

Sacred Heart Parish Weekly Newsletter.

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Dear Parishioners,

There is an online retreat for Lent which you can access through the Parish Website.

“The Gift” Life in the Spirit Course. To be held at Christ the King Church – 6 sessions beginning at 7.15pm on Thursday 27th April, 4th, 11th 18th, 25th May and 8th June. If you wish to know more, an overview of the course will be held **on Sunday 23rd April at 6.30pm at Christ the King Church.** Please see flyers for further information.”

Ministers please let me know if you can go and I will send the list on to Fr Harry.

God Bless,

Fr. Tony.

Hearts and Rainbows

Mums and toddlers group has restarted in the Parish Hall on Tuesday mornings. Really friendly and a great way for Mums to have some time together – do go along.

Day of Recollection for Eucharistic Ministers on Saturday 1st April

from 12.00pm – 4.00pm at St Joseph the Worker, Canley. Led by Fr Harry Curtis. **Can Eucharistic**

19th March, 2017. Third Sunday of Lent (A)	
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Preface of the Third Sunday of Lent. Eucharistic Prayer 3.	
Saturday 5.00pm	Ernie and Veronica Mills, R.I.P. (John, Elizabeth and Veronica)
Sunday 10.30am	For all the people of the Parish.
Monday 9.00am	Solemnity of St. Joseph, husband of the Blessed Virgin Mary. Charlie and Chris Nolan.
Wednesday 6.00pm 6.30pm	Stations of the Cross Eucharistic Service
Thursday 9.00am	Special Intention (P.B.)
Friday 9.00am	Special Intention (S)
Saturday 8.15am 9.00am	Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Mary (Maureen) Millar, R.I.P. (Jim and Paula Millar)
Confessions	9.30 – 10.00am and 4.30 -4.50pm
26th March, 2017. Fourth Sunday of Lent (A)	
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Preface of the Fourth Sunday of Lent. Eucharistic Prayer 3.	
Saturday 5.00pm	For all the people of the Parish.
Sunday 10.30am	Mrs Matilda Scallon, R.I.P. (Scallon Family.)



If you hear the fire alarm leave by the nearest exit following the instructions of the fire marshals. The Assembly Point is in the car park

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BABY CHANGING UNIT
Provided in the disabled toilet.



Please switch off mobile phones when in Church. Thank you.

Last week's Offertory: £883.73 (Gift-Aid £237.00 non Gift-Aid: £344.73 Bank Credits: £302.00.) CAFOD Family Fast Day: £319.49 Thank you very much. **This weekend** March collection towards Our Hopes.

Counters this week: Team C.

7-Day Candles: 18th - 25th March.

Sacred Heart: Tincy (Special Intention.); Mahima Mahesh (Special Intention.); Special Intention.

Our Lady: Catriona Murphy, R.I.P; Alisha Family Protection; Special Intention – LO;

By the small Crucifix:

Please remember in your prayers Suzanne Martin, Larry O'Brien, Brendan Duffy, Carol Burton, Jane Malone (Allsop), Eamon Finlan, Kevin Casey, Maureen Bell, Dulcie Stalker, Joan O'Keefe, Christopher, Catherine and Clifford Browne, Winnie Coleman, Angel Nyanzi, Ron Hamilton, Peter Gibbons, Kathleen Tierney, James O'Brien, Kitty Bracken, Eileen Franey, Maria Scott, Eunan MacIntyre Junior, Bridie McAndrew, Benny McAndrew, and all who are sick, for the repose of the souls of Peter Redmond, Ann Duffy, and all who have died and for all whose anniversaries occur at this time. Please keep in your prayers the families of all those who are sick and those who have died.

Afternoon Tea on Saturday 25th March 12.30 – 2.00pm. NOW FULLY BOOKED.

Over 50's meet in the Hall every fortnight on a Monday. Please see noticeboard for date of next meeting.

PRAYER VIGILS On the first Friday of every month. So that younger people are able to come these will run from 6.00pm - 8.00pm. The next one will be on Friday 3rd March.

Are you interested in becoming a Catholic? Are you a Catholic who would like to know more about your faith? Are you a non-Catholic in a

Catholic family who would just like to understand the Catholic faith better? Our series of meetings on the Catholic Faith **continue Thursday evenings** from 7.30pm -8.45pm in the Parish Hall. They are very friendly with tea/coffee and biscuits. **DO COME ALONG**

40 Days for Life Launch event: 'Spiritual Warfare Bootcamp' Deepen your faith this Lent by coming to learn about the spiritual essentials for the pro-life battle with 7 local priests. Please see poster for details. **40 Days for Life Prayerful Witness Wednesday 1st March to Sunday 9th April** Marie Stopes Abortion Clinic in Arthur Road, Edgbaston from 8am to 8pm daily. People are never left praying alone. To find out more or book your slot please contact Isabel by on 07773 501721 or by email izzyvs@gmail.com

The Romero Catholic Academy are looking for two experienced, self-employed clerks to support their Academy of 8 schools and Board of Directors. Hourly Rate £10 -£15 per hour (Dependant on experience) For further information regarding this vacancy please visit our website: www.romeromac.com/vacancies

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes 27th May – 2nd/3rd June 2017. Coach from £439.00 Air from £745.00. Please see poster for details.

Prayer in Thanksgiving for the Consecration of the Church

Almighty Father, we give you thanks for the Consecration of our Church. Send your Spirit from heaven to make this church an ever holy place, a house of prayer and action reaching out to those in any need. Build the temple of your spirit deep within us, creating its beauty from the holiness of our lives, that we may be living stones proclaiming the gospel by our words and our deeds. Through Christ Our Lord. Amen.