



# 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

**THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER (Year C)**  
**10<sup>th</sup> April 2016**  
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Dear Parishioners,

As we go to print with the Newsletter we have had the sad news of the death of Fr Eamon Clarke on Saturday at 7.00am in Warwick Hopsital. He has not been well for a little while but his death is still a shock. Please pray for him and his brother Brian.

Thanks to all who helped make the Easter ceremonies go so well. The services were very well attended. Fifteen people were received into the Church and thanks to all who helped with flowers, church cleaning, Easter displays, the Sacristy, Church plate and brass, the Church Wardens and those who helped with the singing, music and Altar serving. It was a really good team effort. Thanks to those who helped with the Boxing evening on Friday. We will thank all of our sponsors in next week's Newsletter.

The work to the front of the Church is about to be completed with some new lighting. I am sure you agree that the painting, the new signs and the crucifix of Christ the King is a big improvement. I would like to thank Keith Millage, Seamus Hughes, Peter Collins, Danny O'Flanagan, Dave Parnell and Adam and Chris McQuillan, for helping us with this project.

The Walking Club meets again this Sunday at 3.00pm on the car park and will walk for 7.5 miles. We will leave from Browns Lane, so cars - lifts will be needed. This is part of our programme preparing for Santiago and working our way up to 10 mile walks as the evenings get lighter. We will have a meeting about Santiago on Wednesday 27th April at 7.00pm in the Library. This will be a chance to meet up again, answer any questions and arrange payment details.

There is a Parish Finance Committee Meeting on Thursday 28th April at 7.30pm. We are arranging a Parish trip to Rome and Assisi from 13th November to 18th. Again, this is limited to 47 people. 37 people have already signed up, so please consider if you would like to go, as we would like to finalise fairly soon after Easter. The cost will be approximately £625, based on two people sharing. We are now taking names and you can secure a place with a deposit of £50 at the Parish Office.

The Jesuit Volunteer Service are offering opportunities for young people aged 18 - 25 years, to work on their Missions abroad, mainly in Africa and South America.

**Parish Clergy:**

Very Rev Canon Tom Farrell, Parish Priest

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For details contact [clare@jesuitmissions.org.uk](mailto:clare@jesuitmissions.org.uk). These opportunities are often funded by the Jesuits and are at no cost to the participants.

Fr Andrew is back on Tuesday from his time with Fr Ralph in Florida. Fr Pat Brennan will be inducted as the new Parish Priest of Holy Family on Thursday 14th April at 7pm. I will be leading the induction ceremony. Fr Des Devenney will be inducted as the new Parish Priest of Stourbridge on Thursday 21st April. Please keep both of them in your prayers.

Pope Francis has asked Catholics throughout Europe to have a special collection on Sunday 24th April to help persecuted Christians in the Ukraine. I am sure that you will support this generously and this gives you notice. The collection is not eligible for Gift Aid.

Myself and Fr Andrew would like to thank you for your generous collection and many gifts over Easter. Thank you for your continued support and kindness.

God bless.

Fr Tom



**The Jubilee Year of Mercy**

**Extraordinary Jubilee of Mercy:**

**Dec 8th 2015 - Nov 20th 2016**

'May the balm of mercy reach everyone, both believers and those far away, as a sign that the Kingdom of God is already present in our midst!' (Misericordiae vultus 5)

**This week we pray for**

Hughie Farren, Christina Ward  
Philip O'Brien and Pat Cummins  
May they rest in peace.

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

Keegan Martin McTigue, Annie-May Clara Ogden  
Noah Luke Waterhouse, Marella Spicer

**Tea and Coffee**

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



**Online Webcam**

Go to the website and follow link.

Christ The King Church		
<b>Saturday</b>	10.00am 6.00pm	John and Annie Neary. Anniv. Jack and Edith Rock. Anniv. Sally Ruddy. 35th Anniv
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Easter - 10<sup>th</sup> April</b>	9.00am 12 Noon	Kay and Joseph Houston, Kevin and Jim Walsh and Josephine Lyons. Anniv. Gwen McPolin. Anniv. Dan Bolger. Anniv.
<b>Monday</b>	9.15am	Tess Flood. Dec'd.
<b>Tuesday</b>	9.15am 6.00pm	David Clare. Anniv. Funeral Reception - Hughie Farren. RIP.
<b>Wednesday</b>	12 Noon	Funeral Mass - Hughie Farren. RIP.
<b>Thursday</b>	12 Noon 6.00pm	Gloria Howlett. Dec'd. Funeral Reception - Christina Ward. RIP.
<b>Friday</b>	9.15am 7.00pm	Funeral Mass - Christina Ward. RIP. Timmy Ryan. Anniv.
<b>Saturday</b>	10.00am 6.00pm	Rose Taylor. Anniv. McElroy Family - Special Intentions.
<b>4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter - 17<sup>th</sup> April</b>	9.00am 12 Noon	Anne Charlesworth. Anniv. Eileen Caldwell. Birthday Memorial.
<b>Confessions</b>	Saturday	10.30 am to 11.30 am. 7.00 pm after the Evening Mass.
St Augustine's Church		
<b>Sunday</b>	10.30am	Eileen McInerney. Anniv.
<b>Monday</b>	7.00pm	Eileen Fagan's Intentions.
<b>Wednesday</b>	9.00am	Tracey Ledwidge's Intention.
<b>Sunday</b>	10.30am	David Kelly. Anniv.
<b>Confessions</b>	Saturday	7 <sup>th</sup> May 2016

**PAUSE FOR THOUGHT**

There are two ways to get enough.  
One is to continue  
to accumulate more and more.  
The other is to desire less!

### Collections

Thank you for your weekly offerings for 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2016.

All weekly offerings will be confirmed next week.

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> April 2016

9.45am Toddler Group

1.30pm-2.30pm Italian Group

7.00 pm Legion of Mary Deacon Pat 76335383.

Justice and Peace - Next Meeting will be on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April.

#### Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2016

10.00am Toddler Group.

6.30pm Youth Group.

7.30pm Charismatic Prayer Group in the Meeting Room

#### Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> April 2016

9.00am Toddler Group

1.30pm-3.00pm Adult Crochet Class.

LECTIO DIVINA 7.00pm - 8.00pm in the Meeting Room.

#### Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2016

10.00am Toddler Group

Patricians Meeting Next Meeting will be on 21<sup>st</sup> April.

#### Friday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2016

10.15am Toddler Group

#### Future Dates for your Diary

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May @ 10.00am & 12 Noon - First Holy Communions at CTK

Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> May @ 10.00am First Holy Communions at St Aug's

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> May @ 9.00am - May Procession at CTK

Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> June @ 10am - Confirmations at CTK (Bishop Kenney)

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> June @ 10am - Confirmations at St Aug's

(Bishop Kenney)

### 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.

### St Augustine's Sports Centre

T'ai Chi Wed 7.30 - 9 pm. £6. £4 concessions. Details Martin 6769144

Christ the King Boxing Club train every Wednesday and Thursday - 6.30pm - 8.30pm. All welcome, contact Brendan Malone - 07950 690122

### Christ the King Rota

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

#### Readers

#### Ministers

6.00pm	C Duckett	M McCreesh	A Corkerry	C Corkerry
9.00am	K Millage	D Mihoc	A Hobbs	J McElroy
12 Noon	J O'Farrell	P Ryan	M Brennan	F McLintock

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

6.00pm	R Ladbury	M Duke	M Hamlyn	K Millage
9.00am	D Parnell	J Ruddy	P Hobbs	B Brennan
12 Noon	P Farrell	C McCleod	L Baldwin	K Curry

### St Augustine's Rota

#### 10<sup>th</sup> April

#### Readers

#### Ministers

10.30am	S Mawson	K Curry	B Burke	K Lee
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#### 17<sup>th</sup> April

10.30am	F McManus	K Bosworth	D Field	R Silva
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### CTK TEA ROTA

#### 10<sup>th</sup> April

6.00pm	M Charlesworth / S Ward	6.00pm	F & K Lambert
9.00am	Brown Family / V Currie	9.00am	C Powell / A Gibson
12 Noon	Parnell Family	12 Noon	P & S Tiernan

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

Mercia Friendship Club 14<sup>th</sup> April 1.30 - 3.00pm

Trip to Belgrade Theatre - Bob Brolly.

### SUNDAY NIGHT IN THE CENTRE:

**Bingo from 8pm - 9pm. "Open the Box"** Jackpot of £550 on 14 Keys. Prizes - 1<sup>st</sup> Prize £30, 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize £20. Music by: "Little Jimmy".

### CTK SUNDAY MEMBER'S CLUB 12.30pm-6.30pm

Reduced prices on selected drinks. **Must show current Membership card to avail of these promotions.** Membership now being taken!!

**THE PYRAMID!!** Jackpot of £1,000 and consolation prize if Jackpot not won of either £25 or £20 and five free tickets for following weeks draw. Draw will take place at 5.00pm every Sunday.

**Monday nights Upstairs - Keogh Academy of Irish Dance.**

**Tuesday Morning Gentle Yoga** 10.00 - 11.00am.

**Tuesday 7.30 - 10.30pm** - Ceroc.

**Tuesday 8.30pm** - Acoustic 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,

### Other Items of Interest.

**COVENTRY BRANCH OF EPILEPSY ACTION** Meet at 7.30pm on the 4<sup>th</sup> Thursday of each month at the Meeting House, Hill Street, Coventry. Admission Free and everyone welcome.

**CATHOLIC SINGLES** is an organization which helps single adult Catholics of all ages meet, either one to one or through social events. Please tel: 0161 941 3498, website [www.catholicingles.org.uk](http://www.catholicingles.org.uk).

**FREE VOLUNTARY HOME BLOOD SERVICE** Community Nurse available to the sick and housebound of the Parish. Call the Presbytery for more information.

**COVENTRY RESOURCE CENTRE FOR THE BLIND** is a registered charity that provides support, information, resources, training and social activities for people with a visual impairment in the Coventry area. The Resource Centre is open Monday to Thursday (except bank holidays) from 9.00am-4.00pm. You are welcome to telephone for an appointment or simply drop in: Telephone: 02476 717522, 33 Earlsdon Avenue South, Earlsdon, Coventry.

**CTK FOOTBALL CLUB:** Tote Draw for March 1<sup>st</sup> - No 172 - C Corkerry. 2<sup>nd</sup> - No 64 - K Hogan, 3<sup>rd</sup> - No 142 - G Thompson, 4<sup>th</sup> - No 133 - E Doyle.

### Useful Information

There are 24/7 Live Internet Cameras Operating in both Churches.



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)

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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 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

