

Weekday Mass Times and Intentions

St Francis

St Augustine

Mon 10.00am	Health of Robin Scott (Maria Heaton and family) Denis Hickson (Anniv) (Maureen Hazelwood and family)
Tues 9.30am	Patrick Kenny (Teresa Hartshorn) Intentions of Pilgrims to Holywell
Wed	10.00am Sister Gabriel (Frances and Alan Baxter)
Thu 7.30pm	Health of Andrew Jackson (Eileen Seavers) Private Intention (Pat Southall)
Fri 9.30am	Rita Walch (5 th Anniv) (Ken and family)
2.00pm	Requiem Mass: James Rixon RIP
Sat 9.00am	Gerard Brownbill (5th Anniv) (Norma and family) People of the Parish

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

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

Saturday 10.30 am – 11.00 am and 4.45 pm – 5.15 pm

Feast days:

Mon 1 May	S Joseph the Worker
Tue 2 May	S Athanasius, Bishop and Doctor of the Church
Wed 3 May	Feast of the Apostles, SS. Philip and James
Thu 4 May	Feast of the English Martyrs

Collections recently:

23 April: £971-37 Standing Orders £500 approx

Thank you for your kind 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, 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, Win Fowler, Joyce and Clive Hodges, Julia Calderbank, 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 Patrick Daly, Eileen Hunt, Alejandro Ferrer, Sheila Simmonds, Niall and Margaret Bailey, Sheila Williams, Pat Hickson, Rosemarie Finnegan, Tom O' Hare, Rebekah Turner, Fred Hodge, Colin Cardinal, Aidan Childs, Nina Humble, Helen Dignam, Paula Newton, Yvonne Shillington, Janet Hanks, Emma Smith, John Shanahan, Norma Brownbill, Marie Gordon, John Mitchell and Pat Adams.

Those who have died recently: Helen Treanor, Eric Twissell, James Rixon, Jeff Webb.

The Catholic Parish of Kenilworth

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Notices for week commencing

Sunday 30 April 2017

The Third Sunday of Easter: Year A

Psalter: Week 3

Sunday Mass Times and Intentions

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Sat.	5.30pm	Bernadette McDonnell (Maura and Bob Jelly)
Sun.		8.00am Rita Walch (5 th Anniv) (Ken and his family)
	9.30am	In thanksgiving to the Sacred Heart of Jesus (Carol and family)
	11.15am	Ivan Berti (Sue and her family)

Next Sunday

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Sat.	5.30pm	Tom O' Hare (Anne Brough and Paul Leddon)
Sun.		8.00am Bernadette and Peter Tooth (Anniv's)(Pete, Karen, Ellie and Fiona)
	9.30am	People of the Parish
	11.15am	Andrea Mitchell (Mary-Rose Lines and her family)

THIS SUNDAY EVENING: PARISH AGM

The parish AGM is on **Sunday in the Parish Centre**. This is an important meeting for anyone interested in the running of the parish. We will be seeking nominations for members of the Parish Council. This is of great importance for the parish.

Can you be of help? Please contact Ted Lewis on 777368.

NEXT SUNDAY: VOCATIONS SUNDAY

AND CLERGY TRAINING FUND COLLECTION

Sunday 7 May will this year be Good Shepherd or Vocations Sunday, when we pray for a deeper sense of our personal vocation and for Vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate and Consecrated Life in Religious Community. We pray for the Seminaries at Oscott and elsewhere.

There will be the annual Second Collection for the training of Priests and Deacons over 6 / 7 May.

PIETY STALL/REPOSITORY

Val and Caroline wish to inform parishioners that the Repository now has its usual items available as well as olive wood goods from the Holy Land.

JAMES RIXON RIP

Jim's body will be received into St Francis' Church on Thursday, 4 May at 6pm.

His Requiem Mass will take place the following day, Friday, 5 May at 2pm.

All parishioners are invited to attend.

We offer Anne and all the family the assurance of our prayers and our deepest sympathy. May Jim rest in peace.

ERIC TWISSELL RIP

News has come to the parish of the death of **ERIC TWISSELL**. Eric and his family have been involved in the life of the parish and the Parish Club for many years.

Recently Eric and Brendan were often together at the Vigil Mass. We remember Rita, Eric's wife and her sharing in the life in the parish over many years. We offer our condolences to David, Brendan and all the family at this time. **Eric's body will be received into St Francis' Church on Sunday, 7 May at 5.30 pm and his Requiem Mass will be on Monday 8 May at 1.30pm.** All parishioners are invited to attend.

May Eric rest in peace.

CHRISTIAN AID SERVICE SUNDAY 14 MAY

The annual Christian Aid service will be on **Sunday 14th May at 6.30pm** in St Francis' Church. This is organised by "Churches Together" and all are welcome. We hope that many of our own parishioners will attend in order to welcome our friends from other churches.

CHRISTIAN AID WEEK 14 - 20 MAY

Thanks to all who have offered to collect for Christian Aid this year. However, we still have a great need for volunteers - if you can help with the collection please phone Sheila MacMahon on Tel: 858436.

SALVE PLANT SALE

Calling all gardeners! Salve will be holding its annual plant sale on **May 20/21** to send funds to Fr. Duma in Funsu in Ghana. Please keep us in mind as you prepare your bedding plants etc. We will welcome all contributions. Contact F. Chapman 858105.

'ST. AUSTIN'S 175' CELEBRATION – 3 JUNE 2017

Thank you to everyone who completed the yellow forms. St. Austin's will be very full on 3rd June but, with additional seating, everyone who completed a form can be accommodated in the church. Tickets are available for Mass and Lunch to those who

have indicated their intention to attend. We hope to welcome everyone but others will be placed on a waiting list for Mass and/or lunch.

Lunch is £12 as previously advertised.

AFTERNOON TEA SUNDAY 4 JUNE

Continuing with the celebration of the 175th Anniversary of St. Austin's Church, the Friends of the Holy Land are hosting Afternoon Tea in the garden using the marquee. A Grand Draw will also take place. All proceeds will go directly to the Christians in the Holy Land who are most in need. Tickets price £5 will be on sale after Mass from 6th May. Contact Pam Highton 859532.

KILIMANJARO in aid of MYTON HOSPICE

On 23 September, Richard Staveley will be travelling to Tanzania in an attempt to climb Mount Kilimanjaro in aid of Myton Hospice. He will be holding fundraising events over the coming months but has a Just Giving page if you wish to donate that way - www.justgiving.com/fundraising/Richard-Staveley

ST AUGUSTINE'S SCHOOL INTERNATIONAL FIESTA

This will be held on Sunday 14 May from 1-4pm. You are invited to join us to celebrate the many nationalities in our school community, with over 30 countries represented, amazing national dishes to try, demonstrations and children's activities.

Come hungry as there will be lots of food! Tickets will be sold after Masses on 29/30 April and 6/7 May and are £4 adults in advance, £5 on the door. Children go free.

FROM ANGELA SCULL WHO TAKES TO HER BIKE AGAIN

Almost twelve months ago, I joined 3,000 other ladies to "Ride the Night" through the streets of London for 104 km (62 miles) to raise funds for cancer research. At the time I said "never again!" However, in my retirement I have chosen to repeat the event for some strange reason. It could have been the marvellous atmosphere, it could have been the hope to lose some weight, it could have been because I should have more time to prepare but the real reason is that I seem to know so many people who are struggling with this dreadful disease. Please, please, please if you are able, sponsor me and think of me on the night of 27th May at 10:30 at night as I set off on this journey once again.

My Just Giving link is www.justgiving.com/fundraising/angelascull

I thank you in advance

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.

FOOD BANK ROTA Please check whether you are transporting food this week.

OFFERTORY COUNTERS

This Sun: P Rand, J Kidman, P Ryan

Next Sun: M Swinburne, D Spillane, J Rice, R Palmi

CHURCH CLEANING

St Francis': J Barr, J Kidman, M Sullivan

St Augustine's: S Haley, M Palmi

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