

# Sacred Heart and English Martyrs: Newsletter 171021

## Twenty-ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time B

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Parish Office Hours: Tuesday and Friday 9.30-12 noon

**Entrance Antiphon:** To you I call; for you will surely heed me, O God; turn your ear to me; hear my words. Guard me as the apple of your eye; in the shadow of your wings protect me.

**First Reading:** A reading from the prophet Isaiah

*If he offers his life in atonement, he shall see his heirs, he shall have a long life*

**Response:** Psalm 32 May your love be upon us O Lord, as we place all our hope in you

**Second Reading:** A reading from the letter to the Hebrews

*Let us be confident in approaching the throne of grace*

**Gospel Acclamation:** Alleluia, alleluia! I am the Way, the Truth and the Life, says the Lord; no one can come to the Father except through me.

**Gospel:** A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark

*The Son of Man came to give his life as a ransom for many*

**Communion Antiphon:** Behold the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, who hope in his merciful love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine

### PARISHES' MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS LS= Live Stream as indicated

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> 5pm at SH Peoples of the Parishes LS

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> 9.30am at SH For the Synod No LS

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> 11am at EM Charles Russell Jnr. RIP LS

Monday 18<sup>th</sup> 10 am Mass at SH Mylius Mnannia Oku (Operation) LS

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> No Mass today

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> No Mass today

Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> 11 am Mass at EM Private Intention No LS

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> 7pm Mass at SH Sick and Housebound LS

Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> 5pm at SH LS

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> 9.30am at SH For the peoples of the parishes no LS

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> 11am at EM LS For the mission of the Church

**MASSES DURING THE WEEK AT SACRED HEART** will now be held in the Day Chapel and livestreamed. They will be open to all. Please observe masks, sanitise, distance etc.

**THE DIOCESAN VISION:** Unfolding God's Plan

Our vision is to be a Catholic diocese which is faithful to the mission entrusted to us by Jesus Christ, full of missionary disciples who work together co-responsibly in vibrant communities of faith, joyful in their service of God and neighbour. Let us pray for the Church that she may receive from the Holy Spirit the grace and strength to renew herself in the light of the Gospel. Amen.

**THE SYNOD 2023** For a Synodal Church; Communion, Participation and Mission. Our diocesan process will be launched by Archbishop Bernard at a special Mass this Sunday at St Chad's Cathedral. He has issued a Pastoral Letter and invites us all to participate at parish level. More details soon.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2022-** We are planning our classes for 2022 now so if you wish your child to take part please email [sacredheart.bilton@rcaob.org.uk](mailto:sacredheart.bilton@rcaob.org.uk) with details as soon as possible.

**MISSIO APF/RED BOX COLLECTION AT SACRED HEART.** Please bring any Red Boxes to Church so they can be counted and cash sent to support the Missions. Please have all boxes/money in at the latest by Sunday 17th October 2021 which is World Mission Sunday.

**Rugby Foodbank** – Contributions always welcome here at Church or through your local store.

**Hope 4 Clothing Project to support asylum seekers** temporarily housed in Rugby. We need for males: jeans – 30,32,34; jumpers M & L; trainers 9,10,11 and new boxer shorts. For women we need Coats S,M,L (suitable for autumn and winter use) and underwear (new only). For further information the team can be reached at [donations@hope4.org.uk](mailto:donations@hope4.org.uk) **Clothes can be dropped off at Dixon Hall, Vicarage Road, Rugby CV22 7AJ on Wednesday 2-4pm and Saturday 10am-12noon. Please DO NOT take donations to Hope 4. Thanks.**

**COP 26 Prayer Event at St Andrew's Church** The Rugby Green Christian Group is organising a drop in prayer event between 10am and 12noon on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> October. This is an opportunity to pray just as COP 26, the United Nations Climate Change Meeting, is about to begin. There will be some prayer resources available to guide independent prayer, and there will be 5 minutes of led prayers at half hourly intervals (10, 10.30, 11, 11.30 and just before the end at noon). **Please do pop in for a few minutes, or stay for as long as you would like. All are welcome,** and the coffee shop in the church will be open too ☺

