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FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME - YEAR A July 9th 2017

Dear Parishioners,

'Christ's yoke is sweet and His burden light. Christ, even though He is the Son of God, humbles Himself and comes among us in human form. He embraces our condition and knows at first hand our worries and anxieties. The Holy Spirit makes Christ live in us so that we find rest for our souls.' (Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

The second of July's baptismal preparation evenings will take place on Thursday 13th July at 8pm. All are welcome. **We would like to offer our sincere thanks** to all who have helped in any way with our CAFOD Summer Garden Fete. For those who have sold Raffle Tickets, brought such good quality gifts for the Stalls, made donations and have helped with setting things up and tidying up afterwards. (Help is needed on Sunday at 12.30pm) Special thanks to the small group of volunteers who helped tidy and prepare the Garden. **We received a very nice letter from** Bishop Robert as regards his visit for the Mass of Confirmation. He was very pleased with everything and said that the children were exceptionally well prepared. Thank you to each and everyone involved with The Mass of Confirmation. **Welcome to the younger Children of St Augustine's** School who will be joining us for the 9am Mass on Sunday. You are all very welcome for the Mass of Thanksgiving for Mrs Willmott to mark her retirement. It will take place on Wednesday 19th July at 7pm at Church. Bishop Philip Pargeter will be the main celebrant. There will be free car-parking in the lower level of the Dominion Car Park. Refreshments afterwards in the Hall and Presbytery Garden. **The final Mass at St Augustine's School** for this term will take place on Tuesday 18th July at 9.30am. **Please pray for Michael Herron and Marie Collins** who are to be married at St Augustine's Church on Friday 21st July at 3pm. **We are hoping to arrange a coach** to join in the 31st Rosary Rally to pray for world peace and young people. Sunday 27th August. There is a coach list in the main porch if you would like to sign up. A coach will leave St Augustines at 12.00 midday. This year the Rally will take place at Mount St. Bernard Abbey Leicestershire. **Our official Day of Exposition** of the Blessed Sacrament will take place on Tuesday 11th 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. Ending with Benediction and Evening Prayers.

<p>8th July Saturday Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>Zechariah 9:9-10 Romans 8:9,11-13 Matthew 11:25-30 12.30pm Ben & Susan McKiernan-RIP In Thanksgiving-Chris Docker</p>	<p>Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon CAFOD SUMMER FAYRE 1.30pm-3.30pm</p>
<p>9th July Sunday FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Sea Sunday</p>	<p>Zechariah 9:9-10 Romans 8:9,11-13 Matthew 11:25-30 9.00am Joe Gavin-RIP 11.00am Iris May Toolan-RIP</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee available after 9.00am & 11.00am Masses</p>
<p>10th July Monday Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>Genesis 28:10-22 Matthew 9:18-26 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Joyce Volante-RIP</p>	<p>Pre-School 9.00am-12.45pm Journeying In Faith Meeting after 10.00am Mass</p>
<p>11th July Tuesday FEAST St Benedict Patron of Europe Day of Prayer for Europe Day of Exposition</p>	<p>Proverbs 2:1-9 Matthew 19:27-29 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Mary Harris-RIP</p>	<p>Pre-School 9.00am-12.45pm Legion of Mary 6.30pm Youth Group 7.00pm</p>
<p>12th July Wednesday Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>Genesis 41:55-57,42:5-7,17-24 Matthew 10:1-7 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Eileen Cummings-RIP Harry Tomlin-91st Birthday</p>	<p>Parents & Toddlers Group 9.15am-11.00am Rainbows 4.30pm-5.30pm Brownies 5.45pm-7.30pm</p>
<p>13th July Thursday Feria in Ordinary Time St Henry</p>	<p>Genesis 44:18-21,23-29,45:1-5 Matthew 10:7-15 12.05pm The Rosary 12.30pm Tony & Eilish Duffy-Intentions Margaret Bixby-RIP</p>	<p>Pre-School 9.00am-12.45pm No Exposition today 7.00pm SVP Meeting 8.00pm Baptismal Preparation Evening-Presbytery</p>
<p>14th July Friday Feria in Ordinary Time St Camillus de Lellis</p>	<p>Genesis 46:1-7,28-30 Matthew 10:16-20 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Requiem John Joseph Fitzgerald 6.30pm Mary McGrory-RIP Latin Mass</p>	<p>Exposition after 10am Mass until 12.30pm Holy Hour 5.15pm-6.15pm Followed by Mass at 6.30pm</p>
<p>15th July Saturday St Bonaventure</p>	<p>Isaiah 55:10-11 Romans 8:18-23 Matthew 13:1-9 12.30pm Myrna Rfferty-Birthday Kathleen McDermott-poorly</p>	<p>Confession/Exposition 11.00- 12.00 Noon Tea/Coffe available after 12.30pm Mass</p>
<p>16th July Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>Isaiah 55:10-11 Romans 8:18-23 Matthew 13:1-9 9.00am Frank & Mary Toher-RIP 11.00am John & Josie Hunt-RIP</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee after 9am and 11am Masses</p>

Offerory Collection last week: £1307:47 (Gift Aid £268:50 Loose £1,038:97)

Second Collection this week- Apostleship of the Sea

St Paul's School for Girls, Vernon Rd, Edgbaston, B16 9SL Learning Hub Co-ordinator - Gr2:16 £17,419 Term Time only The Governing Body of St Paul's School for Girls is seeking to appoint a Learning Hub Co-ordinator for commencement in September. We seek an outstanding practitioner with the ability to coordinate this learning resource in school. We are looking for a dedicated and committed person to help encourage the academic progress of our 6th Form students and those girls choosing to study in the Learning Hub after school. They will also need to understand and help support the Catholic life of the school. Applications can be downloaded from our website: www.stpaulgl.bham.sch.uk

LATIN MASS- Friday 14th July 6.30pm. All welcome

ANNUAL WEST MIDLANDS MISSION MASS –will be held at St Chad's Cathedral on Saturday 23rd July 2017 at 11am Celebrated by Archbishop Bernard. It is open to all volunteers and supported of the Red Box Missions and light refreshments will be provided afterwards in Cathedral Hall. As one of the top three contributing Parishes it would be great to get a group from the Parish. Please contact Frank Miller- 0121 681 7031 if you wish to attend in order to advise on numbers for catering. Trains from Solihull to Snow Hill are convenient and there is street parking at the rear of the Cathedral; lifts may be available.

Your Parish Magazine! Please note that the deadline for contributions to the summer edition of the Augustinian is Thursday 13th July. Remember; all suitable material, (large or small) and photos in particular are welcome. You can e-mail me on gerard.burgess1@gmail.com or you can leave material at the presbytery.

Taber 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 13th July 6pm-9pm at St.Anne's Catholic Church, 96 Bradford Street, Birmingham. B12 OPY or call Christy Acton on 01675 434064

'REBOOT' featuring Catholic speaker and author Chris Stefanick and music from 'The Mercy Tour' Taking place at St Catherine's Bristol Street, Monday 17th 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

Readers this week	Eucharistic Ministers this week
SUNDAY	SUNDAY
9.00am KS1 SCHOOL <i>Teresa Cund</i>	9.00am Anne & Michael Hallissey <i>Madeleine & Gerry Coburn</i>
11.00am Maria Marsay Marie Watts	11.00am Annette Kelly <i>Dasan Nettikkadan</i>
Cleaning Rota: for week beginning July 10th for Services July 15th/16th –A A.Ryder, M.Clark, C.Sinha	
Flower Rota: – for week beginning July 10th for Services July 15th/16th- Helen Super	

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	
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	

PRAYERS BEFORE THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

• En Ego, O Bone et Dulcissime Lesu

Here,
O good and gentle Jesus,
I kneel before you,
and with all the fervor of my soul
I pray that you engrave within my heart
lively sentiments of faith, hope, and love,
true repentance for my sins,
and a firm purpose of amendment.
While I see and I ponder your five wounds
with great affection and sorrow in my soul,
I have before my eyes those words of yours
that David prophesied about you:
"They have pierced my hands and feet;
I can count all my bones." (Ps 22, 17)
Amen.

God
our Father and our Creator,
we believe that you have made each of us
in your image and likeness.
Help us to lead lives that reflect that belief.
Increase happy vocations
to the married life and the single life,
the religious life and the ordained life.
May we as husbands and wives, mothers and fathers,
single women and single men, sisters and brothers,
deacons, priests and bishops, be open to your grace.
Grant that we may seek always
to do your will and delight in the work
which makes your name and your love
known throughout the world. We ask this prayer
in the name of Jesus, your Son,
and the Holy Spirit, our guide. AMEN



Please pray for: John Joseph Fitzgerald (Requiem Friday 14th July 10am, Reception Thursday 13th July 6pm.) who died recently. Also Dorothy Wyles, Albie Burke, Patricia Bates, Winifred Joyce Loveridge, Tony Jordan, Mary Harris, Sheila McHugh, Eileen Lewis, Roma Spittle, Bridie Haigh, Mark Jonathan Gibson and Margaret Bixby whose anniversaries are at this time.

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