



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

Easter Sunday

(Year A)

20th April 2014

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Divine Mercy Sunday

27th April 2014

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Parish Clergy:

Very Rev Canon Tom Farrell, Parish Priest

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

Dear Parishioners,

I want to wish you all a very Happy Easter. I also want to thank you for supporting our Lenten initiatives so well. This will allow us to celebrate Easter in a very fitting manner. Many people took the opportunity to come to confession at both of the Penance services and at the regular confession times and we thank the visiting priests who helped us. It was good to see that the Lenten Parish Retreat which was a new initiative was so well supported and I think it's something we will try again next year. There was good attendance at the early morning masses and the other extra masses and Lenten devotions were well supported. Thanks also to those who supported the Passover Meal and I would like to thank all those who helped with the preparations especially the staff at the Parish Centre who produced a lovely meal for us. This weekend we welcome Bishop William Kenney our area Bishop for Coventry, Warwickshire and Oxfordshire. He will be with us to celebrate the 9am Easter morning Mass. Many of you will know Bishop Kenney as he has been the Bishop who has confirmed our children these last six years. He will also be celebrating the traditional Easter Monday Mass at St Osburg's and you are welcome to attend this Mass which starts at 10.00am. Thank you for your generous Easter offerings and for the many cards and gifts. We will send Easter gifts to Father Clarke and Father Donlon. All the clergy in the parish thank you for your generous support. Over the Easter period a good number of people are being welcomed into the Church as Catholics. Some of these will be received during the Easter Vigil and others over the next few weeks. We ask for your prayers for these converts, their sponsors and families. When we see people coming into the Church and valuing the gift of faith, it reminds us not to take our own faith for granted. Please pray for Tracy Mills, Marcus Tarrao, Faye Hogan, Joyce Moriarty, Jennifer Riach, Debbie Brownlie, Steven Richards, Christopher Parkes, Kieran Martin and Tracy Thomas. Our thanks also to Maggie Green who has prepared a number of children who will be baptised, make their communion and be confirmed over the next few months. Thanks to all who have taken the Gift Aid and Offertory envelopes. It is a great help to us and I will speak about our Parish finances in a few weeks as part of our Annual Parish Report which is nearly ready for publishing. I will use it as a chance to promote the Gift Aid again as it really is a great help to us. Last year we received over £12,000 from the Government at no cost to ourselves. My thanks to Con McHugh for helping with the Parish Report as well as thanks to our Parish Finance Group. As a new project for this year, we are looking to set up a Parish Forum which will be a gathering of representatives of all aspects of parish life. This is to help look at future plans for the parish and to ensure that we communicate well as a parish community. Details over the next few weeks. We have

purchased an eight seater people carrier, as the parish now has many activities that would benefit from the use of the vehicle. It will be available to our Youth Group, Schools, Boxing Club and those needing transport to Church. With local authority cut backs the "Ring and Ride" will no longer operate on a Sunday and we hope to have a rota of drivers to help offer this service to those who find it difficult to get to Church. We will be arranging a meeting in the next few weeks for any drivers who would be willing to help with this. If we get a good response it will mean we only have to drive every few months. Details to follow.

The next stage payments for the Pilgrimages to the Holy Land and Poland are now due. They can be paid in at the Parish Office. We will have a meeting about the Poland trip on Thursday 15th May at 7.00pm in the Library. We will have a meeting about the Holy Land in June after our return from the Poland trip. Deacon Pat Flanagan has the trip Medjugorje departing on Saturday 3rd May. Father Andrew will be going as Chaplain and we wish all the Pilgrims a safe journey. They will of course remember us all in their prayers.

The Walking Club will meet again on Sunday 27th April, at 3.00pm from the Car Park.

Over the next few weeks we will be preparing for First Holy Communion in the parish. Christ the King will have their First Holy Communion on Saturday 17th May at 10.00am and 12 Noon and there will be a May Procession on Sunday 18th May at the 9.00am Mass. St Augustine's have their First Holy Communion on Saturday 7th June at 10.00am with a May Procession on Sunday 8th June at the 10.30am Mass. Please remember these children and their families in your prayers.

This week's Newsletter covers the two week holiday period, so remember to use it for next week, although extra copies will be available. With the schools closed I hope you have a good Easter break. Happy Easter from us all. God Bless.

Fr Tom

Christ The King Church w/c 20th April

Holy Saturday	10.00am 8.00pm	Office of Readings with Morning Prayer. Celebrant's Intentions.
Easter Sunday 20 th April	9.00am 12 Noon	John Doherty. Anniv. Ann Cotterill. Anniv.
Monday	9.15am	Philomena O'Connor. Anniv.
Tuesday	9.15am	Ray Kelly. 1 st Anniv.
Wednesday	12 Noon	Pat Phillips. Anniv.
Thursday	12 Noon	McHugh Family Intentions.
Friday	9.15am 7.00pm	Martin Duffy. Anniv. Pat and Mary McGuire. Anniv.
Saturday	10.00am 6.00pm	Stanislaw Ziembra. 20 Year Anniv. James Brady. Anniv.
2 nd Sunday of Easter 27 th April	9.00am 12 Noon	Terry Butterly. Anniv. Peter Murphy. 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 Taylor. Anniv.
Wednesday	9.00am	Tom and Mary Murphy's intentions
Sunday	10.30am	John Hinde. Month's Mind.
Confessions	Saturday	Saturday 3 rd May 2014.

Christ The King Church w/c 27th April

Saturday	10.00am 6.00pm	Stanislaw Ziembra. 20 Year Anniv. James Brady. Anniv.
2 nd Sunday of Easter 27 th April	9.00am 12 Noon	Terry Butterly. Anniv. Peter Murphy. Anniv.
Monday	9.15am	Marie Seary's Intentions.
Tuesday	9.15am	Peter Donnelly. Anniv.
Wednesday	12 Noon	Michael Montgomery. Anniv.
Thursday	12 Noon	Frank Farrell. Anniv.
Friday	9.15am 7.00pm	Margaret, Thomas & Anthony Concannon Anniv. Martin O'Sullivan and Tom Hargreaves Anniv.
Saturday	10.00am 6.00pm	Denis and John Prendergast. Anniv. Mary Leary. Anniv.
3 rd Sunday of Easter 4 th May	9.00am 12 Noon	Stan Hands. Dec'd Mary Farrell. Anniv.
Confessions	Saturday	10.30 am to 11.30 am. 7.00 pm after the Evening Mass.

St Augustine's Church

Sunday	10.30am	John Hinde's Months Mind.
Wednesday	9.00am	Daniel and Debbie Janew's Intentions.
Sunday	9.15am	Anne-Marie & Damien Clarke's Intentions.

Collections

Thank you for your weekly offerings for 13th April, 2014.

Loose Plate	£ 1,075.00
Gift Aid	£ 994.16
TOTAL	£ 2,069.16 Thank You!

Gift Aid Organiser John Rock 76594318.
Thank you for your continued support!!!

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This week's diary

Monday, 21st April 2014

No Toddler Group - Return on 28th April.

Italian Group - Break for Easter. Will resume on Monday 28th April.

7.00 pm Legion of Mary meets in the Meeting room on a Monday. Contact Deacon Pat 76335383 or Jean Stokes 07742442298.

Justice and Peace - Next meeting will be on Monday, 28th April.

Tuesday 22nd April 2014

No Toddler Group - Return on 29th April.

No Youth Groups - Return on 29th April.

7.30pm Charismatic Prayer Group in the Meeting Room.

Wednesday 23rd April 2014

No Toddler Group - Return on 30th April.

Adult Crochet Class. Break for Easter. Will return on Wednesday 30th April.

CATHOLICISM MADE SIMPLE Next Meeting will be on 7th May.

LECTIVO DIVINA - Next meeting will be on 14th May.

Thursday 24th April 2014

No Toddler Group - Return on 1st May.

Patricians Meeting in the Library. Next meeting will be on 15th May.

Friday 25th April 2014

No Toddler Group. Return on 2nd May.

FUTURE DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thurs 1st May @ 6.30pm - Preparation Talks for First Holy Communion - CTK School Hall

Wed 21st May @ 6.30pm - Preparation Talks for First Holy Communion - St Aug's School Hall.

First Holy Communions at CTK - Saturday 17th May 2014 @ 10.00am & 12 Noon

First Holy Communion at St Aug's - Saturday 7th June 2014 @10.00am

Ascension 1st June

Corpus Christi 22th June.

EASTER PRAYER

As the world sings triumphant cries to heaven
over death that You conquered, help us, Lord, tomorrow as well,
when the dresses are put away and the candy is all eaten
and on with **life** we go let us not forget.

School Details

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

Christ the King Rota

19 th / 20 th April	Readers	Ministers
8.00pm	See Holy Week Sheet	
9.00am	D Parnell J Ruddy	P Hobbs B Brennan
12 Noon	P Farrell F Hoey	L Baldwin T Mack
26 th / 27 th April		
6.00pm	T Luff E Hughes	K Moroney J McNulty
9.00am	I Murphy K Millage	E Smith R Askew
12 Noon	J Jennette F Needham	C Molloy S Carlin
3 rd / 4 th May		
6.00pm	F Lambert A French	P Ward S McNulty
9.00am	J Griffin A Holleran	A Gibson M Berry
12 Noon	M O'Farrell C Coyle	M Baldwin T Mack

St Augustine's Rota

20 th April	Readers	Ministers
10.30am	F McManus	D Field C Fisher
27 th April		
10.30am	J Lee	M Byrne K Lee
4 th May		
10.30am	B Burke	S Mawson C Keane

This week we pray for

Tony Leigh. May he rest in peace.

We pray for those preparing for Baptism. Oliver James Weir



Online Webcam Go to the website and follow link.

Tea and Coffee.

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

St Augustine's Sports Centre

T'ai Chi Wed 7.30 -9 pm. £6. £4 concessions. Details Martin 76769144.

Community Centre www.ctkparishcentre.co.uk

Mercia Friendship Club - Thursday 24th April - No Meeting

Sunday night in the Centre: "Open the box" Jackpot of £600 on 13 Keys. Recorded Music by "Billy Martin"

MEMBERSHIP FOR 2014 - You can leave your membership behind the bar and collect at a later date.

Monday Club: Reduced prices on selected drinks - All Day Monday!!

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 8.30pm - Acoustic Guitar Sessions.

Other Items of Interest.

EASTER MONDAY MASS 10.00am at St Osburg's with Bishop Kenney Bishop Kenny will be coming to St.Osburg's to celebrate Mass with the people and clergy of Coventry and district. This custom originated in Birmingham in the early part of the last century. His Grace, the Archbishop will be celebrating a similar Mass in St Chad's Cathedral and Bishop McGough in Stoke. It is a profession of faith in the real presence of Our Lord the Blessed Sacrament. There will be a cup of tea in the Hall afterwards. **Please do come.**

SEÁN CANNON FROM THE DUBLINERS will be performing with his sons as 'The Cannons' at Christ the King Parish Centre on Easter Sunday 20th April from 8pm. With support from Ian Finnegan. £5 Tickets available from behind the bar.

CHRIST THE KING FOOTBALL CLUB are holding a golf Stableford competition at the Windmill Village Golf Club on Saturday 31st May - 1st tee at 10.00am. Spaces are limited. Contact Dave Cunningham on mob 07736278005 or Gez Duffy on 07411411456.

VOLUNTEERS WANTED FOR BAG PACK The Coventry Rotarians have organised a bag pack at Morrison's on Holyhead Road On Saturday 19th April in aid of Exhall Grange / Hereward College to provide monies for an adventure week this summer holiday for a group of Pupils. If you could spare a few hours to help with this venture (all day would be great) but if not a few hours. 8-11am 11-2 pm 2-5pm Please phone Pru Porretta or Angela Whelan 02476 598901 and let know by 14th April to offer your help.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY Devotions at St Mary and St Benedict's RC Church, Raglan Street, Coventry on Sunday 27th April. Commencing at 2.00pm. Please see notice boards for more details.

Useful Information

There is a 24/7
Live Internet Camera
Operating in this Church.



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/ctkcoy>

Parish Secretary: Fiona McLintock - 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

