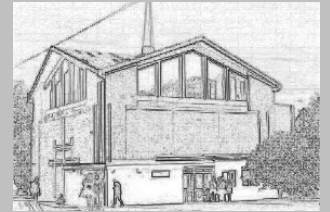




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27th August 2023 Twenty First Sunday in Year A

Sat 26th	SH	5.00 p.m.	People of the Parishes
Sun 27th	SH EM	9.30 am 11.00 am	Maureen Fallon RIP Mary Wilson RIP
Mon 28th	SH		No Mass
Tues 29th	EM	1.30pm	Funeral Mass Geoffrey Rugman RIP
Wed 30th	SH	7pm	Raphael RIP
Thurs 31st	EM SH	11.00 am 10.00 am	Liturgy of the Word and Holy Communion followed by refreshments in the hall
Fri 1st	SH	7 pm	Ian Atkin RIP
Sat 2nd	SH	5.00 pm	People of the Parishes
Sun 3rd	SH EM	9.30am 11.00 am	George Birthday Int Whitfield Int

How rich are the depths of God– how deep God’s wisdom and knowledge– and how impossible to penetrate God’s motives or understand God’s methods!

Who could ever know the mind of the Lord? Who could ever be his counsellor! Who could ever give him anything or lend him anything? All that exists comes from God; all is by God and for God.

To God be glory for ever ! Amen Romans 11:33-36

<p>Sacred Heart Safeguarding Officer: Sue Leary www.shem.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.shem.org.uk Tel. 01788 813263 YouTube -English Martyrs RC Parish Rugby Email: sacredheart.bilton@rcaob.org.uk</p> <p>English Martyrs Primary School Tel 01788 543423</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>	

Brian Davies Funeral. Diane and the family would like to thank you for your concern, prayers and practical help during and after Brian's illness. Thank you to all who were able to join us for the Funeral Mass on Friday. We are grateful for all who contributed to the beautiful and inspiring liturgy with the music, serving and welcoming our family and visitors. We thank all who helped with the reception in the Hall.

ENGLISH MARTYRS Diocesan Pilgrimage Sunday 3rd September Mass celebrated by Archbishop Bernard at 3pm in the grounds of Harvington Hall. It is the centenary of the gifting of Harvington to the Diocese in 1923.

IMPORTANT If you are interested in going as part of a parish group please come to the EM hall after Mass for a short meeting to arrange a lift share as this seems to be the best environmental way to go to Harvington. We have looked at alternatives like minibus hire but this is not practicable at short notice. We will need to leave EM at 1.30pm. You will need to bring some kind of seating (foldable) as chairs are not provided. Refreshments available after Mass at the Hall.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT at St Maries, after 10am Mass until 7pm Mass every Monday . All are welcome to come and spend some time in silent prayer .

RUGBY FOODBANK NEEDS OUR SUPPORT : Instant Coffee, tinned meat, tinned fish, tinned custard, savoury crackers, cuppa soup, mashed potato, tinned fruit, and strong carrier bags. There are now boxes at both parishes for you to drop off foodbank items as well as at most supermarkets.

More information and updates at info@rugby.foodbank.org.uk

Offertory Collections last weekend : Thanks for your generous support.

English Martyrs: £182 + standing orders.

Sacred Heart: £192 + standing orders.

CONFESSION, SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION Please feel free to contact Fr Gerry to arrange a time. He is normally available before Mass on Saturdays at Sacred Heart and after Mass on Sunday at English Martyrs and other times by appointment .

RECENTLY DEPARTED:

Geoffrey Rugman Funeral Mass at English Martyrs on Tuesday 29th August at 1.30pm . May he rest in peace.

THE TABLET International Catholic weekly magazine. We have some copies for your perusal or to buy at £4.50. Interesting articles of interesting on current affairs and aspects of Catholic and religious life today. Available at SH and EM next week.

NEW WEBSITE : we have a new website which is still in construction which combines Sacred Heart and English Martyrs (SHEM) information. www.shem.org.uk

TRANSFORM Renewal Conference and Healing Service on Monday 28th August 10am to 1pm at Sacred Heart Church Coventry CV2 4BT. See leaflet for more details.

SAFEGUARDING—The Parishes operate in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese policies and procedures at all times. Our parish Safeguarding Representatives are n Sue Leary and Marie Kane . They can be contacted at sg.sacredheart.bilton@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding Team can be contacted on 0121 2306240 or safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concerns.