

PARISH OF SAINT AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO

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There is usually someone in the parish office to receive calls on weekday mornings.

TWENTY-FIRST WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (Year B)

Sunday 26th August 2012

TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES

Saturday	25th Aug.	1.00 p.m.	Marriage of Sarah Kane & Christopher Coleman <i>(Patrick Wellington & his comrades in Afghanistan)</i>
		6.00 p.m.	<i>(Eleanor Maurer)</i>
Sunday	26th Aug.	8.30 a.m.	
		10.30 a.m.	
Tuesday	28th Aug.	7.00 p.m.	St. Augustine of Hippo <i>(The Parish)</i>
Wednesday	29th Aug.	10.30 a.m.	Passion of St. John the Baptist
Thursday	30th Aug.	12.05 p.m.	<i>(Margaret Jones R.I.P.)</i>
Friday	31st Aug.	10.30 a.m.	<i>(Frank Wilson RIP)</i>
Saturday	1st Sept.	6.00 p.m.	<i>(John O'Brien - Month Mind)</i>
Sunday	2nd Sept.	8.30 a.m.	<i>(Lee Bulford R.I.P.)</i>
		10.30 a.m.	

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 5.15 p.m. – 5.45 p.m.

EXPOSITION

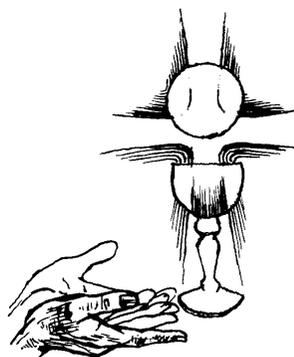
Wednesday after Mass until Noon.

ROSARY

Friday 10.00 a.m.

ORDINARIATE MASSES

Sunday 5.30 p.m. & Wednesday 7.00 p.m.



MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 25th Aug - Patrick Wellington and his comrades in Afghanistan (Paddy Wellington's intention). Sun 26th Aug - Eleanor Maurer (Lyn Whittington's intention). Thur 30th Aug - Margaret Jones RIP (Dorothea O'Shea's intention) Fri 31st Aug - Frank Wilson RIP (Sally Wilson's intention). Sat 1st Sept. - John O'Brien (Month Mind Mass). Sun 2nd Sept, 8.30 am - Lee Bulford RIP (Anne Bulford's intention).

PARISH FEAST DAY

St Augustine of Hippo - Tuesday 28th August

This Tuesday we celebrate the feast day of our church's patron, St. Augustine of Hippo. The church will be open all day for prayer and for Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. On the rota for the day there are still a couple of slots to be filled. Everyone is encouraged to come and spend a short time in prayer in the church during the day.

Mass in the Evening will be at 7.00 p.m. This will be followed by a 'Bring a Plate' Parish Supper. Please come and enjoy this celebration both of our parish life and the inspiration given by one of the great saints of the Church.

CONGRATULATIONS TO JACEK KOSTUCH

Jacek has now completed his third year at seminary training for the priesthood. At the end of the recent term he received the ministries of Reader and Acolyte. As a Reader he is called to proclaim the Word of God and as an Acolyte he assists the priest at the altar. These are steps on his journey towards ordination. Starting in September he has a year out of the Seminary working on the Cathedral Parish in Plymouth.

BAPTISM

Please pray for Nyla and Ruby Poole who are being baptised this **Sunday 26th August** at 12.15pm.

COLLECTION ENVELOPES

Tom Regan will be at all masses this weekend to distribute the boxes of envelopes for the coming year. If you do not already do so, and would like to consider using envelopes for your weekly contributions, please have a word with Tom after Mass. If you would like to contribute by way of standing order or to gift aid your giving, Tom will be very happy to discuss and guide you on how to put this into place.

CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY (Plymouth)

There will be a retiring collection after all masses this weekend,

25th/26th August. Please support the Society in its work with vulnerable families in our diocese.

PARISH DIRECTORY

The revision of our Parish Directory is now complete. There will be copies of the updated version available in the Narthex over the next few weeks. Alternatively you will find it on the parish website. Thank you to all who have contributed in any way to this current revision.

KEEP FIT GROUP

'Keep Fit' will begin again on **Monday 3rd September** in the Narthex at the new time of **11.00am**. All are most welcome to join this informal and enjoyable way of getting in shape for the autumn!

FLOWER WORKSHOP

Angela Hyland is running a second all day 'Flower Workshop', the theme being 'Harmony, Rhythm and Blues', next **Saturday 1st September, 10.30am - 3.30pm** at a cost of £6 per person. You will need to bring your own packed lunch but tea and coffee will be provided throughout the day. If you are interested or wish to know more, please contact Angela on 01726 850378.

RCIA

It is time to begin looking forward to the Autumn and, with it, the commencement of RCIA meetings. If you are interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church or would just like to find out more about the Catholic faith, please contact Sarah at the Parish Office on 73838 or have a word with Fr. Peter, Deacon John or Paul Hyland. The RCIA Group normally meets on Wednesday evenings but this past year has met on a Tuesday afternoon (this is open to change to suit the needs of group) The informal look at Catholic beliefs aims to give members of the group understanding with no pressure to make a decision. It would be helpful to the RCIA leaders to have an idea of numbers interested in joining the group by the first weekend in September. Thank you.

CHILDREN'S CATECHISM—ENROLEMENT

If your child is Yr 2 or above at school this year and you would like them to prepare for the Sacrament of First Holy Communion, catechists will be in the Narthex following all masses next weekend, **1st/2nd September**, to enable you to enrol your child(ren) for this year's catechism course.

CATECHISM will commence on **Wednesday 19th September, 4.30pm - 5.30pm**. Parents are very welcome to stay to the opening session.

COLLECTIONS

The parish collection total does not include Standing Orders. All cheques should be made payable to 'PRCDTR St. Austell Parish'.

Parish Collection: £552.40; Coffee: £13.54; Cafod Ethiopia Jar: £3.74; Parish Maintenance Fund: £31.75.

PARISH OPEN MEETING

The Annual Parish Open Meeting will take place on **Tuesday 4th September at 7.30pm**. Tom Regan, the parish treasurer, will present a report on the finances of the parish for the last financial year. It will also be an opportunity for Fr. Peter to review his first ten months as parish priest here at St. Augustine's. The evening will be rounded off with Cheese and Wine. Please put this important parish event in your diaries.

TAKE AND READ

'Take and Read' will recommence on **Tuesday 11th September at 7.30pm** in St. Cuthbert Mayne Room. We will be using the book 'The Acts of the Apostles' by Dom. Henry Wansbrough, edited by Adrian Graffy, to help us prayerfully deepen our understanding of God's Word together. The group meets on the 2nd Tuesday of the month and a reminder is published in the newsletter each month. For further information please contact Sue Phillips on 01726 61500.

JUSTICE AND PEACE

Next meeting on **Thursday 6th September at 7.30pm** in Cuthbert Mayne Room. New members are always welcome.

'SAFEGUARDING' TRAINING DAY

If you are serving in a ministry within the parish that involves working with children or vulnerable adults, you are invited to attend a training day run by the Diocesan Safeguarding Office at St. Mary's Parish Centre, Bodmin on **Saturday 15th September, 10.00am to 4.00pm**. Application forms for this day can be obtained from Karen Waters, the parish's Safeguarding Representative. Her contact number is 01726 842372.

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND Please remember in your prayers all those in the parish who are sick and housebound.

Parish Safe-guarding Representative: Karen Waters, Tel: 01726 842372

Diocesan Safeguarding Office, Tel: 01752 560792

"You have made us for yourself Lord and our hearts are restless until they rest in you." (St Augustine of Hippo)

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