



Sacred Heart Parish Weekly Newsletter.

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The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representatives are Pascal and Sue O'Malley. They can be contacted at: sg.sacredheart.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 concern.

Parish Livestream: YouTube <https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCNXaa0PR2IIDQExUXhzN2lg>

Dear Parishioners,

New weekday Missals will be available from 30th April and can be preordered at the piety stall. There are 2 versions. Version1: **New Weekday Missal**. A beautiful hardback People's Missal that contains all the prayers and readings for all weekday Masses, from Monday to Saturday and comes with 4 ribbon markers. Price £55. **For those who already have a New Sunday Missal this new weekday missal covers Monday to Saturday.**

Version 2: **New Daily Missal** also available from 30th April and can be preordered at the piety stall. This is the only UK missal to contain the complete Sunday, daily and sanctoral cycles in a single volume. Hardback with six ribbons and colour sacred art images, it is the only missal you will ever need. Price £69.99 **For those who do not already have a Sunday Missal** this version includes Sundays as well as weekdays.

New Sunday missal available now from the piety stall £19.95. **For those who only want a Sunday Missal.** (These are the missals we have been selling)

God Bless,

Fr. Tony.

9 th February 2025 5 th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C) CTS New Sunday Missal. Readings p983. Preface VII p575 Eucharistic Prayer 3 p613	
Saturday 5.00pm	Maurice Weir, R.I.P. (Bridie Weir)
Sunday 10.30am	First Holy Communion Enrollment for children at non-Catholic schools For all the people of the Parish
Monday 9.00am	St Scholastica, Virgin Geraldine Fagan, R.I.P. (Sandra and Family)
Tuesday 9.00am	Our Lady of Lourdes Antonio Di Stefano, R.I.P.
Wednesday 5.45pm 6.30pm After Mass	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Alice Francis, R.I.P. (J. Jose) Scriptural Rosary for families
Thursday 9.00am	Rory O'Farrell, R.I.P. (Flynn Family)
Friday 9.00am	St Cyril, Monk, and St Methodius, Bishop, Patrons of Europe Thanksgiving God's Faithfulness (Nounagnon Family)
Saturday 8.15am 9.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament Francis Preston, R.I.P.
Confessions	Saturday 9.30am – 10.00am and 4.30pm – 4.50pm
16 th February 2025 6 th Sunday in Ordinary Time (C) CTS New Sunday Missal. Readings p988. Preface I p569 Eucharistic Prayer 3 p613	
Saturday 5.00pm	Brian Burke, R.I.P. (McCrea Family)
Sunday 10.30am	For all the people of the Parish



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(Standing Orders and donations) around £452.00.

Counters this week: Team D.

The feast day of St Josephine Bakhita, the patron saint of victims of human trafficking and modern slavery, takes place on February 8. There are 50 million victims of human trafficking across the world and as many as 130,000 in the UK, hidden in plain sight in your neighbourhood. Pope Francis describes human trafficking as "blood money" and a "crime against humanity". We are all called to combat this evil trade.

To find out more and what you can do, go to <https://santamartagroup.org/resources>

Sunday 2nd March 3.00pm in St Joseph & St Helen's Catholic Church hall, 84 Northfield Road Birmingham B30 1JG Adam Smithj-Connor (Convicted for silent prayer) and Theo Wilmot (40 Days Life Volunteer) share their personal stories of abortion and their journey into prolife activism.

Quiz Night - Saturday 22nd March – 7.00pm

£2 entry. Food to purchase on the night. Bring your own drinks. Soft drinks and teas and coffees available to purchase.

First Holy Communion for children attending non-Catholic Schools continues this Tuesday at 5.00pm in the Church Hall.

Please support Coventry Book Bank. Many children in schools and in the care system do not have any reading books of their own. There is a green wheelie bin as a collection point at the back of the church. For further information email

maeve@thereadingdoctors.com or call: 07813809213

Monthly meeting on the third Sunday of the month to support and accompany 18+ LBGTQ+ Catholics, family members, and friends at Diamond House, 13 Stoney Road, CV1 2NP. For more information, please contact Dcn Leo 07984 071124 dcn.leo.poole@rcaob.org.uk

Sunday evening Mass in the Deanery. There is a Sunday evening Mass in St Osburg's at 6.00pm.

7-Day Candles: 8th – 15th February

Sacred Heart: Alisha Family Protection; Jacob Family Special Intention.

Our Lady: Catriona Murphy, R.I.P.; Plaxedes Kwaramba.

By the small Crucifix: Tincy Special Intention.

Please pray for Reeja Xavier, Adolfo Miralles, Lily Zuccarino, Jorge Miralles, Jose Luis Miralles, Patience Whittaker, Lourenco Dias, Kathleen Griffin, Franc Bili, Eddie Cannon, Eileen Hardie, Joshua Hubert, Sue Thomas, Margaret Whittle and all who are sick, for the repose of the souls of Margaret (Margo) Carr and all who have died and for all whose anniversaries occur at this time. Please keep in your prayers the families of those who have died.

Sacred Heart Prayer group meets every Tuesday evening **in the hall** at 7:30pm. Everyone is welcome

Offertory Donations to the Parish The best way is by Standing Order (You can amend or cancel this with your bank at any time) **If you pay tax but don't yet Gift-Aid your donation, please ask for a form.**

Jubilee Prayer

Father in heaven, may the faith you have given us in your son, Jesus Christ, our brother, and the flame of charity enkindled in our hearts by the Holy Spirit, reawaken in us the blessed hope for the coming of your Kingdom. May your grace transform us into tireless cultivators of the seeds of the Gospel. May those seeds transform from within both humanity and the whole cosmos in the sure expectation of a new heaven and a new earth, when, with the powers of Evil vanquished, your glory will shine eternally. May the grace of the Jubilee reawaken in us, Pilgrims of Hope, a yearning for the treasures of heaven. May that same grace spread the joy and peace of our Redeemer throughout the earth. To you our God, eternally blessed, be glory and praise for ever. Amen