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

SIXTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (Year B)

Sunday 19th July 2015

TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES

Saturday	18th July	6.00 p.m.	<i>(Dawn Hyland RIP)</i>
Sunday	19th July	8.30 a.m.	<i>(The Parish)</i>
		10.30 a.m.	<i>(Terry Brennan Jnr. RIP)</i>
Tuesday	21st July	7.00 p.m.	<i>(Fr. Finbarr SJ RIP)</i>
Wednesday	22nd July	10.30 a.m.	St. Mary Magdalene
Thursday	23rd July	12.05 p.m.	St. Bridget of Sweden <i>(David Curtis RIP)</i>
Friday	24th July	10.30 a.m.	<i>(Melville Dyer RIP)</i>
Saturday	26th July	6.00 p.m.	<i>(Alison & Brian Byrne)</i>
Sunday	27th July	8.30 a.m.	<i>(The Parish)</i>
		10.30 a.m.	<i>(Andrew Joseph Phillips 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 5.30 p.m. & Wednesday 7.00 p.m.



MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 18th July - Dawn Hyland RIP (Paul & Angela Hyland's intention). Sun 19th July, 10.30 am - Terry Brennan Jnr. RIP (Josie Brennan's intention). Thursday 27th July—David Curtis RIP (Gerry & Daniel Goode's intention). Fri 24th July - Melville Dyer RIP (Derrick Dyer's intention). Sat 25th July - Alison & Brian Byrne (Anne Thompson's intention). Sun 26th July, 10.30am - Andrew Joseph Phillips RIP (George & Mary Phillips intention).

SEA SUNDAY

Thank you so much to all who gave in support of the work of the Apostleship of the Sea through last week's retiring collection. Thanks to your generosity a magnificent sum of £474.32 was raised.

RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS

The RCIA sessions will begin again in the Autumn. If you (or someone you know) have expressed an interest in the Catholic Church, the RCIA sessions are the means of exploring the Faith in a relaxed and informal manner. Any parishioners wishing to more fully understand aspects of their own Catholic Faith will also be most welcome. Enquiries can be addressed to Fr. Peter or to the parish office.

ORDINATIONS TO THE SACRED PRIESTHOOD

There is a video on YouTube of Frs. Jacek and Colin's recent Ordination to the Priesthood at Plymouth Cathedral. Go to www.youtube.com and search for "Double Ordination at Plymouth Cathedral".

BIBLES FOR SCHOOLS

Jacqui Foster would like to thank all those who sponsored her to raise funds for the CTSA 'Bibles for Schools' project. She did her swim at Polkyth Leisure Centre this week on Wednesday morning and completed 64 lengths (1 mile) in 50 minutes!

CATHOLIC WOMENS LEAGUE

Next meeting: **Tuesday 28th July at 7.30pm.** Maureen Vincent will be speaking on 'Bethlehem - Living under Occupation' and the members of the CWL extend a very warm invitation to all parishioners who would like to join them for this talk. Maureen has made many pilgrimages to the Holy Land and has witnessed first hand the tensions and the difficulties experienced by those living there.

DAY FOR LIFE 2015 - Sunday 26th July

"How great a lie.... to make people think that lives affected by grave illness are not worth living" Pope Francis

Day for Life, the day in the Church's year dedicated to celebrating the dignity of life, focuses this year on how to accept death when it comes and

cherish life while we can. Sometimes difficult decisions are required to be made and the views of family and experts are needed. But in such situations these two questions can guide us: “*is this decision loving life?*” and “*is this decision accepting the inevitability of death?*”. Depending on the situation we should seek ways to answer yes to both, as life itself is a gift from God and death but the gateway to new life with Him. More detailed guidance on some of the possible ethical issues can be found on www.dayforlife.org.

Every year we are encouraged to support the work of the Anscombe Bioethics Centre and other life-related activities supported by the Church. If you wish to make a donation to assist their work please place your gift in the wooden collection box which will be available in the Narthex next weekend.

SUMMER SCHOOL AT BUCKFAST ABBEY

The School of the Annunciation - ‘*Catholic Introduction to Scripture*’

Thursday 30th July - Sunday 2nd August 2015.

‘The study of the sacred Scriptures must be a door opened to every believer. It is essential that the revealed word radically enrich our catechesis and all our efforts to pass on the faith’ Pope Francis, *Evangelii Gaudium*.

The summer school will focus on three areas: The senses and meaning of Sacred Scripture according to the teaching and vision of the Catechism of the Catholic Church: Approaching the New Testament through original languages: The Catholic approach to New Testament interpretation. The cost, including full board and lodging at Buckfast Abbey is £325, or £60 per day (including refreshments and lunch). There is a non refundable registration fee payable upon your application. The summer school begins at 5.30pm on 30th July and ends at lunch time on Sunday 2nd August. More information is available on the Buckfast Abbey website or at: www.schooloftheannunciation.com. Application forms are in the Narthex.

ASSISTED SUICIDE

On **Friday 11th September** the House of Commons will debate and vote on a Bill to legalise assisted suicide. This will put the most vulnerable people in our society at risk. Please contact your MP, urging him/her to attend the debate and vote against the Bill. You can send an email to your MP via the Catholic Bishop’s Conference website (www.catholicnews.org.uk/assisted-suicide) or send a letter by post, a draft of which can be found on the table in the Narthex.

JESUIT MISSION

The Jesuit Society will be holding a mission in Falmouth from **Monday 27th** until **Friday 31st July**. Fliers are available in the Narthex. Please help yourself to one.

NOTEABILITY CHOIR CONCERT - Friday 7th August, 7.00pm

The Noteability Choir, of which a number of our parishioners are members, are giving a concert here at St. Augustine’s in support of St. Petroc’s Society (working with the single homeless of Cornwall). There will be refreshments and a raffle. Tickets £5. For more details and to purchase tickets please contact Jackie Davis: jackie.davis@petrocs.org.uk.

CARMELITE OUTREACH

A celebration of the 5th Centenary of the birth of St. Teresa of Avila hosted by the secular Carmelites of the South West and led by Bishop Mark O’Toole. At **Bovey Tracey Catholic Church, Devon on 26th September 2015** starting with coffee at 10 am, followed by speakers, Mass and then a shared lunch. Further information from Pam Murray (01726 832606) or Julie Tranter (01626 356300)

COLLECTIONS - Thank you

The parish collection total below does not include Standing Orders which average at £350 per week. Cheques should be made payable to: PRC DTR St. Austell Parish. Parish Collection: £681.25; Candles: £25.92; Cafod Jar: £35.87; Flowers: £3.36; Coffee: £17.99; APF: £17.45; Apostleship of the Sea: £474.32.

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Please remember in your prayers those in the parish who are sick or housebound, especially: *Pauline Abdey, Joy & Fred Abraham, Sheila Alleyn, Sylvia Austin, Marcella Beer, Maura Bennett, James & Margaret Clapp, Mary Coupe, Milena Danielli, Mary Dineen, Sue Dugmore, Mark Eustice, Helen Gibson, Teresita Hill, Joan Insley, John Jones, Paul & Cynthia Longthorp, Carmen Matthews, Sarah Mitchell, Ian Parkinson, Valerie Parkinson, June Parsons, Pamela Platt, Connie Pope, Edwina Porter-Duncan, Tony Shortall, Jenny Stears, Amanda Stickney, Pauline Whitford, Sally Wilson.*

Fr. Peter, Deacon John and the parishioners of St. Augustine’s extend a very warm welcome to all visitors on holiday in our parish.

We pray that your time in Cornwall and here at St. Augustine’s will bring you refreshment and a sense of renewal.

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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