tigers (5.15 –  
6.15pm) and Kung Fu (6.15 – 7.15pm).

**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](http://www.ctk.coventry.sch.uk) 76335790, [www.st-augustines.coventry.sch.uk](http://www.st-augustines.coventry.sch.uk)  
76596988, [www.cardinalnewman.coventry.sch.uk](http://www.cardinalnewman.coventry.sch.uk) 76332382

## Other Items of Interest.

**CAKE SALE** A big thank you to all those who supported the Cake Sale to help raise funds for our youth going to Lourdes. Over £500 was raised!!  
Your continued support is greatly appreciated.

**HOLY ROSARY EBOLA APPEAL** Read how your money helped people in Liberia on the Justice and Peace Board and on the Parish website:  
[www.ctk-cov.org.uk](http://www.ctk-cov.org.uk).

**ST JOHN VIANNEY SCHOOL 50th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS** 50th Anniversary Party – Friday 15th May - The Standard Club is booked  
along with an ABBA tribute band and disco. Tickets for parents and past pupils are on sale for £7.50 each. Tickets will be on sale from the school  
office,

**ST JOHN VIANNEY PARISH PRE SCHOOL** Applications are invited for the position of **PRE-SCHOOL MANAGER**. Application packs are  
available by contacting Mrs Kim Teahan at St. John Vianney Pre-School, Bishopton Close, Coventry CV5 7GW Tel: 02476 695329. Visits to the  
Pre-School can be made by appointment. **Completed applications should be returned to: Fr. Jonathan Veasey, 1 Bishopton Close, Mount  
Nod Coventry CV5 7GW. Closing Date for applications to be received: Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May 12 Noon.** The post is exempt from the Rehabilitation  
of Offenders Act (1974) and does require an enhanced DBS Check.

**CALLED TO BE HOLY** – A Novena of Prayer from Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May to Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> May and Day of Reconciliation – Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> May at St Joseph  
the Worker, Cannon Park – from 11.00am. For more information visit: [www.calledtobe.org.uk](http://www.calledtobe.org.uk).

**COVENTRY COMAHALTAS** are holding their Spring Ceili on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May at Christ the King Community Centre - From 8pm - 12 Midnight  
Admission Adults **£5** Children **£2.50** Family **£10** (2 adults + 2 children). A delicious buffet is included and many raffle prizes to be won. For more  
details contact Mr. Jarlath Mulhern Mobile: 07876 013 590 email: [jarlath.m@ntlworld.com](mailto:jarlath.m@ntlworld.com).

**MEDGUGORJE PILGRIMAGE** – There will be a meeting for the 9<sup>th</sup> June group on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May at 7.00pm (after Mass) in the Library.

**REACT KIDS ACADEMY** Is your child in the making?? Training in acting for camera workshops and film, TV and audition techniques. Every  
Tuesday at Christ the King Community Centre. For more information call Samantha Ferry on 07900-921779.

## 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](http://www.ctk-cov.org.uk)

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

Parish Secretary: Fiona McLintock - [admin@ctk-cov.org.uk](mailto:admin@ctk-cov.org.uk)

Newsletter items to secretary by Wednesday Evening.



Baby Changing Facilities.  
Available in the Disable 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

