

Important Dates for your diary

This Year Second Collections for Sept. to Nov. 2018

Sunday 10th September: Catholic Education Service
Sunday 16th September: Catholic Evangelization (CASE)
Sunday 23rd September: Father Hudson's Society
Sunday 7th October: Harvest Fast "(CAFOD 2nd Fast)
Sunday 21st October: APF World Mission Sunday
Sunday 4th November: Johnson Association (Retired and Infirm Clergy)
Sunday 18th November: St Vincent De Paul (Parish)
Sunday 25th November: Catholic Youth Services (National)

Tuesday 7th August: Tea and Chat at 1:00pm at 33 St. Helen's Way.

Harvington Hall Pilgrimage: On Sunday 2nd September. The coach will leave Christ the King at 1.30pm and will return at approximately 7.00pm. The cost will be £10 and can be booked with Fiona at Christ the King, 76 591618.

Sunday 9th September 10:15am: Justice and Peace meeting in the Parish Hall.



Father Moses & Bob Ayliffe Walk: will be walking up mount Snowdon on the 16th of August for respective charities. Several people have now joined us including Fr Pontius of St Osburg's parish.

Live Simply Re-cycling: This is Pope Francis's invitation to live simply. Re-cycling our old electronics, old stamps etc is one way to do it. Remember that the more you re-cycle the more money the Church will get. For more information please check at the back of the Church.

Death Anniversaries this Week:

Mary Moore, Rewhorn, Hamilton Robert Moore, Margaret Mallard, Thomas Mask. Alice Maria Payne, Loiusa Sullivan, Catherine Agnes Holiday, Elizabeth Bates, Michael Dolan, Canon Arthur Diamond, Joseph Busby, Franca Maria Tatlow, Peter Hayes, Hugh Joseph Kelly, Catherine Downes, Anna Darby, Thomas Darrigan, Michael Slane, Patrick McNamara, Helena Malcolmson, Patrick Kelly, Christopher Kelly, Thomas O'Doherty, Thomas Thompson, Thomas Doherty, Vincent Caldwell, Alice McPhail McGuigan, Daniel David Griffin, Brigid Lynch, William Judge, Michael Amsbaury, John Henry McKenzie, Michael Cosgrove, Chhibod Ram Salotra, Margaret Mary McGlynn, Catherine Ellen Waller, Philomena Maria Davis, Gilmartin, Sarah Mary King, John Thomas O'Donoghue and Mary Teresa King.

May their Souls Rest in Eternal Peace!

Tweeter: @STELIZABETHCOV webcam login on www.mcnmedia.tv

This Parish is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham: Registered Charity No: 234216



Apostles of Jesus Serves: St. Elizabeth's St. Osburg's St. Mary's

St. Elizabeth's Roman Catholic Church

Parish Priest: Rev Moses Pitya David. AJ.

Parish Office Contacts:

The Presbytery, 63, St. Elizabeth's Road, Coventry CV6 5BX Tel: 024 76688536.

Email: stelizabethchurch@btconnect.com **Website:** www.stelizabethcoventry.co.uk

Parish Schools (Heads)

St. Elizabeth's

Mr Michael Doyle

Good Shepherd

Mrs Michelle Ashley

Parish Church

Parish Co-ordinators:

Parish Office

Sr Joan

Parish Maintenance

John Moran and Joe

Holy Communions

Mrs S Moran & Sr Olivia

Confirmations & RCIA

Miss A Harkin & Sr Olivia

Church Flowers

Children's Liturgy and

Parish Hall Booking

Mr Richard Swift

Safeguarding Officer

Miss Laura Srodon (Solicitor)

Church Music/Liturgy

Miss Laura Srodon

Gift Aid Scheme

Mr Stan Milewski

Chair of Parish Finance

Mr Tony Ashby

Sacristan

Miss Ann Harkin & Sr Joan

Altar Servers

Sr Joan and Alaysa Embate

CAFOD/SVP

Mr Kevin Vaughan

Justice and Peace

Maria

Red Boxes

Mr Bob Ayliffe

Sunday 5th August: 18th Sunday Year B

Parish Mass Book - Readings on page 59

Faith in Jesus

This is a second Sunday of the five consecutive Sundays giving us the Theme of the Eucharist - The Bread of Life. In last Sunday's gospel, we read about the feeding the five thousand men in miracle commonly known as the Multiplication of the five loaves and two fish.

In today's gospel, Jesus's hearers want more 'signs' - more of the 'bread' that will fill their day-to-day hunger. But Jesus challenges them to go deeper than the loaves they received. Jesus calls them and us today to move beyond our desire for instant gratification and quick fixes and discover the word of God creating and animating our lives and our world. The bread of Life Jesus speaks of in today's gospel is: selfless compassion, grace and gratitude - the food that doesn't perish.

The Eucharist demands more than the opening of our hands to take and our mouths to consume. It demands that we open our hearts and spirits as well, so that we may become what we receive. To receive the Eucharist worthily, we must not only consume the sacrament but allow ourselves to be consumed by the sacrament.

In the profound simplicity of the bread and wine of the Eucharist, we are called to become the Christ we receive: Christ the servant, Christ the reconciler, Christ the wisdom and life of God. One can only do this if he or she has FAITH in JESUS CHRIST.



Mass Times and Intentions

Sunday 5th August	9:00am	Mrs Margaret Ashby R.I.P.	18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	11:15am	Colleen and Eric – thanksgiving	
Mon. 6th	9:00am	Garry Hobbs and Family - Special Int.	The Transfiguration of the Lord
Wed. 8th	9:00am		St. Dominic
Thu. 9th	9:15am		St. Teresa Benedicta of the cross
Fri. 10th	6:30pm		St. Lawrence
Sat. 11th	11:00am	Mary Colette McKee R.I.P.	St. Clare
Sunday 12th August	9:00am	People of the Parish	19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	11:15am	Sheila Vare R.I.P.	
	3:00pm	Multicultural Mass of the African Day	

Sunday's Rota for Readers & E. Ministers

Extra Ord. Ministers	This Sunday	Next Sunday
9:00am	Sandra Chaplin Sonya Moran Lakhwinder	Ann Harkin Susan Nahar Elizabeth Ayliffe
11:15am	Elizabeth Karota Clare Unes	Asha Thapar Louis Kadjo
Readers	This Sunday	Next Sunday
9:00am	Ann Harkin Youth Reader	John Moran Youth Reader
11:15am	Maureen N Obi Youth Reader	Mary Harkin Youth Reader

Church Cleaning Team: A
(Thursday Morning 9:30am)
Mrs Maureen Ryan, Lorna
and Mrs Pat Stonach

Weekly Offertory

Gift Aid: **£268.50**
Non Gift Aid: **£195.00**

Thank you very much for your generosity.

Parish Notices

Eucharistic Congress: The national Eucharistic Congress is been held from 7th -9th September 2018 in Liverpool. There Four of our parishioners going to represent us. If you are one of them and have not yet received email from organisers, please log on: www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/adoremus.

Blessing of the Graves: The Deanery is organising the Blessing of the Graves again this year in September. The dates are as follows: **St Paul's** - 9th September at 3.00pm, **Canley** - 16th September at 3.00pm, **Lenton's Lane** – 23rd September at 3.00pm, **London Road** – 30th September at 3.00pm.

The Multicultural Mass of the African Day on Sunday 12th August.

Once again this annual celebration will take place here next Sunday, starting with Mass at 3:00pm please be seated by 2:30pm. Rev Fr Martin Ochaya PhD who has just obtained his doctorate in Peace & Conflict Resolution will lead us. As usual, after Mass we shall have a social get together in school ground - with your Bring-and-shared cultural food and drinks. The parking will only be at school car park and the field is reserved for party after Mass. I am aware of the difficulties in parking a long the road but not impossible.

New Data Protection Regulations: If your name or the name of a friend or relative of yours is on our parish list of prayers for those who are sick and housebound, and you would like that name to remain on sick list, please could you contact: Fr Moses, Sr Joan or Sr Olivia. We need to make sure that we have your consent to keep the name on the list. This is because the list is available to the public and can be access by anyone. In the next 2 to 3 weeks time, our sick list will be updated to contain the names of only those have given their consent. This is necessary to make sure the Church takes proper care of your information and complies with current data protection law.

Parish Pastoral Information

Exposition, and Penance/Confession: Every Saturday from 11:20am. to 12:30pm. In emergency please call to the Presbytery or call 024 76 68 85 36



Ethnic Chaplaincy: Shona/Ndebele and Punjabi Communities Masses:

Celebrated here (Shona) 3rd Sunday of each month at 1:00pm, and Punjabi, on 1st Saturday of each month at 6:30pm by their appointed Chaplains.

Please pray for The Sick and Housebound of our Parish: Christopher Brown, Phylis Goan, Nora Caldwell, Nancy Doherty, Caroline Dickinson, Dina Kuczynski, Victor De Souza, Julienne Tchoameni, Wiseley Simmons, Charley Williams, Rita Keogh, Mary Kean, Fred Corbett, Edmund Douglas, Mary Gallagher, Mary McGee, Sr. Jo Langley, Kath Darragh, Mrs Doyle, Balwant Mattu, Frances Wright, Rohith De Silva and Gerald McDade.

Get Well Soon.