

Important Dates for your diary

Forthcoming Second Collections for July and August 2019

Sunday 4th August New Parish Hall
Sunday 11th August New Parish Hall
Sunday 18th August New Parish Hall
Sunday 25th August New Parish Hall

Sunday 4th August : There will be a second collection this Sunday for New Parish Hall.

Sunday 11th August at 3pm: Multicultural Mass Day - to be presided over and preached by Fr Sammy Arul. All are invited. Please help wherever possible

Saturday 19th October from 7pm: Indoor skittles night Fundraising event. Details to follow later.

October 2019 -Extraordinary Month of the Mission: The Holy Father has announced this October as a month of Mission.

Thursday 5th December at 7:00pm: Confirmation Mass with Bishop William for (now) year 5 Pupils of our parish Schools and parish RCIA candidates.

Sunday 15th December from 8am: Christmas Faye event in aid of the new parish hall. Details to follow. By John Moran. **Christmas Raffles** also in December.

Saturday 9th May 2020 in the afternoon: Parish Harambee (Fundraising event) for the whole parish community. Details to follow later.

The 200 Club draw: New members are welcome. Monthly membership is only £2 (Or £24 a year). The Draw for this month will be this Sunday 25th after Mass. For more information please Contact Sr. Joan or Tony.

Death Anniversaries this Week: Michael Amsbaury, Patrick Kelly, Chhibod Ram Salotra, Catherine Ellen Waller, Thomas Mask. Gilmartin, Frances Lamb, Sarah Mary King, Margaret Shinefield, John Thomas O'Donoghue, Catherine Mullally, Mary Teresa King, Margaret Ann Ashby, Brigid Brolly, Jacob Herbert Healey, John Kinder, May Hanly, Ambrose Watts, Elizabeth Walker, Denis Henry Power, Valentine Pregely, Jeremiah Coffey, Christopher Douglas, William Henry Malone, Mary Anne Jones, Caroline Kennedy, Rose Mary Clarke, Michael Francis Grady, John McLaughlan, Thomas Brady, Sister St. John L.S.A, Malachy O'Leary and William Patrick McBride.

May their Souls Rest in Eternal Peace!

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St. Elizabeth's Roman Catholic Church

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Parable of the Rich Fool

Many of us know and are familiar with Jesus's teachings.

But what would we consider to be among the most popular topics that Jesus addressed? Do the priorities of Jesus and his preaching align with what we hear in our churches today? Interestingly, some of the issues Jesus addressed more than others were about money and right use of it. Rarely did he address issues concerning buildings, schools, sexuality, LGBT or abortion. Jesus preached often about how people use their money. And today's gospel presents two cases. First is story about someone who wants his share of the inheritance. The second is about the rich fool, which is the focus of this reflection. God in this story addresses the rich man as fool. "Why?" Because this man spent his entire life on earth acquiring a bountiful harvest, a **'treasure for himself'**. Unfortunately, this man will die, not *'rich in the sight of God'*, because his harvests, storehouses, and great material blessings are not what matter to God, but his salvation. This story calls us to reconsider our own harvests and storehouses. What are we acquiring and for what purpose? **'Man's life is not made secure by what he owns'**. It is a lesson so clear and fundamental that we need to be reminded of it again and again.

This Sunday's readings challenge each of us about fundamentals. What is my life about? What is the most important things in my life? Where does my security lie? What is my attitude to money and possessions? What thought do I give to my neighbour? Which voice do I listen to? Who is really my God?

Parish Schools (Heads)

St. Elizabeth's

Mr Michael Doyle

Good Shepherd

Mrs Michelle Ashley

Parish Church

Parish Co-ordinators:

Parish Office

Sr Joan

Parish Maintenance

Joe McCadden

Holy Communions

Mrs S Moran & Sr Olivia

Confirmations & RCIA

Miss A Harkin & Sr Olivia

Church Flowers

Children's Liturgy and

Parish Hall Booking

Mr Richard Swift

Safeguarding Officer

Miss Laura Srodon (Solicitor)

Church Music/Liturgy

Miss Laura Srodon

Gift Aid Scheme

Mr Stan Milewski

Chair of Parish Finance

Mr Tony Ashby

Sacristan

Miss Ann Harkin & Sr Joan

Altar Servers

Sr Joan and Alysya Embate

CAFOD/SVP

Mr Kevin Vaughan

Justice and Peace

Maria

Red Boxes

Mr Bob Ayliffe

Mass Times and Mass Intentions Week 18 Ordinary Time Year C

Sunday 4th Aug.	9:00am	Margaret Ashby R.I.P.	18th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	11:15am	Sarah Namagambe Kabonda R.I.P.	
Mon. 5th	9:00am	Brendon Cambell R.I.P.	
Wed. 7th	9:00am	Raymundo Tremotcha R.I.P.	
Thu. 8th	9:00am	Ann - Special Intention	St. Dominic
Fri. 9th	6:30pm	Julia Rutkowski –Thanksgiving Mass	St. Teresa Benedicta of the
Sat. 10th	11:00am	Kennth Mac Kinnon - Sick	St. Lawrence
Sunday 11th Aug.	9:00am	Mary Colette McKee R.I.P.	19th Sunday in Ordinary Time
	11:15am	People of the Parish	

Sunday's Rota for Readers & E. Ministers

Extra Ord. Ministers	This Sunday	Next Sunday
9:00am	Sandra Chaplin Asha Thapar John Moran	Elizabeth Ayeliffe Lakhwinder Sonya Moran
11:15am	Clare Unes Mary Harkin	Jennet King Elizabeth Karota
Readers	This Sunday	Next Sunday
9:00am	Sonya Moran Youth Reader	Sr. Joan Youth Reader
11:15am	Craig Noureya Youth Reader	Sr. Olivia Youth Reader

Church Cleaning Team: C
(Thursday Evening 6:00pm)
Maria Paska, Angelina A, Teresa Njuhiga, Claudine and Marie Madalene

Weekly Offertory and Collections

Gift Aid Scheme: **£669.00**
Non Gift Aid Scheme: **£281.32**
Justice and Peace **£96.43**
Up-to-date Total for Hall:
Thank you very much for your **generosity.**

Parish Notices

The Multicultural Mass of the African Day on Sunday 11th August.

Once again this annual celebration will take place next Sunday, starting with Mass at 3:00pm please be seated by 2:30pm. Rev Fr Arul Sammy who had attended almost all except one of the previous Multicultural Day will lead us. Fr Arul has been and continue to be our great friend of the Parish. Special warm welcome to him. As usual, after Mass we shall have a social get together in parish garden - with your Bring-and-shared cultural foods and drinks. The parking will be at school car park and playground.

Car Park £2 on Multicultural Day: As part of our Fundraising for the new parish Centre we ask for your kind donation of **£2** for any vehicle parked in school for whole day. Any extra donations would also be very much appreciated.

Saturday 10th August cleaning: Volunteers are needed to help clean and tidy up the parish garden, the hall and church - ready for the multicultural event. Time from 10:00am to 4:30pm. Could you please offer some of your time even if only 20 minutes. There are also tables and chairs to be set in the garden. The tent also needs to be fixed.

Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults (RCIA): Do you want to know more about the Catholic Faith or thinking of becoming one? The annual Parish catechetical programme for adults mainly ages from 10-70 or above will begin end of September 2019. Any adult wanting a baptism or already baptised and wants to be fully received into a Roman Catholic or be Confirmed is welcome to register. For more information please speak to Sr Olivia, Ann Harkin.

Update to our New Parish Centre: Please view the application at <http://planning.coventry.gov.uk/portal/servlets/ApplicationSearchServlet?PKID=803268> and if possible leave supportive comments for the project at <http://planning.coventry.gov.uk/portal/servlets/PlanningComments?>

Live Simply Re-Cycling: A huge thank you to all who contributed. We raised the magnificent sum of £12.02 so far since we started we have raised £62. Please keep on re-cycling as it is holiday time please re-cyle your foreign money. Also any old mobile phones, games consoles, tablets, and iPads. The more we re-cycle, more money goes to the church.

Parish Pastoral Information

Exposition, and Penance/Confession: Every Saturday from 11:20am. to 12:30pm. In emergency please call to the Presbytery or call 024 76 68 85 36



Ethnic Chaplaincy: Shona/Ndebele and Punjabi Communities Masses:

Please pray for The Sick and Housebound of our Parish:

Caroline Dickinson, Dina Kuczynski, Victor De Souza, Mary Kean, Mary Gallagher, Kath Darragh, Mrs Doyle, Rohith De Silva, and Joe Shannon.
Get Well Soon.