

SAINT AUGUSTINE OF ENGLAND CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Fr Dominic Kavanagh Father Joseph Narikuzhi Deacon Kevin O'Connor

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C 18th September 2022

Dear Parishioners, 'The call to social justice and peace. The Christian is called by Christ to be a person who is on the side of the oppressed. The poor must never be exploited by the rich for the sake of material gain. Money and power need to be put into proper perspective in our lives. We cannot serve God and money.'

Dominic writes: 'Dear Parishioners, Father Joseph, Deacon Kevin and I welcome our young Parishioners and their Parents to the 9am Mass this Sunday, for our Children's choir. From the beginning of September until the Feast of St Francis of Assisi on October 4th the whole Church is celebrating the Season of Creation, a time when we give thanks to God for the magnificence of Creation and renew our commitment to care for our common home.

Thank you for all the prayers you have offered for Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II that she may be brought safely into the home that Our Lord has prepared for her; thank you also for your prayers for all who have recently died. Father Paul Devaney's Requiem will take place at Corpus Christi Church, Stechford on Tuesday 27th September at 12 noon. Father will be received into Corpus Christi Church on Monday 26th September; Reception and Mass at 7pm.

The next baptismal preparation evening will take place on Thursday 20th October at 7.30pm. If you would like to attend, please contact Mary Clark or one of the Clergy.

For the next few Sundays at the end of the 11am Mass we will have a very short period of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with a short reflection and prayer on the gift of the Eucharist. This is to help us to deepen our appreciation and understanding of so great a gift. Thank you to the members of the Evangelisation group who have organised these short periods of prayer.

Thank you for your generous response to the CAFOD appeal for the people of Pakistan. There is still an opportunity to give if you wish to do so, either directly in Church or by the link on the Parish website.

The Third Sunday in September, formerly called Home Mission Sunday, is now *Evangelii Gaudium Sunday*. Named after Pope Francis' first (solo) Apostolic Exhortation on the Joy of the Gospel, the day offers the Catholic community in England and Wales the opportunity to celebrate the beauty of our faith and our commitment to witness to the fullness of life in Christ. There will be a second collection for Home Mission Sunday (Evangelii Gaudium) this weekend.

17th September Saturday St Robert Bellarmine/ St Hildegard	Amos 8:4-7 1 Timothy 2:1-8 Luke 16:1-13 Public and Live streamed Mass 12.30pm George Harris-RIP Mick O'Sullivan-RIP	Confession 11.45am-12.15pm
18th September TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Home Mission Sunday	Amos 8:4-7 1 Timothy 2:1-8 Luke 16:1-13 Public and Live streamed Masses 9.00am Sheila Kelly-RIP All People of the Parish 11.00am Sarah Davies-Intention Father Tony Rohan-Intentions	Confession 10.30am-10.45am Tea/Coffee available after each Mass
19th September Monday Feria in Ordinary Time St Theodore of Canterbury/ St Januarius	Proverbs 3:27-34 Luke 8:16-18 Public and Live streamed Mass 10.00am Dennis Craddock-RIP Dan Doyle- RIP	
20th September Tuesday St Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Paul Chong Ha-sang & Companions	Proverbs 21:1-6,10-13 Luke 8:19-21 Public and Live streamed Mass 10.00am Joanne Field-RIP Mrs Murrihy- RIP	
21st September Wednesday FEAST St Matthew	Ephesians 4:1-7,11-13 Matthew 9:9-13 Public & Live streamed Masses 11.30am Thomas Desmond Collins-RIP Madeleine & Gerry Coburn-Intentions	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
22nd September Thursday Feria in Ordinary Time	Ecclesiastes 1:2-11 Luke 9:7-9 Public and Live streamed Mass 10.00am Rita Deehan-RIP Margaret & Lawrence Parker-RIP	Baptismal Preparation 7.30pm-Presbytery
23rd September Friday St Pius of Pietrelcina Padre Pio	Ecclesiastes 3:1-11 Luke 9:18-22 Public and Live streamed Mass 6.30pm Zygmunt Jablonski-RIP Roy Cunnington-RIP	Holy Hour 5.15pm-6.15pm
24th Saturday Our Lady of Walsingham	Amos 6:1,4-7 1 Timothy 6:11-16 Luke 16:19-31 Public and Live streamed Mass 12.30pm Mary Therese Bradley- RIP Eileen O'Sullivan-RIP	Confession 11.45am-12.15pm
25th September Twenty Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time Day of Prayer of Thanksgiving for the Harvest	Amos 6:1,4-7 1 Timothy 6:11-16 Luke 16:19-31 Public and Live streamed Masses 9.00am All People of the Parish Mary Elizabeth Gardiner-RIP 11.00am Anne McNeil & Family Geraldine & Philip Saunders-Intention	Tea/Coffee available after each Mass Confession 11.45am-12.15pm

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF PEACE ECUMENICAL SERVICE 21st September- Coventry Cathedral.5.15pm The Service will be led by Archbishop Bernard and the Bishop of Coventry. For planning purposes please register at: www.friendsoftheholylan.org.uk/coventry or email: office@friendsoftheholylan.org.uk or call: 01926 512980
SVP Festival MASS St Chad's Cathedral 12pm-4pm; 24th September; during Mass SVP Members will renew their SVP promises-

The relics of St Bernadette are coming to the Diocese of Birmingham. Friday 7th October, St Chad's Cathedral 6pm-midnight; and Saturday 8th October 8am-7pm St Chad's Cathedral. Please register to attend with a dedicated timeslot to ensure the comfort and safety of pilgrims. Please see Diocesan website for details.

Vacancy, Head of Safeguarding-The Archdiocese of Birmingham is seeking a Head of Safeguarding. The post holder will manage the operations of the safeguarding team, who operate in accordance with the statutory framework and the Catholic Church's safeguarding policies and procedures.

This will be a rewarding role for an experienced safeguarding professional. Closing date 3 October.

To find out more, please go to www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk/jobs

St Peter's Catholic Secondary School's Opening Evening – Parents of children in Year 6 are warmly invited to visit St Peter's on Thursday 22nd September 5:30-8:00pm. There are also two open mornings to visit and see the school in operation, by appointment only, on Monday 26th September and Tuesday 27th September. Please see St Peter's website for more details: www.st-peters.solihull.sch.uk or to book call 0121 705 3988.

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.

HCPT Group 712 is our local youth service group which supports the disabled and disadvantaged children's groups with the HCPT pilgrimage to Lourdes each Easter. We will fly to France on Easter Sunday 9th April, returning on Saturday 15th April. Throughout the week we will support children's groups from the Midlands by marshalling processions, providing music and games for the children, and assisting experienced group helpers in caring for and entertaining the children who are the focus of the pilgrimage. Young people aged 16 and above who would be interested in joining the group for Easter 2023 should email Deacon Tim from the parish of Our Lady of Lourdes, Yardley Wood: group712@hcpt.org.uk. We will assist with fundraising and bursary grants to support you in raising the fare of £495. See www.hcpt.org.uk for further information about the whole pilgrimage."

Offertory Collection: 11th September Gift Aid: £ 189:70 Loose: £665:58 Total £855:28

Second Collection last weekend; CAFOD Appeal Flood Victims of Pakistan:£1581:42 Second Collection this weekend: Home Mission Sunday (Evangelii Gaudium). Second Collection next weekend: Father Hudson's Society

READERS

Eucharistic Ministers

Saturday 17 th September M.Green	Sunday 18 th September 9am	Sunday 18 th September 11am
Saturday 14 th September T.Duffy	M.Coburn	A.Keating
Sunday 18 th Sept 9am M.Coburn	Sunday 25 th September 9am	Sunday 25 th September 11am
Sunday 18 th Sept 11am J.Benjamin	T.Nettikkadan	H.Brookes
Sunday 25 th Sept 9am M.Pearsall	Sunday 2 nd October 9am	Sunday 2 nd October 11am
Sunday 25 th Sept 11am C.Hodrien	M.Hallissey	A.Kelly
	Sunday 9 th October 9.am	Sunday 9 th October 11am
	D.Nettikkadan	B.Ngala
	Sunday 16 th October 9am	Sunday 16 th October 11am
	M.Coburn	E.Duffy

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	
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 Santarnor
Roger Cox	Eileen Nolan	Bernie Day	Harry Conlon	Don Deneny	

PRAYERS FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOUL OF HM QUEEN ELIZABETH II

For the happy repose of HM The Queen

Almighty God,
You are the author and sustainer of all human life;
grant that your servant, Elizabeth our Queen,
whom you granted a long and happy reign as Monarch of these lands
may be forgiven her sins and rewarded with that eternal life
promised to all those born again
in the water of baptism and power of your Spirit.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit
God, forever and ever,
Amen.

Eternal rest, grant to her O Lord,
And let Perpetual light shine upon her.
May she rest in peace.
Amen.

May her soul, and the souls of all the faithful departed,
Through

Prayer for the King

O God, to whom every human power is subject,
Grant to your servant His Majesty the King
Wisdom in the exercise of his high office,
So that, always revering to you and striving to please you
He may constantly secure and preserve
For the people entrusted to his care
The freedom that comes from unity and peace.

Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son,
Who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit
God, forever and ever. Amen,

Please pray for: Eddie Deery (Requiem Monday 26th September; 10.15am; Reception Sunday 25th September 6pm); Father Paul Devaney (Requiem at Corpus Christi Church, Stechford -Tuesday 27th September, 12 noon; Reception Monday 26th September 7pm) Stanley William Shaw (Requiem Thursday 29th September 10.30am;) Peggy McGeoghan (Requiem Our Lady of the Wayside, Wednesday 5th October 11.00am; Reception Tuesday 4th October 7.00pm), Dan Doyle Requiem Friday 7th October, 11am; Reception Thursday 6th 5.00pm); Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth II, Michael Molloy and Chris Grimley who died recently.

Also, Josephine Mary Rumbold, Eileen Bowles, George Harris, Maura Cunningham, Elizabeth Emmeline Milnes, Wladyslaw Garnowski, Timothy Redmond, Phyllis Hanson, Joanne Lesley Field, George(Barry) Jukes, Christopher Hinckley, Charles Mobsby, Liam Jones, John Morgan, Margaret Veronica Jones, Noreen Mary Cecilia Porter, Charles Cassidy and all with anniversaries at this time.

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