



Christ the King

with St. Augustine's

& Our Lady of Lourdes



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12th Sunday in Ordinary Time
Sunday 20th June, 2010. Mass readings page 44

This Weeks Scripture

This Sunday, the readings invite us to recognise that God is at work. The first reading is from Zechariah. It sounds splendid: 'I shall pour out on the House of David, and on the one who dwells in Jerusalem, a spirit of pity and compassion', it begins. But then it gets difficult, for we have no real idea whom the prophet referred to when he said, 'they shall look on the one whom they have pierced'. Certainly John's gospel took it up as a prediction of the piercing of Jesus' side with a lance. In the original prophecy this 'piercing' was seen as causing great sadness, 'wailing over him as a favourite son, and as a first-born'. The clue, however, comes in the fact that it is 'an oracle of The Lord'. If God is in charge, then all suffering can be endured.

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Year for Priests

The Year for Priests has now come to an end. More than 15,000 priests from around the world travelled to Rome to celebrate the end of the International Year of the Priest. a prayer Vigil was held on Thursday, June 10th followed by a Eucharistic celebration Friday, June 11th. "The priest is not a priest for himself; he is not for himself, he is for you" St John Vianney 1786-1859

Times of Mass, Confessions & Holy Hour

Christ the King Church

Saturday	6.00 pm	Hynes. Family. Decd.
Sunday	9.00 am 12.00 noon	Bridget O'Connor. & Michael Neenan. Anniv. Leo. Farrell. Anniv.
Monday	9.15 am	Deirdre Noone. Decd.
Tuesday	9.15 am	Bridie Moroney. Decd.
Wednesday	12.00 noon	Desmond Lennon. Anniv.
Thursday	12.00 noon	Alice Gillespie. Anniv.
Friday	9.15 am 7.00 pm	Joan Stone. Anniv. Leo Murray. Anniv.
Saturday	10.00 am 6.00 pm	Peggy Hetheron. Anniv. Terry Devoy. Anniv.
Sunday	9.00 am 12.00 noon	Elizabeth & John Byrne. Anniv. Mary & Daniel Brennan. Anniv.
Confessions	Saturday	10.30 am to 11.30 am 7.00 pm after the Evening Mass
Holy Hour	Saturday	10.30 am to 11.30 am

St Augustine's Church

Sunday	10.30 am	People of the Parish.
Wednesday	9.00 am	Special Intention Marianne Murphy.
Sunday	10.30 am	Eddie Geelan. Anniv.
Confessions	First Saturday of each month.	

Parish Clergy:

Very Rev Canon Tom Farrell, Parish Priest.

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Father Paul Johnson, Assistant Priest.

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Deacons:

Rev Mr G O'Reilly & Rev Mr P Flanagan.

Student: John Paul Lyttle.

Saints This Week

Mon 21 June St Aloysius Gonzaga

Aloysius was the son of an Italian nobleman and joined the Jesuits at the age of 17. An exemplary novice, cared and devoted to the sick in a plague hospital, but caught the disease from which he died in 1591.

Tue 22 June Ss John Fisher & Thomas More

John Fisher was beheaded in 1535. He was Chancellor of Cambridge University and Bishop of Rochester. A dedicated pastor who defended the primacy of the Roman Pontiff. Thomas More was Chancellor of Henry VIII and opposed the divorce of the King to Queen Catherine. He was beheaded on 6 July 1535.

Thu 24 June Birth of St John the Baptist

John, is the only saint to have his birthday celebrated in the Universal Church, six months before that of Jesus. Pray, today, for Andrew Berry OSB who will be ordained priest today.

This Week We Pray for

Emily Louise Joyce,
and

Luke Patrick Goodman
Who are being Baptised.

Tea and Coffee

Available after Mass.
Everybody welcome.



Pause for Thought

The best way to
Cheer yourself up, is to
Cheer somebody else
up.

Collections

Thank you for your weekly offerings: for 13th.June

	CTK	St Augustine's
Loose Plate	£620.00	£120.00
Gift Aid	£627.79	£155.82
Total	£1,523.61	

Gift Aid Organiser John Rock: 76594318

Second Collection next week for Peter Pence

Rotas - Christ the King

19/20 June Readers

6 pm	R Ladbury	E Hughes	M Hamlyn	C Booth
9 am	D Parnell	J Ruddy	P Hobbs	B Brennan
12 noon	P Farrell	P Dolan	B Edgar	J Needham

26/27 June Readers

6 pm	T. Luff	E Hughes	K.Moroney	J.McNulty
9 am	Ctk.children	J Patterson	E. Smith	R.Askew
12 noon	J. Jennette	L Baldwin.	C Molloy	S.Carlin

Rotas - St Augustine's

19/20 June Readers

10.30 am	F McManus/T Ryan-Moulder	D Field
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26/27 June Readers

10.30 am	J Lee / children	M. Byrne
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Eucharistic Ministers

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Corpus Christi Procession

The Procession for the Parishes of Coventry took place on Sunday 13th June, beginning at St Osburg's at 3pm. The Procession proceeded through the Shopping Precinct, to the Priory Ruins of Coventry's Benedictine Cathedral. Prayers started at 4pm as the



bells sounded on all the churches nearby. Following Benediction, everybody sang 'Salve Regina' in honour of the reinstated Statue of Our Lady of Coventry, thanks to Keith Millage.



The Statue was a gift to the city to mark the millennium, carved by Sister Concordia of Minster Abbey. More Photographs can be found at: <http://www.coventry-catholicdeanery.org.uk/>

Coventry has had three Cathedrals in the past 1000 years: the 12th century Priory Church of St Mary, the Medieval Parish Church Cathedral of St Michael and the modern Coventry Cathedral, also named for St Michael. Coventry's earliest cathedral, dedicated to St Mary, was founded as a Benedictine community by Leofric, Earl of Mercia, and his wife Godiva in 1043. Built on the site of a former religious house for nuns, its sheer size is some indication of the wealth which Coventry acquired in the middle ages. The church was dedicated to the honour of God and His Blessed Mother, and also of St. Peter the Apostle, and of the Holy Virgin St. Osburg and of All Saints. In 1539, with King Henry VIII's Dissolution of the Monasteries act, the See of Coventry and Lichfield was transferred to Lichfield and the former cathedral fell into decay.

Schools

Christ the King Junior School. www.king-jun.coventry.sch.uk

Tuesday 22 June our Year 6 children and staff are off to London for the day. They have a very long and busy day ahead of them including a visit to the Houses of Parliament and an evening performance of "Wicked"

Thursday 24 June. We are hosts to ten schools for "Celebration Day" where the gardening club will be able to take part in various work shops and will have the opportunity to show what they have been growing this year.

Monday 28 June We have a meeting for Year 2 parents at 6.30pm. Parents are welcome to come and look around the school from 6.15pm.

Christ the King Schools Sports Day & Summer Fete.

Friday 2 July at 3.00pm at the Junior School. Raffle tickets available and will be on sale after Masses this and next week-end and also from the Schools. Raffle prizes which you may wish to donate will be appreciated. Also bric-a-brac (Not Clothes or Videos) are required please bring to the Infant School from Monday 28 June. Please support your Schools.

Christ the King Infant School www.king-inf.coventry.sch.uk

St Augustine's School www.st-augustines.coventry.sch.uk

Parishioners are very welcome to our 'Sports/Fun Day on the afternoon of Friday 2 July. If you wish to buy some Raffle Tickets they are available at the back of church. If you would like to donate something suitable for a prize, this can be left with Mrs Sue Mitchell (St. Augustine's Church) on Sunday 27 June.

Community Centre

www.ctk-parishcentre.co.uk

Mercia Friendship Club (over 50's) 1pm New members welcome. Admission 50p. On June 25th. there will be a Quiz.

Member on the Spot Draw £41. Remember to have your membership card with you for the "Free members" draw on Sundays.

Pyramid Draw Has a **Jackpot of £550** on 14 keys. Tickets on sale from Friday lunchtime to Sunday 2.30 when the draw is held.

Sunday night in the Centre Bingo . "Open the box" - was won we now start with a Jackpot £150 on 15 keys Sunday night music: "Dolores & Norman"

Yoga Classes relax and get fit: Try our SunPower Yoga! Wednesdays 6.30 pm to 8.00 pm. All welcome, beginners, men & women. £5 per session. For information contact Maureen on: 76415586 or 07507 636623

Quiz night in main lounge continues on 2nd and last Thursday of each month ie 10th and 24th June. Everyone welcome. £1 admission.

World Cup 2010



We now have a large screen upstairs and this large room will be available for families with their children. Downstairs there are two more screens and a large TV. All the England games will be shown and there will be food available that will be suitable for families. Please think of supporting us as I am sure it will be a good atmosphere. Wed 23 Slovenia v England 15:00. Sun 11 July World Cup Final 19:30

Baptisms

If you need to arrange a baptism then as the first step please talk with Fr Tom or Fr Paul after Mass giving your name, address and 'phone number. We will then have a home visit and give you a copy of the Baptism DVD/VIDEO. There will be just one session at the church to finalise details including the Baptism date.



Baptism DVD/Videos. We are missing many of our DVD/Videos for parents who are preparing for Baptisms. Please look in your home and see if you have one which you have forgotten to return.



Dear Parishioners

We welcomed Bishop Kenney on Saturday, 19th June for the Confirmations. Thank you to all our children, especially, to their parents and families and to the staff in the schools who helped to prepare our children, both in their witness to the faith and their example in life. It was a wonderful day.

During the month of June we focus on the Blessed Sacrament. Last weekend the Deanery Blessed Sacrament Procession was well attended and a great witness to our faith. Photographs are now available on the deanery website. We have our own Blessed Sacrament Procession for both St Augustine's and Christ the King Schools this weekend, Sunday, 20th June, after the 12 noon Mass followed by a picnic in the School grounds. The First Holy Communion and Confirmation children will take a special part in the procession. We would like the First Holy Communion Children to wear their outfits again. Do try to support the parish in our witness to the world.

We will be having a family camp weekend again this year. It will be on the weekend of September 3rd to 5th, the first weekend of the new term. This was the only weekend left for us to book and I am sure it will still prove popular. We will have a booking and information evening on Tuesday, 6th July at 8.00pm after youth group in The Library. The cost will be £45 per family; great value for a fun-packed weekend. The feedback last year was excellent, so do be sure to book early!

Fr Hudson's are organising a meeting to recruit Foster Parents. This will be on Friday, 25th June at 7.30pm in The Library. Is this something you might be interested in? Come along to find out more details, or read the leaflet at the back of Church.

The World Cup is now upon us and we have, as you know, improved the Club facilities. We now have a large screen upstairs and this large room will be available for families with their children. Downstairs there are two more screens and a large TV. All the England games will be shown and there will be food available that will be suitable for families. Please think of supporting us as I am sure it will be a good atmosphere.

Please continue to remember Fr Tom in your prayers; to pray for our children who have received the Sacraments, and for the success of the Papal Visit this coming September. Each day at Mass during the week we pray the official prayer for the success of the Papal Visit. If you are unable to come along to Mass, perhaps you could pray with us wherever you are.

Finally, a reminder that Tuesday, 29th June is the Feast of St Peter and St Paul; a Holy Day of Obligation. Masses will be available 'morning, noon and night' and we are obliged to come to Mass on this day. Plan ahead!

God Bless

Fr. Paul

This week's diary

Monday 21 June

7.00 pm Legion of Mary meet in the meeting room every Monday. New members needed. Contact Deacon Pat 76335383 / Marie Cooke 76590329.

Tuesday 22 June

9.15 am Scripture Sharing Group. Meeting Room after Mass.

10.00 am Mother & Toddler Group Meeting in the library.

6.30 pm Youth Group Meeting in the Library.

7.30 pm Charismatic Prayer Group. For prayer & praise commencing with the Rosary. Further information 'phone 76334574 or 76676232.

Wednesday 23 June

9.00 am Mother & Toddler Group meeting in the Library

1.30 pm Italian Classes (post intermediate) in the Library

5.30 pm Italian Classes (Intermediate) in the Library.

Thursday 24 June

7.00 pm Italian Classes (advanced) in the Library.

Friday 25 June

7.30 pm Father Hudson's Society talk on fostering guidelines.

Other items of interest

Rosary Prayers every Saturday 8pm at 'Our Lady of Coventry' Statue in Priory Gardens, Broadgate. All welcome.

Annual Service of Remembrance. Coventry Bereavement Services Annual Service of Remembrance on 20 June at 3pm at Canley Crematorium. City of Coventry Brass Band will provide the musical accompaniment and will play from 2.30pm. The service, will be led by Canon Garry Byrne.

Saturday 26th June 12 noon - 4pm. This is a free event which will see lots of workshops on media, dance and art take place that people can join in on. There will be lots of local groups showcasing their talents including the Combat Breakers. There will also be refreshments on sale and a Newman Archive table celebrating the last 40 years of our school. Everyone is welcome to join us on the day!

Corpus Christi Catholic School is celebrating its Golden Jubilee this year with a Mass of Thanksgiving on July 9th at 7.00 pm All former pupils, and members of staff are invited.

Church Cleaning- Christ the King Church. Have you time to spare? Just one Thursday morning each month 8.45 pm to 10.00 am. More cleaners required male/female If you can help please contact Rhona at the Presbytery, who will give you the dates required.

The Youth Group are looking for adult help with leading the groups; both Youth Cafe for young adults and the Youth Group for younger children. We are particularly keen to get good male role models. Could you help with this? There is plenty of support and training available - it might be just what the Good Lord is calling you to do. See either Fr Paul or Carmel Keane for more info.

FUTURE DATES.

6	July	8pm meeting on camping weekend after youth group
3-5	Sept	Family Camping Weekend
19	Sept	Pope's Mass at Coventry Airport. http://www.thepapalvisit.org.uk/
24-29	Sept	Parish Trip to Fatima
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	May	Parish Trip to Lourdes.
16-21	Aug	World Youth Day Madrid www.jm2011madrid.com



Children's Corner



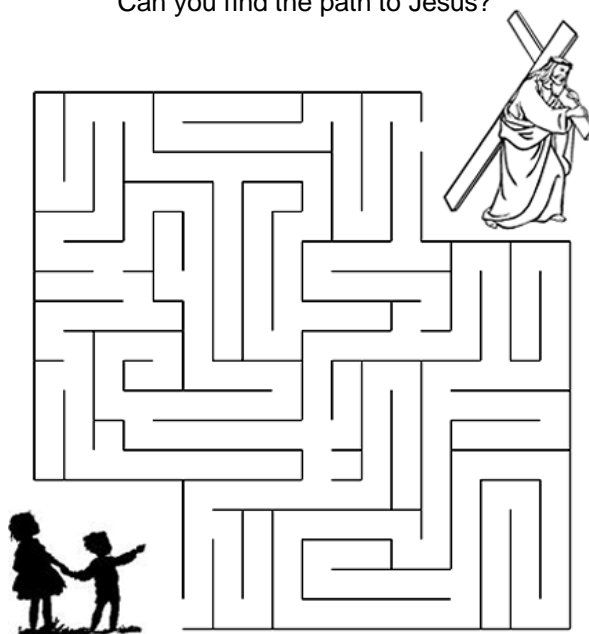
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Take up your cross and follow Jesus!

Can you find the path to Jesus?



Focus on.....Italian Classes



The aim is to learn enough to make a holiday in Italy a bit more enjoyable. Some of the students have already recounted their adventures! We cover topics such as ordering in a restaurant, booking accommodation, asking for directions to places, shopping etc. We have three groups of students who attend classes every fortnight. There is an Advanced class on Thursday evenings, a Post Intermediate class on Wednesday afternoons and an intermediate class early evening on Wednesday. Details from Judy 76403872.

Did You Know?

Answers to last week's questions: Who was sentenced to death in Westminster Hall having previously served as Lord Chancellor? Visitors to the Houses of Parliament at the Palace of Westminster in London will notice a plaque in the middle of the floor of Westminster Hall commemorating St Thomas More's trial for treason and condemnation to execution in that original part of the Palace. This building would have been well known to More, who served as Speaker of the House of Commons prior to becoming Lord Chancellor of England.

Which Englishman was created a cardinal in May 1535? In May 1535, the new pope, Paul III, created St John Fisher Cardinal-Priest of *San Vitale*, apparently in the hope of inducing Henry VIII to ease Fisher's treatment. The effect was precisely the reverse; Henry forbade the cardinal's hat to be brought into England, declaring that he would send the head to Rome instead.

This week's questions: Which are the Holy Days of Obligation? What are the names of the 12 Apostles?

Useful Information

Parish Phone Numbers

Presbytery 76591618
 Community Centre 76593444
 Christ the King Infant 76592047, Christ the King Junior 76335790
 St Augustine's Primary 76596988 Sports Centre 76601118



Father Paul's Blog <http://frpauljohnson.blogspot.com/>



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Parish website: www.ctk-cov.org.uk

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If you Hear the Fire Alarm

Leave the church by the nearest exit, go to the assembly point in the car park and await further instructions. Do not attempt to tackle the fire.



Items for the newsletter

email admin@ctk-cov.org.uk by Wednesday night
To receive your weekly newsletter by e-mail:
 email admin@ctk-cov.org.uk with the subject line 'newsletter'.



Baby Changing Facilities are provided in the Disabled Toilet.



Please switch off your mobile phone, whilst you are in the church. Thank you.



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

