

Christ the King Parish, Coventry

Churches of Christ the King and Our Lady of Lourdes, with St Augustine's

Sunday 20th September, 2009.
Twenty Fifth Sunday of the year. Mass book pg 74.



Parish Clergy:

Very Rev Canon Tom Farrell, Parish Priest.
 Father Paul Johnson, Assistant Priest.
 Rev Mr G O'Reilly & Rev Mr P Flanagan, Deacons.
 Telephone Number 024 76591618

Dear Parishioners,

This weekend we welcome Fr Aidrian Cadwallader, Josephite Father who will be making an Appeal to support the work of the Missions. He is very welcome to the parish. We have our cemetery blessing this weekend at London Road. We will meet at the newer part of the cemetery by the War Memorial Garden. We will have a short prayer together and then move through the cemetery for individual blessings. Fr Paul, Deacons Pat and Gerry and myself will be available. Next week St Paul's. We have our visit to the Relics of St Therese on Monday. Coaches are all booked and we leave at 10.45am for the morning trip and return by 2.30pm and at 6pm for the evening trip returning at 9.30pm. The fare is £3. There is a leaflet about St Therese and the relics at the back of church and these will also be available on the coaches. This Friday we are hosting the Mass and celebration to mark the 40th Anniversary of Cardinal Newman School. Bishop Kenney and a number of priests who have worked at the school over the years will concelebrate the Mass at 7.30pm followed by a reception in the parish centre. You are welcome to attend this Mass and celebration and we hope that past staff

and pupils will make a special effort to attend. Please note the change of Friday Mass to 7.30pm and note that or normal Friday Mass will be at 9.15am as usual in the morning but the evening Mass will be at 6pm to allow time for the church to be prepared for the 7.30 pm Mass with Bishop Kenney. This week we are back to normal with all the parish groups. The Youth Cafe Group starts again on Tuesday at 7pm. I also commend the Talks on the Bible and our Faith. They are every Wednesday at 7pm and all are welcome. They will be of interest to anyone thinking of becoming a Catholic. If this is something you have considered please see me. This may be of interest to those whose children have been recently baptised or will be receiving the sacraments of Holy Communion or Confirmation this year. We also need to know of any children not at Catholic Schools who are now of an age for Communion or Confirmation next summer so that we can arrange classes for them. We will be having planning meetings in September for youth who would like to find out about the World Youth Day in Madrid 2011. We want to plan well ahead and keep parents well informed of the arrangements for the trip. If you will be

16/17 years of age by July 2011 then you can come on this trip. Give it some thought. Mother and Toddlers are back on Tuesday at 10am and Wednesday at 9am the Library. We have the Italian Classes starting again this week at the various class levels. Our visits to the housebound will continue over the next few weeks. We will have our meal for all parish helpers in the centre on October 18th this will be a Sunday afternoon at 3pm. We will ask you to sign up if you are able to come along. . With Fr Paul now with us we will be looking at ways of improving the parish life and worship. We will be meeting with the parish deacons and sisters, but want to know what you think. The Suggestion Box will be making a come back soon! It will help me to review things after three years with you . We will put out the box and suggestion cards next week. The Parish Centre now has Sky TV so that all the major sporting fixtures are shown there. We are continuing with the improvements to the premises. We are also able to offer rooms without a hire charge for Funerals and Baptisms held in the parish, either at Christ the King or St Augustine's. Thanks for your support of the centre. St Augustine's family centre is now in full swing and there are information leaflets at the back of church. For forward planning the dates for First Confession are 9th March (CTK) and 10th March (St Aug's) .For First Holy Communion 8th May (St Aug's) and 15th May (CTK) . Confirmations will be on 19th June at Christ the King. Bishop Kenney will administer the sacrament .Baptism DVDs still outstanding please see if you have one !!! There is a feedback form for the Camping Trip to help us plan next year !! Let us know what you think by returning the form.

God Bless.

"Patience conquers the devil"
 German Proverb

Christ The King Church		
Saturday	6.00 pm	Boylan Family Deceased.
Sunday	9.00 am 12.00 noon	People of the Parish. Joseph & Frances Molloy. Anniv.
Monday	9.15 am	Jack Norton. Anniv.
Tuesday	9.15 am	Rene & Tony Grey Ints.
Wednesday	12.00 noon	Margaret & Ken Bates Ints.
Thursday	12.00 noon	Fr. Tom's Intentions.
Friday	9.15 am 12.00 noon 6.00 pm 7.30pm	Edward Gilmore. Anniv. Martin Healy. Funeral. Peter Feeney. Months. Mind. 40 th Anniversary of Cardinal Newman Sch
Saturday	10.00 am 6.00 pm	Peter & Patricia Stowe. Ints. Fr. Michael McTernan. Anniv.
Confessions	Saturday	10.30 - 11.00 am 7.00 pm after the Evening Mass.
Holy Hour	Saturday	10.30 am to 11.30 am
St Augustine's Church		
Sunday	10.30 am	Patrick Carr. Anniv.
Wednesday	9.00 am	Barbara Stack Decd.
Confessions	First Saturday of the month.	

COLLECTIONS

Thank you for your weekly offerings:
13th September, 2009.

CTK St Augustine's
Loose Plate £593.00 £100.00
Gift Aid £806.78 £174.92
Total.....£1,674.70

SECOND COLLECTION TO-DAY FOR THE JOSEPHITE MISSION APPEAL.

This week's diary:

Monday 21st September.

7.00 pm LEGION OF MARY meet in the meeting room every Monday new members needed. Contact Deacon Pat 76335383 or Marie Cooke. 76590329.

Tuesday 22nd September.

SCRIPTURE SHARING GROUP meet in the Meeting Room after the 9.15 am Mass

10.00 am MOTHER & TODDLERS GROUP Resumes in the Library to-day.

7.00 pm YOUTH CAFÉ. Resumes after summer holidays in the Library.

7.30 pm Charismatic Prayer Group

For prayer & praise commencing with the Rosary. New members are very welcome for further information please 'phone 76334574 or 76676232.

Wednesday 23rd September.

9.00 am MOTHER & TODDLERS GROUP resumes in the Library.

7.00 pm BIBLE TALKS - in the Library. Topic this week. "THE LETTER OF ST. JAMES"

Thursday 24th September.

PATRICIAN MEETING in the Library.

BAPTISMS IN THE PARISH. If you need to arrange a baptism then as the first step please talk with Fr Tom, or Fr Paul after Mass giving your name, address and 'phone number. We will then have a home visit and give you a copy of the Baptism DVD/VIDEO. There will be just one session at the church to finalise details including the Baptism date.

YEAR OF THE PRIESTS 2009-2010.

This year we are praying for all Priests, Our diocese has allocated a specific day for us to pray for each priest individually Fr Keith Enstone, Canon David Evans, Fr Gerardo Fabrizio. Mgr Thomas Fallon. CANON Thomas Farrell, Fr Patrick Farrelly, Fr Stephen Fawcett. The full list for the year is on the Notice Board but we will name Priests on a weekly basis here.

Baby changing facilities

are provided in the Disabled Toilet.



2010 MASS DIARY IS NOW OPEN. If you want a Mass on a particular day, especially for an anniversary it is essential to book early. Masses can be booked during office hours, Monday, Tuesday Thursday Friday 9.00am to 6.00 pm and Wednesday 9.00am to 1.00pm.

BAPTISM DVD/VIDEOS

We are missing all our DVD/VIDEOS for parents who are preparing for Baptisms shortly. Please, Please look in your homes and see if you have one which you have forgotten to return.

COVENTRY INTERCULTURAL MASS.

5.30 pm TO-DAY at St. John Fisher Church, Al Welcome.

After Mass in the Centre there will be refreshments and a taste of different cultural food.

WOULD YOU LIKE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE MASS Please contact Fr. Bob at St John Fisher on 76443459.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY.

Cemetery Blessings, at 3.00 pm each day
2nd London Road, September 20th
3rd St. Paul's, September 27th

THE HEART OF ENGLAND CELEBRATE WEEKEND 2009 at CARDINAL WISEMAN SCHOOL. 24th/25th October. Booking essential on 0121 4512508. Please see Notice Board for full details.

CARDINAL NEWMAN CATHOLIC SCHOOL 40th ANNIVERSARY.

To begin a year of celebration all past students, governors, and staff are invited to a Mass at C. T. K. on Friday 25th at 7.30 pm. Following Mass there will be social evening in the Centre We are trying to collate a book of memories so if you have any 'photos, or memories to share please put them in an envelope clearly marked with your name and bring them on the night, and will be returned later.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S BROWNIES meet on a Tuesday 6.30 pm. to 8.00 pm in the Junior Hall. If your daughter is aged between 7 & 10 and would like to join please come along for details 'phone Sally Mawson on 76333239.

CHARITY DANCE IN AID OF ANTHONY NOLAN BONE MARROW FUND (In memory of Noreen Sutton 30th Anniversary) Saturday 26th Sept at CTK Parish Centre, Music by Martin Courtney & Celtic Gold. Tickets £2.50 from Centre or Con 76273229.

JENNY & KEIRAN LEE have returned from Dedza in Malawi where they distributed the mosquito nets to a primary school, and maternity hospital. They raised the money for 300 nets from cake sale at St/Aug .

An Induction Loop System is provided in the church to assist Hearing Aid Users Please switch your Hearing Aid to the 'T' Position.



Eucharistic ministers rota:

19th/20th September.

6.00 pm M.Hamlyn. C. Booth.
9.00 am J. Patterson. B. Brennan.
12.00 noon B. Edgar. J. Needham.

26th/27th September.

6.00 pm K.Moroney. J. McNulty.
9.00 am E.,Smith. R. Askew.
12.00 noon. C. Molloy. S. Carlin.

Readers Rota:

19th/20th September.

6.00 pm F.Needham. H. Blanche.
9.00 am J. Ruddy. D. Parnell.
12.00 noon P. Dolan. P. Farrell.

26th/27thSeptember.

6.00 pm E.Hughes. T.Luff.
9.00 am C.T.K. CHILDREN. J.Patterson
12.00 noon L. Baldwin. J. Jennette.

Parish Centre

www.ctl-parishcentre.co.uk

Mercia Friendship Club (over 50's)

New members welcome. 1.00 pm.
Admission 50p. 25th Sept NO MEETING.
holiday to Paighton.

Sunday night in the Centre Bingo OPEN THE BOX - JACKPOT OF £250 on 13 KEYS.

Music by "WILD ROVER"

Pyramid Draw JACKPOT OF £900.

Tickets on sale from Friday lunchtime to Sunday 2.30 pm when the draw takes place.

Member on the Spot Draw this week

£107 Remember to have your membership card with you for the "free members Draw"

ROSARY PRAYERS' every Saturday at 8.00 pm at 'Our Lady of Coventry' statue in Priory Gardens, near Holy Trinity Church, Broadgate. All welcome.

PIETY SHOP Assorted Cards and gifts available. Open at all week-end Masses.

CATHOLIC PAPERS are on sale in the Paper Stall at the back of the Church every week-end. Proceeds help the St. Vincent de Paul Society to continue its work in the Parish. Please support us by buying a Catholic Paper.

FAIR TRADE GOODS on sale every week-end in the paper shop.

Items for the newsletter email rhona-ctl@tiscali.co.uk by Thursday night



Parish Phone Numbers

Presbytery: 76591618
Parish Centre: 76593444
Christ the King Infants: 76592047
Christ the King Junior: 76335790
St Augustine's Primary: 76596988
Sports & Community Centre: 76601118
Gift Aid Organiser J.Rock: 76594318



Please switch off your mobile phone, whilst you are in the church. Thank you.

