



Christ the King

with St. Augustine's

& Our Lady of Lourdes



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THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER (Year B)
14th April 2024 **Mass Book Page 135**

Dear Parishioners

This week we received the sad news of the death of Sister Mary Coleman who was one of our Parish Sisters. She had retired back to Cavan and died peacefully on Tuesday. Also, Fr Eamon Clarke's brother Brian, passed away peacefully this week. Brian was a regular visitor to Christ the King who some of you may remember. May they both Rest In Peace.

We are looking to return to having an Offertory Procession at each of our masses. We will invite people to bring up the bread and wine as we used to and would ask that if the mass is being offered for one of your family's intention, then perhaps you could bring up the gifts. Please have a word with us in the Sacristy before mass. We have also purchased two new Ciborium with special compartments for coeliac hosts. This will make it easier for those receiving coeliac hosts. If you are a person who receives a coeliac host, please have a word with myself or Fr Benedict and we will explain the new system to you.

There is a special mass again this year at St Chad's Cathedral for married couples, especially those celebrating a significant anniversary. The mass is on Saturday 4th May at 12 noon. Archbishop Bernard will celebrate the mass. If you are intending to go and are celebrating a special anniversary, please let us know.

This Saturday I celebrated a mass at St Osburg's to mark the retirement of the Presentation Sisters of the parish. The Sisters have done great work there over the years and we wish Sister Theresa and Sister Philomena a happy and well deserved retirement. They have retired to the convent in Matlock.

The Annual Parish Report is now available on the website. Please take a look. There

Parish Clergy:

Very Rev Canon Tom Farrell, PP canon.tom.farrell@rcaob.org.uk

Rev Benedict Skipper: fr.benedict.skipper@rcaob.org.uk

Deacons:

Rev Pat Flanagan: dcn.pat.flanagan@rcaob.org.uk

Rev Gerry O'Reilly: dcn.gerry.oreilly@rcaob.org.uk

Rev Tony Janew: dcn.tony.janew@rcaob.org.uk

Rev Keith Millage: dcn.keith.millage@rcaob.org.uk

Parish Website: ctk-cov.org.uk

are also some printed copies available at the back of the church. Fr Dominic Chukka will be launching an appeal for his work in India which will be our Parish Project for the next year. He will have some material ready on the weekend of 20th / 21st April and will speak about the project over the weekend of 27th / 28th April. He is also working with our schools in adopting the project.

We are looking to start an alternative type of Youth Group for children who maybe Neurodivergent or may value a quieter and more structured environment. If you feel your child would benefit from such a group, please do have a word with Fr Tom or Fr Benedict, or speak to the office. We will have a meeting for parents and helpers on Thursday 25th April at 6.00pm to discuss the next steps. Please let others know about this.

After Easter, there are talks beginning on Monday 8th April on "The Joy of the Gospel" to be held at St Osburg's Church for 6 sessions. Please see the poster at the back of the church for more details.

We will have a celebration for the Missionary Sisters of the Holy Rosary on Sunday 23rd June at 12 noon. Also on 16th June, we will have a mass and celebration in honour of our Deacons. This will mark the contribution of all our Deacons but in a special way Deacon Tony's retirement and also the Silver Jubilee of Deacons Pat and Gerry working in parish. We will also remember Deacon Joe Patterson. RIP.

There are still a few Gift Aid envelopes to be collected. Please call into the office to collect.

The Walking Club will resume this Sunday from the car park at 2.30pm, weather permitting. Walks are about 5 miles. New members always welcome!

God bless Fr Tom

This week we pray for those recently deceased

Margaret Kelly, Hugh Mulholland, Ken Kilkenny, Mary Feeney, James Dudley, Colum Nugent, Kevin Smith
Michael Browne, Luigi Accardi, Geraldine Craven
Cameron Slater, Willie Thorpe
May they rest in peace

We pray for those preparing for Baptism

Faye Amilie and Mia Alora Ellicock



Online Webcam

Go to the website and follow link.

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Sarah Pittaway. She can be contacted at: sg.ctk.covty@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concerns.

Christ The King Church		
Saturday	9.30am	Peter Ronan and Kieran Amphlett. Anniv. Pat Healy. Dec'd.
	10.00am	Holy Hour
	6.00pm	Johnny Murphy. Anniv. Kathleen and Patrick O'Donnell. Anniv.
Third Sunday Of Easter 14th April 2024	9.00am	Patricia O'Neill. Birthday Memorial.
	12 Noon	Timmy Ryan. Anniv. Michael Swayne. 1st Anniv. Anne Charlesworth. Anniv.
Monday	9.30am	Derek Stevens & Margaret Graham. Anniv.
	10.30am	Requiem Mass – James Dudley. RIP
Tuesday	9.30am	Carol. Special Intention. Charlie Ward. Dec'd.
	12 noon	Requiem Mass – Michael Browne. RIP.
Wednesday	NO MASS	9.30am Mass at St Augustine's
Thursday	10.3am	Requiem Mass – Luigi Accardi. RIP.
	9.30am	Rose Setunge. Thanksgiving Mass.
Friday	9.30am	Special Intention. (A.J.)
	11.30am	Requiem Mass – Margaret Kelly. RIP.
Saturday	7.00pm	Pat and Mary McGuire. Anniv.
	9.30am	Punam Kapoor's Intentions.
Fourth Sunday of Easter 21st April 2024	6.00pm	The Tierney and Kennedy Families. Dec'd. Phelim Brady. Anniv.
	9.00am	Fr Kevin Donlon. Anniv. Brendan Barry. Dec'd.
Sunday	12 noon	Mary Mulrooney. Dec'd. Ann Cotterill. Anniv. The Doherty Family. Anniv.

St Augustine's Church

Sunday	10.30am	Bridget and Patrick Davitt. Anniv. John O'Mahoney. Anniv.
Wednesday	9.30am	Margaret Hobbs. Dec'd. Sarah Byrne. Anniv.
Sunday	10.30am	Ray Kelly. Anniv. Gary Hobbs. Dec'd.

PAUSE FOR THOUGHT

One test of good manners is to put up pleasantly with bad ones!

Collections

Thank you for your weekly offerings

Collection 7th April 2024

Loose Plate £ 742.00

Gift Aid £ 571.75

TOTAL £ 1,313.75

**STANDING ORDER FOR
FEBRUARY = 1,973.00**

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SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY FOR CLERGY TRAINING

Thank you for your continued support!

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 ga.ctk.covty@rcaob.org.uk or phone 024 76 591618

This week's diary

Monday 15th April 2024

9.00am Toddler Group

7.00pm Legion of Mary Deacon Pat 76335383.

Tuesday 16th April 2024

9.00am Toddler Group - Currently Full - Please phone to book

7.00pm Youth Group

Wednesday 17th April 2024

9.00am Toddler Group - Please book in advance

Thursday 18th April 2024

9.00am Toddler Group - Please book in advance

Justice and Peace The next meeting will be on 8th May

Friday 19th April 2024

No Toddler Group

12.30pm - 2.00pm - AA Group in the Library

Future Dates for your Diary

28th April 2024 - Coventry Half Marathon

St Augustine's Sports Centre

Christ the King Boxing Club

train every Wednesday & Thursday. 6.00pm - 8.15pm. All welcome.

Contact Brendan Malone-07950 690122

Zumba - Wednesdays at 10.30am with Nina

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.

Christ the King Rota

13th / 14th April

6.00pm C Duckett

9.00am School Children

12 Noon J O'Farrell

20th / 21st April

6.00pm M Aluko

9.00am J Moloney

12 Noon F Hoey

Readers

T Luff

H Thomas

N Amatobi

H Blanche

C McGorisk

A Holleron

Ministers

R McGrath C Corkerry

F McLintock Sr Felicity

M Brennan K Lowe

M Hamlin J Millage

P Hobbs B Brennan

J McElroy A McFeeley

St Augustine's Rota

14th April

10.30am S Mawson

21st April

10.30am G Reidy

Readers

David

K Bosworth

CTK TEA ROTA

13th / 14th April

6.00pm C Friel / E McGovern

9.00am The Moynihan Family

12 Noon S McGrane / P Hart

20th / 21st April

6.00pm The Blanche Family

9.00am The Devine Family

12 noon P & P Fitzmaurice

Community Centre www.ctkparishcentre.co.uk

Mercia Friendship Club Will resume on Thursday 18th April

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

Jackpot £500 on 55 numbers or less. "Open the Box" £750 - 10 keys.

Music by Band: "Little Jimmy".

MONDAY - DOMINOS.

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.

Saturday - 9.30am - 11.30am - all ages.

Please contact Imelda on 07980 664116 for further information.

WHIST DRIVE at 1.30pm Every Monday (1pm First Monday of the month) For further details please call Brian on 024 76 338234.

Tuesday Morning Gentle Yoga 10.00 - 11.00am £5.00 per session.

Tuesday 8.30pm - Acoustic Guitar Sessions

Wednesday Yoga Classes relax and get fit: try our Sun Power Yoga!

6.30pm to 8.00pm All welcome, beginners, men & women - First

Class Free!! £7.00-£9.00 per session for details contact Maureen

76415586 / 07507636623.

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

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

CTK COMMUNITY LUNCH - Monday 6th May at 12.15pm. Hot 2 course meal. Tea / coffee, mints, subsidised drink. Entertainment with Frankie. Best value in town at £12 per person. Tickets from June - 02476 332744 or Helen -02476 275775.

LOURDES YOUTH FUNRAISER The Cake Sale last Sunday to raise funds for our Youth travelling to Lourdes, raised a total of £569.57. Thank you !!

BOOK BANK Many children in schools and in the care system do not have any reading books of their own. We are looking for donations of children's books which are still in good condition. They will be sorted and redistributed to schools and centres where the need is greatest. There is a green wheelie bin at the back of the church for your donations. For further information email:maeve@thereadingdoctors.com or call: 07813809213.

VOCATIONS WEEK St Augustine's School are organising their annual Vocations Week for week beginning 24th June. If you are available to come in to school to talk to some of the children about your job/vocation during that week, please contact Claire Carey, sta_admin@hccmac.co.uk or 02476596988.

ST AUGUSTINE'S PRAYER GARDEN We are looking for willing volunteers to come and help the children tidy up our prayer garden and plant some flowers. If this is something you could help with, please contact Claire Carey, sta_admin@hccmac.co.uk or 02476596988.

ASSISTANT HEADTEACHER VACANCY Our Lady of the Wayside, Shirley. Closing date 17th April. Contact the school for details - 0121 744 6852.

STAIRLIFT - 12 STEPS STRAIGHT If you know of anyone who is in need of a stairlift please contact 0784 6064025.

EVANGELII GAUDIUM - Six sessions of prayerful reflection on Pope Francis first Apostolic Letter "Joy of the Gospel", to be held in the meeting room at St Osburg's Church Lane. Beginning on Monday 8th April, 7.00pm - 8.30pm for six sessions. Contact Barbara McGowan - 0752 8644617

CTK FOOTBALL CLUB TOTE March '24.-1st No 85 - C Duffy, 2nd-No 108 - M Tully, 3rd No 68 - J-A O'Sullivan, 4th - No 115 - H McLintock.

Useful Information

There are 24/7

Live 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 Safeguarding - Sarah Pittaway: sg.ctk.covty@rcaob.org.uk



Parish Website: www.ctk-cov.org.uk

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

Parish Secretary: Fiona McLintock: ctk.covty@rcaob.org.uk

Newsletter items to: ctk.covty@rcaob.org.uk by Thursday 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

