



HOLY FAMILY RC CHURCH COVENTRY

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Today is Divine Mercy Sunday. According to the diary of St. Faustina, Jesus said: "...tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls, and especially poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon the souls who approach the Fount of My Mercy. On that day all the divine floodgates through which graces flow are opened. Let no soul fear to draw near to Me, even though its sins be as scarlet.... Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My Mercy". (Diary 699).

The Confessional in church has been renovated and is ready for use again. Don't just look in and admire the work! Please do come often to the Sacrament of Confession.

PLEASE REMEMBER TO COLLECT YOUR BOXES OF OFFERTORY ENVELOPES FROM THE PORCH.

The Annual Sponsored Walk

For the work of Fr Sarves Mission in India will take place on Sunday 15th April. Collection of sponsored monies before an after Masses this weekend of 7th and 8th April

The Mothers Prayers will resume again after the Monday Mass on Monday 9th April.

There will be a **Pound Envelope** fund raiser for the parish in June. The parish will give you all envelopes with a pound in and ask you to go and double your pound (or increase it by as much as you can!) by way of fundraising. Some put their pounds together and have coffee mornings in their houses, others hold plant sales or cake sales. The gospel story of the talents is the inspiration behind this fundraising challenge! We have three weeks before bringing back the envelopes with the original pound in or with the new amount raised. All proceeds to parish projects.

1st Holy Communion For those children who are not at Holy Family school and are intending to make 1st Holy Communion in May there will be confessions in church at 10 00 am on Saturday 21st April.

2nd Sunday of Easter

Saturday	7th April	6 00pm	
Sunday	8th April	10 00 am	
Monday	9th April	9 15 am	
Tuesday	10th April	9 15 am	
Wednesday	11th April	9 15 am	
Thursday	12th April	9 15 am	Funeral Service
Thursday	12th April	12 Noon	
Friday	13th April	9 15 am	Exposition 8.00 am

Confessions Saturday 5 15 pm – 5 45 pm

Saturday	14th April	6 00 pm
Sunday	15th April	10 00 am

Mass Book 259

John Scally RIP
John Duffin RIP

For the Parish Sick & Housebound
Sean Costello RIP
Shelagh Gleve RIP
Teresa Robson RIP
William Hearne
John Ferry RIP

Terry Ferguson RIP (6th A)
Edward Noble RIP (A)

Please Note This Thursday there is a Funeral Service at 9 15 am so Mass will be at 12 noon
Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Friday @8.00am until before Mass Friday 13th April

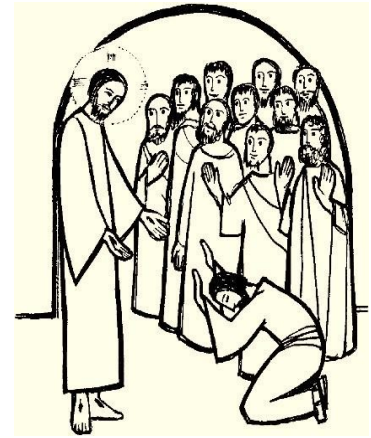
Website Links: Diocese: www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk
 Deanery: www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk
 School: www.holyfamily.coventry.sch.uk

Head Teachers: Holy Family: Grainne Griffiths
 Cardinal Newman: Marina Kelly

Parish Safeguarding Reps: Debbie O'Donoghue,
 Grainne Griffiths
 Paul & Ann Yielding

Gift Aid:
 HForce Youth Group: Every Second Thursday
 Young at Heart: Coffee, tea; chat, friendship, in the Hall
 Thursdays at 10.00am.
 Toddlers Group: Tuesday mornings 9.15 am-11.15 am
 Parish Centre Information and bookings 02476 336345
 Parish Grounds Tidy Up Team. Monday's 2.00pm volunteers

Marriages and Baptisms please refer to Fr Pat

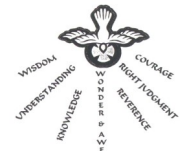


Weekend 14th April/15th April Parish Ministers

	6 00 pm	10.00am
Extraordinary Ministers:	Anne Stapleton Tony Stapleton Liz Mayne Joyce Smyth Patsy McHendry	Patricia Davies Carmel O'Sullivan Ashling Richardson Dympna Campbell Grainne Griffiths
Readers:	Gabrielle Lynagh T Baptistdias	Kim Nghiem, Caitlain Nghiem
Counters:	Brian Lynagh Jill Murphy	
100 Club Collectors:	Brian Lynagh	Nellie Martin

Piety Stall.

Religious objects and cards on sale weekly.



Please pray for the elderly, the housebound & sick;
Margaret Keane, Norah Shaw, Michael Moten, Mary Maloney, Theresa, Lelia Kierans, Baby Sofia Rose, Jill Regan, William Hearne, Brian Burke, Cheryl Kenny, Frank Mulligan, Sarah Higgins, Peggy Crean and all in care homes, or hospital. May they know Jesus' healing touch. For the recently dead.
Teresa Robson Kim Simmons & John Callen

Please pray...
 For Christian Unity
 For a joyful faith
 For the bereaved...
 For peace in our hearts...
 For victims of violence...
 For family Life
 For an increase in Faith
 For Pro-Life issues
 For prayers answered
 For Pope Francis
 For priests and deacons
 For the newly baptised
 For peace in the world...
 For all the lapsed...
 For the parish...
 for First Holy Communions in May...
 for vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life...

The Parish Live Stream Web Cam:
hf-cov.org.uk

Monday Grounds team Mondays 2.00pm Helping to keep the grounds around the church neat and tidy. New people always welcome!

Youth Group **H-Force** meet every other Thursday evenings in the hall. See Laura and the youth board **More adult volunteers needed See Laura or Fr Pat**

Knitting In the Church Monthly on the first Monday's 10 am until 11 00am next meeting is June 4th

Weekly Offerings: Gift Aid £103 Loose £46 Thank you! Holy Places £311.19

Church Cleaning: Sunday 15th April Team 2: Tamil Community Thurs 26th April Team 3: Angela McKeever & Co.

Birmingham Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes Sat 26th May—Friday 1st June

COVENTRY IRISH SOCIETY

is launching a month-long exhibition, 'Irish Heart, Coventry Home' at the Herbert Art Gallery and Museum. For further information ring 024 7625 6629 or website http://www.theherbert.org/whats_on/1242/irish_heart_coventry_home

ADOREMUS NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC PILGRIMAGE & CONGRESS " I AM THE BREAD OF LIFE" 7TH-9TH SEPTEMBER 2018 SEE NOTICE BOARD FOR FURTHER DETAILS. THE DEANERY HAS 30 PLACES LET ME KNOW IF YOU WANT TO GO.

Children's Liturgy Rota : Break for Holidays Back Soon!

CORPUS CHRISTI SCHOOL – HEADTEACHER VACANCY The Archdiocese in partnership with The Romero Catholic Academy and the Academy Committee of Corpus Christi Catholic Primary School are seeking to appoint an outstanding leader who has the vision to create 'moments that matter'. For further information please visit our website below: www.romeromac.com/vacancies. Please note the closing date for this vacancy is noon Monday 23rd April 2018

100 Club Winners March
 1st £400 No.271 P L Yates
 2nd £200 No.273 Jean Greene
 3rd £100 No. 86 Mrs E Jones

Kim Simmons funeral details: Thursday 19th April Reception 6 pm
 Friday 20th April Requiem Mass @12 noon