

# PARISH OF SAINT AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO

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

## SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (Year A)

Sunday 19th January 2014 - Peace Sunday

### TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES

Saturday	18th Jan.	6.00 p.m.	<i>(Iris &amp; Leslie Hyde RIP)</i>
Sunday	19th Jan.	8.30 a.m.	
		10.30 a.m.	<i>(The Parish)</i>
		7.00 p.m.	<b>Evening Prayer (Churches Together in St. Austell Service)</b>
Tuesday	21st Jan.	7.00 p.m.	<b>St. Agnes</b>
Wednesday	22nd Jan.	10.30 a.m.	
Thursday	23rd Jan.	12.05 p.m.	
		7.30 p.m.	<b>Great Blessing of the Waters (Orthodox Service)</b>
Friday	24th Jan.	10.30 a.m.	<b>Requiem Mass - Paul Chasteauneuf RIP</b>
Saturday	25th Jan.	6.00 p.m.	<i>(Bishop Christopher Budd)</i>
Sunday	26th Jan.	8.30 a.m.	<i>(Patrick &amp; John Gallacher RIP)</i>
		10.30 a.m.	<i>(Kathleen McNicholas RIP)</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 5.00 p.m. & Wednesday 7.00 p.m.



### MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 18th Jan - Iris & Leslie Hyde RIP (Gloria Hocking's intention). Sat 25th Jan - Bishop Christopher Budd (Parish intention). Sun 26th Jan, 8.30am - Patrick & John Gallacher RIP (Frank Gallacher's intention). Sun 26th Jan, 10.30am - Kathleen McNicholas RIP (Patrick McNicholas' intention).

### REQUIESCAT IN PACE

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Paul Chasteauneuf who died last week. His Requiem Mass is at 10.30 a.m. on Friday 24th January.

### CHURCHES TOGETHER IN ST. AUSTELL

To mark the beginning of Christian Unity Week, St. Augustine's will be hosting the 'Churches Together in St. Austell' Annual Service of Thanksgiving this **Sunday 19th January at 7.00pm**. Fr. Peter will be leading Evening Prayer and the Rev. John Kendall from the Methodist Church will be preaching. Please come and support this celebration of our faith with Christians from the other church in St. Austell.

### THE GREAT BLESSING OF THE WATERS

The Orthodox Church will be celebrating the '**Great Blessing of the Waters**' with Fr. Benedict here at St. Augustine's this coming **Thursday 23rd January at 7.30pm**. A very warm invitation is extended to all our parishioners to join them in this celebration.

In the Eastern Orthodox Church the use of holy water is based on the Baptism of Jesus and is commemorated at the 'Feast of Theophany' (the Manifestation of God). At the Vespers of this feast, a font of holy water is blessed in the church to provide holy water for the parish's use in the coming year. The following morning after the Divine Litany, a procession goes from the church to the nearby river, lake or the sea to bless the water (sometimes the rivers are frozen so people have to make holes in the ice to bless the water). This represents the redemption of all creation as part of humanity's salvation. In the following weeks the priest visits the homes of the members of the parish and leads prayers of blessing for their families and homes, sprinkling them with holy water. This is a visible representation of God's sanctifying work in all parts of people's lives.

### CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE - Christmas Lunch

Our Christmas Lunch is being held on **Tuesday 21st January** at Lanydrock Golf and Country Club. We will meet in the church car park at **12.00 noon** for car share. Lunch is at **1.00pm**. The cost of the meal including coffee and mints is £16.50. If you do not wish coffee the price is £15.00. If you are able to come to the lunch, please place your name on

the list on the notice board in the Porch by the end of this weekend. We hope to see you all there. God bless. *Mollie Cundy & Beryl Blackwell*

### **CATHOLIC WOMEN'S LEAGUE**

The monthly CWL meeting has been postponed until **4th February at 2.30pm**. Please put this date in your diaries.

### **FOWEY RETREAT**

**Youth Retreat - April 4th to 6th (Friday 6pm - Sunday afternoon)**

There is one place available on this retreat for a young person from this parish. The cost of the retreat will be met by the parish. The weekend will be a time to look at how God has called the young in the history of salvation and in the life of the Church to renew and inspire His people. The aim is to bring the young together across the parishes in Cornwall, giving them an opportunity to get to know one another, to encourage each other, and to learn and think about vocation. If you are aged between 18 and 25yrs and would like to go on this retreat, please let Fr. Peter know as soon as possible. Thank you.

### **VACANCY IN PLYMOUTH CAST**

There is a vacancy for the role of Finance Manager for Plymouth CAST (the Multi Academy Trust for the 35 schools in the Diocese). This is a fulltime post located at St. Boniface House near Ashburton, Devon. The post commands a salary of £35,000-£38,000 and is for 35hrs per week. Copies of the job description are obtainable from the Human Resources Manager - Tracey Fuller - on 01374 645455 or email [recruitment@prcdtr.org.uk](mailto:recruitment@prcdtr.org.uk). Applications are by CV and covering letter. The last date for applications is 21st January 2014.

### **PASTORAL CO-ORDINATING GROUP**

All PCG members please note that the next meeting has been postponed until **Tuesday 18th February at 7.30pm**.

### **MONSIGNOR MARK O'TOOLE'S ORDINATION**

Monsignor Mark O'Toole will be ordained as Bishop of the Diocese of Plymouth on Tuesday 28th January at 2pm in Plymouth Cathedral. Because of the great number of people invited to the Ordination, only those who have been allocated tickets are able to go to the service but it is being broadcast via the internet for parishioners who wish to be present 'in spirit' if not in body! Please note that there will be no Mass at 7.00pm here at St. Augustine's on 28th.

### **CATHOLIC DIARIES 2014**

There still some 2014 diaries available in the Narthex.

### **CAFOD - CONNECT TO ETHIOPIA**

We have just received a letter of thanks for the £190.35 recently sent from the collection in the COINS for Cafod Connect Jar. which is helping to provide a clean water source for homes & crops. Fr. Solomon, Parish Priest for Sebaya, says, "If water points and irrigation are introduced & strengthened, more families will grow vegetables and plan properly for each year ... giving hope ... and helping to keep young people in the community."

For more information, please go to [cafod.org.uk/connect2ethiopia](http://cafod.org.uk/connect2ethiopia). Foreign coins & notes are also gratefully received in a separate jar. Thank you very much for all your support.

### **APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA**

Many thanks for the jumpers, fleeces, socks, hats etc. in response to the recent appeal. They are very much appreciated. *Ann Bassett, Parish Contact*

### **COLLECTIONS**

*The parish collection total below does not include Standing Orders which average at £338 per week. All cheques should be made payable to 'PRCDTR St. Austell Parish'.*

Parish Collection: £594.10; Candles: £20.43; Coffee: £13.25; CAFOD Jar: £107.49; Flowers: £4.28.

### **SICK AND HOUSEBOUND**

Please remember in your prayers all those in the parish who are sick or housebound, especially *Pauline Abdey, Joy & Fred Abraham, Sheila Alleyn, Sylvia Austin, Marcella Beer, Paul Chasteauneuf, James Clapp, Mary Coupe, Trevor Crump, Milena Danielli, Mary Dineen, Eileen Drury, Sue Dugmore, Mark Eustice, Helen Gibson, Teresita Hill, Joan Insley, Paul & Cynthia Longthorp, Carmen Matthews, Mary Maguire, Maria Consuelo Martyn, Eve Moore, Ian Parkinson, Valerie Parkinson, Pamela Platt, Edwina Porter-Duncan, Nora Skerry, Jenny Stears, Amanda Stickney, Pat Thompson, Pauline Whitford, Sally Wilson.*

#### **Parish Safeguarding Representatives**

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***"You have made us for yourself,  
O Lord, and our hearts  
are restless until they rest in you."***

*(St Augustine of Hippo)*

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