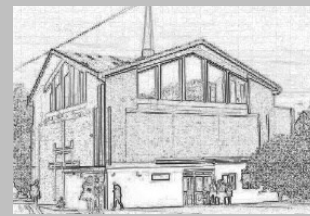




Sacred Heart
 17 Lime Tree Ave.
 Bilton
 CV22 7QT

English Martyrs
 30 High St.
 Hillmorton
 CV21 4EE



7th May 2023 Fifth Sunday of Easter Year A

Sat 6th	SH	5.00 p.m.	Richard and Maureen Clarke Ints
Sun 7th	SH EM	9.30 am 11.00 am	People of the Parishes Eileen Perry's Intentions ROSARY at 10.20 am
Mon 8th	SH	7.00pm	No Mass
Tues 9th	SH		No Mass
Wed 10th	SH	7.00 pm	No Mass
Thurs 11th	EM SH	11.00 am 10.00 am	No Mass Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion followed by refreshments in the Hall
Fri 12th	SH	7.00 pm	No Mass
Sat 13th	SH	5.00 pm	Kathleen Fowler RIP Mission Appeal
Sun 14th	SH EM	9.30am 11.00 am	People of the Parishes Mission Appeal Elizabeth Deery RIP Mission Appeal ROSARY at 10.20am

Mission Appeal Collection next Weekend at both Parishes.

Fr Brendan Ona will be making the Appeal on behalf of the Spiritans' missionary work. They are involved in Education, Evangelization, Pastoral Care, Famine/ Drought Relief, Healthcare, Water Security, Sanitation, Refugee Services and Seminary Formation etc.

English Martyrs Sunday Mass on 21st May will be at 11 30am due to the celebration of Confirmation at Sacred Heart with the Archbishop that day.

<p>Sacred Heart Safeguarding Officer: Sue Leary www.sacredheartrugby.org.uk Tel. 01788 813263 YouTube: Sacred Heart, Bilton Email: sacredheart.bilton@rcaob.org.uk</p> <p>Parish Office for both parishes open: Tuesday and Friday 9.30 am to 12.00.</p>	<p>English Martyrs Safeguarding Officer: Marie Kane www.englishmartyrsrugby.org Tel. 01788 813263 YouTube -English Martyrs RC Parish Rugby Email: sacredheart.bilton@rcaob.org.uk</p> <p>English Martyrs Primary School Tel 01788 543432</p>
<p>Parish Team Canon Gerard Murray, Deacon Lionel Pelloquin, Fr Graham Venn IC (in residence) Archdiocese of Birmingham Registered as a charity no. 234216</p>	

REFRESHMENTS AFTER MASS ;

There are usually refreshments after Sunday morning Mass at SH in the Hall . And on the last Sunday of the month at EM. All welcome.

These events are important occasions when we can meet and get to know our fellow parishioners and even the Clergy.

RUGBY FOODBANK NEEDS OUR SUPPORT : Tinned meat, tinned potatoes, coffee, savoury crackers, tinned potatoes, tinned fish, pasta sauce, shower gel, washing up liquid and strong carrier bags. Items can be dropped off at most supermarkets. For further information and updates go to their website info@rugby.foodbank.org.uk

CONFIRMATION CELEBRATION AT SACRED HEART on Sunday 21st May at Sacred Heart with Archbishop Bernard Longley. The next preparation sessions are on Thursday, 11th May and 18th May. Sessions will run from 7 until 8pm in the Hall. Please arrive promptly.

SVP : St Vincent de Paul Society. Turning faith into social action by visiting the house-bound, elderly and helping the disadvantaged where we can. We are trying to develop a group to serve our parishes. Meeting at Sacred Heart on Wed 17th May 7.30pm after 7pm Mass. All welcome even if and especially if you were not able to attend the previous meeting. More from David on 07713246987. Expressions of interest to Fr Gerry or Deacon Lionel, if you would like to know more.

Offertory Collections last weekend :

EM £ 232+ SOs , Clergy Training Fund £ 107. SH £171 +SOs. Clergy Training Fund £156

Thank you again for your continued financial support of the Parishes.

We no longer take a Collection during Mass. We invite you to place your offerings in the collection baskets in the Church porches. Do think about signing a monthly Standing Order to help ensure a regular flow of income to the parishes. And if you pay tax and can Gift Aid it your offering is increased at no cost to you.

MAY ROSARY will be prayed at English Martyrs at 10.20am before Sunday Mass during the month.

Pope Francis intention for May : We pray that Church Movements and Groups may rediscover their mission of evangelisation each day, placing their own charisms at the service of needs in the world.

Our Diocesan Vision Statement

We are called to be a Catholic diocese which is faithful to the mission entrusted to us by Jesus Christ, full of missionary disciples who work co-responsibly in vibrant communities of faith, joyful in their service of God and neighbour.

Archbishop Bernard has asked us to reflect together as a parish on the four elements of the Diocesan Vision— Evangelisation, Formation, Liturgy and Worship, Social Outreach. We will be seeking to create opportunities to do this in the months ahead.