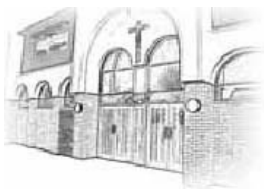


Christ the King Parish, Coventry

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

Sunday 25th October, 2009.
Thirtieth Sunday of the year. Mass book page 85.



Parish Clergy:

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

Dear Parishioners,

Next weekend we begin the month of November and our time of prayer for the Holy Souls. It is an important part of our Catholic tradition. We have had our blessing of the graves and during November we will have Masses offered for the Holy Souls and we will read out the names of your families at each Mass in November. Please use the envelopes at the back of church and let us have them back by next weekend at the latest so that we can compile the Book of Remembrance. It is so important that we pray for the Holy Souls and do not forget them. It is an important reminder to us all that this world is but a preparation for the next. We will use your donations to help us with the cost of the wheelchair lift for the centre. We are placing the order for this next week and it should be installed in a couple of months. Thanks to all who have given donations so far. Thanks to the Pioneers who now have raised £1000 with extra monies coming in this week and the Tyrone Association who shared their dance proceeds with a number of charities of which we were one. They gave us £350. I think the Parish Helpers meal was enjoyed by all. Thanks to Frank and Andy the chef and all their

staff for the excellent meal. Please pray for our new Archbishop, Bernard Longley, as he prepares for his new appointment. He will be installed on the 8th December, the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, one of our Diocesan Feast Days. There is good coverage of the appointment in the Catholic Press. Last call for Lessons in the Catholic Faith. 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 November 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 years of age by July 2011 then you can come on this trip. Give it some thought. The World Youth Day events will be in Madrid from 15th and 21st of August 2011. We hope to travel to Taize and Spain before the Papal Mass and so will be away from 10th to 24th of August about

two weeks. We have a list at the back of church for you to sign up and find out more or you can give you name to Miss Keane at Cardinal Newman. 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. Thanks for all the helpful suggestions which I am now reading and will respond to over the next few weeks. 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 St Augustine's at 9.30am and 12noon at Christ the King. Bishop Kenney will administer the sacrament. For Advent we will have an afternoon for Readers and Ministers on Sunday 29th November 4pm to 5.15pm. Reflection followed by Tea. There will be Advent Talks on Thursday 3rd and 10th December from 7pm to 8pm. In the next few weeks we will publish a leaflet giving details of all the Masses and Services for Advent and Christmas. Fr Paul will be organising an altar servers outing on November 15th. All Altar Servers welcome. Please sign up in the sacristy. Remember the Holy Souls envelopes and place them in the Holy Souls Box at the back of church or through the letter box at the presbytery.

I hope that you enjoy Half Term and that the weather will be kind.

God Bless

Fr Tom

Christ The King Church		
Saturday	6.00 pm	Alison McEnroe. Anniv.
Sunday	9.00 am	Hugh Byrne. Anniv.
	12.00 noon	Sean O'Sullivan. Anniv.
Monday	9.15 am	People of the Parish.
	12.00 noon	Phyllis Lyttle. Funeral.
Tuesday	9.15 am	Tom. Noone. Anniv.
Wednesday	12.00 noon	Josephine Clark. Decd.
	10.00 am	Ted Quinn. Funeral.
Thursday	12.00 noon	Andy Doherty. Anniv.
Friday	9.15 am	Kath. Malone's Ints.
	7.00 pm	Maisie Knight. Decd.
Saturday	10.00 am	Galvin & Williams Families Decd.
	6.00 pm	Mary Carroll. Anniv.
Confessions	Saturday	10.30 am to 11.30 am
Holy Hour	Saturday	10.30 am to 11.30 am
St Augustine's Church		
Sunday	10.30 am	Mary O'Mahoney. Anniv.
Wednesday	9.00 am	NO MASS see C.T.K. above.
Confessions	Saturday 7 th November, 11.00 am. to 11.30 am	

“ A hungry man is not a free man ”
 English Proverb

COLLECTIONS

Thank you for your weekly offerings:
18th. October, 2009.

	CTK	St Augustine's
Loose Plate	£715.00	£135.00
Gift Aid	£761.62	£163.60

Total.....£1,775.22

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEK.
for RETIRED & INFIRM CLERGY (Johnson Fund)

This week's diary:

Monday 26th October.

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 27th October.

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

10.00 am MOTHER & TODDLERS GROUP
NO MEETING MID-TERM BREAK.

5.00 pm INSTRUCTION FOR CHILDREN PREPARING FOR THE SACRAMENTS & ADULTS ENQUIRING ABOUT THE FAITH.

7.00 pm YOUTH GROUP. NO MEETING.

7.30 pm Charismatic Prayer Group

For prayer & praise commencing with the Rosary. for further information please 'phone 76334574 or 76676232.

Wednesday 28th October.

9.00 am MOTHER & TODDLERS GROUP NO MEETING MID-TERM BREAK.

1.30 pm ITALIAN CLASSES. (post intermediate) in the Library.

5.30 pm ITALIAN CLASSES. (INTERMEDIATE) IN THE Library.

7.00 pm BIBLE TALKS - in the Library. NOT THIS WEEK - MID TERM.

Thursday 29th October.

7.00 pm ITALIAN CLASSES (ADVANCED) In the Library.

Future Dates for your Diary.

Renewal of Marriage vows for all Married couples Sunday 27th December, Feast of the Holy Family.

First Confessions 9th March. (CTK) 10th March (St. Aug's)

First Holy Communion 8th May (St. Aug's) 15th May (CTK).

Confirmations will be on 19th June 9.30 am at St. Augustine's and 12 noon at C.T.K. Bishop Kenney will administer the Sacrament.

2011 WORLD YOUTH DAY IN MADRID.

BAPTISMS IN THE PARISH. if you wish 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 finalize details including Baptism date.

If you would like to receive the newsletter by email, please email admin@ctk-cov.org.uk with subject newsletter.

Baby changing facilities

are provided in the Disabled Toilet.



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 Julian Green, Fr Philip Griffin, Fr George Grynowski, Canon John Gunn, Dom. Austin Gurr, Fr Anton Guziel, Fr Francis Gwinnett. The full list is on the Notice Board, but we will name Priests on weekly basis here.

CHRIST THE KING RAINBOWS Meet on a Monday 5.30.-6.30 in Scout Hut, Cedars Avenue. If your daughter is 5/7 come along or 'phone Ann or Sarah 76594525 .

HALLOWEEN FAMILY DISCO Saturday 31st October, Upstairs, in the Centre, FAMILY TICKET(2 adults + 2 children) £6 to include a hotdog per person, available from Frank.

PIETY SHOP Advent Calendars, varied, many children's Christmas Books, & a selection of cribs, & Christmas Cards all at various prices, now available in the shops. **TUESDAY'S 5.00-6.00PM.**

INSTRUCTION FOR CHILDREN for First Holy Communion & Confirmation who are attending non Catholic Schools, and for Adults enquiring about the Faith. In the Library.

MEADOW COTTAGE DANCE Friday 6th November in the Parish Centre, Music by Celtic Gold. Tickets £3 from Pat Hobbs 76334574.

CHRIST THE KING INFANT SCHOOL. If your child will be 4 years by 31st August 2010. and you have not already done so please contact Mrs. McDonagh at the school. 76592047 to collect an application pack for admission in September 2010.

LEARNING REVOLUTION. 'PASSING IT ON' Friday 30th October there will be events at the learndirect centre based with Coventry Central Library. This is for those who want to know more about computers and the internet. From basic jargon, to setting up your own e-mail, to doing your shopping on line. All welcome to drop-in between 9.00 am to 3.00 pm.

KONEVETS QUARTET FROM ST.PETERSBURG

Concert of Russian & Sacred & Secular music Sunday 29th Nov. at 3.00 pm at Earlsdon Methodist Church, Albany Road, Tickets £8. pensioner & concessions £5. in advance from the Church, Mr C Robinson, 76501579 or on door. Money raised shared between Konevets Monastery & A. Robinson Trust.

COVENTRY PIONEER TOTAL ABSTINENCE ASSOCIATION

Are holding an afternoon retreat on Sunday 1st Nov. 2.00 pm to 4.00 pm at Holy Family Church. all welcome **CRACKLEY HALL.** Co-educational, Catholic day school 4-11 years at St. Joseph's Park, Kenilworth. Open Day Friday 13th November 10.00 am to 3.00 pm an opportunity to see the school during a working day.

LIFE IS FOR LIVING Birmingham Catholic Charismatic Renewal Sat. 7th Nov at Newman House, 29 Harrisons Rd. Edgbaston.

FAMILY CONCERT OF CLASSICAL AND POPULAR MUSIC DANCE AND POETRY.

Sun. 15th Nov 3.00 pm to 5.00pm at St. Elizabeth's Church, Foleshill. Tickets £5.50, concessions £3.50, Family ticket £9. Tickets available at the door.

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:

24th/25th October.

6.00 pm K.Moroney. J. McNulty.
9.00 am E.Smith. R.Askew.

12.00 noon C.Molloy. S. Carlin. .

31stOctober/1stNovember.

6.00 pm W.O'Sullivan. J. Burke.
9.00 am J.Parnell. B.Byrne.

12.00 noon M.Baldwin. T. Mack.

Readers Rota:

24th/25th October.

6.00 pm T.Luff. E. Hughes.
9.00 am J.Patterson. F.Hoey.

12.00 noon P. Ryan. M.Baldwin.

31st October/1stNovember.

6.00 pm F.Lambert. A.French.
9.00 am J. Griffin. O.Payne.

12.00 noon M. O'Farrell. C.Covle.

Parish Centre

www.ctk-parishcentre.co.uk

Mercia Friendship Club (over 50's)

New members welcome. 1.00 pm. Adm. 50p. 30th Oct. No meeting mid-term.

Sunday night in the Centre Bingo OPEN

THE BOX - JACKPOT OF £200 on 14 KEYS.

Music by "MALACHY CAIRNS"

Pyramid Draw JACKPOT OF £1,100.

Tickets on sale from Friday lunchtime to Sunday 2.30 pm when the draw is held.

Member on the Spot Draw this week

£155. 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-ctk@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.

