

PASTORAL CO-ORDINATING GROUP

Next meeting on **Thursday 8th September at 7.30pm**. Please collect your agendas and correspondence from the letter rack in the Porch.

ST AUSTELL METHODIST CIRCUIT

The ministers and people of St. Austell Methodist Circuit have great pleasure in inviting the parishioners of St. Augustine's to the Circuit Welcome Service for their two new ministers, Rev Sheila MacInally and Rev. Joan Watson on **3rd September at 6pm** in St. John's Methodist Church, St. Austell.

MADE FOR LOVE

Bishop Christopher invites us all to '**Made for Love – September 23rd** from **11am – 2.45pm** at Plymouth Pavillions. 1000 priests, parishioners and teachers gather to recognise and celebrate the mission of the Church in the world, here in the Plymouth Diocese. The main speaker is Sr. Helen Prejean, who will encourage us to transform the world through small acts of great love. The cost is £5 which includes lunch. Phone **01392 671320** (Vicariate for Formation) for more information and to book places. Closing date: Wed 7th September.

'THE HIDING PLACE' – Frid 2nd – Sat 10th September

Buckfast Abbey is pleased to present the Unleashed Theatre Company in 'Hiding Place'. This moving, award winning play tells the true story of Corrie Ten Boom, whose family risked everything for the sake of others during the wartime occupation of Holland. It is an inspirational story of love and forgiveness in the face of evil. It starts at 7.45pm, seats available from 7pm. Tickets £12.00 (£10.50 for groups of 6 or more), available from the Abbey Giftshop and Bookshop, tel: 01364 645506. Please note that this is an open air production so please come prepared for all weather!

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Please remember in your prayers all those in the parish who are sick and housebound.

Parish Safe-guarding Representative: Karen Waters, Tel: 01726 842372
Diocesan Safeguarding Office, Tel: 01752 560792

**"You have made us for yourself Lord and our hearts
are restless until they rest in you."**

-St Augustine of Hippo –

(St Augustine's is part of Plymouth Catholic diocese – a Registered Charity)

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There is usually someone here to receive calls between 9.00am and 12 noon on each weekday.

TWENTY-SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

(Year 'A') Sunday 28th August 2011

TIMES OF MASSES

Saturday	6pm	MASS	Feast of St. Augustine <i>(Ann Markham RIP)</i>
Sunday	8.30am	MASS	<i>(Neville Humphries RIP)</i>
Sunday	10.30am	MASS	
Tuesday	7pm	Holy Hour	<i>(for Fr. Paul and our sick and housebound parishioners)</i>
Wednesday	10.30am	MASS & Exposition	<i>(Frank Wilson RIP)</i>
Friday	10.30am	MASS	<i>(Margaret Jones RIP)</i>

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 5.15 – 5.45pm

THE ROSARY

Friday 10.00am

ORDINARIATE MASSES

Wednesday 7.00pm & Sunday 5.30pm

BIDDING PRAYERS

Compiled this Sunday, 28th August, 22nd Sunday in Ordinary time, by the Readers.

PARISH COLLECTION Church collection does not include Standing Orders – all cheques made payable to PRCDTR St. Austell Parish.

£570.32. PARISH MAINTENANCE FUND £26.00. COFFEE £6.15. CWL 'Precious Lives' Cream Tea £335.44. DONATION £25.00.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 27th Aug – Ann Markham RIP (Elaine Holmes' intention). Sun 28th Aug, 8.30am – Neville Humphries RIP (Imelda Humphries' intention). Wed 31st August – Frank Wilson RIP (Sally Wilson's intention). Fri 2nd Sept – Margaret Jones RIP (Dorothy O'Shea's intention). Sat 3rd Sept – Brendan Bowe (Private intention). Sun 4th Sept, 10.30am – Terry Brennan RIP (Veronica Nicholls and family's intention).

COLLECTION ENVELOPES

Once again Tom Regan will be at all Masses this weekend, **27th/28th August**, to distribute the boxes of envelopes for the coming year. If you do not already do so, and would like to consider using envelopes for your weekly contributions or if you would like to contribute by way of standing order or to gift aid your giving, please have a word with Tom after Mass. Existing envelope users, please do not forget to collect your box of envelopes from Tom if you have not already done so.

RCIA

It is time to begin looking forward to the autumn and with it the commencement of RCIA meetings. If you are interested in becoming a member of the Catholic Church or would just like to find out more about the Catholic faith, please contact Sarah at the Parish Office on 73838 or have a word with Paul Hyland or Deacon John. The RCIA Group normally meets on Wednesday evenings and takes an informal look at Catholic beliefs, with no pressure to make a decision. It would be helpful to the RCIA leaders to have an idea of numbers interested in joining the group by the next weekend **3rd/4th September**. Thank you.

JUSTICE AND PEACE GROUP

Next meeting this **Thursday 1st September at 7.30pm** in Cuthbert Mayne Room.

CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY (Plymouth)

'Children First', the newsletter of the Catholic Children Society is available in the Narthex. There will be a retiring collection after all Masses this weekend, **27th/28th August**. Please support the Society in its work with families in great need in the Diocese.

MUSIC FOR NEW TRANSLATION OF THE MASS

Fr. Tim Lewis is coming to St. Augustine's next **Friday 2nd September at 6pm** to run through some of the musical settings for the new translation of the Mass. Although this is primarily a training session for the Music Group and those involved in leading the sung elements of the Liturgy, all parishioners who are interested are very welcome to come and participate in this session. It is a very good opportunity for everyone to become a little more at home and comfortable with the forthcoming changes in the wording of the Liturgy.

AUTUMN FAYRE

This is a good time to express our gratitude for all those who, over the years, have organised one of the main fundraising events of our parish life. This year there is a need for volunteers who are willing to 'take the baton' and organise the Autumn Fayre. If anyone feels that they are able to help serve the parish in this way, please let Sarah know in the Parish Office or have a chat with Janet Regan who will be able to put you in the picture with what is involved. The Autumn Fayre will not take place this year if there are no volunteers, our Parish will lose a very valuable means of fundraising and, more importantly, a means of working together and having fun as a parish family!

GRIEF TO GRACE – Healing the Wounds of Abuse

Grief to Grace is a specialised, intensive, Catholic retreat programme which integrates psychological and spiritual healing for anyone who has suffered sexual, physical, and emotional abuse, or any form of traumatic violation in childhood, adolescence or adulthood – including abuse from clergy. It was created by a leading U.S psychologist, Dr. Teresa Burke and is holding its first retreat in England at **All Saints Pastoral Centre, London Colney, Hertfordshire, October 23rd – 28th 2011**. For more details see the website: www.griefftoGrace, call 07548 552 558, or email: g2guk@yahoo.co.uk.

HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY

If members of the parish are going into hospital or are admitted as an emergency, it is important that you inform the hospital chaplaincy service if you wish to receive the sacraments or a pastoral visit. Please ensure that a member of the hospital staff is told that you would like a visit from the Catholic chaplain. If you or someone can contact us here at the Parish Office, we will make sure this happens.

Mary Maguire, Carmen Matthews, Valerie Parkinson, Edwina Porter-Duncan, Pauline Reed, Robin Smith, George Snooks, Pamela Platt, Amanda Stickney, Roger Ward, Pauline Whitford, and Sally Wilson.

THE BOOKSHOP REPOSITORY

The Bookshop is manned every week after all weekend Masses as well as Friday morning after Mass. When it is unmanned you are very welcome to put your purchase money in the wall box in Cuthbert Mayne room. The bookshop has an extensive stock of cards for all religious and other special occasions, rosaries, devotional and inspirational gifts as well as Bibles and Missals etc. Please take a little time to come and have a look at what is available. Thank you.

CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY (PLYMOUTH)

The people of the Diocese are invited to consider joining the team of volunteers who promote the work of the Catholic Children's Society throughout Dorset, Devon and Cornwall. For more information, please contact the Catholic Children's Society on: 01392 426494, email: ccs@prcdtr.org.uk, website: www.ccs.plymouth.org.uk.

FRIDAY PENANCE

Penance, which is part of our Christian witness as we identify with Christ on the cross, focuses weekly on Friday, the day of the death of the Lord. The Bishops wish to remind the Catholics of England and Wales of this commitment as a stable part of their Catholic identity. So they have re-established the practice of abstaining from meat on Fridays. Those who cannot or choose not to eat meat as part of their normal diet are invited to abstain from some other food they normally take. This precept comes into effect on **16th September**, which marks the anniversary of Pope Benedict's visit to us.

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Please remember in your prayers all those in the parish who are sick and housebound, especially the following: *Joy Abraham, Sylvia Austin, Mary Coupe, Trevor Crump, Milena Danielli, Mary Dineen, Eileen Drury, Sue Dugmore, Eileen Fuller, Helen Gibson, Teresita Hill, Joan Insley, Rachel John, Margaret Knight, Valerie Lyons, Audrey Lunn,*

