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

TWENTY-FIFTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (Yr B)

Sunday 1st September 01 - The Harvest

the Fruits of Human Work and the Reverent Use of Creation

TIMES OF MASSES SERVICES

Saturday	22nd Sept.	6.00 p.m.	
Sunday	23rd Sept.	8.30 a.m.	
		10.30 a.m.	Young People's Mass <i>(Patrick Wellington & his comrades in Afghanistan)</i>
Tuesday	25th Sept.	7.00 p.m.	
Wednesday	26th Sept.	10.30 a.m.	<i>(Bridget Noy RIP - Month Mind)</i>
Thursday	27th Sept.		No Mass
Friday	28th Sept.	10.30 a.m.	<i>(May Mayhew RIP)</i>
Saturday	29th Sept.	6.00 p.m.	<i>(Mary Bennett RIP)</i>
Sunday	30th Sept.	8.30 a.m.	<i>(Andrew Creighton RIP)</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

Sun 23rd Sept, 10.30am - Patrick Wellington and his comrades in Afghanistan (Paddy Wellington's intention). Wed 26th Sept - Bridget Noy RIP (Month Mind Mass). Fri 28th Sept - May Mayhew RIP (Jacqui Milford's intention). Sat 29th Sept - Mary Bennett RIP (Mollie Cundy's intention). Sun 30th Sept, 8.30am - Andrew Creighton RIP (Marie Hawken's intention).

PRESENTATION OF COUPLE PREPARING FOR MARRIAGE

Bernadette Thoreau and Tom Chambers are shortly to be married in St. Ives at the church of the Sacred Heart and St. Ia. They will be presented at the 10.30am Mass on Sunday and sent forward to prepare for their nuptial vows and lifelong commitment to each other with the prayers and love of the Christian family here at St. Augustine's.

YEAR OF FAITH

Pope Benedict XVI has set aside a special year for Catholics throughout the world to rediscover, and share with others, the precious gift of Faith entrusted to the Church and the personal gift of faith that we have each received from God the Father, God the Son, and God the Holy Spirit. The Holy Father has decreed that the Catholic Church will observe the Year of Faith between 11th October 2012 and 24th November 2013 (The Feast of Christ the King). He has chosen to open the Year of Faith on 11th October because that date is the anniversary of two important events in the life of the Catholic Church: the 50th anniversary of the opening of the Second Vatican Council (11th October 1962 - 8th December 1965) and the 20th anniversary of the publication of the Catechism of the Catholic Church by Blessed John Paul II. The Year of Faith is an invitation to everyone in the Church to celebrate and renew their faith. Pope Benedict has outlined the purpose of the Year of Faith as: "to give fresh impetus to the mission of the whole Church to lead human beings out of the wilderness in which they often find themselves to the place of life, friendship with Christ that gives us life in fullness." Fr. Peter

CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE

Meeting this **Tuesday 25th September at 7.30pm** in St. Monica's Room.

RCIA

The RCIA Group will have its opening meeting this coming **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.

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.

KEEP FIT GROUP

Next meeting on ***Monday 1st October at 11.00am*** in the Narthex.

BANNER SEWING GROUP

Meeting on ***Tuesday 2nd October at 2.00pm*** in St. Monica's Room.

AUTUMN FAYRE - November 17th

A friendly reminder that the Autumn Fayre is only a few weeks away. Our first planning meeting for stall-holders and anyone who would like to help in any way will be held on ***Wednesday 3rd October at 2.00pm*** in Cuthbert Mayne Room. Please join us if you are able. Please also follow the newsletter for more information over the coming weeks.

Co-ordinators: Mollie Cundy: 63903 & Beryl Blackwell: 851647

CAFOD HARVEST FAMILY FAST DAY - Friday 5th October

Pumpkin leaves for every meal were all that Gift and his family had to eat. CAFOD helped his family to set up a vegetable garden and made sure they had the seeds, tools and water they needed to grow nutritious food. Today they have enough food and are able to sell their surplus vegetables for a profit which gives them hope for the future. Cafod envelopes will be available next weekend ***29th/30th September*** after all masses. Do not forget to fill in the Gift-aid details if you are a tax payer. Please share what you are can to enable more families in the world's poorest regions to have a more secure present and a sustainable future. Thank you.

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: £572.66; Coffee: £9.71; Cafod Ethiopia Jar: £14.63; Parish Maintenance Fund: £33.95; APF: £95.78.

ROBBIE LOW—ORDINATION

Robbie Low is being ordained by Bishop Christopher into the Catholic priest hood next ***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

FOWEY RETREAT

The 'Christian Guide to Judaism' weekend at Fowey Retreat on November 2nd- 4th (Friday evening until Sunday afternoon) has two places left for anyone interested. The cost is £85.

Enquiries to robbielow2@hotmail.com or 01208 871517

CAFOD CONFERENCE— Hungry for Change

This conference will launch the latest CAFOD campaign, asking why an estimated billion people go hungry in a world where there is enough food for all. It will be held at Westminster Cathedral Hall on ***Saturday 10th November*** – for further details, email cafod@cafod.org.uk

Special Ministers of Holy Communion & Ministers of the Word

If you have not already done so, please collect your new rota from the letter-rack in the Porch. Thank you. The 'Guide for Readers' for October-December is also available in the Server's sacristy.

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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