

**FATIMA CENTENARY PLENARY INDULGENCE:** Our Pope Francis has granted a Jubilee Year with plenary indulgence from 27 November 2016 to 26 November 2017, to the faithful who go on pilgrimage to the Sanctuary of Fatima, or visit an image of Our Lady of Fatima being publicly venerated in any suitable place on 13th of each month, from May to October 2017, and pray the "Our Father, recite the Creed and invoke Our Lady of Fatima. Those unable to travel due to age, illness or other serious cause, can join spiritually in the celebrations through offering their prayer, suffering and sacrifices in front of a small image of Our Lady of Fatima on the day of the apparitions. To obtain the plenary indulgence the faithful must also make a sacramental confession with true repentance and a Eucharistic Communion and pray for the Holy Father's intentions.

**THANKSGIVING MASS:** A Mass of Thanksgiving for the five deanery Priests who are celebrating Jubilees this year, will be held at Holy Family church at 7.00 pm on Friday 30th June. All welcome.

**COVENTRY PIONEER REGIONAL COMMITTEE:** Feast of the Sacred Heart Annual Mass on Friday 23rd June at 7.00pm at the St John Vianney Church, Mount Nod Way, Coventry, CV5 7GX. All welcome.

**DAY FOR LIFE 17/18 JUNE 2017:** As you may already be aware, this weekend of 17/18<sup>th</sup> June has been designated as this year's 'Day for Life'. This year's Day for Life is particularly significant as it is 50 years since the 1967 Abortion Act was passed in England, Scotland and Wales. That anniversary in October will be marked in various ways. This year's *Day for Life* provides us with an opportunity to pray for and remember all lives lost before birth and to offer practical and emotional support to women and men who are worried and concerned about an unexpected pregnancy. For those who have had an abortion, this anniversary year is a reminder that 50 years on: "there is no sin that God's mercy cannot reach and wipe away when it finds a repentant heart seeking to be reconciled with the Father" (Pope Francis, Apostolic Letter, *Misericordia et misera*, 12). There will be a second collection this weekend to support Day for Life. Proceeds of the collection will go to the Anscombe Bioethics Centre and other Church-supported life activities.

**YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR** the repose of the soul of **Kathleen Seary**, member of our Parish, who died on 4th June 2017. Her body will be received into Christ the King church on Wednesday 21st June at 6pm and her funeral will be on Thursday 22nd June at 12pm. We also pray for **Ted (Peter) Casey**, who died on Thursday 15th June 2017. His funeral will be announced soon. May they rest in peace.

**EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS AND READERS ROTAS:** The new rotas are available in the Sacristy.

**HAPPY FATHER'S DAY!** This Sunday we will celebrate Fathers' Day. So, we pray for all fathers and we wish them a good health, joy and happiness. May God keep them safe and pass his blessings onto them.

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### SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST. DAY FOR LIFE.

Reading Year A Parish Mass Book P. 83 - Psalter 3.  
Preface 1 of the Most Holy Eucharist - Eucharistic Prayer II.

**Sunday 18th June 2017**



**"I am the living bread which has come down from heaven. Anyone who eats this bread will live forever" (Jn.6:51).**

Dear parishioners, today with the whole Church, we celebrate the Solemnity of the Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ. It is the loving mystery that Jesus established the Eucharist at the Last Supper to feed us on our journey through life and on 1st August 1264, pope Urban IV instituted the feast of the body and Blood of Jesus. In today's gospel, Jesus lets us know that he is the living bread that come down from heaven. If anyone eats this bread, he will live forever; and the bread that he shall give is his flesh, for the life of the world. As food and drink nourish our body, so Christ, the

**Mass times and Intentions:**

<b>Saturday</b>	<b>17th</b>	<b>05.00pm</b>	Michael Costelloe - RIP/ Maureen Tault-Ann
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>18th</b>	<b>Solemnity of the Most Holy Body &amp; Blood of Christ.</b>	
		<b>10.00am</b>	Bill Wynne & Michael Kavanagh - RIP.

**THE ORDINARY TIME - WEEK 11TH - YEAR A - READINGS 1**

Monday	19th	09.00am	Patrick Cahill - RIP
Tuesday	20th	<i>Memorial of St. Anthony of Padua, P. &amp; Dr. of the Church.</i>	
		09.15am	Harry Doyle - RIP.
Wednesday	21st	<i>Memorial of St. Aloysius Gonzaga, Religious.</i>	
		09.00am	<b>Eucharistic Service.</b>
Thursday	22nd	<i>Feast of Ss. John Fisher, B. &amp; Thomas More, Martyrs.</i>	
		09.00am	<b>Eucharistic Service</b> , followed by Divine Mercy Prayers & Exposition.
Friday	23rd	<i>Solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus.</i>	
		06.00pm	<i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament.</i>
		07.00pm	<i>Victims of London fired</i> <i>Kathleen Seary - RIP.</i>
Saturday	24th	<i>Solemnity of the Nativity of John the Baptist.</i>	
		10.00am	<b>Eucharistic Service.</b>
		<b>05.00pm</b>	Michael Costelloe - RIP/ Maureen Tault-Ann Jeannette Lohoues - Birthday.
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>25th</b>	<b>Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time.</b>	
		<b>10.00am</b>	Mrs. Enid O'Shaughnessy - Ann. Harry & Frances Allsopp - Ann.

**CONFESSIONS** Saturday After morning Mass & evening Mass.  
**BAPTISM & WEDDINGS:** By appointment.

<b>E. MINISTERS</b>	Saturday	05.00pm	A. Pegg / A. Tourville.
<b>24th &amp; 25th June</b>	Sunday	10.00am	C.Knox /S. O'Connell/C. Ali.
<b>READERS</b>	Saturday	05.00pm	M. Mathew.
<b>24th &amp; 25th June</b>	Sunday	10.00am	C. Knox /H. Tigbe.

**LAST WEEK OFFERTORY:** £499.50. (Including Gift Aid)

**GIFT AID:** £275.39.

**PARISH MAINTENANCE:** £98.05. *Thank you for your generosity.*

**A 2ND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND FOR THE DAY FOR LIFE.**

**A 2ND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND FOR PETER'S PENCE.**

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY** at 10am Mass of this Sunday.

**TEA & COFFEE IN THE PARISH HALL** after 10am Mass to support " *Mary's Meals*"

**CLEANING ROTA** for Wednesday 21st June 2017 - Parish Team.

**COUNTING TEAM** next Sunday 25th June 2017 - Harte Team.

**DIVINE MERCY PRAYERS & EXPOSITION:** Thursdays at 9:30am. All welcome.

**NO GOSPEL SHARE**

**CATECHESIS:** Every Saturday. Lessons will be held weekly from **11-12pm for Confirmation Candidates. For 1st Holy Communion Candidates**, their lessons will resume at the end of November 2017. If there are any queries, please contact Christine Knox at 02476 468732.

**LET US PRAY FOR THE SICK AND ELDERLY OF OUR PARISH:** Jim O'Brien, Mary Hewson, Maureen Daly, Mary Hayes, Keith Evans, Madeline Huntbach, Maureen Weir, Bridie Cooke, Phyllis Sage, Noreen McCarthy, Kathleen Cashman, Maria Fletcher, Rene Costelloe, Mary A Hayes, Robert Dick, John Doran, Ellen Wynne, Nora Noonan, Peter O'Hara, Margaret Wess, Lynda Thomas, Mavis Booth, Margaret Hall, James Lloyd-Cameron, Rev. Michael Wright, Kathleen Ollis. Mavis Booth Doris Wise, Hannah Milner, Delia O'Hagan, Bridie Birch, Betty Neary, Bernie McCarthy, Barbara McGwynn. Joan Kennedy, May Gillon and Mary O'Neil.

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Nicola Forward, Margaret Thompson, Bernard Joseph Conboy, Thomas John McCarthy, Annie Joan Corcoran, Margaret McDonald, Bridget Murray, Elizabeth McDonnell, Bradley Russell Maddison, Robert Burns, Mary Duffin, Baby Ethan W. Brooks, Bridie Griffin, Raymond Batt, Kieran Bruggy, Margaret Josephine Quinn, Mary (Maureen) Tault and Anne Frances Peavoy.

**CAN YOU SPARE A COUPLE OF HOURS:** Thank you to those who have already volunteered, but we are always looking for new volunteers to help with the maintenance of the Church and the grounds if you are able to help, please see Martin O'Brien or Mac Harris.

**FR. LOUIS' ABSENCE:** Fr. Louis will go to Norway for 1 week to attend the Silver Jubilee of his close friend, Fr. Paul Pham. We have no Mass during this week as we will see in the bulletin. On Friday evening at 7pm on the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus and at the weekend we welcome **Fr. Yen**, who will come and say Masses for us. If you need priest's help, please contact Michael Keogh on 07970106627 or Noel Harte on 02476694212. Please keep Fr. Louis and Fr. Paul in our prayers.

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:**

**Parish Hall Summer Table Top Sale** - Friday 14th and Saturday 15th July. Please see separate notice.

**Church Feast Day Celebration:** Thursday 17th August starting with Mass at 6.30pm

**Multicultural Mass and Celebration:** Saturday 16th September.

**Bingo** - Every Wednesday night in the Parish Hall Doors open at 6.30pm. Eyes down at 7.30pm. Everyone welcome.