

# Holy Family RC Church Coventry

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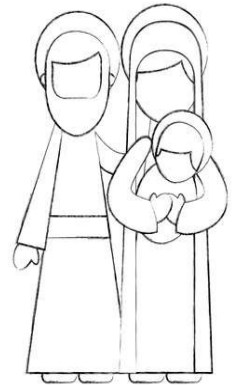
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## St Peter and St Paul

These two founding pillars of the church represent the strength of the church at its best. Though beset with weaknesses both are willing to trust in the goodness of Christ to enable them to reach out and touch the world. Plaster cast saints are nice to look at. They can be pleasing to the eye but are far removed from the toil that made the saint in the first place. This is true of Peter and Paul who became saints in the midst of a hostile world and despite them being blest with personal flaws and weaknesses. Their faithfulness to Christ is our inspiration. Their unswerving devotion to Christ is our role model and example. They are far removed from our day and yet they fly in the face of half-hearted or lukewarm attitudes. Faith was very uncomplicated for them, do you believe or not? Choose life or death. They were very different characters Peter a common man, a hot head, who was very vocal and very loyal to Christ. Paul was more an intellectual, more studied but who was also loyal to Christ. Their differences encourage us greatly.

St Peter & St Paul teach us many things. They teach us that the church is made up of many differences, in people and understandings, in diversity the church is made up. Each person in the church has a part to play as living stones in the temple of the church. Instead of our differences being causes of conflict, why not allow them to be a source for rejoicing.

*"To confess the Lord by letting oneself be taught by God; to be consumed by love for Christ and his Gospel; to be servants of unity. These, dear brother bishops, are the tasks which the holy apostles Peter and Paul entrust to each of us, so that they can be lived by every Christian" Pope Francis*

## PARKING OUTSIDE OF CHURCH

**ONLY THOSE WHO HAVE DIFFICULTY WALKING SHOULD BE PARKING OUTSIDE THE CHURCH. THE HALL CAR PARK IS SUFFICIENT FOR PARKING.**

## Summer Gala Day Sunday 14th July

Tickets are available for the raffle. Please don't take tickets and leave unsold ones at home. You can bring back tickets as soon as they are sold. If you have good quality items or nearly new items for the Gala please bring them to the church and we will store them in the church until the day. Bottles will be useful for sale on the bottle stalls. If you can help on the day please let Fr Pat know. Please support the Gala in any way you can and pray for good weather!

Peter Martin Fundraising for the Alzheimer's Society Walking 550 miles on the Camino de Santiago 11th July– 25th August  
www.justgiving.com/fundraising/Peter-Martin74  
More details on the poster in church.

**Pioneers meeting at Christ the King Library Friday 5th July at 7 30pm All welcome** The Pioneer Rally this Saturday 29th June Followed in the hall by dance with entertainment by "Little Jimmy" All welcome

## **SOLEMNITY OF ST'S PETER AND PAUL APOSTLES**

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>29TH JUNE</b>	<b>6 00PM</b>	<b>VIGIL</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>30TH JUNE</b>	<b>10 00 AM</b>	
<b>MONDAY</b>	<b>1ST JULY</b>	<b>9 15 AM</b>	
<b>TUESDAY</b>	<b>2ND JULY</b>	<b>9 15 AM</b>	
<b>WEDNESDAY</b>	<b>3RD JULY</b>	<b>9 15 AM</b>	
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>4TH JULY</b>	<b>9 15 AM</b>	
<b>THURSDAY</b>	<b>4TH JULY</b>	<b>9 30 AM</b>	<b>@HOLY FAMILY SCHOOL</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>5TH JULY</b>	<b>9 15 AM</b>	

**CONFESSIONS 5 15 PM –545PM**

<b>SATURDAY</b>	<b>6TH JULY</b>	<b>6 00PM</b>	<b>VIGIL</b>
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>7TH JULY</b>	<b>10 00 AM</b>	

**EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT FRIDAY 745AM UNTIL 9 00 AM**

## **MASS PAGE 177-180**

**STUART JOHN SMITH 30TH A RIP PHILIP & CLARE GILHEANEY WED A CAMILLO & FILOTEA CELSO RIP**  
**RITA FERGUSON RIP A**  
**NELLIE MARTIN INTS**  
**PETER GARNETT INTS**  
**WINNIE & JAMES HUGHES RIP**  
**RECEPTION CLASS**  
**FR PAT 27TH ORDINATION A**

**SIMON WOODHOUSE RIP**

**JOHNNY LYNCH RIP A CARMEL & JOHN O'SULLIVAN 50TH WED A**

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  
 Acting Head Cardinal Newman: Emma French  
 Holy Cross Academy 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 2pm volunteers  
 Marriages and Baptisms please refer to Fr Pat



**Weekend 6th/ 7th July Parish Ministers**

	<b>6 00pm</b>	<b>10 00 am</b>
<b>Extraordinary Ministers:</b>	Mary Byrne Robert Cramp Marie Burton Rita McDonald	Clare Gilheaney Kevin Coughlan Philip Gilheaney, Mary Jones, Merin Joy Gerry Campbell
<b>Readers:</b>	Julie Hughes Mary Skaag	Gerry Campbell
<b>Counters:</b>	Derrick & Angela Gough	
<b>100 Club Collection:</b>	<b>Brian Lynagh</b>	<b>Jill Murphy</b>

**Piety Stall.**

Open before/ after  
 Masses Saturdays  
 and Sundays  
 Religious objects  
 and cards on sale  
 weekly. Mass Cards  
 and gifts, too.

Please pray...

- For Christian Unity
- For our parish schools
- For our parish families
- For the bereaved...
- For peace in our hearts...
- For victims of violence...
- For Pro-Life issues

**PARISH YOUTH GROUP**

WE ARE HOPING TO REVIVE THE YOUTH GROUP IN SEPTEMBER. WE HAVE WILLING YOUNG VOLUNTEERS FROM THE PARISH WHO ARE AT CARDINAL NEWMAN WHO WANT TO TAKE PART IN HELPING TO ORGANISE AND RUN OUR YOUTH GROUP. WHAT WE NEED IS ADULT SUPERVISION TO HELP WITH THE YOUTH GROUP. SO IF THERE IS ANYONE WILLING TO HELP WITH THE FORMATION OF THE YOUTH GROUP PLEASE LET FR PAT KNOW. THE AGE GROUP FOR THE YOUTH IS IN THE RANGE OF YEAR SIX UPWARDS. IT IS A VITAL SIGN FOR THE FUTURE OF THE CHURCH OUR YOUNG PEOPLE HAVE MUCH TO OFFER AND WE PRAY FOR THIS IMPORTANT MINISTRY IN THE CHURCH.



**"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**

Please pray for the elderly, the housebound & sick; **Jill Regan, John Bratt, Delia Forbes, Imelda Cunningham, Peter Gordon, Richard Moore, Bridie Cave, Joan Harrington, Theresa, Joanne Gilsean, Peggy Crean, Michael Moten, Lelia Kierans, Brian Burke, Cheryl Kenny, Sarah Higgins, Julia O'Keefe** and all in care homes, or hospital. May they know Jesus' healing touch. For the recently dead **Susan Thornicroft**

The Parish Live Stream Web Cam:  
[hf-cov.org.uk](http://hf-cov.org.uk)

**Monday Grounds** team Mondays 2.00pm tea provided!

**Weekly Offerings:** Gift Aid £180.50 Loose £485.67  
 Thank You Thank you also for those who contribute via Standing orders

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

**Cleaning Rota Tuesday 9th July: Team 1- Una McKeown & Team.**

**Sunday 21st July: Team 2- Tamil Community.**

**Thursday 1st August: Team 3 - Angela McKeever & Team.**

**Saturday 10th August: Brendan Noonan & Team.**

**Sunday 18th August: Team 2- Tamil Community.**

**Tuesday 27th August: Team 1- Una McKeown & Team.**

*Mother Prayers after Mass on Monday's*

**Children's liturgy** at the 10 00 am Mass Sunday 30th June Grainne Lorraine Sunday 7th July Debbie Sunday 14th Gala Day

**Antony is a parishioner and student at Cardinal Newman** Hi, my name is Antony Kariuki. In the coming month (August 2019) I will be leaving to Zengguofan School in Hunan, China for a gap year with the charity Project Trust. During this time, I will be teaching English to young people in need of support. For this to happen, I need to fundraise £6200- I have already managed to raise £4300, however I would like to ask for your support to help me get closer to the end goal. Please feel free to donate through my fundraising link or you could also get in direct contact with me. Thanks. Fundraising link: <https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/antony-kariuki> My email is antonykariuki888@gmail.com My phone number is : 07452841018