

PLEASE PRAY for

Sick: Pat Sullivan, Josephine Dekkers, Kevin Rea, Anne Geraghty, David Foot, Eamon O'Meara, Thomas Harrison, Michael Leydon.
Lately Dead: Siobhan Day, Carmel Darcy.
Anniversaries: Thomas Dawson, Ernisto Estulla, Andrew Beards, Wladyslaw Lecznar, John Payne, Paul Simpson, Eugenie Ward, Thomas Dawson.
Sacraments: We welcome into our Christian community Jessica Sarkies, Daniel Pelloquin and Eloise Thompson who were baptized last Sunday.

ST. MARIE'S RUGBY



Sunday 25 October 2009
Thirty Sunday in Ordinary Time
Psalter Week 2
Jesus gives sight to the blind



Christ was able to restore both physical sight and spiritual vision, fulfilling Jeremiah's prophecy of the manifestation of God's parental love for his children. Through faith we can begin to see spiritual truths more clearly; we become sensitised to God working in and through his creation. As we share such a vision we are given the privilege of being co-workers with Christ in the healing of the world.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:

Let hearts rejoice who search for the Lord. Seek the Lord and his strength, seek always the face of the Lord.

FIRST READING: Jeremiah 31: 7-9

RESPONSE:

What marvels the Lord worked for us!
Indeed we were glad.

SECOND READING: Letter to the Hebrews 5: 1-6

ACCLAMATION:

Alleluia, alleluia!
I am the light of the world, says the Lord,
anyone who follows me
will have the light of life.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL: Mark 10: 46-52

COMMUNION ANTIPHON:

We will rejoice at the victory of God and make our boast in his great name

PRAYER AFTER HOLY COMMUNION:

Lord,
Bring to perfection within
us the communion we share in this sacrament.
May our celebration have an effect in our lives.

Masses & Services	Intentions	Parish Diary
Sat 24 Oct Our Lady on Saturday 6.00pm	Mary Regan	10am – 11am & 5.30 – 5.55pm Confessions
Sun 25 Oct 10.00am 6.00pm	Parishioners & Annie Conway Jennie Hudson	9.30 – 9 55am After 10.00am Mass – Cake Stall Confessions. Coffee in Hall
Mon 26 Oct St Cedd 10.00am 7.00pm	Petro Matusiak UCM	8am-9pm Eucharistic Adoration 8.00pm UCM Autumn Event – Hall
Tues 27 Oct 10.00am	Danny Friel	
Wed 28 Oct Sts Simon & Jude 8.00am 10.00am	Sheila & Adam Kwasnica	
Thurs 29 Oct 10.00am	Petro Matusiak	7.45pm Choir Practice
Fri 30 Oct 10.00am Oratory	Margaret Killey John Payne	

Thought for the Week

If you find a path with no obstacles,
it probably doesn't lead anywhere.
Meiji Stewart

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NEW TO THE PARISH?

Welcome to St Marie's.

If you have recently moved into the area, please make yourself known to our priest and fill in a *New to the Parish* card and return it to: The Presbytery, Oak Street, Rugby. CV22 5EL

SACRAMENTS AND SERVICES

BAPTISMS: Please register at the Parish Office if you would like your child baptized at St Marie's.

Baptism classes:

Tuesday 3 November at 7pm

Tuesday 24 November at 7pm

PARISH NOTICES AND EVENTS

A MEETING OF ST MARIE'S PARISHIONERS WILL BE CONVENED ON FRIDAY 4 DECEMBER AT 7.30 pm IN THE PARISH HALL (HIBBERT'S) PLEASE MAKE A SPECIAL EFFORT TO ATTEND
An AGENDA will be published in very good time. Please not this is a rescheduling of the meeting originally planned for 27 October.

PONGWE MISSION CAKE STALL on Sunday 25 October after 10am Mass. Please leave donations of cakes and other home produce in the porch before Mass. Thank you.

UCM FUND RAISING EVENT for Warwickshire Air Ambulance on **Monday 26 October at 8.00pm.** Finger buffet, tombola, raffle, jewelry stall. Tickets £5 for sale from this weekend, including wine/soft drinks.

ST. MARIE'S CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON: We still have places left for the Christmas Luncheon. If you are over 75 years of age and would like to come along, please complete a reply slip from the back of the church and return it to the parish office as soon as church possible. If you know anyone who fits into this category and you think they might like to come, please do invite them.

PLEASE HELP - As always, we need volunteers to help with the Christmas Luncheon. If you would like to help with providing transport for the guests, serving the meals, setting up the hall, cooking, washing up or cleaning then please call the office (01788 542703) and leave your name and telephone number. Chef's helpers urgently required!

CARILLON FEEDBACK CARD Please help yourselves to a card and let us know if you would like a particular tune to be played for a family celebration or a special anniversary.

LIVING STREAM: The prayer group is now meeting every 2nd and 4th Friday of each month at 7:30pm in the Coach House (St Marie's - Dunchurch Rd). All are welcome for some time of fellowship, worship, reflection and discussion. Our current study theme is: Re-discovering the Bible. For more detail or a prayer request, call Lionel Pelloquin on 01788-541-207.

SUNDAY TEA AND COFFEE: Volunteers urgently required to help with Sunday Tea & Coffee. Please see Kathleen Lynch in the hall after Sunday 10am Mass for more information.

LOST SPECTACLES: Reading glasses with mauve-coloured frames were mislaid somewhere around the West Porch area, just after last Sunday's 10am Mass. If you have any information about these glasses, please ring 01788 335312. Thank you.

OTHER EVENTS

TALKS AT BILTON DURING OCTOBER 2009: The sixth in the series of Thursdays Living Faith talks and discussions will be held on four in October at Sacred Heart Church, Bilton.

The theme this year is **Reconciliation**.

29 October - How the Global Family could live in peace. (Speaker Bruce Kent)

Tickets £5 (including meal, talk and discussion).

Further details from Alan Parish 575703.

SACRED HEART UCM invites all St Marie's UCM members, both past and present, to its thirtieth birthday celebrations on **Wednesday 28 October**. Mass at **7.00pm** will be followed by a buffet and glass of wine at **7.45pm**. Telephone Mary Hope on 810880.

MEETING OF THE RUGBY DEANERY CATECHISTS' ASSOCIATION - **Thursday 19 November 7.30pm** at Sacred Heart Parish, Alwyn Road, Bilton, Rugby, CV22 7QT. Please come along if you are involved in sacramental preparation, adult catechesis, Children's Liturgy of the Word etc. Please contact Sister Gillian Murphy for more information or to let her know if you are going to attend: sistergillian@tiscali.co.uk - 07811 957375.

INDOOR CARBOOT SALE - Every Saturday. Set up at **8am, sale from 9am-12noon**. Lovely toys, children's books as new, football memorabilia, Christmas presents galore. Tea & Coffee available. All in aid of Cancer Research UK. The Acorn Cancer Research Hall, Oak Street (off Dunchurch Road). Telephone Sarah Reynolds on 01788 335606.

THE INTERNATIONALLY ACCLAIMED AFRICAN CHILDREN'S CHOIR™ invites your congregation to a very special concert lasting approximately 1¼ hours at the Benn Hall, on **Sunday 25 October 2009, commencing at 6.30pm**.

The African Children's Choir is comprised of 25 African children, aged seven to eleven. Each child in the Choir has lost one or both parents to poverty or AIDS. This year's Choir members come from South Africa. The admission charge for the concert is £5 per adult & £2.50 per child, for tickets purchased from Rugby Christian Fellowship prior to the event, or £6 & £3 respectively at the door on the night. A free-will offering will be taken, during the performance, to support the Choir's efforts back in Africa.

TEHIRA CARE HOME

offers excellent accommodation and care for the elderly. Long-established connections with St. Marie's Parish and the Rosminians.

For further details please contact Miss C Robinson, TeHira Care Home, 23 Moultrie Road, Rugby, CV21 3BD, telephone 01788 561521.