

**SAINT AUGUSTINE  
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CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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**TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A    June 25th 2017**

**Dear Parishioners,**

**'Do not be afraid!** We have no need to be afraid since God is always at our side supporting and strengthening us in times of weakness and temptation. The evil effects of sin are swallowed up in the victory of Christ. He is the life of our souls and with Him within us we have no cause for fear. (Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

**Congratulations to our young** Parishioners from Year 3 of Saint Augustine's School celebrating their First Holy Communion this Saturday afternoon. Congratulations also to our young Parishioners being Confirmed this Wednesday evening by Bishop Robert Byrne during the 7.00pm Mass of Confirmation. For the Confirmation Mass there is free car parking in the lower level of the Dominion Car Park.

**On Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June**, we celebrate the Solemnity of Ss Peter and Paul. Mass will be celebrated in Church at 10am; 12.30pm; and 7pm. Also Mass at St Augustine's School at 9.30am. It is a Holy Day of Obligation. (free car-parking lower level for the 7.00pm Mass).

**Solihull Faith Forum are holding** their A.G.M. on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> June; 6pm Light Refreshments; 6.30pm Meeting. It will take place at the Columban Fathers, Blythe Hall, Widney Manor Road, Solihull B93 9AB. The Guest Speaker for this occasion is Sean Russell and the subject is 'FAITH AND MENTAL HEALTH'-All are welcome to attend.

**The Baptismal Preparation** evenings for July will take place on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July and Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July at 8pm in the Presbytery. All are welcome. **You are welcome** to attend the Mass of Thanksgiving for Mrs Tina Willmott who is retiring as HeadTeacher of our Primary School this summer. The Mass will take place on Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> July at 7pm. Free car parking in the lower level of the Dominion Car Park will be available.

**Maryvale Catechetical Centre** have their annual Procession and Mass in honour of the Sacred Heart this Sunday afternoon, June 25<sup>th</sup>, beginning at 3pm.

**Our official Day of Exposition** of the Blessed Sacrament will take place on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July. Exposition will begin after the 10am Mass and a Rota is available for you to sign. Please sign next to a half hour period when you will be available to Watch before the Blessed Sacrament. The focus for prayer is Vocations to the Priesthood, Diaconate and Religious Life.

<p>24th June Saturday SOLEMNITY OF THE NATIVITY OF ST JOHN THE BAPTIST</p>	<p>Jeremiah 10:13 Romans 5:12-15 Matthew 10:26-33 12.30pm Phil O'Hara-RIP 2.30pm First Holy Communion Fiona Kavanagh-RIP</p>	<p>Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon  Tea/Coffee Lunches available after 12.30pm Mass</p>
<p>25th June Sunday TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</p>	<p>Jeremiah 10:13 Romans 5:12-15 Matthew 10:26-33  9.00am Noel &amp; Catherine Ward- 50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary  11.00am Janet Dodman -Intention</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee available after 9.00am &amp; 11.00am Masses</p>
<p>26th June Monday Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>Genesis 12:1-9 Matthew 7:1-5 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am James Kehoe-RIP</p>	<p>Pre-School 9.00am-12.45pm  Journeying In Faith Meeting after 10.00am Mass</p>
<p>27th June Tuesday Feria in Ordinary Time St Cyril of Alexandria</p>	<p>Genesis 13:2,5-18 Matthew 7:26,12-14 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Mick &amp; Kath Farmer-Intention Anne McClean-Intention</p>	<p>Pre-School 9.00am-12.45pm  Legion of Mary 6.30pm Youth Group 7.00pm</p>
<p>28th June Wednesday St Irenaeus</p>	<p>Genesis 15:1-2,17-18 Matthew 7:15-20 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Barbara Cox  7.00pm Confirmation Mass. For all people of parish. Celebrant's Int.</p>	<p>Parents &amp; Toddlers Group 9.15am-11.00am Rainbows 4.30pm-5.30pm Brownies 5.45pm-7.30pm</p>
<p>29th June Thursday SOLEMNITY OF ST PETER &amp; PAUL  HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION</p>	<p>Acts 12:1-11 2 Timothy 4:6-8,17-18 Matthew 16:13-19 9.35pm The Rosary 10.00am John O'Donnell-RIP 12.30pm Sarah Dennison- RIP 7.00pm Gerard McElroy-poorly</p>	<p>Pre-School 9.00am-12.45pm Exposition at 12.00pm until 12.30pm Mass</p>
<p>30th June Friday Feria in Ordinary Time First Martyrs of the Holy Roman Church</p>	<p>Genesis 17:1,9-10 Matthew 8:1-4 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Deceased Members of the Mullen Family 6.30pm Peter Tickell-Intention</p>	<p>Exposition after 10am Mass until 12.30pm Holy Hour 5.15pm-6.15pm Followed by Mass at 6.30pm</p>
<p>1st July Saturday St Oliver Plunkett</p>	<p>2 King 4:8-11,14-16 Romans 6:3-14,8-11 Matthew 10:37-42 12.30pm Noel McMahon-Intention David Hannon-RIP</p>	<p>Confession/Exposition 11.00- 12.00 Noon Tea/Coffee after 12.30pm Mass</p>
<p>2nd July Sunday Thirteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>2 King 4:8-11,14-16 Romans 6:3-14,8-11 Matthew 10:37-42  9.00am Helen Earle -poorly  11.00am Helen Treanor-RIP</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee after 9am and 11am Masses</p>

Offertory Collection last week: £923:87 (Gift Aid £263:10 Loose £660:77)  
Second Collection last week- Day for Life 'Anscombe Bioethics Centre' -£469:24

Second Collection this week: Peter's Pence

**RED 'BOOK BOXES'**- for very young children are now located in both porches of St Augustines. Mass books, prayer books and religious stories can be borrowed during Mass. We welcome donated books from older children and teens for this box. Thank you.

**CAFOD SUMMER FAYRE**-Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July, 1.30pm-3.30pm. Items needed: Cakes, Plants, Books, Tombola items, Bottles, Preserves and Raffle Prizes. Tickets are available

**VACANCY FOR ENGLISH INTERVENTION OFFICER** at St Edmund Campion Catholic School and Sixth Form Centre to work 36.5 hours per week, term time only. Salary will be paid at pro-rata on Grade 3. Advert and Job Description can be viewed on the school website - [www.stedcamp.bham.sch.uk](http://www.stedcamp.bham.sch.uk) or contact Mary Finnegan on 0121 464 7040. Closing date: Friday 7 July 2017 at 4.00 pm.

**Bright Lights Festival** is an annual event for Catholic young adults (ages 16-30) taking place June 23<sup>rd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> in the beautiful grounds of Alton Castle in Staffordshire. Come and join us for a weekend of live music from artists including One Hope Project, Guvna B & Written in Kings; to journey together in Faith through liturgy and worship and to hear stimulating input about the possibilities of living life UNLIMITED. To find out more information or book tickets, visit website; [www.brightlights.org.uk](http://www.brightlights.org.uk) -or call 0300 075 0115 or social media: T/FB/IG:BLFestival.

**'REBOOT' featuring** Catholic speaker and author Chris Stefanick and music from 'The Mercy Tour' Taking place at St Catherine's Bristol Street, Monday 17<sup>th</sup> July, 6.30-9.30pm Tickets £10 (£5 concessions) obtainable via email address on flyers (Flyers available in porch and posters with more details. Or email [reboottour@gmail.com](mailto:reboottour@gmail.com))

**CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC WEEKEND CONFERENCE**- Oscott College Birmingham 1st-2<sup>nd</sup> July 2017 from 9am to 9pm on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> July and 9am to 4pm on Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July. See leaflet in porch for details. or email- [Birmingham@celebrateconference.org](mailto:Birmingham@celebrateconference.org)

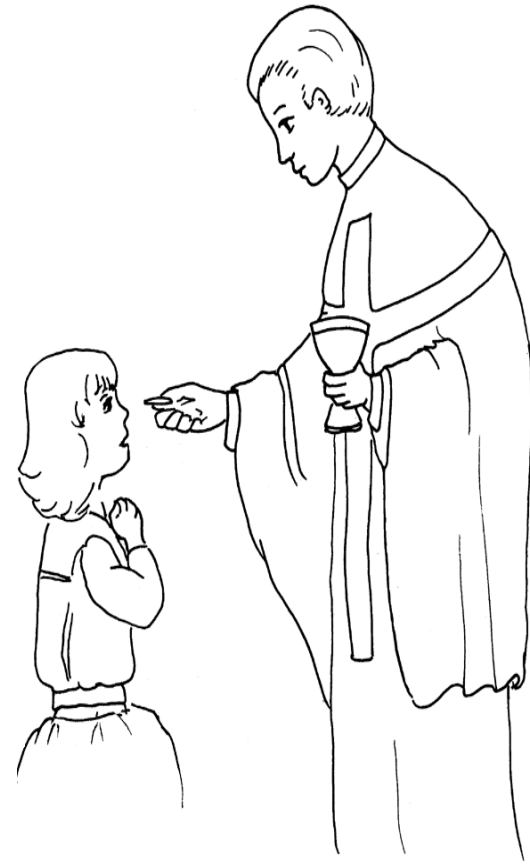
**Tabor House**, a permanent Night Shelter for the homeless is opening in September. Volunteers are required. To find out more there is an Open Evening on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> July 6pm-9pm at St. Anne's Catholic Church, 96 Bradford Street, Birmingham. B12 OPY or call Christy Acton on 01675 434064

Readers this week	Eucharistic Ministers this week
<b>SUNDAY</b>	<b>SUNDAY</b>
<b>9.00am</b> Pam Davis Gerry Coburn	<b>9.00am</b> Angela Keating & Mary Deneny Anne & Michael Hallissey
<b>11.00am</b> Juliana Benjamin Mary Clark	<b>11.00am</b> Helen Brookes Annette Kelly
<b>Cleaning Rota: for week beginning June 26th for Services July 1st/2nd -F</b> Mary Congdon, Geraldine Saunders, Philip Saunders, Bob Ashman	
<b>Flower Rota: - for week beginning June 26th for Services July 1st/2nd- Margaret Doherty</b>	

**Please remember in your prayers the sick of the Parish**

Jayne Hemming	Brian Jones	Anne White	Joseph Lockington
Clare Farmer	James Farmer	Kathleen McLoughlin	Martha Sheridan
Katie Kelly	Patricia Jones	Eilish Duffy	Mick Green
Andrew Simpson	Bernadette Day	Anthony Sadler	Patrick Gallagher
Christopher Browne	Kate McAvinney	Sarah Maloney	John Balder
Ann Marie Boyd	Kathy Stead	Amando Tenorio	Heath Balder
Maureen McLoughlin	Louisa and Nick	Margaret Kelly	Teresa Farrelley
Joseph Farmer	Peggy Roper	Therese Coulton	Chris Docker
Baby Lily Day	Rose Walsh	Aidan, Patrick and Michael O'Donnell	Norman Hart
Martine and Rita McDonnell	Raymond Shenstone	Cornelius Callanan	Doreen Shirley
Sally & Maddy	John Keaney	Glen Hughes	Finbarr Herron
Michael Cassidy	Susanna Gordon	Mark Andrew Sutton	David Nunan
Dean	Gavin Jones	Baby Lara Constantinou	Richard Bird
Suzanne RhodenTench	Tony Duffy	Patrick Brogan	

## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 24th June 2017



Lord God, we commend our children to you. We place them in your care and protection, hoping that they will grow day by day in love for you. May they lead a good life and bring comfort to you who are their Creator. Consider, Lord the world, in which they will pass their lives, its corruption and false allure. Be on watch, dear Lord, to help and defend them. Lead them to the practice of virtue and the observance of your commandments. Make our lives holy also so that we may be an influential pattern for them. We ask of you, from the bottom of our hearts, your blessing on our children. We dedicate them to you, Lord; protect them as one protects the apple of his eye. Keep them in the shadow of your wings. Arrange it so that we and they may come together in heaven and praise you, most loving Father, for you have taken care of our whole family. Amen

**Please pray for:** Cath Wilcock who died recently (Requiem Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July, 9.00am; Reception Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July 6pm) Helen Wallace and John Moloney who died recently. Also Mary Alfreda Drape, Bridget Barron, Mary McDermott, Patrick William O'Sullivan, Frank Tweddle, Patricia Ann Jenkins, John Fellows, Colin Chisholm, Joan Tweddle, Onnella Gilda (Jill) Harding, Tony Joran, John O'Donnell, Peter McKeown, and Philip O'Hara whose anniversaries are at this time.

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