

SAINT AUGUSTINE OF ENGLAND CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Fr Dominic Kavanagh Father Joseph Narikuzhi Deacon Kevin O'Connor

Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 9th October 2022

Dear Parishioners, 'Give thanks to the Lord! We should always give thanks to the Lord for his constant goodness to us. He gives us new life through the death and resurrection of his Son, Jesus Christ. We know that if we die with him, we shall also live with him. We were like lepers through sin and now we are made new through Christ's saving power which cleanses and heals us.' (Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

Father Dominic writes: 'Dear Parishioners, Father Joseph, Deacon Kevin and I welcome our parents, teachers, pupils and children's choir to the 9am Mass this Sunday morning. Our Year 3 children from Saint Augustine's School are being enrolled as candidates for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and First Holy Communion.

At the end of the 11am Mass this Sunday morning there will be a Meeting for the parents whose children do not attend Saint Augustine's School. This meeting is to begin preparation for First Holy Communion.

We will continue with a short period of reflection before the Blessed Sacrament at the end of the 11am Mass each Sunday.

Monday 10th October has been designated as World Homeless Day. There is a drop-in session at the Core Library Theatre in Homer Road from 11am to 2pm. There will be a variety of homeless advice organisations and you are welcome to attend.

This Saturday morning, October 8th, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed from 10.30am until 12.00 midday. During this time, the Legion of Mary members will invite people shopping in the High Street to come into Church to light a candle and to say a prayer. You are welcome to pop in. Please pray for the success of this undertaking.

The next baptismal preparation evening will take place on Thursday 20th October at 7.30pm in the Presbytery. If you wish to attend, please notify Mrs Mary Clark or one of the Clergy.

On Wednesday 19th October we will welcome a priest from Hong Kong who will be visiting our Parishioners from Hong Kong. Father will celebrate Mass in Cantonese at 6.30pm

Our canine companion and Presbytery dog, Liam, was gently laid to rest on Monday last. He had been very unwell, and his diagnosis would not allow for treatment. Please remember the household as we adjust to his absence and at the same time, thank our Lord for the joy he brought over 7 years. Please note Tuesday's Mass is at 9.45am. **PTO**

8th October Saturday	2 Kings 5:14-17 2 Timothy 2:8-13 Luke 17:11-19 Public and Live streamed Mass 12.30pm Michael Hyland-RIP Sister Asterie-Intention	Confession 11.45am-12.15pm
9th October TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Prisons Week	2 Kings 5:14-17 2 Timothy 2:8-13 Luke 17:11-19 Public and Live streamed Masses 9.00am John Jo McGeoghan-RIP All People of the Parish 11.00am Tom Oliver-RIP John White & Family-Intentions	Confession 10.30am-10.45am Tea/Coffee available after each Mass
10th October Monday Feria in Ordinary Time St Paulinus of York/ Ss Denis & Companions/ St John Leonardi	Galatians 4:22-24,26-27,31-5:1 Luke 11:29-32 Public and Live streamed Mass 10.00am Terry McMullan-Intention Mildred Stone- RIP	
11th October Tuesday Feria in Ordinary Time Blessed William Howard/ St John XXIII	Galatians 5:1-6 Luke 11:37-41 Public and Live streamed Mass 9.45am M&T -Private Intention Bernadette O'Donnell-Intention	
12th October Wednesday Feria in Ordinary Time St Wilfrid	Galatians 5:18-25 Luke 11:42-46 Public & Live streamed Masses 11.30am Eileen McGill-RIP John McGuinness-RIP	Confessions 10.45-11.15am Lectio Divina' at 7.30pm To join in the Meeting please email Helen Brookes who will forward you the link to join the Meeting. Helen's email: ehb73@yahoo.co.uk
13th October Thursday Feria in Ordinary Time St Edward the Confessor	Ephesians 1:1-10 Luke 11:47-54 Public and Live streamed Mass 10.00am Roy Cunningham-RIP Margaret Evelyn Callanan-RIP	
14th October Friday Feria in Ordinary Time Callistus 1	Ephesians 1:11-14 Luke 12:1-7 Public and Live streamed Mass 6.30pm Joe McLean-Intention Father Joe Murtagh-RIP	Holy Hour 5.15pm-6.15pm
15th October Saturday St Teresa of Jesus	Exodus 17:8-13 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2 Luke 18:1-8 Public and Live streamed Mass 12.30pm Paddy Smith-RIP Madeleine & Alba Ryan-Intentions	Confession 11.45am-12.15pm
Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time	Exodus 17:8-13 2 Timothy 3:14-4:2 Luke 18:1-8 Public and Live streamed Masses 9.00am Monsignor Paul Watson-RIP All People of the Parish 11.00am Esther & Pat Murphy-RIP Intentions of McLean family	Tea/Coffee available after each Mass

On Saturday 22nd October Monsignor Danny McHugh, the diocesan co-ordinator for Ethnic chaplaincies, invites members of the Ukranian community to a meeting in the Parish Hall between 1.30pm-5.00pm . Members of the Ukranian Catholic Community from Coventry will be in attendance.

On Sunday 23rd October the Hong Kong community are meeting in the Parish Hall between 2pm-4pm. There will be board games for the children.

NEEDED LOCALLY BY REFUGEES: Donations of men's clothing and footwear SUITABLE FOR MEN AGED 18-45: Specifically: Tee-shirts, jeans, joggers, trainers, casual shoes, jackets, scarves, pull on hats, gloves. New socks and underwear. Please contact SVP on: 07568 508271 or donate listed items to Church porch. Thank you!

SVP NEEDS YOU! The St Vincent de Paul Society at St Augustine's is looking for members and supporters. Being part of our friendly voluntary group, praying for, visiting, befriending, helping lonely or needy people locally or being part of our monthly Comfort Food Social...Just 1 hour a week. We'd love to hear from you! 07568 508271.

The Blessing of Graves Oscott Cemetery - Saturday 5th November at 3pm For details see poster available in both porches.

A Pause for Hope service of prayer and music, for all those affected by cancer, will be held in St. Dunstan's Church High Street Kings Heath on Sunday 16 October at 3.00pm. Supported by Churches Together in Kings Heath, it is an opportunity to remember loved ones, pray for patients, carers, medical professionals, and those searching for the cure to cancer. Car park access via Institute Road.

Contact Deacon David Fairbotham for more information. 0121 242 5641 or fairbo28@gmail.com

The Memory Box Café- has restarted; it will meet every 2nd Thursday after September 8th from 2pm to 3.30pm. Dementia patients and their carers are welcome. Also, any elderly person you may know who may be on their own or lonely are also welcome. Free refreshments will be provided. So come along and enjoy some genial company.

OUR LADY OF THE WAYSIDE- Journey of Faith/ Talks on the Faith beginning September 29th. 7.00pm Full list of Talks available on notice board in front porch.

Offertory Collection: 2nd October Gift Aid: £190 Loose: £728:51 Total £918:51

Second Collection this weekend: CAFOD Harvest Fast-

READERS

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday 8 th Oct 12.30pm T.Duffy	Sunday 9 th October 9am	Sunday 9 th October 11am
Saturday 15 th Oct 12.30pm T.Cund	D.Nettikkadan	B.Ngala
Saturday 22 nd Oct 12.30pm M.Green	Sunday 16 th October 9am	Sunday 16 th October 11am
Saturday 29 th Oct 12.30pm T.Duffy	M.Coburn	E.Duffy
Sunday 9 th Oct 9am School	Sunday 23 rd October 9am	Sunday 23 rd October 11am
Communion Enrolment Mass	T.Nettikkadan	J.Hickey
Sunday 9 th Oct 11am H.Cettler		
Sunday 16 th Oct 9am	Sunday 30 th October 9am	Sunday 30 th October 11am
Finbar, Cormac & Joe	M.Hallissey	A.Keating
Sunday 16 th Oct 11am J.Benjamin		
Sunday 23 rd Oct 9am C.Ramsey	Sunday 6 th November 9am	Sunday 6 th November 11am
Sunday 23 rd Oct 11am C.Hodrien	D.Nettikkadan	H.Brookes

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Virginia Gregory,	Angela, Eilish,	Tony Duffy	Fr Fred Sheldon	Mary Ryan	William Moran
Roberto Cordora	Kevin Fahy	Sandy Simia	Adam Cole	Esther Brasil	Anne Deary
Trevor Windle	Danny Meadows	John Doyle	Kevin McDaid	Sue Hodrien	Don Deneny
Patricia Mann	Paul Mann	Cornelius Callanan	John Kavanagh	Damian Poole	John White
Kathleen Clark	Kathryn Farmer	Sandra Evans	Roisin Brown	Gillian Jones	Catherine Walton
James Brown	John McCarthy	Kath Reidy	Noreen O'Connor	Mary Johnson	Keith Ritchie
Christopher Edmund Poole		for protection and peace in the Mbag Family	Eve		Steve Bates
Nicole Plummer	Pat Brogan	Thelma Cole	Molly Saunders	Roger Cox	Mike Sassano
Roger Cox	Eileen Nolan	Harry Conlon	Andrew Howard		

Prayer for people who hunger

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY FRIDAY 7TH October 2022

Lord Jesus, you fed the hungry,
you shared your bread with all.
Your people hunger now,
and we are called to share your bread.

May rains fall upon the dry and broken earth
and quench your people's thirst,
so seeds grow tall and flourish,
producing a bountiful harvest.

May we share the blessings you give us
and bring comfort to those in need.
May we show love through our actions
so all have enough to eat.

We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.

By Helen Moriarty/CAFOD

Please pray for: Bernard Spillane, Peggy McGeoghan, Dan Doyle and Chris Grimley who died recently.

Also, Valerie Turner, Maimie O'Connor, Helena Bartoszewicz, Thomas Scalon, Ann Jones, Edward Lingard, John Rice, Rita Flynn, Patrick Joseph O'Connor, Kathleen Curley, Maurice Mullane, and all with anniversaries at this time.

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