

PARISH OF SAINT AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO

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There is usually someone in the parish office to receive calls on weekday mornings.

TWENTY-SECOND WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (Yr B)

Sunday 2nd September 2012

TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES

Saturday	1st Sept.	6.00 p.m.	<i>(John O'Brien - Month Mind)</i>
Sunday	2nd Sept.	8.30 a.m.	<i>(Lee Bulford RIP)</i>
		10.30 a.m.	
Tuesday	4th Sept.	7.00 p.m.	
Wednesday	5th Sept.	10.30 a.m.	
Thursday	6th Sept.	12.05 p.m.	
Friday	7th Sept.	10.30 a.m.	<i>(Melville Dyer RIP - Month Mind)</i>
Saturday	8th Sept.	6.00 p.m.	Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary <i>(Michael Carrick RIP—Month Mind)</i>
Sunday	9th Sept.	8.30 a.m.	
		10.30 a.m.	<i>(John Riche RIP)</i>

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 5.15 p.m. – 5.45 p.m.

EXPOSITION

Wednesday after Mass until Noon.

ROSARY

Friday 10.00 a.m.

ORDINARIATE MASSES

Sunday 5.30 p.m. & Wednesday 7.00 p.m.

MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 1st Sept. - John O'Brien (Month Mind Mass). Sun 2nd Sept, 8.30 am - Lee Bulford RIP (Anne Bulford's intention). Fri 7th Sept. - Melville Dyer RIP (Month Mind Mass). Sat 8th Sept. - Michael Carrick RIP (Month Mind Mass). Sun 9th Sept, 10.30am - John Riche RIP (Sheila Riche's intention).

CONGRATULATIONS TO JACEK KOSTUCH

Jacek has now completed his third year at seminary training for the priesthood. At the end of the recent term he received the ministries of Reader and Acolyte. As a Reader he is called to proclaim the Word of God and as an Acolyte he assists the priest at the altar. These are steps on his journey towards ordination. Starting in September he has a year out of the Seminary working in the Cathedral Parish in Plymouth.

COLLECTION ENVELOPES

Tom Regan will be at all masses this weekend 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, please have a word with Tom after Mass. If you would like to contribute by way of standing order or to gift aid your giving, Tom will be very happy to discuss and guide you on how to put this into place.

CHILDREN'S CATECHISM—ENROLEMENT

If your child is Yr 2 or above at school this year and you would like them to prepare for the Sacrament of First Holy Communion, catechists will be in the Narthex following all masses this weekend, **1st/2nd September**, to enable you to enrol your child(ren) for this year's catechism course.

CATECHISM will commence on **Wednesday 19th September, 4.30pm - 5.30pm**. Parents are very welcome to stay to the opening session.

KEEP FIT GROUP

Meeting this **Monday 3rd September** in the Narthex at the new time of **11.00am**. All are most welcome to join this informal and enjoyable way of getting in shape for the autumn!

PARISH OPEN MEETING

The Annual Parish Open Meeting will take place this coming **Tuesday 4th September at 7.30pm**. Tom Regan, the parish treasurer, will present a report on the finances of the parish for the last financial year. It will also be an opportunity for Fr. Peter to review his first ten months as parish priest here at St. Augustine's. The evening will be rounded off with Cheese and Wine.

JUSTICE AND PEACE

Meeting this *Thursday 6th September at 7.30pm* in Cuthbert Mayne Room. New members are always welcome.

RCIA

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 have a word with Fr. Peter, Deacon John or Paul Hyland or contact Sarah at the Parish Office on 73838. The RCIA Group normally meets on Wednesday evenings but this past year has met on a Tuesday afternoon (this is open to change to suit the needs of group) It would be helpful to the RCIA leaders to have an idea of numbers interested in joining the group by this weekend. Thank you.

CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY (Plymouth)

Thank you to all who gave so generously to support the work of the Catholic Children's Society with vulnerable families in the diocese. £325.12 was raised in last weekend's retiring collections.

FRIENDSHIP GROUP

Meeting on *Monday 10th September at 2.00pm* in Cuthbert Mayne Room. Each meeting opens with prayers and a bible reading, generally followed by a quiz or games, tea and biscuits and time for friendly conversation. A monthly raffle raises funds for charity and the meeting closes with prayer. New members are always welcome.

BANNER SEWING GROUP

Meeting on *Tuesday 11th September, 2.00 - 3.30pm* in St. Monica's Room. If you have any skill with a needle we need your help please, as we prepare for the Autumn Fayre and carry out the regular parish work done by the sewing group. For more information, please contact Ann Bassett on 01726 61211.

TAKE AND READ

'Take and Read' will recommence on *Tuesday 11th September at 7.30pm* in St. Cuthbert Mayne Room. This season we will be prayerfully considering the life of the early Church as recounted in the 'Acts of the Apostles'. The group meets on the 2nd Tuesday of the month and a reminder is published in the newsletter each month. For further information please contact Sue Phillips on 01726 61500.

MINISTERS OF THE WORD

If you are a Reader at one of the weekend masses please collect a letter for you from the letter rack in the Porch. Thank you.

'SAFEGUARDING' TRAINING DAY

If you are serving in a ministry within the parish that involves working with children or vulnerable adults, you are invited to attend a training day run by the Diocesan Safeguarding Office at St. Mary's Parish Centre, Bodmin on *Saturday 15th September, 10.00am to 4.00pm*. Application forms for this day can be obtained from Karen Waters, the parish's Safeguarding Representative. Her contact number is 01726 842372.

CO-WORKERS OF BLESSED MOTHER TERESA

The Co-workers of Blessed Mother Teresa have been supporting 'Global Hearts for Children / Feed the Children' (goods for Africa) since 2005. This charity has sadly gone into liquidation and is no longer trading. We now support 'Operation Sunshine', based in Tavistock and Folkstone, in exactly the same way. Please continue with your knitting and donations of school supplies etc as before. This charity also sends these goods to Africa. Thank you: Ann Bassett - 01726 61211

Our Annual meeting and collection day will take place here on *Tuesday 18th September, 10.00am—12 noon* in St. Monica's Room.

EXPLORING WHAT IT MEANS TO BE A DEACON

There is a meeting at the Cathedral on *Saturday 22nd September, 11.00am - 3.30pm* to explore the roles, aims and purposes of the Diaconate and how formation of candidates takes place. If you would like to know more please speak to Fr. Peter or contact Deacon James before 10th September on ndorsetcatholic@live.co.uk or ring 07906 599389. Even if you may not have a personal vocation to the diaconate you would be most welcome to attend and find out more about this call to serve.

COLLECTIONS

The parish collection total does not include Standing Orders. All cheques should be made payable to 'PRCDTR St. Austell Parish'.

Parish Collection: £524.00; Coffee: £13.75; Cafod Ethiopia Jar: £6.37; Parish Maintenance Fund: £5.00. Catholic Children's Society: £325.12.

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)*

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