



Christ the King

with St. Augustine's

& Our Lady of Lourdes



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TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR (Year B)
8th September 2024 **Mass Book Page 70**

Dear Parishioners

This week we return to our normal pattern of Mass with the schools. We have the 9.30am School Mass with Christ the King on Tuesday and with St Augustine's on Wednesday. We had a good meeting with the Headteachers last week to plan the dates for First Holy Communion and Confirmation along, with the parents meetings. We will be writing to confirm these dates next week. I have written to all the Year 7 pupils inviting them to our first Youth Group this Tuesday at 7.00pm. Please encourage any Year 7s in your family to come along.

Next weekend, the Bishops of England and Wales, have encouraged us to focus on the Eucharist. There is an "Adoremus" gathering of the Bishops and parish, Representatives at Oscott on Saturday, which I will be attending. In the Parish we have a Day of Exposition between the morning and evening masses, along with a talk, a lunchbreak and the opportunity for Confession. See the poster at the back of the church. Please try to come for at least a visit to the church during the day. Fr Benedict is also organising a short training meeting for all our Eucharistic Ministers after each of the weekend masses on Saturday and Sunday. Please come to one of the masses and allow a half an hour after Mass for the training.

We are beginning our Talks on the Faith for anyone wanting to become a Catholic next Easter or for anyone wanting to improve their knowledge of the Catholic Faith. Open to all. The meetings start Wednesday 9th October and there is a flyer giving details at the back of the church.

As mentioned last weekend, we are going to start having Saturday evening confessions at 5.30pm to 5.55pm before the Saturday evening Mass, rather than afterwards. I think this will be more convenient for most people.

Our thanks to Fr Dominic Chukka for his help over these last months. He has returned to India on Wednesday for the opening of the new clinic. He will be back at the end of November. Thanks to all parishioners for their support of his

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project. Our student priest, Jonathan Henry will speak about his vocation and training this weekend at each of the Masses. We will be training and recruiting new Altar Servers over the next few months. Anyone Year 4 and above is eligible.

There is a Talk on the New Lectionary to be held at St Mary and St Benedict's on Sunday 29th September at 3.00pm, given by Fr Allen Morris. This would be a good talk to attend, especially for our readers. All welcome.

The Choir will begin practices again this Monday. There will singing lessons with Tim Spencer. Perhaps you would like to join them. The lessons start at 7.30pm and beginners are most welcome.

We will have the Blessing of the Graves slightly later this year and will go for the four Sundays in October. Canley on 6th October, St Paul's, 13th October, London Road, 20th October and Lenton's Lane, Sunday 27th October. All at 3.00pm.

God bless

Fr Tom

This week we pray for those recently deceased

Sean Tierney, Steven Cater,
Maureen Dale, Chris Morris,
Maureen Friel Margaret Hehir
May they rest in peace

We pray for those preparing for Baptism

Ernie George Moreton
Alana Iris Carr

We pray for those preparing for Marriage

George Davd Moreton and Roisin McBain

Online Webcam



We livestream at both our churches.
For more information please see our
website and posters in church.

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Sarah Pittaway. She can be contacted at: sg.ctk.covty@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concerns.

Christ The King Church		
Saturday	9.30am	Richard Bunt. Birthday Memorial.
	10.00am	Holy Hour
	6.00pm	Helen McMillan. Anniv. Eilish Sexton. Anniv. Pauline West. Anniv.
23rd Sunday of the Year 8th Sept. 2024	9.00am	Brian Armour. 1st Anniv.
	12 Noon	Michael and Susan Grealley. Anniv. Bridget Crouch. Anniv. Bishop Vincent Malone. Birthday Memorial.
Monday	9.30am	Kathleen Jenkins. Anniv. Lola Rossi. Dec'd.
Tuesday	9.30am	Delores Connolly. Anniv.
Wednesday	NO MASS	9.30am Mass at St Augustine's
Thursday	9.30am	Brenda Gosar. Dec'd.
Friday	9.30am	Brenda Gosar. Dec'd.
	11.00am 7.00pm	Requiem Mass – Steve Cater. RIP. P J Horgan. Birthday Memorial. Helen McDonnell. 1st Anniv.
Saturday	9.30am	Michael Patrick Ronan. Anniv.
	6.00pm	John Kelly. Anniv. John Murphy. Anniv. Martin Mangan. Dec'd.
24th Sunday of the Year 15th Sept. 2024	9.00am	The Butterly and Mohan Families. Dec'd.
	12 noon	Mary and Jack O'Sullivan. Anniv. Bishop Vincent Malone. Ordination. Anniv.
St Augustine's Church		
Sunday	10.30am	Frank Doyle. Dec'd.
Wednesday	9.30am	Adele Callinan's Intentions.
Sunday	10.30am	Bridget Fernando. Anniv.

PAUSE FOR THOUGHT

Nobody can do everything,
but everybody can do something,
and if everybody does something
everything will get done!

Collections

Thank you for your weekly offerings

Collection for 1st September

Loose Plate £ 740.40

Gift Aid £ 656.00

TOTAL £ 1,396.40

**STANDING ORDER
FOR JULY = £2,274.60**

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**SECOND COLLECTION TODAY FOR THE CATHOLIC EDUCATION SERVICE
SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY FOR - CATHOLIC EVANGELISATION**

Thank you for your continued support!

Please notify the parish office if there has been any changes in your circumstances i.e. name, home address or if you no longer pay sufficient tax on your income. Email ga.ctk.covty@rcaob.org.uk or phone 024 76 591618

This week's diary

Monday 9th September 2024

9.00am Toddler Group

5.00pm Legion of Mary Deacon Pat 76335383.

7.00pm Knights of St Columba (meet on the third Monday of the month in the Library at CTK. Contact Peter on 07565 966103)

Tuesday 10th September 2024

9.00am Toddler Group - Currently Full-Please phone to book

7.00pm Youth Group

Wednesday 11th September 2024

9.00am Toddler Group - Please book in advance

Thursday 12th September 2024

9.00am Toddler Group - Please book in advance

Justice and Peace next meeting will be 19th Sept in the Library.

Friday 13th September 2024

No Toddler Group

12.30pm - 2.00pm - AA Group in the Library

St Augustine's Sports Centre Christ the King Boxing Club

train every Wednesday & Thursday. 6.00pm - 8.15pm. All welcome.

Contact Brendan Malone-07950 690122

Zumba - Wednesdays at 10.30am with Nina

Baptisms

Please talk with one of the Priests after Mass giving your name, address and phone number, so that we can arrange a home visit and give you the necessary application form and literature.

Christ the King Rota

7 th / 8 th Sept	Readers	Ministers
6.00pm	T Luff C Duckett	R McGrath C Corkerry
9.00am	School Children / H Thomas	A Gibson M Foster
12 Noon	N Amatobi J O'Farrell	K Lowe M Brennan

14th / 15th Sept

6.00pm	H Blanche M Aluko	M Hamlyn J Millage
9.00am	J Moloney C McGorisk	M O'Brien B Brennan
12 Noon	R Donaldson A Holleron	I Keogh A McFeeley

St Augustine's Rota

8 th Sept	Readers	Ministers
10.30am	G Reidy V Cruz	B Burke S Mawson
15 th Sept		
10.30am	K Bosworth S Mawson D Field	Sister Julie

CTK TEA ROTA

7 th / 8 th Sept	14 th / 15 th Sept
6.00pm The Blanche Family	6.00pm The Ward Family
9.00am The Devine Family	9.00am T Little / M Murray
12 Noon P & P Fitzmaurice	12 noon G & P O'Connell

Community Centre www.ctkparishcentre.co.uk

Mercia Friendship Club Thursday 12th September
1.00pm - 3.00pm - Bingo and Chat

SUNDAY NIGHT IN THE CENTRE: Bingo from 8pm-9pm.

Jackpot £200 on 47 numbers or less.

"Open the Box" £550 on 14 keys.

Music by Band: "Wild Rover". **MONDAY - DOMINOS.**

Monday nights Upstairs - Keogh Academy of Irish Dance.

Children's Lessons, Beginners to Championship levels - 7.00pm

Adults Ceili Lessons - Beginners to Advanced levels - 7.30pm.

Saturday - 9.30am - 11.30am - all ages.

Please contact Imelda on 07980 664116 for further information.

WHIST DRIVE at 1.30pm Every Monday (1pm First Monday of the month) For further details please call Brian on 024 76 338234.

Tuesday Morning Gentle Yoga 10.00 - 11.00am £5.00 per session.

Tuesday 8.30pm - Acoustic Guitar Sessions

Wednesday Yoga Classes relax and get fit: try our Sun Power Yoga!

6.30pm to 8.00pm All welcome, beginners, men & women - First

Class Free!! £7.00-£9.00 per session for details contact Maureen

76415586 / 07507636623.

Wednesday - 9.00pm-11.00pm 25 Card Game. All welcome!!

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST

CTK COMMUNITY LUNCH - Monday 7th October at 12.15pm. Join friends old and new for a welcoming meal deal in the Community Centre. £15 per person includes hot freshly prepared 2 course meal. Tea / coffee, mints, subsidised drink. Music and dancing with Frankie. Tickets from June-02476 332744 or Helen -02476 275775. (Foodbank donations will be collected on the day.)

ALL NIGHT ADORATION Over the last year the parish has established the practice of monthly all night adoration. It is a beautiful time of silent prayer in church and we are grateful for the good numbers who have supported this initiative. Moving forward, the adoration will be linked to the First Friday and First Saturdays devotion. The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed from 7.30pm on the First Friday of each month, and Christ the King Church will be open for silent prayer until 7am on Saturday morning (access via the car park side door). Confessions will be available between 7.30pm and 9pm.

CHOIR PRACTICE Singing lessons with Tim Spencer will restart on 9th September. Tim has been working with our primary schools All over 18s are welcome to come along whichever mass you attend. Children must be accompanied by an adult. We practice for 1 hour from 7.30pm in the choir loft at Christ the King If you would like more details please call Julie on 07854 798016.

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS TO OUR LADY OF FATIMA celebrated on the First Saturday of each month at the Saturday morning Holy Hour.

"REJOICE AND BE GLAD" Five sessions of shared prayer and reflection on Pope Francis' Apostolic Letter, 'Gaudete Exsultate' The five sessions will take place in the meeting room at St Osburg's Church, Barras Lane CV1 4AQ, from 7.00pm to 8.30pm, beginning on **Monday 7th October 2024** and thereafter on the following Monday evenings at the same time: **October 14th & 21st, November 4th & 11th**. Participants will receive a free copy of 'Gaudete et Exsultate', for use between sessions. If you are interested in taking part in these sessions, please contact one of the following: Barbara McGowan: 07528644617, Paschal Somers: 07403625292. Deadline for registration - Friday 27th September 2024

PRIVATE CLEANER If you are interested in hiring a cleaner for 2 to 3 hours per week, please call - 0737 - 5914821.

LGBTQ+ Members of the LGBTQ+ their friends and family meet on the third Sunday of the month at Diamond House, Stoney Road Age 18+

CTK FOOTBALL CLUB TOTE Aug '24.-1st No 178 - D Donnell, 2nd-No 170 - D Murphy, 3rd No 13 - Fr A Franklin, 4th - No 168 - M McCarthy.

Useful Information

There are 24/7
Live Cameras
Operating in both Churches.



If you hear the Fire Alarm. Leave by the nearest exit, go to the assembly point in the car park and await further instructions.



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Newsletter items to: ctk.covty@rcaob.org.uk by Thursday evening



Baby Changing Facilities.

Available in the Disabled Toilet



Please switch off your mobile phone when in the Church.



An induction Loop System is provided in the church. Please switch your Hearing Aid to the 'T' position

