

Weekday Mass Times and Intentions

St Francis

St Augustine

Mon 9.30am	Bobby Kersey (Members of SVP) John Rosier (Pam Highton)
Tue 12noon	Julia Matts (Sean and Sheila Convey) Bernadette McDonnell (Frank and Stella Allinson)
Wed	9.00am Bernadette McDonnell (Val and Caroline) Margaret Nottingham (Anniv) (Maureen Hazelwood)
Thu	12noon Requiem Mass: Oscar Baker RIP 7.30pm Margaret Rosier (90 th Birthday Int's) (Members of CWL)
Fri	9.15am Year 3 Class Mass in School 9.00am Margaret Rosier (90 th Birthday Int's) (Caroline, Val, Norah, Margaret and Maureen)
Sat 10.00am	Celebrant's Intention

St Augustine's Church is usually open for prayer daily from about 9am – 4pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 10.30am – 11.00am and 4.45 pm – 5.15 pm

Feast days:

Tue 24 Jan	St Francis de Sales, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Wed 25 Jan	Feast of the Conversion of St. Paul
Thu 26 Jan	Saints Timothy and Titus, Bishops
Sat 28 Jan	St. Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Religious and Doctor of the Church

Collections recently:

15 January 2017: £1027-94 Standing Orders: £500 approx.

'Pax Christi' Collection £453-80 Thank you for your great generosity

This Parish is part of the RC Archdiocese of Birmingham Reg. Charity No.234216

Please pray for those who are sick:

Michael and John Carpenter, Elsa Hewett, Nancy Kirkbride, Joan O'Leary, Susan Griffin, Connie Pope, Pat Harris, Alan Barry, Thomas Lewis, Cathy Jones, Joan Stepien, Tom Clark, Derek Adams, Frank Ward, Kathleen O'Connor, Paul and Gabrielle Crawford, Helen Booth, Teresa Gleeson, Rita Hibbitts, Margaret Rosier, Kitty Ostrowicz, Mary Taylor, Leila Sewell, Joan Freyne, Agnes Pauling, Dennis Menezes, Betty Warltier, Allan Marshall, Mary and Andrew Hartley, Helen Mulcaster, Marie Hill, Eileen Crean, Eileen Seavers, Noel Heaton, Win Fowler, Joyce and Clive Hodges, Julia Calderbank, Jeff Webb, Sid Simmonds, Christina Kelly, Gerry Kersey, Helen Williams, Ann and Jim Rixon, Barbara Hodge, Molly St John, Holly Smith, Zena Grindlay, Patrick Kenny, Bert Perkins, Jane McSharry, Robert Rhodes, Florence Stokes, Tony Coutts-Smith, Father David Mellor, Father Patrick Daly, Eileen Hunt, Alejandro Ferrer, Sheila Simmonds, Niall and Margaret Bailey, Sheila Williams, Pat Hickson, Rosemarie Finnegan, Tom O' Hare, Noreen Davies, Rebekah Turner, Maura Jelly, Fred Hodge, Cyril McClair, Colin Cardinal, Frank Horisk, Aidan Childs, Nina Humble, Peter Pawley and Pat Adams.

Those who have died recently: Robert Webster, Michael Hills, Oscar Baker, Dennis Chan.

The Catholic Parish of Kenilworth

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Notices for week commencing

Sunday 22 January 2017

The Third Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A

Psalter Week 3

Sunday Mass Times and Intentions

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Sat	5.30pm Norah Reeves (Anniv) (Family) NOTE NEW MASS TIME
Sun	8am Albert Phelps (B'day Anniv) (Ann Bunt and family)
	9.30am Bee Carroll (Anniv) (Anne Kelly, Tom and Jack)
	11.15am Deceased members of the Ryan family (Anniv's) (John and Ethel)

Next Sunday

St Francis

St Augustine

Sat	5.30pm Tom and Mary Reeves (Anniv) (Brid, Richard and family)
	NOTE NEW MASS TIME
Sun	8am Celebrant's Intention
	9.30am Sinead O'Toole (Julie Poole and family)
	11.15am Mary Shevlin (Members of the CWL)

**THIS IS THE SUNDAY WITHIN THE
OCTAVE OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY**

We began the octave of prayer for the unity of all Christian people last **Wednesday**. The prayer of Jesus: - "Father that they may be one, as we are one" must be in our hearts and minds as we pray for all our brothers and sisters in Christ.

Please note that all parishioners are invited to a United Service at St John's Church, this Sunday, 22 January at 6.30pm. Refreshments will be served.

Details for the procession of light and acts of worship at each church during the Octave are available on a separate sheet. We shall be welcoming the Unity Light at St Francis' at **7.00 pm on Tuesday**, 24 January and at St Austin's Church at **7.15 pm on Wednesday** 25 January.

NEXT SUNDAY: FRIENDS OF THE HOLY LAND

Over the weekend of **28 / 29 January** Peter Rand will share his first-hand experiences of the situation in the Holy Land when he speaks at each Mass and there **will be a second collection for the work of Friends of the Holy Land.**

REPOSITORY

Various items relating to the Confirmation Mass on 16 February are available at the Repository. Coming up also, items for St Patrick's Day, Mothering Sunday and Easter.

FROM GIO BUCCI, COORDINATOR OF THE CHILDREN'S LITURGY

The Children's Liturgy takes place at 9.30am mass every Sunday during term time. There are 2 groups. The young group is designed for children up to and including Year 2 at school. The older group is aimed at those children only in Years 3 to 6 at school.

PRAYER GROUP

The next meeting is on **Monday 23 January at 7.30pm at Bullimore Grove.**

Our prayer will be for peace: between the world's nations and between people and families; for unity and peace between the Christian Churches and in our hearts. "Lord, send us peace and let it begin with me" Prayer box requests will be included at the meeting: boxes in both Churches, for any prayer intentions!

Contact is LP Whiteman. 854148.

SALVE MEETING

There will be a meeting of SALVE at St. Francis' Parish Centre on **Tuesday 24 January at 10 30am**. New members always welcome. Contact F. Chapman 858105

OSCAR BAKER RIP

Oscar, the father of Liz Simmons died in Priors House, Leamington Spa recently. We offer our condolences to her, to her husband Rob and to the children Philippa, Declan and Jeremy. Oscar's Requiem Mass will be at St Augustine's Church on **Thursday, 26 January at 12noon –Reception Wednesday 25 Jan. at 5pm** May he rest in peace.

READERS' MEETING

There will be another Deanery Readers' Day on **Saturday 28 January 10:30 - 4:30** at St Gregory's, Stratford upon Avon. If you missed the one in Leamington Spa in September, this is another chance to explore the spirituality and role of the Ministry of Reader and your part in it; how the Liturgy of the Lord and of the Eucharist fit together and practical aspects of being a Reader. If you are interested in attending, please phone Kate on 01926 314077 or email kate.tennyson@googlemail.com

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS ON 2 AND 3 FEBRUARY

On Thursday, 2 February we shall keep the Feast of the Presentation of our Lord in the Temple or 'Candlemass'. This celebration, forty days after Christmas, reminds us that Christ is the Light of the Nations and the Glory of Israel.

The solemn entrance into church and traditional candle blessing will be observed at the evening mass at 7.30pm at St Francis' Church.

The Blessing of the throats for **St Blaise's Day** will be given at the **7.30pm Mass the following day on Friday, 3 February at St Francis' Church.**

ANNUAL PRO-LIFE CHARITY COLLECTION

The collection in 2017 will take place at all masses over **4 / 5 February**. I commend to you this collection for such an important work locally based and working nationally.

DAY OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION FOR VOCATIONS

The date given to us by the Archdiocese for 2017 is **Sunday, 12 February**.

This will be observed this year at **St Francis's Church**. **Please book the date and sign up for a period of personal prayer on the charts in both churches.**

CONFIRMATION MASS

We shall welcome Bishop William Kenney to the parish for the celebration of the Mass of Confirmation on **Thursday, 16 February at 7.00 pm**. Please keep in prayer the candidates for Confirmation from our school and the Parish Group. There will be a mass for parishioners **at 12 noon on that day** as well as the Confirmation mass.

ARE YOU INTERESTED?

Wanted to rent or as part of a house swap, a 3/4 double bedroom house in Kenilworth (swap is a 4 bed house in Dublin) and the date required - **2 weeks from the beginning of August 2017**. Please contact Joan Ryan 01926779920

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS THIS YEAR

Ash Wednesday	1 March (Lent begins)
Palm Sunday	9 April (Holy Week begins)
Easter Day	16 April
Ascension Day	28 May (now Sunday)
Pentecost	4 June
Corpus et Sanguis Christi	18 June (now Sunday)

May Our Lord richly bless our liturgical life during this New Year.

PASTIMES

Meetings are on Mondays 2 – 4pm in the Parish Centre, with Craft Corner (knitting, needlework etc), Bridge, Whist, Scrabble etc. and refreshments. Subscription is 40p.

ST FRANCIS' PARENTS' AND TODDLERS' GROUPS

The **Monday** group meets at the Parish Centre from 10 – 11.15am.

There is also a **Wednesday** group at Crackley Hall from 10 – 11.30am.

ST AUGUSTINE'S PARENTS' AND TODDLERS' GROUP

This meets on **Tuesdays** at the Kids Club adjacent to the school from 10 - 11.30 am.

OFFERTORY COUNTERS

This Sun: D and J McDonnell, G Crawford, H Whiteman

Next Sun: T Stokes, J Barr, P Haley

CHURCH CLEANING

St Francis' A Farrell, E Head, A Moore, B Stokes

St Augustine's: Y Shillington, M Tenney

EVERY BLESSING AND GOOD WISHES TO YOU ALL, Father Kevin.