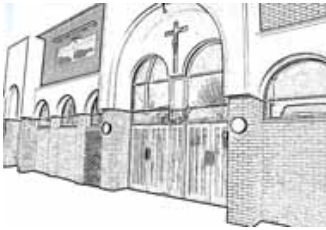


Christ the King Parish, Coventry

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



Sunday 15th June, 2008.

Eleventh Sunday of the year. Mass Book Page 44
Parish Clergy.

Very Rev Canon Tom Farrell, Parish Priest.

Father Richard Scott, Assistant Priest.

Rev Mr P Flanagan & Rev Mr GO'Reilly. Deacons.

Telephone No. 024 76591618.



Dear Parishioners

This weekend we are having our jubilee collection envelopes. It is a chance for us to thank God for all the blessings we and those we know and love have received from the Church and this parish in particular. We have received a great deal in the 75 years of the parish history and are the recipients of excellent facilities in our churches and schools. I would like us to be very generous in this collection so that we can sponsor specific projects overseen by CAFOD that will change people's lives for the good. Whatever we collect we will match from the parish funds. It will mean that we can help with the rebuilding necessary in Burma over the next months and support a project in Africa. If you are a Gift Aider your donation will be worth even more. We have not had many second collections these past weeks

so I hope we all can help. The collection will be taken this weekend as our second collection. We would like everyone to try to give at least £5 and any cheques are to be made payable to "Christ the King Parish". Thanks for your help with this. It is something we can be proud of. Please remember our student for the priesthood, Dominic Coslett, he was ordained as a Deacon on Saturday at Oscott College. I was able to attend and give him our best wishes. Please God this time next year we will be celebrating his ordination to the priesthood here at Christ the King. Sadly Geoffrey Robinson our MP voted with the Government on the four points of the Human Fertilisation and Embryology Act. I will put together more details over the next week so that you are aware

of his position in relation to our own. Labour has enjoyed Catholic, Irish and working class votes but I know that many feel they are not sensitive to some of our views and vote with little reference to them. I would like to make him aware of our concerns and our wish to be well represented. Rather than us all writing I would like to compose a response to him and send it in your name having let you have sight of it. Our Youth Group will be doing car washes this weekend so that you can have your car washed while you are in church. Car Washing will be in the school playground. This will be one of their last fundraising events and we want to thank all the parishioners who have helped with dances over the last year. The Youth Talent Night raised £1300 last weekend, and in total £20,000 will have been raised over the last 18 months so thanks to all. The Blessed Sacrament Procession will now be on the 29th June and not the 22nd as originally planned this is to avoid a clash with a cycling project that many of the children and their families are involved in. We will have the procession as part of the 12noon Mass followed by a picnic on the school field. Thanks to all who arranged the Football Dinner Dance. Gala weekend is July 5/6th, and we hope to start a Girls section of the football club next season, see details overleaf. God Bless

Fr Tom

Pause for thought:
"We should try to stop complaining about what we don't have and make more use of what we do have"

Christ The King Church		
Saturday	6.00 pm	Ted Keane. Anniv.
Sunday	9.00 am 12.00 noon	Annie & John Neary. Anniv. Michael Peyton. Ints.
Monday	9.15 am	Michael Hennessy. Decd.
Tuesday	9.15 am	Mag Cox. Anniv.
Wednesday	12.00 noon	Bridget & Bill Cullinane. Ints.
Thursday	12.00 noon	Matt. Cavanagh. Decd.
Friday	9.15 am 7.00 pm	Nancy Turner. Anniv. Bridie Purcell. Anniv.
Saturday	10.00 am 6.00 pm	Joan Stone. Anniv. Con.&Caroline Corkerry Ints.
Confessions	Saturday	10.30 am to 11.30 am 7.00 pm After Mass
Rosary & Benediction	Sunday	4.00 pm
St. Augustine's Church		
Sunday	10.30 am	People of the Parish.
Wednesday	9.00 am	Margaret Parsons. Anniv.
Confessions		First Saturday of month.

COLLECTIONS

Thank you for your weekly offerings on 1st June 2008.

<u>Christ the King</u>	<u>St. Augustine's</u>
Loose Plate £597.00	£135.00
Gift Aid £812.40	£164.50
Total.....£1,708.90	

SECOND COLLECTION TO-DAY IS THE JUBILEE COLLECTION.

Envelopes available at the back of the Church.

This week's diary:

Tuesday 17th June

SCRIPTURESHARING GROUP meet in the Meeting Room after the 9.15 am Mass.
10.00 am MOTHER & TODDLERS GROUP

7.00 pm YOUTH CAFÉ in the Library.
7.30 pm Charismatic Prayer Group For prayer and praise commencing with the Rosary. New members are very welcome for further information please phone 76334574 or 76676232.

Wednesday 18th June

9.00 am MOTHER & TODDLERS GROUP

Thursday 19th June

7.45 pm PATRICIANS Meeting in the Library

Pastoral Care project.

Could volunteers, please return "HOME VISIT FORMS" To Presbytery letter box. Many thanks.

Baptisms in the Parish.

We will be changing some of the arrangements for Baptism Preparation. Instead of the two sessions for parents we will have a home visit and give out a copy of the Baptism DVD/VIDEO and then there will be just one session to finalise details including the date for Baptism. If you need to arrange a baptism then as the first step please talk with Fr. Tom after Mass giving us details of address and 'phone number.

Baptism DVD/Videos.

We lend these to couples preparing for their child's Baptism, if you have one please return it to the Presbytery as we need them for couples arranging for the next course. Still some have not been returned.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSIONS

CHRIST THE KING 29th June we will process with the Blessed Sacrament to the Junior School for Benediction. Following which we will have family lunch, in school grounds.
Christ the Kings Girls Football. We are hoping to start an under 12's Girls team and perhaps other age groups if enough interest. Please phone 02476 402301 if interested

"JOB VACANCY" CAFOD Diocesan Manager (fixed term maternity cover until April 2009) based in Walsall. Do you have an interest in global justice, do you want to help people understand the issues and take action? The successful candidate will be required to provide a CRB DISCLOSURE. SEE www.cafod.org.uk/jobs. or call 02070955601 close date 17th June.

ST.AUGUSTINE'S SPORTS CENTRE.

LADIES ONLY MORNING. Every Wednesday 9.00 am to 12 noon. Come along and use our friendly Gym or try your hand at BADMINTON, SQUASH or RACKETBALL. All equipment is free to use, and instruction will be our pleasure. Only £2.50 each, with a free cup of tea or coffee afterwards. Contact Tim or Allan on 76601118 if you have any questions.

REFUGEE WEEK 14th to 21st JUNE.

Many events are planned in Coventry every day this week. Please see the notice board for further information or pick up a leaflet at the back of the Church.

THE PATRICIANS. This is a monthly discussion group that meets to discuss different aspects of the Catholic Faith helping us to know more of our gift of faith. This months topic is PAPAL INFALLIBILITY. ON Thursday next 7.45 pm in the Library.

KAIROS WWT(Women Working Together) are seeking to recruit A Project Manager - full time and a Volunteer Coordinator - full time. Full details on the Notice Board, closing date for applications Friday 27th June.

Eucharistic ministers rota

14th/15th June
6.00 pm C.Booth. M.Hamlyn.
9.00 am P.Hobbs. B.Brennan.
12.00 Noon J.Needham. C.Gilleran.
21st/22nd June
6.00 pm K.Moroney. J. McNulty.
9.00 am E. Smith. P.J. Stephenson.
12.00 noon S.Needham. C. Molloy. .

Readers rota

14th/15th June
6.00 pm R.Ladbury. W.O'Sullivan. .
9.00 am D.Parnell. J.Ruddy.
12.00 noon L.Baldwin. P.Dolan.
21st/22nd June
6.00 pm T. Luff. E.Hughes.
9.00 am C.T.K. CHILDREN. F.Hoey.
12.00 noon M.Baldwin. F.Needham.

Parish Centre

Mercia Friendship Club (for the over 50's) in the Parish Centre every FRIDAY at 1.00 pm Admission 50p. New members always welcome. On 21st June. LINE DANCING 7 BINGO.

SUNDAY NIGHT IN THE CENTRE. Bingo. - music by "WILD ROVER" OPEN THE BOX - has a Jackpot of £447 on 8 keys.

PYRAMID DRAW takes place every weekend in the Centre. Tickets are on sale from Friday lunchtime, through to Sunday 2.30.p.m. when the draw takes place. The Jackpot this week is £1,350. Remember to have your membership card with you for the "Free members Draw" which was won last week, so we start again this week.

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.

Email

Items for the newsletter can be sent by email to rhona-ctk@tiscali.co.uk Items need to be in by Thursday night for Friday printing.

Parish Phone Numbers

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

