

## PARISH OF SAINT AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO

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

## HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY & JOSEPH (Year A) Sunday 29th December 2013

### TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES

Saturday	28th Dec.	6.00 p.m.	(Ivor Whittington RIP)
Sunday	29th Dec.	8.30 a.m.	(Sr. M. Josephs O.P. RIP)
		10.30 a.m.	(Veronica Burk RIP)
Tuesday	31st Dec.	7.00 p.m.	(Steve Ellis & staff of St. Petroc's)
Wednesday	1st Jan.	12.05 p.m.	<b>Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God - Mass in Latin</b> (Josephine Blamey RIP)
Thursday	2nd Jan.	12.05 p.m.	<b>St. Basil the Great &amp; St. Gregory Nazianzen</b>
Friday	3rd Jan.	10.30 a.m.	(John Shaw - Month Mind)
Saturday	4th Jan.	6.00 p.m.	(Gerald Gallacher RIP)
Sunday	5th Jan.	8.30 a.m.	
		10.30 a.m.	

### SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Saturday 5.15 p.m.- 5.45 p.m.

### ROSARY

Friday 10.00 a.m.

### ORDINARIATE MASS

Sunday 5.30 p.m.



### MASS INTENTIONS

Sat 28th Dec - Ivor Whittington RIP (Lyn Whittington's intention). Sun 29th Dec, 8.30am - Sr. M. Joseph O.P. RIP (Imelda Humphries' intention). Sun 29th Dec, 10.30am - Veronica Burk RIP (Joyce Burk's intention). Tues 31st Dec—Steve Ellis & staff of St. Petroc's (Pat Kotwinski & John Ballard's intention). Wed 1st Jan - Josephine Blamey RIP (Margaret & Robin Nicholls' intention). Fri 3rd Jan—John Shaw RIP (Month Mind Mass). Sat 4th Jan - Gerald Gallacher RIP (Frank Gallacher's intention).

### SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD (MASS IN LATIN)

Fr. Peter will be celebrating a Latin Mass this *Wednesday, New Year's Day at 12.05pm*, in commemoration of the *Solemnity of Mary, Mother of God*. Texts will be provided. This is Mass in Latin according to the New Rite.



### CRIB OFFERING

The Crib Offering this year will, as is customary, go to support the work of the Catholic Children's Society (Plymouth). If you wish to make a donation during the Season of Christmas you may place it in the wooden collection box which will be placed in the Lady Chapel.

### PARISH BREAKFAST

There will be a parish breakfast next *Sunday 5th January* after the 8.30am Mass. All are very welcome.

### KEEP FIT GROUP

Next meeting on *Monday 6th January at 11.00am*. New members are always welcome - a great way to lose some of those extra 'Christmas' pounds!

### JUSTICE AND PEACE GROUP

The first meeting of the New Year will be held on *Wednesday 8th January at 6.00pm* in St. Monica's Room. New members are always most welcome.

### DIOCESAN YEAR BOOK 2014

The 2014 issue of the Diocesan Year book is now available in the Narthex, price £3.25. Please place your money in the wall box in the Porch. Thank you.

### LIVING FAITH

The January - March edition of Living Faith is now available in the Narthex, price 50p. Please place your purchase money in the wall safe in the Porch.

## **SPECIAL MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION AND READERS**

If you have not already collected your new rota for the first three months of 2014, please pick it up from the letter rack in the Porch as soon as possible. Thank you.

## **MAGNIFICAT**

The January edition of Magnificat is now available in the Narthex, price £4.00.

## **GUIDES FOR READERS**

The January to March issue is now available for Ministers of the Word to pick up in the Server's Sacristy. If you are a Reader at the weekend Masses, please help yourself to a copy of this most helpful booklet. It gives a brief and useful overview of the essential message conveyed by the readings and the links between the Old and New Testament passages.

## **CHURCHES TOGETHER IN ST. AUSTELL**

To mark the beginning of Christian Unity Week, St. Augustine's will be hosting the 'Churches Together in St. Austell' annual Service of Thanksgiving on **Sunday 19th January at 7.00pm**. This year Fr. Peter will be leading 'Evening Prayer and Benediction' and the Rev. John Kendall from the Methodist Church has been invited to preach. Please put this date in your diaries and come and support this celebration of our faith with Christians from the other church traditions in St. Austell.

## **THE JOY OF THE GOSPEL**

"The joy of the Gospel fills the hearts and lives of all who encounter Jesus" but how do we communicate that joy to others? Pope Francis has written to us about the challenge to proclaim the Gospel to our neighbours and fellow parishioners. 'Gather 2014', February 7th - 9th at the Toraak Hotel Torquay, is a weekend open to all, to consider the sort of people Pope Francis is challenging us to become - a weekend of inspiring speakers, relaxation and laughter, prayer and devotion, and a few good meals! Book on-line at [www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk/gather2014](http://www.plymouth-diocese.org.uk/gather2014) or pick up a leaflet from the Narthex. Alternatively telephone 01364 645390 for more details. Book before January 4th to save 10%.

## **CHILDREN'S CATECHISM**

Catechism in the New Year begins again on **Wednesday 15th January at 4.30pm**. Many thanks to the children of the Catechism Groups who made such beautiful cards to send to our sick and housebound parishioners this Christmas. They have been greatly appreciated.



## **DEVON AND CORNWALL REFUGEE CENTRE**

The Devon and Cornwall Refugee Centre would like to express their grateful thanks to Fr. Peter and the parishioners of St. Augustine's for all the support they have received during 2013.

## **COLLECTIONS**

*The parish collection total below does not include Standing Orders which average at £338 per week. All cheques should be made payable to 'PRCDTR St. Austell Parish'.*

Parish Collection: £521.99; Candles: £38.57; Coffee: £15.20;

Flowers: £10.56; Donation from Mount Charles School: £50.00.

## **SICK AND HOUSEBOUND**

Please remember in your prayers all those in the parish who are sick or housebound, especially *Pauline Abdey, Joy & Fred Abraham, Sheila Alleyn, Sylvia Austin, Marcella Beer, Paul Chasteauneuf, James Clapp, Mary Coupe, Trevor Crump, Milena Danielli, Mary Dineen, Eileen Drury, Sue Dugmore, Mark Eustice, Helen Gibson, Teresita Hill, Joan Insley, Paul & Cynthia Longthorp, Carmen Matthews, Mary Maguire, Maria Consuelo Martyn, Eve Moore, Ian Parkinson, Valerie Parkinson, Pamela Platt, Edwina Porter-Duncan, Nora Skerry, Jenny Stears, Amanda Stickney, Pat Thompson, Pauline Whitford, Sally Wilson.*



*Fr. Peter & Deacon John would like to express their heartfelt gratitude for all the cards and gifts they have received this Christmas.*

### **Parish Safeguarding Representatives**

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

*(St Augustine of Hippo)*

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