



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

THE ASCENSION OF OUR LORD (Year A)
28th May 2017 **Mass Book Page 150**

Dear Parishioners,
This Sunday, a group of 43 parishioners will be travelling to Lourdes. 20 parishioners will have already travelled on Friday. The first group is mainly made up of our Youth Group who will be working in the hospital during the week and have gone early so that they are ready to help the sick pilgrims when they arrive at Lourdes. We will of course remember the Parish in our prayers and will deliver all the Prayer Intentions that have been handed in. We will be back late on Friday evening. Father Andrew will be looking after things and there will be the normal pattern of Masses and services. We have completed the annual Parish Report and this is now at the printers and will have copies for you over the next couple of weeks. Sister Julie, our new Parish Sister will start visiting families in the Sadler Road area this week and will also visit Coundon Manor Nursing Home. If there are any visits needed in that part of Radford, please let us know. There is an International Mass this year again, on the Feast of Pentecost on the weekend of 4th June at St Augustine's. Father Andrew and Sister Julie are working on the arrangements and if you would like to say a prayer in your native language, bring up a national flag or dress in national costume, please let us know. You may also wish to bring some samples of national food to share after the 10.30am Mass. If anyone wants to have Bidding Prayers in their own language at other masses at Christ the King over that weekend, please see Father Andrew to arrange this. The webcam at Christ the King has now been improved with the addition of a digital camera, a much clearer picture. We are also updating the broadband feed to St Augustine's to improve the service there. The Walking Club meets as usual this Sunday at 3pm from the car park. We will have a local walk around the wedge about 5 miles.

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

There is a Briefing Paper from the Bishop's Conference concerning issues to consider when voting in the General Election. These are at the back of Church. There is also details of an Art Exhibition in Coventry Cathedral concerning "the troubles" in Northern Ireland and the Bogside Murals.

The Archdiocese of Birmingham currently have two vacancies. All details are overleaf.

Thanks for your prayers for Fr Andrew's nephew, Patrick. He has been diagnosed with Hodgkinson's Lymphoma and will need treatment over the next six months. Hopefully his prognosis is good, but please keep him and his family in your prayers.

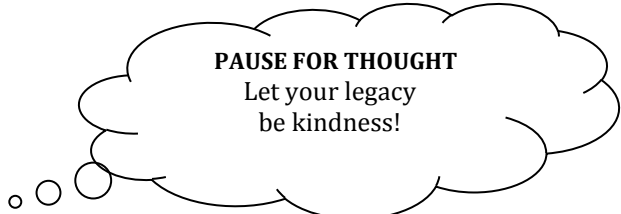
Pope Francis is organizing a Synod on young people and the Church and wants to gather views from around the world. You can take part in this survey, especially if you are a young person by using the following links:

www.catholicnews.org.uk (search for 'Youth Poll'), or via <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/parish-youth-poll>. Also, if you are someone who works with young people you can register by emailing: synod2018@chcew.org.uk. Most groups will take a break over half term including the "Gift" programme. Please continue to pray for all students taking exams at various levels over the next few weeks. God bless.

Fr Tom

Christ The King Church		
Saturday	10.00am	Thanksgiving Mass – Stanton Family.
	10.30am	Holy Hour – Prayer for families.
	6.00pm	Peter and Alison McEnroe. Anniv.
The Ascension of Our Lord – 28 th May	9.00am	Sheila and Peter Kiernan. Anniv.
	12 Noon	George Lower. Anniv.
Monday	9.15am	Bridie Farrell. Birthday Memorial.
Tuesday	9.15am	Nancy and Henry Turner. Anniv.
	10.30am	Requiem Mass – Paul Ryan. RIP.
Wednesday	12 Noon	Gabrielle Freeman. 1 st Anniv.
Thursday	12 Noon	Gwen and Patrick O'Connell's Intentions.
Friday	9.15am	Phyllis Deegan. 1 st Anniv.
	7.00pm	Timothy Kerins. Anniv. Jack Smith. Anniv.
Saturday	10.00am	Patrick and Catherine Dalton. Anniv.
		Bridie Byrne. Anniv.
	6.00pm	James Austin's Intentions. Special Intention.
Pentecost Sunday 4 th June	9.00am	Matthew Lynch. Anniv.
	12 Noon	Chris Henry and Maureen Koras. Dec'd. Bridie Purcell. Anniv. George Flynn. 1 st 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 Joseph Kilcoyne. 1 st Anniv.
Monday	7.00pm	Thanksgiving Mass. The Ryan Family.
Wednesday	9.00am	Jack Byrne's Intentions.
Sunday	10.30am	Carmel Keane. Anniv.
	6.00pm	Funeral Reception – Thomas Gwynn. RIP.
Monday Divine Mercy	10.00am	Requiem Mass – Thomas Gwynn. RIP.
	Monday	5 th June at 6pm – Please join us in prayer
Confessions	Saturday	3 rd June 2017

<p>This week we pray for Paul Ryan, Jim White, Thomas John Gwynn May they rest in peace.</p>
<p>We pray for those preparing for Baptism. Frederick O'Donnell, Dion James Askew Dominic Gecaj</p>
<p>We pray for those preparing for Marriage Sam Donaldson and Mary-Kate McCarthy</p>
<p>Tea and Coffee Available after Mass at both Christ the King & St Augustine's.</p>
<p>Online Webcam Go to the website and follow link.</p> 



Collections

Thank you for your weekly offerings for 21st May 2017.

Loose Plate	£	925.00
Gift Aid	£	969.55
TOTAL	£	1,894.55

Second Collection today for
CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS

Thank you for your continued support *giftaid it*

This week's diary

Monday 29th May 2017

No Toddler Group - Half Term - Resume on 5th June.

No Italian Group - Half Term - Resume on 5th June.

SVP Meeting Next meeting will be 12th June

7.00 pm Legion of Mary Deacon Pat 76335383.

Justice and Peace - Next Meeting will be on 5th June.

Tuesday 30th May 2017

No Toddler Group - Half Term - Resume on 6th June.

No Youth Group - Half Term - Resume on 6th June.

Wednesday 31st May 2017

No Toddler Group - Half Term - Resume on 7th June.

No Adult Crochet Class - Will resume on 7th June.

Lectio Divina Next meeting will be on 7th June. Contact Sister Rita.

Patricians Meeting - Next Meeting will be on 15th June.

Thursday 1st June 2017

No Toddler Group - Half Term - Resume on 8th June

Friday 2nd June 2017

No Toddler Group - Half Term - Resume on 9th June

Future Dates for your Diary

Saturday 10th & 17th June @ 10.00am - Confirmations at CTK

Saturday 24th June @ 10.00am - Confirmations at St Augustine's

Sunday 28th May - Feast of the Ascension of Our Lord

Sunday 4th June - Feast of Pentecost



"Live Simply" suggestions

Save Water: Water the garden early morning or early evening to reduce water evaporation.

LEO BALDWIN

Wishes to sincerely thank all friends and parishioners for your prayers, kindness and good wishes on the celebration of his 80th Birthday!

Christ the King Rota

	Readers	Ministers
27th / 28th May		
6.00pm	E Hughes T Luff	K Moroney J McNulty
9.00am	D Mihoc J Ruddy	E Smith R Askew
12 Noon	L Badwin J Jennette	C Molloy S Fish
3rd / 4th June		
6.00pm	A French F Lambert	P Ward S McNulty
9.00am	O Moynihan J Griffin	J Parnell K Curry
12 Noon	C Coyle M O'Farrell	M Baldwin T Mack

St Augustine's Rota

	Readers	Ministers
28th May		
10.30am	S Jayaratnam R Owusu	K Lee F McLintock
4th June		
10.30am	B Burke G Reidy	S Mawson C Keane

CTK TEA ROTA

	Readers	Ministers
27th / 28th May		
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	The Parnell Family	12 Noon P & S Tiernan

Community Centre www.ctkparishcentre.co.uk

Mercia Friendship Club Next meeting will be 8th June.

1pm - 3pm. Bingo and Chat

SUNDAY NIGHT IN THE CENTRE:

Bingo from 8pm - 9pm.

"Open the Box" Jackpot of £300 on 15 Keys.

Music by Band: "Cross Keys".

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 - Acoustic 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.

TODDLER GROUP - PHOTO SESSIONS - The photographer, Linda Tricker, will be here taking photographs in the Toddler Group on Monday 5th, Tuesday 6th Wednesday 7th and Friday 9th June. Due to Election Day on 8th June the Thursday Toddler Group will have their photos taken on Thursday 15th June.

ALTAR SERVERS FOR CONFIRMATION AT CHRIST THE KING - there will be two confirmation masses at Christ the King this year, on Saturday 10th and 17th June at 10am. All servers are welcome to serve at both, but I would encourage you all to serve at at least one of these special masses. Please sign the list in the sacristy if you are able to serve.

GENERAL ELECTION: Caritas (CSAN) and CAFOD have produced a General Election briefing "Our Common Future". This can be accessed at cafod.org.uk and there are a few copies available at the back of Church.

SUMMER QUIZ NIGHT - NMC Quiz Night at The Coton Sports & Social Club, Nuneaton, CV11 5SQ on 3rd June @ 7p.m. £7 per person or £35 for a team of six including food. Please contact Kay Aslett to book: 07739 705308, kay@nmc-midlands.co.uk. Cash prize for the winning team".

VACANCIES IN THE ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM - HEAD OF COMMUNICATIONS AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT Reporting to the Director of Human Resources. The Head of Communications & Community Engagement will set and guide the Archdiocese's strategy for all communications, websites and community engagement.

PRESS AND MEDIA RELATIONS OFFICER Reporting to the Head of Communications & Community Engagement, the Press & Media Relations Officer will on a day-to day basis be responsible for external communications for the Archdiocese providing support to senior members of the Clergy, its Parishes, Schools and Academies. For an informal discussion/job description for either role please contact Gerry Dryden, Director of Human Resources via email (gerry.dryden@rc-birmingham.org) or telephone (0121 230 6224). Application for either role is by covering letter and CV. The closing date is Friday 2nd June 2017. The first round of interviews will be week commencing 26th June, 2017, with the final interviews for week commencing 3rd July 2017.

RETROUVILLE UK Are you Disillusioned or Bored in Your Marriage? Unable to communicate with Each Other? Feeling Confused, Stressed, Unloved? Separated, Divorced, or thinking about it? Do you want to try again? Retrouville helps couples worldwide work through challenging times. The next Programme commences with a residential weekend 9th-11th June 2017 in Birmingham. (To register for the forthcoming retreat, follow the link www.retrouville.org.uk/apply.php).

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

