



St Patrick's Catholic Church

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16th March 2025 – Second Sunday of Lent

Saturday	15th Mar	5.00pm	Kevin Shakespear, Eilish Summers; Phaie Walker; Jerry Mahoney (R.I.P);
Sunday	16th Mar	10.30am	Jim Grieves (R.I.P); Kevin Shakespear, Isballe Goodlad
Monday (St Patrick's Day)	17th Mar	9.30am	Simon Jones & Jones family
Tuesday	18th Mar	9.30am	Catherine & John Hegarty (R.I.P); Elizabeth & Paddy Horan (R.I.P)
		10 - 11am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
		1.00pm	SS Peter & Paul whole school Mass
Wednesday	19th Mar	No Mass	
Thursday	20th Mar	9.30am	Kate & Thomas McElligott (R.I.P); Elizabeth & Ned McElligott (R.I.P)
Friday	21st Mar	10.30am	Funeral service for Sarah Pilling
		7.00pm	Stations of the Cross
Saturday	22nd Mar	5.00pm	Betty & Elizabeth O'Sullivan (R.I.P)
Sunday	23rd Mar	10.30am	Caroline Gilday; Maureen & Keth Legg
Sacrament of Reconciliation Saturdays 4.00pm to 4.30pm or by appointment			
Devotional Candles:			
Sacred Heart:		Our Lady:	
St Joseph: Special Intention (BK); Thanksgiving (CD)		St Anthony: Special Intention (BK)	

THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Your prayers are asked for the sick and lonely of the parish, those in hospital and the housebound, especially:

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| Noreen Hegarty | Veronica McBean |
| Annie Neville | Degaud Sahoure Gui |
| Veronica Griffin | Nathan Keaveney |
| Cath O'Donnell | Chris Vaughhan |
| Pat Sugrue | |

May God grant them healing, comfort and ease of pain.

SUNDAY READINGS

1st READING: Genesis 15:5-12,17-18

2nd READING: Philippians 3:17-4:1

GOSPEL: Luke 9:28-36

FOR THE NEEDY & VULNERABLE

Food items regularly needed:

Teabags, coffee, sugar, long-life milk, cereal, biscuits, noodles, beans, tomatoes, tuna, corned beef, pasta, rice and lentils.

Thank you.

COLLECTIONS		
23/02/25	1 st collection:	£544.09
	2 nd collection:	£127.02
02/03/25	1 st collection:	£495.74
	2 nd collection:	£133.56

The newsletter is now available on the Deanery Website: www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk
 St Patrick's Parish, Coventry, is part of the Archdiocese of Birmingham. Registered Charity No: 234216A

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative are Alice O'Callaghan & Julie Feeney. They can be contacted at: sg.stpatricks.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.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Bingo Night 22nd March
Easter Egg Raffle 13th April
May plant and Surprise bag sale 17th /18th May
International food festival 8th June
Picnic in the park 13th July
Bingo Night 6th September
Cake Sale 20th / 21st September
Family Social Evening 31st October
Re gifting sale for the homeless 15th /16th November
Christmas Raffle 21st December

PARISH PRAYER

Father, pour out your Holy Spirit on each member of our parish.
Warm our hearts with your love, so that we can follow you more closely.
Enlighten our minds so that we can understand the truth of your word.
Protect and strengthen all marriages and family life.
Make our homes places of prayer, peace, harmony and welcome.
Inspire us to work together with enthusiasm and build our parish into a loving and caring community. We make our prayer through Christ Our Lord.
Amen.

CHAPEL OF UNITY: LENT REFLECTIONS

The Chapel of Unity at Coventry Cathedral is hosting an On-line 20-minute Psalm Reflection at **6.00pm each Monday evening during Lent**, on 10, 17, 24, 31 March and 7 & 14 April.

Zoom link: Join Zoom Meeting or
ID: 864 9505 4646 and Passcode: COUR2025.
See poster for more detail.

THIS WEEK'S SECOND COLLECTION

is for CAFOD Family Fast Day.

LGBTQ+ CATHOLIC

The next Catholic LGBTQ meeting will be on Sunday 16th March at 7.00pm at 14, Stoney Road, CV1 2NP directly opposite No13.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

will be every Friday evening from 7pm during lent starting next Friday 21st and ending on 11th April.

ST PATRICK'S DAY ACTIVITY

Parishioners are invited to come back to the school on Monday 17th March straight after Mass for Irish Dancing and refreshments.



YOUNG DISCERNERS GROUP

The Diocesan Vocations Office is starting a Young Discerners Group for young men in school Years 9-13, who want to explore a vocation to the Catholic priesthood. The first meeting is on Saturday 5th April 2025, 10:30am – 4pm at St. Mary's college Oscott in Birmingham. To find out more, contact Deacon Owen Gresty on 01213215135 or deacon.owen@vocations.org.uk.

BINGO NIGHT

Don't forget our next bingo night is this Saturday straight after the evening Mass.