

THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK

Our badge, the badge given us by our Master,
is *universal charity*.

Blessed Antonio Rosmini

Next Week's Gospel Reading Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Luke 6:27-38

'But I say to you that listen, Love your enemies, do good to those who hate you, bless those who curse you, pray for those who abuse you. If anyone strikes you on the cheek, offer the other also; and from anyone who takes away your coat do not withhold even your shirt. Give to everyone who begs from you; and if anyone takes away your goods, do not ask for them again. Do to others as you would have them do to you.

'If you love those who love you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners love those who love them. If you do good to those who do good to you, what credit is that to you? For even sinners do the same. If you lend to those from whom you hope to receive, what credit is that to you? Even sinners lend to sinners, to receive as much again. But love your enemies, do good, and lend, expecting nothing in return. Your reward will be great, and you will be children of the Most High; for he is kind to the ungrateful and the wicked. Be merciful, just as your Father is merciful.

'Do not judge, and you will not be judged; do not condemn, and you will not be condemned. Forgive, and you will be forgiven; give, and it will be given to you. A good measure, pressed down, shaken together, running over, will be put into your lap; for the measure you give will be the measure you get back.'



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ST MARIE'S RUGBY

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Week starting 16th February Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Racial Justice Sunday

Sunday Collections - Thank you for last Sunday's offertory collection which amounted to £

Lent is near – a time to pray, to do penance and almsgiving. It is more of an internal journey than an outward. There is a questionnaire for you to answer and then bring to us with your positive feedback. Thank you.

St Marie's U.C.M daily Mass scheme is on Wednesday 20th February. Please attend any Mass on that day.

Hibbert's Kitchen Sunday Lunch – All welcome, whether you are on your own or you are bringing the whole family! £10 per person for two courses. Fully licenced bar. Sunday 24th February from 12.30pm to 3pm in Hibbert's Hall. Please speak to Hibbert's Kitchen to book you place. Tel: 07596265871. Look out for the poster in church and outside Hibbert's for forthcoming Sunday Lunch dates in 2019.

St. Marie's 500 Club - the winning numbers for the February draw are 1. No 9 @ £30, 2. No 33 @ £20, 3. No 197 @ £10. Thank you all for your continued support. Any queries or if you would like to join in time for the March draw telephone Elizabeth on 816285.

Liturgy Meeting- is on the Wednesday the 27th at 7pm at Gentili House.

Confirmation Lessons- The first date of meeting is on Monday the 4th of March at 5.30pm to 6.15pm for children not attending St. Marie's Primary school. Thank you. The lessons are at Gentili House.

Please do not bring food/drink in to the church as it is attracting mice. We have pest control people working to help us to stop the rats as they can cause a lot of damage to cables and clothes in the Church. Thank you.

Tour of St. Mary's College Oscott - 20th February (and other dates throughout the year) - including the Pugin chapel from where Saint John Henry Newman preached his famous 'Second Spring' sermon. £10 per person including tea and homemade cake. Tours begin at 1pm (arrival at 12:45pm) and last approx. 2 hours. To book your place, or for more information, contact Mrs Margaret Wilson on 0121 3215026 or margaret.wilson@oscott.org.

Talks during Lent- Lent preparation with Five talks from Bishop Robert Barron with evening Prayer in the Church. It is video talks. Please book these dates in your diary. The talks are for all parishioners. **I am sure you will greatly benefit from these talks to deepen your faith.**

Wed 13th March at 6pm: *The Mystery Of Mass: the source and summit of Life*

Wed 20th March at 6pm: *Seven Deadly Sins and Seven Lively Virtues*

Wed 27th March at 6pm: *Sainthood, Sanctity And What Makes us Holy*

Wed 3rd April at 6pm: *Living As The Image of God: created for Joy & Love*

Wed 10th April at 6pm: Reason & Faith

A Very Warm Welcome to St. Marie's!

Have you joined us for the first time?

Please complete a card from the main porch and hand it to the clergy & introduce yourself.

Come and meet other parishioners for coffee or tea in the Parish Halls after weekday or Sunday morning Mass

NB Please remember to inform the Parish Office if you move house or change your contact details.

Parish Office opens from 09.10 – 12.40 on Wednesday to Friday

IN THE PARISH continued...

Revive Lent Lunches 12noon – 1pm These simple lunches will consist of soup, bread & cheese and a coffee or tea. There will then be a short address by the minister or representative of the church hosting the meal. Each week the lunch will be hosted by a different church in Rugby (see below for details). A donation of £3 is requested, which will be distributed between Christian Aid and CAFOD.

6th March – St. Matthews & St. Oswalds, Lawford Road.

13th March – St. Andrew's Church, Church Street.

20th March – Rugby Baptist Church, John Lees Hall, Regent Place.

27th March – St. Marie's Rugby, Hibbert's Hall.

3rd April – Rugby Methodist Church, Russelsheim Way.

10th April – United Reformed Church, Hillmorton Road.

Job Opportunity - Our Lady's Catholic Primary School, Princethorpe is looking to appoint a Head Teacher for September. Closing Date: Monday 25th February; for details please email: admin3561@we-learn.com or 'phone: 01926 632385

Job Opportunity – Personal Assistant to the Executive Director of HOPE. Mon-Fri, 9am-5pm, £20,000-£23,000 per year. For full details and job description, please see the notice board at the back of the church. CVs to be sent to denise.bromley@hopetogether.org.uk Closing date: 22nd February. More information about HOPE can be found at www.hopetogether.org.uk



Altar servers- with the Archbishop at St. Chad's after the Mass. Dhyán, Sorcha, Sofia, Alssia, Aleshia, Lionel, Daniel, Aleta, Michelle, Ian, Becci, Gareth and Alan.

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS FOR THE WEEK

16th - 23rd February 2019

SATURDAY 16th February - Vigil for Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Confessions 5.30 to 5.55 p.m.

Mass at 6.00 p.m. for Lillian Webb R.I.P.

SUNDAY 17th February – Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Confessions from 9.30 a.m. - 9.55 a.m.

Mass at 10 a.m. for Den Harries R.I.P. & James Hodgins R.I.P.

Polish Mass at 12.30 p.m.

Baptism at 2.30 p.m.

Mass at 6.00 p.m. for Shirley Deery R.I.P.

MONDAY 18th February

Mass at 10 a.m. for Bernadette Atkin R.I.P.

Adoration 8 a.m. – 7 p.m. in the church. (Morning Prayer at 8:50 a.m.)

Mass at 7.00 p.m. for Well-being of Borg Family

TUESDAY 19th February

Mass at 10 a.m. for Thomas Quinn R.I.P.

WEDNESDAY 20th February

Mass at 10.00 a.m. for the Rosminian Fathers

Requiem at 11 a.m. Joseph Bannigan R.I.P.

THURSDAY 21st February

Mass at 10 a.m. for Intentions of Veronica Van Kimmenade

Choir Practice - 7:45 p.m. in Church.

FRIDAY 22nd February - Feast of the Chair of St. Peter

Mass at 10 a.m. for Well-being of Breda & Tommy O'Byrne

SATURDAY 23rd February – Memorial of St. Polycarp

Mass at 9:30 a.m. for All Parishioners

Confessions 10 to 11a.m.

Parish Priest's Diary:

Monday: Spiritual Direction & Confession

Tuesday: Meeting

Wednesday: Requiem/ Meeting

Thursday: Meeting

Friday: Burial of Ashes/ Meeting

Job Opportunity - Headteacher at Our Lady of the Assumption School, Coventry. Required for January 2020. Further details are on the school website. Telephone: 02476466655 or email c.mackay@ourlady.coventry.sch.uk

✠ PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE WHO ARE SICK: ✠

Tom Donnelly, Derek Larkin, Sharon Colleran, Rachel Mears, Baby Freddie Fereday, Elsie Johnson, Piotr Fior, William Hearn, Sofia Roman Garcia, Hattie Taylor, Pat & Breda Mulvey, Pippy Bilsland, Lenny & Marie Niner

✠ RECENTLY DIED ✠

Joseph Bannigan, Dedee Flint

✠ FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARIES FALL AROUND THIS TIME: ✠

Rev. Antony Primavesi, Margaret Jones, Jan Sliwa, Alfons Linden

We welcome Max Finbar, Felicity Wednesday, Rafferty Charles O'Reilly & Harriet Mary Fletcher to our Community.