



Christ the King

with St. Augustine's

& Our Lady of Lourdes



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

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TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (Year A)
8th October 2017 **Mass Book Page 80**

Dear Parishioners

This week we begin our Talks on the Faith. It is a brand new presentation produced by "Alpha" and is a series of half hour DVDs looking at the faith by answering some of our questions. It is ideal for people thinking of becoming Catholics, particularly parents of children receiving the Sacraments this year, as well as Catholics who want to improve their knowledge of the faith. Please try and come along and support this course. It is also available on Youtube, if you google "New Alpha Course". This week we also have our Finance Committee meeting at 7pm on Thursday 12th October in the Presbytery. Let us know if you have any issues you wish us to discuss. Thanks to all those who supported the various retirement events for Frank Keogh. I know that he was very grateful for all the kindness shown to him. Thanks also to those who supported the dance to raise money for the Pastures, organised by the Hobbs family with help from Tom McShane and Phil Donaghy. The dance has raised over £5,000 so far. Thanks for your generosity for such a good cause. Well done to Peter Martin who has completed over 550 miles walking to Santiago. He was joined at various stages by parishioners and thus far has raised over £2,000 for Zoe's Place. We will continue our Walking Club for the next three Sundays, with the last walk being on Sunday 22nd October. We will have a walker's dinner at 5.30pm on the 22nd October to mark the end of the season and to congratulate Peter. Any regular walkers are welcome. Walk this Sunday as usual at 3.00pm from the car park. The next "Gift" meeting will be on Thursday 2nd November at 7.30pm.

There is a meeting for Parish Catechists working in the Coventry Deanery at All Souls on Tuesday 17th October at 7pm.

The dates for First Holy Communion and Confirmation for Summer 2018 are as follows, St Augustine's First Confession on 15th March, First Communion on 28th April and 12th May and Confirmations on 9th June, all at 10.00am. For Christ the King, First Confession is 7th March, First Communion 19th May at 10.00am and 12 Noon and Confirmations on 23rd and 30th June at 10.00am. A letter to parents will give further details of meetings and Masses for the year of preparation.

The Red Boxes can now simply be dropped in at the paper shop at Christ the King and the Piety Shop at St Augustine's. You can pick up a new one straight away and the old one will be emptied for you. Please continue to support this good

Parish Clergy:

Very Rev Canon Tom Farrell, Parish Priest

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Deacons: Rev Pat Flanagan: deacon-pat@ctk-cov.org.uk

Rev Gerry O'Reilly: deacon-gerry@ctk-cov.org.uk

Rev Tony Janew: deacon-tony@ctk-cov.org.uk

Rev Joe Patterson: deacon-joe@ctk-cov.org.uk

Rev Keith Millage: deacon-keith@ctk-cov.org.uk

cause.

As you know Coventry are bidding to be the City of Culture 2021. Please try to support this, particularly through social media. Our young people can go on Twitter, Facebook and Instagram and the official website and I know many of our older parishioners are also very familiar with these means of communication. It would be a great boost for the City.

Next weekend we will have a second collection for Fr Andrew so that we can make a presentation to him when he returns to the Parish on Sunday 29th October. I am sure that you will be generous in supporting this so that we can show our appreciation for his work. He will be inducted as Parish Priest the following Friday, 3rd November at 7.00pm in Whitnash. We will put out a list next week so that you can sign up if you want to go. You can organise your own lift and transport or sign up for a coach. We will need to have fairly accurate numbers. We will be planning a training session for both our Readers and Eucharistic Ministers over the next month. It will also be a chance to recruit new Readers and Eucharistic Ministers. Please let us know if you are interested in helping. The Holy Souls envelopes for the month of November will be available in a couple of weeks. We will use the funds to renew some of our hymn books. We will also have our November Mass for the parishioners who have died this last year and will send out letters of invitations over the next week. We will have the Mass on Saturday 25th November at 6.00pm. Please let friends and relatives know.

God bless

Fr Tom

Christ The King Church		
Saturday	10.00am	Mary Young. Anniv.
	10.30am	Holy Hour – Prayer for families.
	6.00pm	Kathleen and John Coyle. Anniv.
27 th Sunday of the Year – 8 th Oct	9.00am	William Feeney. Anniv.
	12 Noon	Rod Ward's Intentions.
Monday	9.15am	The Cairns Family's Intentions.
Tuesday	9.15am	Catherine Casey. Anniv.
	6.00pm	Funeral Reception – Leo McDermott. RIP.
Wednesday	12 Noon	Requiem Mass – Leo McDermott. RIP.
Thursday	12 Noon	Mary McSharry. Anniv.
Friday	9.15am	Michael Barrett. Anniv.
	7.00pm	Philomena Lyttle. Anniv.
Saturday	10.00am	Jimmy Corry. Month's Mind.
	6.00pm	John Keane. Anniv.
28 th Sunday of the Year – 15 th Oct	9.00am	Christine and William Woodlock. Anniv.
	12 Noon	Phyllis O'Connor. Anniv.
Confessions	Saturday	10.30 am to 11.30 am.
		7.00 pm after the Evening Mass.
St Augustine's Church		
Sunday	10.30am	Kath Riddell. Anniv.
Monday	7.00pm	Kathleen Ward and Mary Travers. Anniv.
Wednesday	9.00am	Rebecca McEvoy. Anniv.
Sunday	10.30am	John O'Kane. Anniv.
Divine Mercy	Monday	6 th November – Please join us in prayer
Confessions	Saturday	4 th November at 11.45am – 12 Noon

This week we pray for
Leo McDermott, Robert Creally
May they rest in peace.

We pray for those preparing for Baptism.
Harper Florence Wilding
Dolce Coombs

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

A purpose of human life,
no matter who is controlling it,
is to love whoever is around
to be loved.

Collections

Thank you for your weekly offerings for 1st October 2017

Loose Plate	£	955.00
Gift Aid	£	915.82
TOTAL	£	1,870.82

SECOND COLLECTION TODAY FOR CAFOD

Thank you for your continued support

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This week's diary

Monday 9th October 2017

9.45am Toddler Group

1.30pm-2.30pm Italian Group

SVP Meeting - Next Meeting will be on 30th October.

7.00pm Legion of Mary Deacon Pat 76335383.

Justice and Peace - Next meeting will be on November 6th

Tuesday 10th October 2017

10.00am Toddler Group.

6.30pm Youth Group.

Wednesday 11th October 2017

9.00am Toddler Group

1.30pm-3.00pm Adult Crochet Class.

LECTIO DIVINA 7pm - 8pm in the Presbytery. Contact Sister Rita

Thursday 12th October 2017

10.00am Toddler Group

Patricians Next meeting will be on 19th October.

Friday 13th October 2017

10.15am Toddler Group

Future Dates for your Diary

Sunday 9am Mass - The Choir will be led by "

"Our Lady of Lourdes House"

Cardinal Newman Youth Choir - 12th Nov. at CTK - 12 Noon Mass

(Cake Sale after Mass to raise funds for Lourdes Pilgrimage)

Wed 8th Nov @ 6.30pm - Prep. Talks for First Holy Communion
CTK School Hall

Thurs 9th Nov @ 4.30pm - Prep. Talks for First Holy Communion
St Augustine's School Hall

CREATION TIME

SUGGESTIONS

I will thank the gardeners at Church for the flowers they have planted.

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

7th / 8th Oct **Readers** **Ministers**

6.00pm C Duckett M McCreesh R Corkerry C Corkerry

9.00am School Children / J Ruddy J McElroy F McLintock

12 Noon J O'Farrell N Amatobi M Brennan T O'Connor

14th / 15th Oct

6.00pm R Ladbury M Duke M Hamlyn E Hughes

9.00am D Mihoc D Parnell P Hobbs B Brennan

12 Noon P Farrell C McLeod L Baldwin K Curry

St Augustine's Rota

8th Oct **Readers** **Ministers**

10.30am S Jayaratnam S Mawson B Burke K Lee

15th Oct

10.30am F McManus K Bosworth D Field R Silva

CTK TEA ROTA

7th / 8th Oct

6.00pm C Friel / E McGowan 14th / 15th Oct 6.00pm M Charlesworth / S Ward

9.00am T Little / K Lynch 9.00am The Brown Family / V Currie

12 Noon The Fitzmaurice Family 12 Noon The Parnell Family

Community Centre www.ctkparishcentre.co.uk

Mercia Friendship Club Friday 13th October - 1.00 - 3.00pm

Coventry Melody Makers

SUNDAY NIGHT IN THE CENTRE: Bingo from 8pm - 9pm.

"Open the Box" Jackpot of £700 on 7 Keys.

Music by Band: "Richard and Martin".

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

Adults Ceili Lessons - Beginners to Advanced levels - 7.30pm.

Tuesday Morning Gentle Yoga 10.00 - 11.00am.

Tuesday 7.30 - 10.30pm - Ceroc.

Tuesday 8.30pm - Accoustic Guitar Sessions

Wednesday Evening 5.15 - 6.15pm Martial Arts - Junior Class.

6.15 - 7.15pm Martial Arts for Adults

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.

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.

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

CAFOD HARVEST FAST DAY envelopes will be collected this weekend. Please give generously and Gift aid if you can! Extra envelopes available at the back of church.

CREATION TIME: To show that we appreciate our environment there are five resolutions on the table at the back of Church. If you intend to do one of them, please pop the resolution into the box provided.

THE PASTURES (MEADOW COTTAGE) On behalf of the Hobbs family, a huge thank you to everyone for their continued support at our annual dance, it raised a total £5,000!! The holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for all your intentions on Friday 27th October at 7.00pm.t

ST AUGUSTINE'S PRIMARY SCHOOL - DINING ROOM ASSISTANT Please contact the school office by telephone: 02476596988 or email admin@staugustines.coventry.sch.uk. Also, a big thank you from the staff and children from St Augustine's Catholic Primary School to Central Tree Care for the fantastic work they have done to our forest school. The children and staff are absolutely delighted!

AN EVENING WITH RAY PARLOUR - Friday 3rd November from 7.30pm at Christ the King Club. £25 tickets include chicken & chips. Tickets available from behind the bar or via Paul on 07791144435.

SHAOLIN BLACK TIGER KUNG FU Learn traditional Kung Fu and modern self-defence whilst keeping fit, in a safe and friendly environment. Class for beginners every Wednesday from 6.15pm - 7.15pm. Come along for a free trial lesson. Contact Paul Cowley on 07809 460393.

PETER MARTIN'S EL CAMINO WALK - Tracey O'Connor will be walking two parts of the Camino de Santiago for Motor Neurone Disease Assoc. to raise funds for much needed Research. You can sponsor Tracey through www.justgiving.com/fundraising. Thank you for your support.

FREE VOLUNTARY HOME BLOOD SERVICE Community Nurse available to the sick and housebound. 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 9am-4pm. You are welcome to telephone for an appointment or simply drop in: Tele: 024 76 717522, 33 Earlsdon Avenue South, Coventry.

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

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

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

