

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-FOURTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (Yr B)

Sunday 16th September 2012 - Home Mission Day

TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES

Saturday	15th Sept.	6.00 p.m.	<i>(the Harwood Family - in thanksgiving)</i>
Sunday	16th Sept.	8.30 a.m.	
		10.30 a.m.	<i>(Chris Waters RIP)</i>
Tuesday	18th Sept.	7.00 p.m.	<i>(In thanksgiving - private intention)</i>
Wednesday	19th Sept.	10.30 a.m.	<i>(Nan Hart)</i>
Thursday	20th Sept.	12.05 p.m.	Ss. Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Paul Chong Ha-sang and Companions
Friday	21st Sept.	10.30 a.m.	St. Matthew - Apostle and Evangelist <i>(Bernard Markham RIP)</i>
Saturday	22nd Sept.	6.00 p.m.	
Sunday	23rd Sept.	8.30 a.m.	The Harvest
		10.30 a.m.	<i>(Patrick Wellington & his comrades in Afghanistan)</i>

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 15th Sept - In thanksgiving (the Harwood Family's intention). Sun 16th Sept, 10.30am - Chris Waters RIP (Jo Daniel's intention). Tues 18th Sept - In thanksgiving (private intention). Wed 19th Sept - Nan Hart (Karen Parker's intention). Fri 21st September - Bernard Markham RIP. Sun 23rd Sept, 10.30am - Patrick Wellington and his comrades in Afghanistan (Paddy Wellington's intention).

REQUISCAT IN PACE

Please pray for the soul of Bridget Noy who died recently.

PARISH ANNUAL ACCOUNT SHEET

The Parish Account Sheet for 2011/2012 is available in the Narthex. Please help yourself to a copy if you would like one.

CO-WORKERS OF BLESSED MOTHER TERESA

The Co-workers of Blessed Mother Teresa have been supporting 'Global Hearts for Children / Feed the Children' (goods for Africa) since 2005. This charity has sadly gone into liquidation and is no longer trading. We now support 'Operation Sunshine', based in Tavistock and Folkstone, in exactly the same way. Please continue with your knitting and donations of school supplies etc as before. This charity also sends these goods to Africa. Thank you: Ann Bassett - 01726 61211
Our Annual meeting and collection day will take place here this **Tuesday 18th September, 10.00am - 12 noon** in St. Monica's Room.

CHILDREN'S CATECHISM

Catechism commences this coming **Wednesday 19th September, 4.30pm - 5.30pm**. Parents are very welcome to stay to the opening session. If you missed enrolling your child(ren) for catechism last weekend, don't worry, you are very welcome to enrol them at the 1st session this week.

PASTORAL CO-ORDINATING GROUP

Meeting on **Tuesday 18th September at 7.30pm** in Cuthbert Mayne Room. Agendas will be sent via email as usual.

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Next meeting on **Tuesday 25th September at 7.30pm** in St. Monica's Room.

RCIA

The RCIA Group will have its opening meeting on **Wednesday 26th September, 7.30pm - 8.30pm**, in Cuthbert Mayne Room (entrance through Memorial Garden at right of the church). If you have not already put your name forward but are interested in becoming a member of the

Catholic Church or would just like to find out more about the Catholic way of expressing our Christian faith, please join us on 26th September. You will be most welcome.

CHURCHES TOGETHER IN ST. AUSTELL

The CTSA are holding their annual Forum Debate and AGM this **Monday 17th September at 7.30pm** in St. John's Methodist Church. All are most welcome to attend this meeting.

DAY OF PRAYER FOR PEACE

The United National International Day of Peace and the World Council of Churches Day of Prayer for Peace will be marked once again at Mount Charles Methodist Church on **Friday 21st September**. The church will be open for prayer from **10.00am until 6.00pm**. Instead of asking people to come and lead prayers at specific times, there will be a number of interactive prayer stations which will be available all day. At 12 noon the usual one minute silence will be observed and the saying of the Universal Peace Prayer. Tea and coffee will be available all day and a warm welcome is extended to all to come and pray for world peace, even if you are only able to do so for a short while.

RAISING AWARENESS OF DOMESTIC ABUSE

Saturday 22nd September, 10.30am - 4.00pm Notre Dame School, Looseleigh Lane, Plymouth with Bishop Christopher. This day will look at raising awareness of domestic abuse, how to encourage and support our parish communities in becoming welcoming and safe places for vulnerable people and will provide some practical tools for supporting the wider community. For more information please contact the J&P office: jp@plymouth-diocese.org.uk.

THE GOSPEL OF LUKE with Fr. Nicholas King

Fr. Nicholas, a Jesuit priest who teaches New Testament at Campion Hall, Oxford, will be talking about the Gospel of Luke (the gospel readings for Yr C, starting at the beginning of Advent, come from Luke's Gospel) here at St. Augustine's on **Thursday 27th September**. The day starts with coffee at 10.00am. Fr. Nicholas will lead three talks which will include group discussions and an opportunity for questions. He will speak of Luke's beginnings, of his 'disastrous dinner parties' and of his attitude to women - a day not to be missed! Coffee and tea will be provided but you will need to bring a packed lunch. To book a place please do so by post or email giving your name, address, tel. no. and email address to: CMED Administration, Diocesan House, Kenwyn, Truro, TR1 1JQ, email: cmed@truro.anglican.org.

COLLECTIONS

The parish collection total below does not include Standing Orders which average at £305 per week. All cheques should be made payable to 'PRCDTR St. Austell Parish'.

Parish Collection: £584.80; Coffee: £8.82; Cafod Ethiopia Jar: £4.83; Parish Maintenance Fund: £6.05; Flower Workshop donation: £20.00; Keep Fit Group Donation: £23.00.

'END WATER POVERTY' CAMPAIGN

CAFOD have been in touch to thank us for the splendid sum of £1,138 raised in this parish during the Lenten campaign and to let us know that £9million has been raised nationwide, very far in advance of the original target of £2million. CAFOD is now awaiting the Govt's response, but Andrew Mitchell, the Secretary of State for International Development, has already written to CAFOD saying how impressed the Govt is with all the correspondence he has received, as well as by all the money raised by the Catholic community. Following the success of the CAFOD Lenten campaign, a new website has been launched for those who would be interested in reading more – www.endwaterpoverty.org. Currently it is estimated that at least 780 million people have no access to clean water and that 2.5 billion have no proper sanitation.

ROBBIE LOW—ORDINATION

Robbie Low is being ordained by Bishop Christopher into the Catholic priest hood on **Saturday 27th October at 11.00am** in the Church of St. Mary and St. Petroc, Bodmin. He has served the Church as an Anglican priest for twenty-five years and spent now nearly ten years as a Catholic layman, running the Retreat Centre in Fowey and teaching in the parishes of Cornwall. Robbie and his wife Sara extend a warm invitation to all parishioners of St. Augustine's to join them that morning in church and afterwards for light refreshments at the Parish Centre. If you are able to celebrate with them please let them know, email: saralow@btconnect.com

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

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"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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