



# HOLY FAMILY RC CHURCH COVENTRY

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## Children's Liturgy 10 am Lorraine 3rd Feb Vivien 10th Feb

**PARKING OUTSIDE OF CHURCH.** OVER THE NEXT MONTH PARKING IN THE CHURCH CAR PARK WILL BE PHASED OUT. THE HALL IS ADEQUATE FOR PARKING FOR MASS AND ONLY THOSE WHO ARE UNABLE TO WALK OR WHO NEED ASSISTANCE TO WALK WILL BE ABLE TO PARK IN THE CHURCH CAR PARK. THE NEW CAR PARKING WILL BEGIN ON SUNDAY 17TH FEBRUARY I AM LOOKING FOR TWO VOLUNTEERS TO BE ON THE MAIN GATE ON THAT SUNDAY AND THE FOLLOWING SUNDAY DIRECTING ALL (EXCEPT THOSE WHO FIND IT DIFFICULT TO WALK) TO THE CAR PARK IN THE HALL. THE OUTSIDE OF THE CHURCH IS FOR DISABILITY NOT FOR LATE COMERS TO ABANDON CARS IN A HAPHAZARD WAY!

The main body of the church is being painted. Due to this the weekday Masses will begin at 9 00 am There is exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 7 45 am on Friday morning until 9.00am

**Confirmation:** on the 13th February Archbishop Bernard Longley will be coming to the parish to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation. This Sunday at 10.00am the readings and bidding prayers will be led by the year 6 children preparing to receive the sacrament. Please pray for our parish family as we seek to deepen the gift of faith in our lives.

**Woodworm!** The decorating of the church has uncovered a more extensive infestation of woodworm. At the back of the church the structures where the 100 club is housed has extensive woodworm damage, despite treatment which did solve the problem there for a while it has returned. Also out in the porch the piety door frame and the skirting boards leading to the stairs also have woodworm and need to be replaced, Going up to the organ loft the sad discovery was made that the organ was riddled with woodworm too. It is not possible to repair it and it will have to be taken out along with some of the other chairs and items stored up there. It is a consequence of repair and maintenance, finding these problems helps us to make the most of the repairs needed while the decorators are still here. It adds to the cost but the painting of the church, the new altar and lighting has been a real joy for parishioners, and despite the cost, it has been very much worth the effort.

**THE 3 HAIL MARY'S PLAY** - written by Tommy Marren (Co. Sligo) Thursday 14th & Friday 15th March @ 7.30pm, South & City College, Digbeth, Birmingham B5 5SU. For ticket information please contact: John Fitzgerald 0121 622 3763

## 4th Sunday Ordinary Time Year C

Saturday	2nd Feb	6 00pm
<b>Sunday</b>	3rd Feb	10 00 am
Monday	4th Feb	9 00 am
Tuesday	5th Feb	9 00 am
Wednesday	6th Feb	9 00 am
Thursday	7th Feb	9.00am
Friday	8th Feb	9 00 am

### **Confessions 5 15 pm 5 45 pm**

Saturday	9th Feb	6 00 pm
Sunday	10th Feb	10 00 am

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George Anthony Boyle RIP  
Pat & Tina Taggart RIP  
Rosaleen Mulligan RIP  
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Tony Hateley RIP  
Jean Smith RIP  
Vera Thomas RIP

Angel Javier Prieto Loaiza RIP  
Olive & Roman Szul RIP  
**Ray Renfrey RIP**

Website Links: Diocese: [www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk](http://www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk)  
 Deanery:  
[www.coventrycatholicdeanery.org.uk](http://www.coventrycatholicdeanery.org.uk)  
 School: [www.holyfamily.coventry.sch.uk](http://www.holyfamily.coventry.sch.uk)

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

Parish Safeguarding Reps: Grainne Griffiths Sarah Collins  
 Gift Aid: Paul & Ann Yielding  
 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



**Weekend 9th/10th February Parish Ministers**

	<b>6 00 pm</b>	<b>10.00am</b>
<b>Extraordinary Ministers:</b>	Angela Gough Derrick Gough Emma Sheehan Julie Hughes Mary Murray	Kathy Layng, Teresa O'Keefe Kim Ashby, Sean Jones Niroshani Rigtters
<b>Readers:</b>	Tony Kiely	Kim Nghiem, Caitlain Nghiem
<b>Counters:</b>	Kevin McKeever Tony Roberts Ron Kelly	
<b>100 Club Collection:</b>	Helen Driscoll	Nellie Martin

**Piety Stall.**

Religious objects and cards on sale weekly.

**Exposition Blessed Sacrament Friday 7 45 am until 9 am**

Please pray for the elderly, the housebound & sick; **Ann Arkil, Bridie Cave, Fr Denis McGillicuddy, Fr George Bennett, Theresa, Joanne Gilsenan, Nigel Symonds, Peggy Crean, Michael Moten, Lelia Kierans, Brian Burke, Cheryl Kenny, Sarah Higgins, and Shawn Chadbourn, Julia O'Keefe** and all in care homes, or hospital. May they know Jesus' healing touch. For the recently dead **Angela Reardon & John "Sean" Duncan**

Please pray...  
 For Christian Unity  
 For peace of mind  
 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 peace in the world...  
 For all the lapsed...  
 For the parish...  
 for the Homeless...  
 for vocations to the priesthood and consecrated life...  
 The Parish Live Stream Web Cam:  
[hf-cov.org.uk](http://hf-cov.org.uk)

**Monday Grounds** team Mondays 2.00pm We are down to 2 people who come to help keep the grounds tidy if you feel you can join them please just come along, tea and biscuits come as part of the package!

**Weekly Offerings:** Gift Aid £440 Loose £582.44 Thank You

**Knitting** Monthly on the first Monday's 10 am until 11 00am

**Cleaning Rota for January, 2018**

Thursday 31st January: Team 3- Angela McKeever & Team.  
 Saturday 9th February Team 4 Brendan Noonan and Co

**Mother Prayers after Mass on Monday.**

We have had this past week two donations of £1000 each towards the decoration of the church. Many thanks for your kindness.

**COVENTRY TYRONE ASSOCIATION** – Annual Dance on Friday 15th February at Christ the King Centre. Admission £5 – Music by "Ally Harron and Marian Curry". Proceeds on the night will go to Prostate Cancer.

**"My house shall be called a house of prayer"** Please be sensitive to those who want to pray in silence before Mass.  
**Before Mass Talk to God**  
**During Mass Listen to God**  
**After Mass Talk to each other**



**"Reverence speaks louder than words!"**

**PRINCETHORPE – OUR LADY'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL** Head Teacher as from September 2019. Closing Date: Monday 25th February; for details please email: [admin3561@we-learn.com](mailto:admin3561@we-learn.com) or 'phone: 01926 632385.

**On Monday 11th February the feast of Our Lady of Lourdes Mass will be at 10 am and there will be anointing of the sick during the Mass. Any housebound parishioners that can come would be welcome. This Mass will be followed by tea and bacon sandwiches in the Meeting room in church.**