



# 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

**SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT (Year A)**  
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Dear Parishioners

Thanks for your continued support of our Lenten Programme. The purple sheet outlines the programme for Lent. You will see that we have regular Stations of the Cross, some extra masses, the Service of Anointing for the Sick and Housebound and our Passover Meal. There will also be opportunities for Confession and a Penance Service with visiting Priests. These are all arranged to help you make the most of Lent. We also have a weekly Lenten Prayer Group on Tuesday's at 2.00pm in the Meeting Room.

Please remember Fr Bob Wright, Parish Priest St John Fisher who passed away on Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> March after a short illness. We pray for Fr Bob's family, and the parishioners he served over the years.

This weekend we have masses for the children making their First Confession later in the week. The First Confessions will be on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March at 6.30pm for Christ the King and Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March at 6.30pm for St Augustine's.

There is a training course for new Youth Leaders which will be held here at Christ the King and begins this Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March at 7.30pm in the Library.

The Talks on the Faith continue this Thursday at 7.00pm and the subject will be on the "Sacrament of the Sick".

We are looking at our Pilgrimage choices for this coming year. We have confirmed the Holy Land Pilgrimage from 6<sup>th</sup> – 13<sup>th</sup> October 2020 and it will cost £1,200. If you wish to confirm your place on this Pilgrimage, please call into the office for a booking form. We will need a deposit of £200 to secure your place. We are still working on the Poland Pilgrimage and will make this a five day pilgrimage which will reduce the

Christ The King Church		
Saturday	10.00am	Deceased Members of the Legion of Mary.
	10.30am	Holy Hour - For families and young people.
Second Sunday of Lent 8th March 2020	6.00pm	Pat Mangan. Birthday Memorial and Joe Kelly Anniv. Gerard Cole. Anniv.
	9.00am	Mary Lynch. Anniv.
	12 Noon	Alice and Alan Mack. Anniv.
Monday	6.00pm	Baby Charlie Ellis. Anniv.
	9.15am	Funeral Reception - Charlie Ward. RIP.
Tuesday	9.15am	Requiem Mass - Charlie Ward. RIP.
	6.00pm	Peter Luff. Anniv.
Wednesday	9.15am	Hugh and Bessie Ferrie. Anniv.
	10.00am	Funeral Reception - Paul Finn. RIP.
	12 Noon	Requiem Mass - Paul Finn. RIP.
Thursday	10.00am	Paddy Cunningham. Dec'd.
	7.00am	Theresa Donaghey's Intentions.
	10.00am	Bernadette Doran's Intentions.
Friday	10.00am	Requiem Mass - William Lalley. RIP.
	12 Noon	David Cullinan. Dec'd.
	9.15am	Clifford Haigh. Dec'd.
Saturday	7.00pm	Rosemary Walsh. Dec'd.
	10.00am	Zigmus Carr. Anniv.
	6.00pm	Hugh McEnerney. Dec'd.
Third Sunday of Lent 15th March 2020	10.00am	Kathleen Foster. Anniv.
	9.00am	John and Ann Sexton, and Mary Field. Anniv.
	12 Noon	Tony Gill. Dec'd.
Confessions	9.00am	John and Annie Neary. Anniv.
	12 Noon	Patricia Stowe. Birthday Memorial.
	Saturday	Gerard Gole. 1 <sup>st</sup> Anniv.
St Augustine's Church	Saturday	Eva Stanton. Birthday Memorial.
	Sunday	Confessions.
	Sunday	George Campbell. Dec'd.
Monday	7.00pm	Holy Souls.
Wednesday	9.00am	Eileen Glynn's Intentions.
Sunday	10.30am	Christopher Riddell. Anniv.
Divine Mercy	Monday	Christina O'Brien. Anniv.
Confessions	Monday	6 <sup>th</sup> April - Please join us in prayer
	Saturday	7 <sup>th</sup> March - 11.45am - 12 Noon

**Parish Clergy:**

Very Rev Canon Tom Farrell, Parish Priest

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cost. We will confirm this next week but, are also mindful of travel restrictions which may still apply in May/June.

**Regarding the Coronavirus Guidelines. At this stage I think it would be sensible for us not to shake hands at the Sign of Peace. Not to use the Chalice for Communion during the week and to receive Holy Communion on the hand rather than on the tongue. We will not use Holy Water as we enter the Church. The fonts will be left empty. The Priests, Deacons and Ministers will use hand gel before the distribution of the Holy Communion and if we can source some gel we will have some at the back of the Church. You may wish to have your own supply with you. We don't want to cause any alarm, but I think we do need to be sensible as well.**

St Augustine's School will be celebrating their 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary this year. They would like to put together an exhibition. Do you have any old photos? If you went to the school and would like to be involved in the celebrations, please contact the school.

The Youth Group will have a Lenten Charities promotion on the weekend of 21<sup>st</sup> / 22<sup>nd</sup> March. I am sure you will support them.

This weekend our second collection is for the very worthy charity CAFOD and I know you are always very generous with this. There are some CAFOD envelopes at the back of Church if you did not pick one up last week.

There is a new Tea Rota available in the Library.

God Bless,

Fr Tom

**This week we pray for those recently deceased**  
Fr Bob Wright, Paul Finn, Charlie Ward, Caitlynn Richardson, Bridget Coyle, William Lalley, Sarah Foster, Maria Dillie  
May they rest in peace

**We pray for those preparing for Baptism**  
Alfie Oscar and George Bob Cowley

**Tea and Coffee**  
Available after Mass at both Christ the King & St Augustine's.

**Online Webcam**  
Go to the website and follow link.

Pray ... that God will give many opportunities to speak about Christ.

Colossians 4:3

Prayer 2020

hope@together.org.uk/prayer2020



Pray in 2020 on the 20<sup>th</sup> of each month at 20:20 for 20 minutes

**Pope Francis says**  
"To be friends with God means to pray with simplicity, like children talking to their parents".

### Collections

Thank you for your weekly offerings for 1<sup>st</sup> March 2020

Loose Plate	£	800.00
Gift Aid	£	953.92
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>1,948.88. Thank you!</b>

Second Collection for Cathedral Maintenance

Loose Plate	£	360.00
Gift Aid	£	420.84
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>£</b>	<b>780.84. Thank you!</b>

SECOND COLLECTION TODAY FOR CAFOD FAMILY FAST

#### GIFT AID NOTICE

Please notify the parish office if there has been a change in your circumstances.

### This week's diary

#### Monday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2020

9.45am Toddler Group  
 1.30 - 2.30pm Italian Group  
 SVP Meeting Next meeting will be on 23<sup>rd</sup> March  
 7.00pm Legion of Mary Deacon Pat 76335383.

#### Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2020

10.00am Toddler Group  
 6.30pm Youth Group

#### Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2020

9.00am Toddler Group  
 12.30pm - 3.00pm - Dementia Group in the Library  
 1.30 - 3.00pm - Adult Crochet Class in the Library  
 Lectio Divina - Next prayer group will be on 11<sup>th</sup> March  
 Justice and Peace - Next Meeting will be on the 18<sup>th</sup> March.

#### Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March 2020

10.00am Toddler Group  
 1.30pm - 2.30pm Beginner's Italian Class.  
 Patricians Meeting Next meeting will be on 19<sup>th</sup> March

#### Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2020

10.00am Toddler Group

#### Future Dates for your Diary

Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March @ 7.00pm - Talks on the Faith in CTK Library  
 Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> March @ 6.30pm - First Confessions - CTK  
 Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March @ 6.30pm - First Confessions - St Aug's.  
 Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> May @ 12 Noon in St Chad's Cathedral - Marriage Celebration Mas  
 12<sup>th</sup> April - Easter Sunday

#### St Augustine's Sports Centre

U11's & 11-25 Squash Coaching - Friday 6.40pm - 8.00pm  
 Christ the King Boxing Club train every Wednesday & Thursday  
 6.30pm - 8.15pm. All welcome. Contact Brendan Malone - 07950 690122  
 Rooms available to hire for parties, functions, meetings, etc.

### Christ the King Rota

7 <sup>th</sup> / 8 <sup>th</sup> March	Readers	Ministers
6.00pm	M McCreesh 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
14 <sup>th</sup> / 15 <sup>th</sup> March		
6.00pm	M Duke H Blanche	M Hamlyn J Millage
9.00am	O Moynihan L Gilleran	M O'Brien B Brennan
12 Noon	P Farrell F Hoey	L Baldwin S Carlin

#### St Augustine's Rota

8 <sup>th</sup> March	Readers	Ministers
10.30am	G Reidy M Mulvany	B Burke S Mawson
15 <sup>th</sup> March		
10.30am	F McManus K Bosworth	D Field R Silva

#### CTK TEA ROTA

7 <sup>th</sup> / 8 <sup>th</sup> March	14 <sup>th</sup> / 15 <sup>th</sup> March
6.00pm The Blanche Family	6.00pm H Lovely / M Charleseorth
9.00am P Luff / B O'Brien	9.00am C Robinson / C Hamill / K Windridge
12 Noon J McElroy / P Webb	12 Noon J McElroy / P Webb

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

**Mercia Friendship Club** Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> March - 1.00pm - 3.00pm  
 Bingo and Chat

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

Bingo from 8pm-9pm. **Jackpot** this week is £500 on 59 numbers or less.  
 "Open the Box" Jackpot of £1,000 on 3 Keys. **Music by Band:** "Cross Keys".

#### ST PATRICK'S EVENING

Tickets are on sale £10 per person (adults only) from 7.30pm upstairs.

Family Disco - 4.30pm - 7.30pm free entry - downstairs

**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.

**Wednesday - 9.00pm 11.00pm PIONEER ASSOCIATION** - 25 Card Game. All welcome!!

#### 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

**ST PATRICK'S DAY IRISH MASS** on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> March at 7pm at St Mary's. Refreshments to follow and music.

**COVENTRY COMHALTAS ST PATRICK'S DAY CEILI** At Christ the King Parish Centre on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March. Live Music, dancing, food and drink with the Innisfail Ceili Band. Adults £5, Children £2.50, Family £10 (2 adults + 2 children) Pay on the door only (no advance tickets). Includes performances from our younger members and the Celtica Academy Irish Dance School. Free buffet and raffle prizes to be won.

**FAIRTRADE FORTNIGHT** from 24<sup>th</sup> February- 8<sup>th</sup> March. Tea, coffee and sugar is available for sale in the meeting room. Look for the Fairtrade mark on goods in supermarkets - such as bananas, tomatoes, wine, flowers and cotton and ask for them if they're not available.

**ST OSBURG'S SCHOOL** The children at St Osburg's School are going to be working on a heritage project with Historic England about Coventry Cathedral and would love to speak to anyone who worked for Laing on the construction of the new cathedral. Please contact St Osburg's school on 02476 227165 if you know anyone who took part in this. Thank you in advance and we look forward to hearing from you.

**"A GOD WHO SPEAKS"** event is being organised as a Coventry City wide Retreat @ St Osburg's Coventry on 29/30/31st May 2020. Are you creative/good at making art work? Are you a musician? Would you like to help organise/ serve/ cook for this event? We need your help now. We are also looking for individuals who would like to lead a prayer team. Retreats are costly yet we want to be able to offer this free of charge so all can come together and enjoy this experience. Any donations will be a blessing and play an integral part in the event. If you feel you can support this event financially or are interested in serving/becoming part of the prayer team please contact Justine on 07551096269. Thank you, May God Bless You.

**INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY and Women's History Month** on 12<sup>th</sup> March at 5.30pm - 8.30pm the Albany Theatre, Albany Road, Coventry, CV5 6JQ. Sherrie Edgar's exhibition *HER Lonely* and Tarla Petal's exhibition *Intergenerational Women* will display compelling new artworks. Films produced by both artists and Tarla's installation will be displayed during the launch only.

**FREE VOLUNTARY HOME BLOOD SERVICE** Community Nurse available to the sick and housebound of the Parish. Call the Presbvtery.

### 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



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