



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)
5th May 2019
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Dear Parishioners,

Thanks for your very generous support of the African Cyclone Appeal. So far, we have raised £3,200 and money is still coming in. We will double this amount from the parish reserves. Thanks for the way that you always respond so generously to these emergency appeals. This weekend we welcome Fr Michael Dolman who is the Vocations Director for the Diocese. He will be speaking at the Sunday masses and helping Fr Michael Stack who has returned after a little break in Norwich. I will be taking the opportunity to have a few days off and will be back on Thursday.

Next weekend, we have our First Holy Communion celebrations for Christ the King school on Saturday 11th May at the 10.00am and 12 Noon masses. Please pray for all these children. Our thanks to the parents who organised a Passover Meal for the children on Friday 3rd May. It will make it a very special week for the children and we will also have the Crowning of the Statue of Our Lady at the 9.00am Mass on Sunday 12th May. Please be aware that the Birmingham Velo Cycle event will be going past the church on the morning of Sunday 12th May. This will mean that the roads outside Christ the King will be closed off, rather like the closures for the Half Marathon. You will need to park on the adjoining streets or walk to Church. There is also the Saturday 6.00pm option or St Augustine's.

The Walking Club will meet again this Sunday, 5th May at 3.00pm on the car park for a walk around Meriden, approximately six miles. All welcome. Car lifts will be needed.

Those wishing to travel to Santiago will need to confirm details with Fiona in the office over the next three weeks please so that we can start booking accommodation. Please let us know by Monday 20th May at the latest. It is for seven days from Saturday 7th September to Saturday 14th September. The approximate cost will be £750.

Parish Clergy:

Very Rev Canon Tom Farrell, Parish Priest

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Fr Michael Stack: michael.stack3@gmail.com

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

The Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham is on Saturday 11th May. Depending on numbers, the Deanery will organise a coach. Please contact the office if you wish to travel to Walsingham.

We are looking for a musician who can play the organ or keyboard. This would be a paid position, so if you know of anyone who might be interested please let us know. They don't need to be catholic. Please phone Fiona at the office.

The next Community Lunch will be this Monday 6th May at 12.15pm. The tickets will be on sale after the Masses.

There is a poster at the back of Church asking for help for a young man, Paddy Igoe who is suffering from blood cancer. You can visit the DKMS charity website to request a swab kit to do at home. We are hoping to arrange a session here at Christ the King looking for donors.

There is a Parish Finance Committee meeting on Thursday 16th May at 7.00pm in the Presbytery. Please let us know if you have any matters that you wish to raise.

Please remember the children at Christ the King and St Augustine schools, as well as some children from some other schools who will be making their First Holy Communion over the next few weeks.

God bless *Fr Tom*

Christ The King Church		
Saturday	10.00am	The Doherty and McHugh Family. Dec'd.
	10.30am	Holy Hour
	6.00pm	Mary Leary. Anniv. Jim Brown. Anniv.
3 rd Sunday of Easter 5 th May 2019	9.00am	Margaret, Thomas, Anthony, and Christopher Concannon. Anniv. Pat McDermott. Anniv. Peter Gibbons. Dec'd.
	12 Noon	Walsh, Lyons, O'Neill, Duffy, Houston and Gallagher Families. Dec'd.
Monday	9.15am	The McNulty Family. Dec'd.
Tuesday	9.15am	Mary Charlesworth's Intentions.
	6.00pm	Funeral Reception – Marion Farrelly. RIP.
Wednesday	12 Noon	Requiem Mass – Marion Farrelly. RIP.
Thursday	12 Noon	Mary O'Farrell. Dec'd.
	6.00pm	Funeral Reception – Colman O'Donoghue. RIP.
Friday	9.15am	Requiem Mass – Colman O'Donoghue. RIP.
	7.00pm	Paul Ryan. Anniv.
Saturday	10.00am	First Holy Communion Mass.
	6.00pm	James O'Flanagan. Anniv.
		Ann Boyle. Birthday Memorial.
4 th Sunday of Easter 12 th May 2019	9.00am	Betty Tierney. Anniv. Maureen Ann Orton. Birthday Memorial.
	12 Noon	Leo Baldwin's Intentions.
		John Fox. Anniv.
Confessions	Saturday	Confessions.
St Augustine's Church		
Sunday	10.30am	Mary O'Kane's Intentions.
Monday	6.00pm	Divine Mercy – Please join us in prayer.
	7.00pm	Michael Mannion. Dec'd.
Wednesday	9.00am	Martin McNeely. Dec'd.
Sunday	10.30am	Matt Molloy. 1 st Anniv.
Confessions	Saturday	4 th May - 11.45am – 12 Noon

This week we pray for those recently deceased
 Paddy Griffin, Marion Farrelly, Colman O'Donoghue,
 Christine Webb, Christine Neville,
 Steven Dunleavy and Ellen Barrett
 May they rest in peace

We pray for those preparing for Baptism
 Thomas William Lenahan, Evie Rose Morris,
 Kayleigh Warner,
 Jacob Poole and Arthur Poole

We pray for those preparing for Marriage
 Kieran Meredith and Leanne Taylor

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

"Spring makes the world a happy place, you see a smile on every face. Flowers come out and birds arrive, Oh, isn't it grand to be alive?"

Collections

Thank you for your weekly offerings for 28th April 2019

Loose Plate	£	735.00
Gift Aid	£	992.01
TOTAL	£	1,727.01

SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE AFRICAN CYCLONE

Loose Plate	£	2,520.00
Gift Aid	£	617.00
TOTAL	£	3,137.00

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY FOR CLERGY TRAINING FUND

GIFT AID NOTICE

Please contact the Parish Office if you have not collected your new year Gift Aid envelopes commencing 7th April 2019. *giftaid it*
Thank you for your continued support.

This week's diary

Monday 6th May 2019

9.45 Toddler Group

1.30pm - 2.30pm Italian Group

SVP Meeting - Next meeting will be on 20th May in the Library

7.00pm Legion of Mary Deacon Pat 76335383.

Justice and Peace - Next meeting will be on 3rd June in the Library

Tuesday 7th May 2019

10.00am Toddler Group

7.00pm Youth Café

Wednesday 8th May 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 on 15th May. Contact Sister Rita.

Thursday 9th May 2019

10.00am Toddler Group

Patricians Meeting Next Meeting will be on 16th May 2019

Friday 10th May 2019

10.00am Toddler Group

Future Dates for your Diary

First Holy Communion at St Augustine's - 10.00am on
Saturday 18th May and 8th June

First Holy Communion at Christ the King on Saturday 11th May
@ 10.00am and 12 Noon

Walsingham Pilgrimage - Saturday 11th May -

Coach leaving CTK car park at 8.00am

Parish Finance Committee Meeting on Thurs. 16th May at 7.00pm.

Mass of Anointing 15th May @ 6.00pm in the
Pope Francis Hall at Cardinal Newman School.

Christ the King Rota

4th / 5th May Readers

6.00pm	F Lambert	A French	P Ward	S McNulty
9.00am	E Wright	J Griffin	A Gibson	M Berry
12 Noon	R Donaldson	C Coyle	M Baldwin	T Mack

11th / 12th May

6.00pm	M McCreech	C Duckett	R Corkerry	C Corkerry
9.00am	School Children	D Parnell	J McElroy	F McLintock
12 Noon	N Amatobi	J O'Farrell	T O'Connor	M Brennan

5th May Readers

10.30am	D Field	J Lee	S Mawson	C Keane
11 th May				
10.30am	G Reidy	M Mulvany	B Burke	M Adams

CTK TEA ROTA

4th / 5th May

6.00pm	The Lambert Family	6.00pm	A Corcoran / M Breslin
9.00am	C Powell / A Gibson	9.00am	P & S Carlin
12 Noon	P & S Tiernan	12 Noon	J & G Gilks

11th / 12th May

Community Centre www.ctkparishcentre.co.uk

No Mercia Friendship Club 2nd May - 1.00pm - 3.00pm - Bingo - Chat

SUNDAY NIGHT IN THE CENTRE: Sunday Night in the Centre:

Bingo from 8pm - 9pm.

Jackpot this week is £270 on 48 numbers or less.

"Open the Box" Jackpot of £850 on 4 Keys.

Music by Band: "Irene and Tom".

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 - 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 £7.50 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

THE HORGAN FAMILY Allacoque and all the family would like to thank the parish of CTK for attending Bob's funeral. Your support, encouragement, kind thoughts and expression of sympathy have greatly helped us at this sad time. Thank you.

PIETY SHOP First Holy Communion gifts and cards are available in the Piety Shop and at the back of the Church.

PASTORAL CARE GROUP MEETING Tuesday 14th May at 2.00pm in CTK Library

THE ROMERO CATHOLIC ACADEMY - Vacancy for Principal for SS Peter and Paul Catholic School, to start in September. Closing date: 10th May 2019.

For more information please visit www.romeromac.com/vacancies.

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

ROGER CASEMENTS GAA juvenile training has now moved to The Sphinx on Friday Nights at 6pm - There will be a minibus running from CTK Church carpark at 5.40 picking up at the Coundon pub at 5.4pm.

OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR - BIRMINGHAM DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES Cathedral House, St Chad's Queensway, Birmingham - Office Administrator Full-time (35 hours per week) Permanent, £26,000 p.a. **Closing date for receipt of completed applications is noon, Friday 10th May 2019. Interview date - Monday 3rd June 2019.** For an information discussion about this role, please contact Trish Brookes - tel. 0121 230 6211.

CAFOD CAMPAIGN LAUNCH-OUR COMMON HOME - Have you watched Sir David Attenborough's Climate change programme, Extinction Rebellion's peaceful protest and Finnish schoolgirl Greta's appeals and wondered how you can take part in the most important action of this generation in order to save our world for the children of the future? CAFOD's latest project will be launched for Coventry and surrounding area at Christ the King Church on Wednesday 15th May with a Creation mass at 6.30pm and input from the campaigns team in the library afterwards, whilst we share a light supper and talk about what part we each can play. We'll welcome CAFOD reps from nearby parishes and other interested parties to stimulate varied discussion and ideas exchange. There will be an opportunity to sign the petition to the government to achieve Net Zero emissions. We plan to finish by 8.30.

MISSION BRAZIL TEAM are hosting an Irish Night at Christ the King on the 10th of May - from 7:30pm. Enjoy an evening of Irish dancers and an Irish band and help raise funds for the "Mission Brazil Team"

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/ctkcvov>

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

