

# *SAINT AUGUSTINE OF ENGLAND CATHOLIC CHURCH*

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**Fr Dominic Kavanagh   Father Joseph Narikuzhi   Deacon Kevin O'Connor**

Thirty-First Sunday in Ordinary Time Year C   30th October 2022

**Dear Parishioners, 'Today salvation has come to this house.** God is the lover of life and his imperishable spirit is in all things. He overlooks men's sins so they they can repent. His love reaches its fulfilment in Jesus who has come to serve every person in the world if only like Zaccheus they wish to meet him and live better lives. Today salvation comes to us too if we are prepared to welcome Jesus into our hearts.' (Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

**Dominic writes:** 'Dear Parishioners, Father Joseph, Deacon Kevin and I join with you in welcoming Father Emmanuel, a Mill Hill Missionary to the Parish. Father will be present at all the Masses to thank us for our support of the Missions, especially to thank those of you who are Red Box Holders. He will also be appealing for new Red Box Holders. Mr Frank Miller, our Parish Secretary for Missio, has asked for volunteers to collect names and addresses of those who would be willing to take a Red Mission Box. Our sincere thanks to Mr Miller for his dedicated work over many years as our Parish Secretary for Missio; and our thanks also for those Parishioners who collect the Mission boxes. Thank you to all of you for your generosity towards last week's second collection for Missio.

**Please pray for** David Edward Bayliss who is to be baptised into the family of the Church this Sunday. **Welcome to Father** Neil Bayliss, David's Grand Father, who is to baptise his Grandson. **The next baptismal preparation** evening will take place on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> November at 7.30pm in the Presbytery. If you wish to attend, please speak with Mrs Mary Clark or with one of the Clergy. **Those children**, whose parents wish them to be prepared for First Holy Communion and who do not attend a Catholic School, are invited to attend the 11am Mass on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November Sunday morning during term time. Also, we have arranged two evenings for the parents of all our First Communion Children on Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November at 7.30pm in the Parish Hall. Parents, please choose only one of these Meetings to attend. We have requested free car parking in the lower level of the Dominion Car Park. The Enrolment next Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> November at 11am Mass is for children aged Year 3 or above who are not attending Catholic schools, or who have missed the opportunity to make their Sacraments of Reconciliation or First Holy Communion. Please note that we are unable to accept children younger than Year 3 on this programme. If your child has not yet received an Enrolment certificate, please call Libby Service on: 07568 508271.

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| 29th October<br>Saturday   | Wisdom 11:22-12:2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2<br>Luke 19:1-10<br>Public and Live streamed Mass<br>12.30pm Leda & Vito-Birthdays<br>Lali Ratneraja & Family-Intentions   | Confession 11.45am-12.15pm   |
| 30th October<br><br>THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY IN<br>ORDINARY TIME                              | Wisdom 11:22-12:2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2<br>Luke 19:1-10<br>Public and Live streamed Masses<br>9.00am All People of the Parish<br>Margaret Elizabeth Collins- RIP<br><br>11.00am Norah & Patrick Brennan-RIP<br>John O'Sullivan- RIP | Confession 10.30am-10.45am<br><br>Tea/Coffee available after each<br>Mass  |
| 31st October Monday<br>Feria in Ordinary Time  | Philippians 2:1-4 Luke 14:12-14<br>Public and Live streamed Mass<br>10.00am Anna Marie Hackett-RIP   |  |
| 1st November Tuesday<br><br>SOLEMNITY OF ALL SAINTS<br><br><i>Holy Day of Obligation</i> | Apocalypse 7:2-4,9-14 1 John 3:1-3<br>Matthew 5:1-12<br>Public and Live streamed Mass<br>12.30pm Veronica Oliver -RIP<br>John Fleming-RIP<br>7pm Michael Maroney- RIP<br>Father Henry Taylor-RIP                                     |  |
| 2nd November Wednesday<br>All Souls' Day   | Public & Live streamed Masses<br>11.30am Holy Father's Intentions<br>Ray Stanley-RIP<br>7.00pm All The Faithful Departed<br>Maura Rice's Deceased Neighbour  | Confessions 10.45-11.15am<br>Lectio Divina' at 7.30pm To join in<br>the Meeting please email Helen<br>Brookes who will forward you the link<br>to join the Meeting. Helen's email:<br><a href="mailto:ehb73@yahoo.co.uk">ehb73@yahoo.co.uk</a> |
| 3rd November Thursday<br>St Martin de Porres/<br>St Winifride                            | Philippians 3:3-8 Luke 15:1-10<br>Public and Live streamed Mass<br>10.00am Catherine Campbell & Family-<br>Intentions<br>Father Dominic Kavanagh-Birthday  |  |
| 4th November Friday<br>St Charles Borromeo   | Philippians 3:17-4:1 Luke 16:1-8<br>Public and Live streamed Mass<br>6.30pm Denis O'Sullivan & Family -Intentions<br>Margaret Bond-RIP   | Holy Hour 5.15pm-6.15pm  |
| 5th November<br>Saturday   | 2 Maccabees 7:1-2,9-14<br>2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5 Luke 20:27-38<br>Public and Live streamed Mass<br>12.30pm Jim Fanning-RIP<br>Moir Collins-Intention   | Confession 11.45am-12.15pm   |
| Thirty-Second Sunday in<br>Ordinary Time<br><br>6th November                             | 2 Maccabees 7:1-2,9-14<br>2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5 Luke 20:27-38<br>Public and Live streamed Masses<br>9.00am Joshua, Luca & Daniel-Thanksgiving<br><br>11.00am Moya & Nicholas Halligan-RIP   | Tea/Coffee available after each<br>Mass  |

**During the month** of November, we will offer a Novena of Masses for the Holy Souls. If you would like your loved ones to be included, please use the slips of paper and envelopes provided in both porches and return them to the box, at your convenience.

**We will share** the times of the Masses for the Solemnity of All Saints with Our Lady of the Wayside Parish. Mass at Our Lady of the Wayside will be a Vigil Mass, on Monday evening, 7pm and on the Tuesday morning November 1<sup>st</sup> at 10am. **Mass at St Augustine's** will be at 12.30pm and 7pm on the Tuesday. On Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> November, the Commemoration of Holy Souls, we will celebrate Mass at 11.30am and 7pm. We have requested free car parking on the Tuesday and Wednesday evenings for the 7pm Masses

**Dates for your diary: Blessing of the Crib** in Mell Square- Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November 3pm; **Christmas Fayre** - Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> December-1.30pm-4pm and continuing on the Sunday morning, after the Masses. If anyone would like to help with preparation for the Fayre and/or with running stall, please let the Clergy know. In preparation for the Christmas Fayre, we will hold a meeting on Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> November after the 11am Mass.

**PLENARY INDULGENCE**-applicable only to the souls in purgatory is granted on each day from November 1<sup>st</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> November to the faithful who devoutly visit a cemetery and pray for the faithful departed. Also, if you visit a church or public oratory on November 2<sup>nd</sup>, and there pray at least the Our Father and the Creed. One indulgence can be gained by any one person on this day; usual conditions apply.

**OPEN MORNING**- at St Augustine's Catholic Primary School will take place on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> November, 10.30-11.30am, for any Nursery or Reception September 2023 starters. We have spaces remaining within our current, Reception and Year 1 classes, please contact the School office for details of how to apply.

**Holy Land Olive Wood and Cards.** Beautiful products on sale 12/13 November.( Cash only)

**Become a Relationship Counsellor:** for more information visit website; [www.marriagecare.org.uk/crc](http://www.marriagecare.org.uk/crc)

**The Memory Box Café**- has restarted; it will meet every 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday 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.

We are looking to recruit a **Secretary/PA to the Vicar General**. The appointee will support the operations of the Birmingham Diocesan Trust (The Archdiocese of Birmingham) by acting as the Secretary/PA to the Vicar General. You will need excellent communications skills, the ability to work on your own initiative, experience of working with senior post-holders/officers and be proficient with Microsoft Office. For an informal discussion about this role and further information, please call the Human Resources Officer on 0121 230 6224. Further information will also be on the website.

Offertory Collection for 23rd October: Gift Aid:£180 Loose £ 729:41 Total £909:41

Second Collection last weekend: World Mission Sunday (Missio)-£442:10

## READERS

## Eucharistic Ministers

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| Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> Oct 12.30pm T.Duffy | Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup> October 9am  | Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup> October 11am  |
| Saturday 5 <sup>th</sup> Nov 12.30pm T.Cund   | M.Hallissey                          | A.Keating                             |
| Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup> Nov 12.30pm M.Green | Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> November 9am  | Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> November 11am  |
| Saturday 19 <sup>th</sup> Nov 12.30pm T.Duffy | D.Nettikkadan                        | H.Brookes                             |
| Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup> Oct 9am M.Pearsall    | Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> November 9am | Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> November 11am |
| Sunday 30 <sup>th</sup> Oct 11am M.Keating    | M.Coburn                             | A.Kelly                               |
| Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> Nov 9am M.Coburn       | Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> November 9am | Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> November 11am |
| Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> Nov 11am M.Watts       | T.Nettikkadan                        | B.Ngala                               |
| Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> Nov 9am C.Ramsay      | Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup> November 9am | Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup> November 11am |
| Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> Nov 11am H.Cettler    | M.Hallissey                          | E.Duffy                               |

## PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THE SICK OF THE PARISH

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|--------------------------|-----------------|---|-----------------|---------------|------------------|
| 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                                | Savio Baretto   |               |                  |

## A Prayer for Missionaries

We adore you, Jesus our Shepherd and Saviour

And we praise and thank you for your living among us

We ask you to walk beside your missionaries

as they seek to proclaim your Gospel

Cherish, guide, and strengthen them

help them to be patient when they meet frustrations,

and encourage them when they are disappointed.

Lead them, we beseech you, along the path you desire for them

For you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit for ever. Amen.

Mary, Queen of Apostles, pray for us

St Joseph, pray for us. St Teresa of the Child Jesus, pray for us

St Francis Xavier, pray for us.

Please pray for: Derek Richardson, Tony Riddeck, Andrew Howard, John Sheehan, Gareth Cox, Rudi Smith and Margaret Carley who died recently.

Also, Duncan Riddell, Helen Lysaght, Dorothy Askew, Fr Harry Taylor, Deacon Paul Grosvenor, Norah Brennan, Veronica Oliver, Felicite Dormer, Marva Guevara, Margaret Lettice, Joe Callaghan, Archbishop Maurice Couve de Murville, Kathleen O'Neill, Peter Robert Millgate, Mary Ackland, Dos Santos Rodrigues, Michael Alfred Lawrence, Janet Moody, and all with anniversaries at this time.

**Safe Guarding Representatives are:**  
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**Teresa Cund 0121 733 2143**

### The Blessing of Graves:

**Oscott Cemetery** - Saturday 5th November at 3pm For details see poster available in both porches.

6<sup>th</sup> November Branwood End Cemetery 2pm

13<sup>th</sup> November Robin Hood Cemetery 2pm

20<sup>th</sup> November Widney Manor Cemetery 2pm

27<sup>th</sup> November Woodlands Cemetery 2pm and Yardley Cemetery 2pm