

## + English Martyrs Catholic Parish, Hillmorton +

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### Sixth Sunday in ordinary time Year C – 17<sup>th</sup> February 2019

#### Mass Times and Intentions at English Martyrs

Sat:	Feb	16 <sup>th</sup>	MP	6.30 pm	Anthony Sterne RIP
Sun:	Feb	17 <sup>th</sup>	GM	11.00 am	Paulina & Ernie Wells
Tues:	Feb	19 <sup>th</sup>		9.30am	No Mass
Thurs:	Feb	21 <sup>st</sup>		9.15 am	No Mass
Sat:	Feb	23 <sup>rd</sup>	GM	6.30 pm	Gerard Higgs RIP
Sun:	Feb	24 <sup>th</sup>	MP	11.00 am	People of the Parish

**Confessions: Saturday 6.00-6.20 pm. Last week's collection: £438 Thank you.**

***Second collection this Sunday for the work of Racial Justice. Theme this year is the Dignity of Workers and fair treatment for workers from migrant communities and racial minorities.***

**PARISH VISITATION: Many thanks to everyone who helped to make this event a great success. Thanks to all who organised the programme and provided hospitality for the events. Thank you to all who came and participated in the Saturday shared lunch. We can now build on the results and continue to worship and work together for the benefit of the whole parish.**

**English Martyrs Prayer Group:** Volunteers needed for Prayer Chain - to be available to pass on prayer requests so that we can support people in need of prayer. Also will be meeting fortnightly either on Saturday after Mass or Thursday evening for a short meeting. Let us support one another and our Parish Community in prayer. Please contact Cynthia Youson on 01788 879238 or email: [cynthyouson@mail.com](mailto:cynthyouson@mail.com)

**Confirmation at Sacred Heart on 2<sup>nd</sup> June.** Are there any young people not in Catholic School in Yr6 and upwards who would like to be confirmed? Please let Fr Gerry know. Based at Sacred Heart Preparation will begin with registration after the 9.30am Mass on Sunday, 3<sup>rd</sup> March. The first session will be on Thursday, 7<sup>th</sup> March from 6-7.30pm in the Sacred Heart Parish Hall. For more details contact Diane on 07951177910

**Playing Fair** - A reminder from Rugby Justice & Peace Group that 25th February-10th March is Fairtrade Fortnight. For two weeks each year, thousands of individuals, companies and groups across the UK come together to celebrate the people who grow our food, people who live in some of the poorest countries in the world and who are often exploited and badly paid. This year The Fairtrade Foundation is focusing on the people, particularly the women, who grow the cocoa in the chocolate we love so much. Please look for the Fairtrade symbol when you shop.

**WORLD DAY OF PRAYER** – Friday, 1st March; 7.30 p.m. at English Martyrs' Church: "Come – Everything is Ready!" Interdenominational service prepared by Christian women of Slovenia; followed by refreshments. All are welcome – men, women and young people. There will also be a service at 10.30 a.m. at Bilton Methodist Church.

**Parish Bungalow:** If you would like to use or hire the bungalow for any event including parish meetings please contact Marie Stuchbury on 07427945657 who has kindly agreed to manage the bookings.