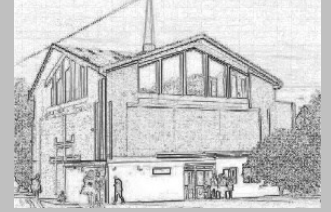




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20th October 2024 Twenty-ninth Sunday in ordinary time Year B

Sat 19th	SH	5.00 pm	Rosaleen Curley RIP (D & A Reilly)
Sun 20th	SH EM	9.30 am 11.00 am	In memory of Ezra de Souza Isobel O’Hara RIP (T. Catterall) 10.30 Rosary before Mass during October
Mon 21st			No Mass
Tues 22nd			No Mass
Wed 23rd	SH	7.00pm	Fr Brian Cuddihy RIP
Thurs 24th	EM SH	9.30am 10.00 am	No Mass this week Liturgy of the Word & Holy Communion followed by refreshments in the hall
Fri 25th	SH	7.00 pm	Sick and Housebound Parishioners
Sat 26th	SH	5.00 pm	Thanksgiving for 60 years of happy marriage (Francis)
Sun 27th	SH EM	9.30am 11.00 am	Rosaleen Curley RIP (Mapplethorpe) People of the Parishes 10.30 Rosary before Mass during October

O God of all justice and peace we cry out to you in the midst of the pain and trauma of violence and fear which prevails in the Holy Land. Be with those who need you in these days of suffering; we pray for people of all faiths - Jews, Muslims and Christians and for all people of the land. While we pray to you, O Lord, for an end to violence and the establishment of peace, we also call for you to bring justice and equity to the peoples. Guide us into your kingdom where all people are treated with dignity and honour as your children for you are Heavenly Father to us all. Amen

<p>Sacred Heart Safeguarding Officer 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 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 543423</p>
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Parish Team Canon Gerard Murray, Deacon Lionel Pelloquin, Fr Graham Venn IC (in residence)
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Offertory Collections last weekend: Thanks for your generous support.

Sacred Heart: £126 + Standing Orders

English Martyrs: £177 + Standing Orders Family Fast £65

Retiring Collection this weekend for MISSIO. It's World Mission Sunday.

REMEMBER IN PRAYER : Terry (Theresa) Jackson RIP whose funeral is on 22nd October at 11.30 am at St Marie's and all the faithful departed and all who mourn. We pray for Alan Parish, Mike Venn, and Fr Graham Wilkinson and all who are suffering in spirit, mind or body.

Fr Brian Cuddihy's Requiem Mass is on Thursday 24th October at 11.30am St. Patrick's Newport. The Mass will be live streamed.

Pope Francis Prayer intentions for October— We pray that the Church continue to sustain a synodal lifestyle, as a sign of co-responsibility , promoting the participation, the communion and the mission shared among priests, religious and lay people.

ASSISTED DYING LEGISLATION -We are a praying Christian community and, as Bishop Sherrington says, the legalisation of assisted suicide undermines the sanctity and dignity of human life. *"The Catholic Church accompanies those suffering and nearing the end of their lives with hope and affection, but also reminds them that their life is precious until the very last breath,"* he says. *"In preparation for these challenging debates, let us offer our prayers for those facing the end of their lives, that they may receive the care and support they need to live their final days with respect for their dignity. "Let us also pray for our politicians and our country that wisdom and compassion may guide their decisions. I also urge all Catholics to become better informed about the serious problems associated with the legalisation of assisted suicide."*

Act now! Contact your MP The charity 'Right to Life' has a simple online mechanism to do this. It takes little more than a few minutes to input your postcode, make sure the suggested text suits your viewpoint and submit your message to ask your MP to stop assisted suicide being rushed into law. Contact your MP via the 'Right to Life' website. *Our new Local MP John Slinger says he hasn't made up his mind so it would be good to contact him on this matter to show our strength of feeling about this.*

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMMES for children at non-Catholic schools: If your child is Year 6 upwards and you wish them to celebrate Confirmation in 2025 please email your details to Sacred Heart Parish at saredheart.bilton@rcaob.org.uk. as soon as possible.

CASHLESS GIVING : Please use the DONA Cashless Facility at EM and SH if you wish to donate to the Parish by Card or Phone. You can Gift Aid it too. We thank you for your generous support of our Parishes

MISSIO (Association For The Propagation Of The Faith Collection)

Please bring in your APF Red Box at the weekend Mass and leave it in the narthex or give it to Jim Leary (telephone 01788 813185). Your emptied box should be ready for collection the following weekend.

Please have all boxes/money in at the latest by Sunday 10th Nov 2024.

STARTING MASS ON TIME. Please do your best to arrive in good time for Mass and especially the 9.30am Sunday morning Mass at Sacred Heart. Fr Gerry and Dcn Lionel have to go to English Martyrs for Mass at 11 am. We started so well earlier in the year but things have slipped a bit recently. So please do your best . Thank you for your support and cooperation.

SAFEGUARDING—The Parishes operate in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese policies and procedures at all times. Any concerns please contact sg.sacredheart.bilton@rcaob.org.uk or the Diocesan Safeguarding Team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 . safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concerns.