

# Sacred Heart Parish Weekly Newsletter.

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Dear Parishioners,

The new camera is being installed this weekend, and it is possible that it may even be working in time for the Saturday evening/Sunday morning Masses.

It will stream at the same time to both the parish Facebook account and to a new YouTube account (for those who don't use Facebook.) I will email out the address for the YouTube account.

It will switch on automatically before Mass. So, for example, for a weekday morning Mass we have the Rosary at 8.30am followed by Mass at 9.00am. If the camera switches on at 8.00am that will give you the opportunity to have some quiet time for silent prayer before the Rosary begins. The camera will be timed to switch off automatically after Mass – say at 9.45am.

We will experiment until we get it right and for the first week we will leave the camera running 24/7 to make sure everything is operating as it should. Then the camera will be set to operate at Mass times.

May God bless you and your families,

*Fr. Tony.*

**All Masses (with and without a congregation) are Livestreamed to the Parish**

**Facebook page:**

**Sacred Heart Catholic Church Coventry.**

<https://www.facebook.com/Sacred-Heart-Catholic-Church-Coventry-736420386480785/>

**We will continue to livestream the Rosary before 9.00am Masses.**

**20<sup>th</sup> September, 2020**

**25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)**

**Saturday**

**5.00pm**

**Public Mass with Congregation.**

Ernie & Veronica Mills, R.I.P. (John, Elizabeth & Veronica)

**Sunday**

**10.30am**

**Public Mass with Congregation.**

For all the people of the Parish.

Monday

9.00am

**Feast of St. Matthew, Apostle, Evangelist.**

Owen Doherty, R.I.P. (Anne Heffernan and Family)

Tuesday

9.00am

Pat O'Neill, R.I.P. (Marion)

Wednesday

9.00am

**St. Pio of Pietrelcina (Padre Pio)**

Special Intention

**Wednesday**

**6.30pm**

**Public Mass with Congregation.**

John O'Loughlin, R.I.P. (Marie, John & Martina)

Thursday

9.00am

10.15am

**Our Lady of Walsingham**

Matilda Broadley, R.I.P.

Requiem for Sophia Ferry. As per Government guidelines only 30 people are allowed inside the church.

**Friday**

**9.00am**

**Public Mass with Congregation.**

K. K. Joseph, R.I.P.

Saturday

9.00am

Pat O'Neill, R.I.P. (Katrina)

**Confessions**

Saturday 4.30pm -5.00pm

**27<sup>th</sup> September, 2020**

**26<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)**

**Saturday**

**5.00pm**

**Public Mass with Congregation.**

For all the people of the Parish.

**Sunday**

**10.30am**

**Public Mass with Congregation.**

Saboa Behi Joseph, R.I.P. (Laure Saboa)



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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An Induction Loop system is provided. Please switch Hearing-Aid to 'T'



BABY CHANGING UNIT  
Provided in the disabled toilet.



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

**Counting Teams.** Those members of our counting teams who live in the same household can resume counting. For this week it will be **Team B.**

**Last week's Offertory:** £788.52 Gift-Aid envelopes: £540.00 non Gift-Aid envelopes and cash: £248.52 Camera: a further £455.00 plus about £200 in direct donations into the parish bank, So we've got the money for the camera. A big Thank-you to everyone. Thank you very much.

### **CONTACTLESS PAYMENTS**

Contactless payments are now available after both weekend masses. No bank details are held by the church or by Paul and Sue who are trialling the system for us.

Payments can be made for the following items:

Offertory non gift aid

Gift Aid (we will need to record your name for Gift

Aid records) Donations towards church camera

Donations towards roof fund

We hope you find this new payment service

useful, any amount can be processed via debit or credit card.

**7-Day Candles: 19<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> September**

**Sacred Heart:** Alisha Family Protection.

**Our Lady:** Catriona Murphy, R.I.P.; Tincy – Special Intention;

**By the small Crucifix:**

**A massive thank-you to our volunteers,** but we need more volunteers to spread the load: before and during Mass to ensure a Covid safe and secure environment for parishioners to attend Mass on Saturdays, Sundays, Wednesdays and Fridays. After each Mass the church must be cleaned. You can volunteer to be a steward during Mass (meet and greet, hand cleansing, escort people to seats, marshal at Communion time, safe exit) and/or to help cleaning the church after Mass or a full deep clean on a regular basis.

If you would like to help, when you come into Mass please put your name down on the list in the porch (Opposite the table with the hand sanitiser) with any dates you will be available. Identify if you only want to be a steward or to clean otherwise we will assume you will do both.

### **LiveSimply Prayer**

Compassionate and loving God, you created the world for us all to share, a world of beauty and plenty. Create in us a desire to live simply, so that our lives may reflect your generosity. Creator God, you gave us responsibility for the earth, a world of riches and delight. Create in us a desire to live sustainably, so that those who follow after us may enjoy the fruits of your creation. God of peace and justice, you give us the capacity to change, to bring about a world that mirrors your wisdom. Create in us a desire to act in solidarity, so that the pillars of injustice crumble and those now crushed are set free. Amen.

A final 4 week rota will be placed on the notice board at least a week before the rota starts. Alternatively you may email your availability to Fr Tony or Celine McCrea at our new email address:

[sacredhearthers@gmail.com](mailto:sacredhearthers@gmail.com)

**On Monday 28th September,** please pray and fast for the end of abortion and euthanasia in this Country. Your prayer and fasting is urgently needed as last year this country saw the highest number of abortions ever. For details of our live saving work see [www.GoodCounselNetwork.com](http://www.GoodCounselNetwork.com)

In pre-lockdown times, next Sunday would be the annual Retiring Collection for Fr Hudson's. if you would like to, you can make donations online: <https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/FHC2020>.

Alternatively, donate by **text**. Text FATHERH and the amount you want to donate to 70085 to donate. Texts will cost your donation plus one standard rate message. For example to donate £5 text FATHERH 5.

### **BIRMINGHAM JUSTICE & PEACE ASSEMBLY 2020:**

THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY: LISTENING TO THE 'CRY OF THE EARTH AND THE CRY OF THE POOR'. This year the Assembly will take place ONLINE, with one-hour sessions over three evenings at 7.30pm: Monday 28 September, Wednesday 30 September, Friday 2 October and culminating with an Evening Prayer with the participation of Archbishop Bernard on Sunday 4 October at 7pm. For more information and to book go to <https://bit.ly/JPasssembly2020> or email [bham.jandp@gmail.com](mailto:bham.jandp@gmail.com)

### **An act of Spiritual Communion:**

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love you above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You