



Christ the King

with St. Augustine's

& Our Lady of Lourdes



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

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SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT (Year C)
17th March 2019
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Dear Parishioners,

This weekend we celebrate the Feast of St Patrick and we will include a mention of the Feast in our weekend liturgies as well as our journey through Lent. At the time of writing the newsletter, I will be off to the Ireland v Wales rugby match in Cardiff. It should be a great game and by the time you read this we will know the result!!

Thanks for your continued support of our Lenten programme. Remember the extra masses on Monday night at St Augustine's at 7.00pm and Thursday mornings at 7.00am. There are also opportunities for the Stations of the Cross at various times in the week. There will also be the Anointing for the Sick and Housebound on Sunday 7th April at 4.00pm with an Easter Tea. Confessions with visiting Priests on Tuesday 16th April at 7.00pm and the Passover Meal on Sunday 14th April at 4.00pm. There is also a Lenten Reflection Group on Tuesdays at 2.00pm in the meeting room. All welcome.

Congratulations to all the children who have now made their First Confession and our thanks to the visiting priests who helped at St Augustine's and Christ the King.

Our Talks on the Faith continue on Thursday at 7.00pm, the theme is "The Sacrament of the Sick".

Thanks to all those who have booked for Lourdes. We need now to start getting booking forms filled out. Please call to the office as soon as possible to pick up a form. You will need to pay 50% of the cost by this Wednesday 20th March and the balance is due by 20th May.

The Walking Club will meet this Sunday. We will meet at 3.00pm on the car park and have a local walk. Approximately five miles. Newcomers are always welcome and it might be a good thing to do for Lent. Why not give it a try.

Thanks to all those who support our Gift Aid scheme. The Gift Aid envelopes for the new tax year will be available from this weekend 16th / 17th March in time

Parish Clergy:

Very Rev Canon Tom Farrell, Parish Priest

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for the April changeover. Please pick up your envelopes from the Library at Christ the King or at the back of church at St Augustine's. Our thanks to all those who organise this. If you are a taxpayer perhaps you could consider the Gift Aid Scheme. It brought in an extra £20,000 to the parish at no extra cost. You could start as a new Gift Aider in April if you are a tax payer.

We are looking to arrange a walking pilgrimage to Santiago in the second week of September. So that we can judge interest, could you please let Fiona in the office know if this is something you are interested in doing. It is for seven days from Sunday 8th September to Sunday 15th September. The approximate cost will be £750.

Thanks for supporting the Cake Sale for the youth going to Lourdes. It raised £531.

Fr Harry Curtis, at St Joseph the Worker at Cannon Park, is organising an afternoon for Eucharistic Ministers on Saturday 30th March from 11.00am to 4.00pm. Bring a packed lunch. Some of our Eucharistic Ministers may wish to go on this.

Just to let you know, next weekend the Half Marathon will pass our church and some of the roads around will be closed. You may wish to think about the 6.00pm Saturday evening Mass or the 12 noon on Sunday. There will also be a Cycle Race on the 12th May which will cause some road closures.

There is an event at Coventry Cathedral with a chance to see the "Knife Angel" sculpture which is a very impressive piece of work. All welcome, on Saturday 23rd March from 2.00pm.

This Thursday at 1.30pm I am giving a talk on China and showing a film in the parish center for the Mercia Club. Anyone is welcome to attend.

Keep up the good efforts for Lent.

God bless

Fr Tom

This week we pray for all those deceased

May they rest in peace

We pray for those preparing for Baptism.

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		
Saturday	10.00am	David Thornhill. Anniv.
	10.30am	Holy Hour
	6.00pm	Dennis and Richard Costello. Anniv. Sarah, Margaret and Veronica Austin. Anniv.
2 nd Sunday of Lent 17 th March 2019	9.00am	John and Ann Sexton and Mary Field. Anniv.
	12 Noon	James and Bridget Hegarty. Anniv. Thomas, Mary, Deirdre & Martin Burke. Anniv
Monday	9.15am	David Clare. Anniv.
Tuesday	9.15am	Susan and John Hegarty. Anniv. Kitty Campbell. Anniv.
Wednesday	12 Noon	Michael Phelan. Anniv. Noreen Whelan. Anniv.
Thursday	7.00am	Tom Friel's Intentions.
	12 Noon	Pam and Tony Luff's Intentions.
Friday	9.15am	Bridie Warnick. Anniv.
	7.00pm	Mary Carlin. Anniv.
Saturday	10.00am	Peggy Worrall. 1 st Anniv.
	6.00pm	Margaret O'Neill. Month's Mind.
3 rd Sunday of Lent 24 th March 2019	9.00am	Patricia Stowe. Birthday Memorial.
	12 Noon	Elizabeth Luff. Anniv.
		John Deacy. 1 st Anniv. Caroline McDonald. Anniv.
Confessions	Saturday	Confessions.
St Augustine's Church		
Sunday	10.30am	Christopher Riddell. Anniv.
Monday	7.00pm	Holy Souls. Richard Brown. Anniv.
Wednesday	9.00am	Ellen Maguire's Intentions.
Sunday	10.30am	Pat Lambe. Anniv. Ron Hamilton. Anniv.
Divine Mercy	Monday	1 st April - Please join us in prayer.
Confessions	Saturday	6 th April - 11.45am - 12 Noon



LENTEN PRAYER

No Jesus - No peace.

Know Jesus - Know peace!

Collections

Thank you for your weekly offerings for 10th March 2019

Loose Plate	£	830.00
Gift Aid	£	1,034.38
TOTAL	£	1,864.38

COLLECTION THIS SUNDAY FOR CAFOD LENT FAST

Thank you for your continued support

GIFT AID NOTICE

Please notify the parish office if there has been any changes in your circumstances i.e. name, home address or if you no longer pay sufficient tax on your income.

Email: giftaid@ctk-cov.org.uk

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This week's diary

Monday 18th March 2019

- 9.45 Toddler Group
- 1.30pm - 2.30pm Italian Group
- 5.00pm SVP Meeting - Meeting in the Library
- 7.00pm Legion of Mary Deacon Pat 76335383.
- Justice and Peace - Next Meeting 1st April.

Tuesday 19th March 2019

- 10.00am Toddler Group
- 7.00pm Youth Café

Wednesday 20th March 2019

- 9.00am Toddler Group
- 12.30pm - 3.00pm - Dementia Group in the Library
- 1.30pm - 3.00pm Adult Crochet Class
- LECTIO DIVINA Next meeting will be 28th March. Contact Sister Rita.

Thursday 21st March 2019

- 10.00am Toddler Group
- 7.00pm - 9.00pm - Patricians Meeting in the Library

Friday 22nd March 2019

- 10.00am Toddler Group

Future Dates for your Diary

- Sunday 9am Mass - The Choir will be led by "Our Lady of Knock House"
- Thursday 7th March at 7.00pm - Talks on the Faith in CTK Library
The theme will be "Sacrament of the Sick"
- 14th April - Palm Sunday 21st April - Easter Sunday



LIVE SIMPLY SUGGESTIONS FOR LENT

Bring one item of food for the food bank and place in the box at the back of Church.

Christ the King Rota

16 th / 17 th March	Readers	Ministers
6.00pm	M Duke H Blanche	M Hamlyn J Millage
9.00am	O Moynihan J Ruddy	M O'Brien B Brennan
12 Noon	P Farrell F Hoey	L Baldwin S Carlin
23 rd / 24 th March		
6.00pm	E Hughes T Luff	K Moroney J McNulty
9.00am	School Children / I McDonnall	M Foster R Askew
12 Noon	L Baldwin J Jennette	C Molloy S Fish
17 th March		
Readers		Ministers
10.30am	F McManus K Bosworth	D Field R Silva
24 th March		
10.30am	B Burke R Owusu	K Lee F McLintock

CTK TEA ROTA

16 th / 17 th March	23 rd / 24 th March
6.00pm The Ward Family	6.00pm The Blanche Family
9.00am I & M Gallagher	9.00am P Luff / B O'Brien
12 Noon R Clark / J Whelan	12 Noon J McElroy / P Webb

Community Centre www.ctkparishcentre.co.uk

Mercia Friendship Club 21st March - 1.00pm - 3.00pm - Bingo - Chat
SUNDAY NIGHT IN THE CENTRE: Sunday Carvery at the "Kings" Sunday 31st March. Please book in advance. **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 4.45pm every Sunday. **Sunday Night in the Centre:** Bingo from 8pm - 9pm. Jackpot this week is £200 on 46 numbers or less. "Open the Box" Jackpot of £500 on 11 Keys. Music by Band: "Peter Mylett".
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 4.45pm 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 £4.50 per session.
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 £7.50 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

LENTEN REFLECTION GROUP on Tuesdays at 2.00pm in the meeting room.

THE ROMERO CATHOLIC ACADEMY, COVENTRY is offering a wonderful opportunity for a Senior Leader to join our vibrant, thriving Multi-Academy Company of eight schools. The Board of Directors, in partnership with the Academy Committee are looking to appoint a dynamic leader from September 1st 2019 to lead this wonderful faith community in a one-form entry school Closing date Monday 25th March at 12 Noon. Full details from: www.romermac.com/vacancies.

THE ACIES a Service of Dedication to Our Lady for all members and auxiliary members of the Legion of Mary will take place on Wednesday 27th March at 7.00pm in the Library at Christ the King. Tea and cake to follow.

THE CRISP PACKET RECYCLING SCHEME Instead of throwing your empty crisp packets in the bin, throw them into the "Crisp Packet Recycle Box" placed at the back of the church. These packets will be recycled to make garden furniture instead of going into landfills.

ARCHDIOCESE OF BIRMINGHAM VACANCY Senior Admin Assistant/Personal Assistant to the Vicar General. For information contact Gerry Dryden 0121 230 6224, Email: gerry.dryden@rc-birmingham.org.

ARCHDIOCESE PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM Saturday 11th May, led by Bishop David McGough For details: call Fr Craig Szmidt 0121 422 4865 or email: Walsingham.pilgrimage@rcaob.org.uk.

FR HUDSON'S CARE Father Hudson's Care has places available for the Birmingham and Midland Velo, a 100-mile sponsored cycle, on May 12th. Anyone interested in riding in aid of our diocesan social care should call Fr Hudson's on 01675 434059 or email fundraising@fatherhudsons.org.uk.

CTK COMMUNITY LUNCH on Monday 1st April at 12.30pm - 2 course hot meal, tea./coffee, entertainment. £10pp includes raffle tickets. Tickets on sale after masses on 16th/17th March and 23rd/24th March.

PASTORAL CARE GROUP MEETING on Tuesday 9th April at 2.00pm in CTK Library.

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 newsletter@ctk-cov.org.uk by Thursday eve.



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

