

Holy Family RC Church Coventry

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3RD SUNDAY OF EASTER

SATURDAY	25TH APR	5 00PM	
SUNDAY	26TH APR	10 00 AM	
MONDAY	27TH APR	9 00 AM	
TUESDAY	28TH APR	9 00 AM	
WEDNESDAY	29TH APR	9 00 AM	REQUIEM
THURSDAY	30TH APR	9 00 AM	
FRIDAY	1ST MAY	9 00 AM	
SATURDAY	2ND MAY	5 00PM	
SUNDAY	3RD MAY	10 00 AM	

MICHAEL PORTER (GET WELL)
AGNES BRISCOE RIP 10TH A
SARAH JANE LAMBERT RIP
GRACE WATT RIP
MICK CLERKIN RIP
ALLAN DUNMORE RIP
PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
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FRANK MULLIGAN RIP A

FR PAT AND FR BERNARD WISH TO EXPRESS OUR THANKS FOR THE KINDNESS YOU HAVE SHOWN US AT THIS DIFFICULT TIME

First Reading

Acts 2:14,22-33

Peter and the apostles announce that Jesus has been raised from the dead.

Responsorial Psalm

Psalms 16:1-2,5,7-11

God will show us the path of life.

Second Reading

1 Peter 1:17-21

You were saved by Christ's sacrifice.

Gospel Reading

Luke 24:13-35

Jesus appears to two disciples who are walking to Emmaus.



Our newsletter which will be posted each week on the parish website and deanery website too. <https://coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk/new/>

Thank you for the messages, the texts, emails, phone calls. We are in this for the long haul. Once the virus has passed though and we come out the other side, we will be able to worship together again at the altar! **PLEASE NOTE SATURDAY EVENING MASS IS AT 5. 00PM EACH WEEK.**

Pray for Sarah Jane Lambert, Michael Clerkin, John Geiran, Grace O'Hara, Tom Piggot, and Bill Skingle who have died recently

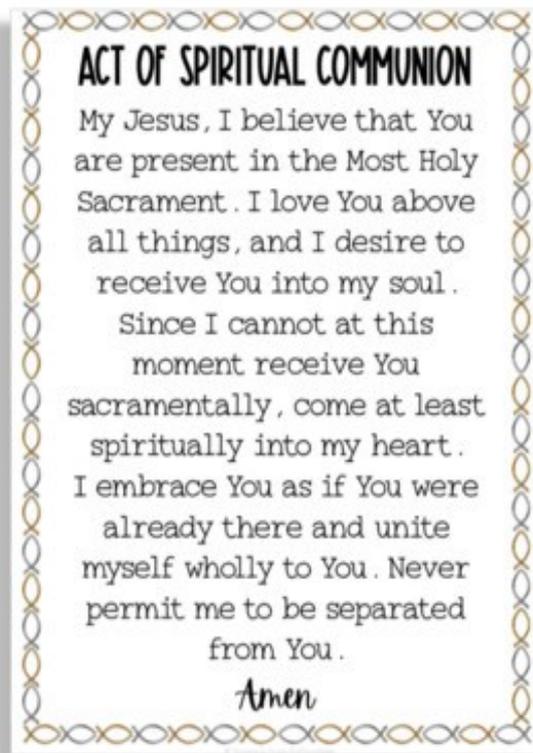
Collections:

Please continue to support the parish with your weekly offerings this is a vital aspect of parish life. Please put offering envelopes through the door of the presbytery, or save them up until we the future day when we will be able to gather together again once more. The Easter offerings can be delayed until Pentecost or can be placed through the presbytery door.

RESOURCES FOR CHILDREN FROM THE SCHOOL WEBSITE FOLLOW THE LINK BELOW

<https://www.holyfamily.coventry.sch.uk/our-journey-in-faith>

Fr Pat is on twitter @Fr_PatBren and Facebook on these sites I post videos on You Tube with messages I hope will be of help. Let us support one another taking this time of isolation and distance as an opportunity to reconnect with each other in prayerful support, in kindness, and concern for each others well being and welfare.



The road to Emmaus is a road of companionship. Jesus, now freed from the space-time limits of his earthly life, is present in our midst and wants to be our Friend. The risen Lord desires that we walk with Him and with one another: "When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; And through the rivers, they shall not overflow you. When you walk through the fire, you shall not be burned, nor shall the flame scorch you. For I am the LORD, your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Saviour" (Isaiah 43:2-3). He wants to join us in our travels of life: "I am a Companion of all who fear You, and of those who keep Your precepts" (Psalms 119:63). "Where two or three are gathered in My Name, I am there among them" (Matthew 18:20).

Emmaus

Sorrowing, they trudge slowly along
 Melancholy, their accompanying song
 Two disciples talk with a fearful tone
 Journeying together, yet utterly alone
 Another man joins unnoticed, unseen
 He is hidden by despair's dark screen
 He enquires; why the downcast faces?
 As he touches grief's desolate places
 They fail to sense his abiding presence
 Whispering his name, in the past tense
 He speaks discerning words in his turn
 Words that make their dry hearts burn
 He reminded them of the scriptures
 Held their hearts attentive in raptures
 He bids farewell, he makes as if to go
 Stay they plead, so much more to know
 He sits down at table, he breaks bread
 Suddenly they realise hope is not dead
 Though he had vanished from their sight
 They are consumed with his guiding light

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**THEY RECOGNISED HIM
 AT THE
 BREAKING
 OF BREAD**

"If younger people are having an identity problem as Catholics, I tell them to do two things: Go to Mass every Sunday, and work in a soup kitchen. If one does those two things over a period of time, then something will happen to give one a truly Catholic identity. The altar and the marketplace-these two must be related to each other; when they are, one works better, and prays better." Archbishop Rembert Weakland

FROM THE DEANERY WEBSITE: <https://coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk/new/>
 The links can be clicked on at the deanery website. There are good ideas for faith and helping us to keep in touch with faith as we are at home.

Faith at Home
Children's liturgy resources:

Ten Ten is offering all families and schools the opportunity to access free prayer resources for the home and also have a video for children's liturgy each week

A mum in Westminster Diocese creates a children's liturgy video on Saturday evenings for use on Sunday. For those that use Facebook there is a link to page so families in your parishes can create their own 'watch parties' and join together with other families For those who do not have Facebook here is the link to the YouTube channel

CAFOD link to their children's liturgy resources

Catholic Mom has useful printable worksheets

Exploring the faith together as a family:
 Youcat – great resource for all ages explaining the teachings of the Catholic Church and has an accompanying app via these links