# PARISH OF SAINT AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO

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# SECOND WEEK OF EASTER OF (Year B) Sunday 12th April 2015

## **TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES**

Saturday	11th Apr.	6.00 p.m.	(Eric Coupe RIP)
Sunday	12th Apr.	8.30 a.m.	(The Parish)
		10.30 a.m.	(John Ryan RIP)
Tuesday	14th Apr.		No Mass
Wednesday	15th Apr.	10.30 a.m.	<b>Eucharistic Service</b>
Thursday	16th Apr.		No Mass
Friday	17th Apr.	10.30 a.m.	(Bernard & Anne Markham RIP)
Saturday	18th Apr.	6.00 p.m.	(Tom Alderman RIP)
Sunday	19th Apr.	8.30 a.m.	(The Parish)
		10.30 a.m.	(John Hempleman RIP)

#### 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 11th Apr - Eric Coupe RIP (Mary Coupe's intention). Sun 12th Apr, 10.30am - John Ryan RIP (Sylvia and the Ryan family's intention). Fri 17th Apr - Bernard & Anne Markham RIP (Elaine Holmes' intention). Sat 18th Apr - Tom Alderman RIP (Angela Alderman's intention). Sun 19th Apr, 10.30am John Hempleman RIP (Anne Hempleman's intention).

#### **BAPTISM**

This *Sunday 12th April* during the 10.30am Mass we welcome Poppy-Paige Hayward into the family of the Church through the Sacrament of Baptism. Please pray for her, her parents and her godparents as they make this commitment to Christ and his Church.

#### EASTER BAPTISMAL WATER

At Easter the font is solemnly blessed, providing water for baptism, You may wish to bring a small container to take home some of the blessed water from the font. You can use the holy water to bless your home and family during Eastertide. Say the 'Our Father' together as you sprinkle the family and home, and use a simple form of blessing, for example: "Blessed are you, God our Father, bless our family and home this Eastertide as we celebrate the Resurrection of Jesus, your Son, who lives and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever".

#### **THANKS**

Thank you very much to all who gave their time, skills and energy to making our celebration of the Easter mysteries so memorable. The dedicated preparation and practice that goes on, both visibly and behind the scenes, to enable the Easter Liturgy to lead us into a deep and life changing experience of our Lord's death and Resurrection is much appreciated.

Fr. Peter and Deacon John would like to express their personal gratitude for all the cards and gifts they received this Easter.

## **THANK YOU**

I would like to thank the many kind friends who sent cards and presents to mark my Confirmation and Reception into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil. Special thanks are due to Fr. Peter, the RCIA catechists, Mollie and Beryl and my sponsor, Brian, who all encouraged me on this special journey.

Paul Richards

# **RCIA**

The post Easter series of RCIA sessions begins this week on *Tuesday* 14th April at 2.00pm - please note the slightly earlier time.

#### **WEEKDAY MASSES**

Please note that there will be no Mass this week on Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday. There will be a Eucharistic Service led by Deacon John on *Wednesday 15th April* and Fr. David Mead will be celebrating Mass on *Friday 17th April*.

#### **EASTER MEMORIAL MASS FOR THE DEAD**

**Tuesday 21st April at 7.00pm.** As we celebrate the Resurrection of our Lord, this is an opportunity to share together in prayer and to express our hope in the resurrection of all those dear to us, especially those who have died during the past year. All are warmly invited to join in with this celebration of Easter faith.

#### **CHILDREN'S CATECHISM**

Catechism begins for all groups, including Group 3, on *Wednesday 22nd April at 4.30pm*.

#### 25TH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS

This year marks the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the opening and consecration of our church. Much thought and care was given by the parishioners at the time to the design of the church and parishioners over the years have had to work hard to pay off the debt incurred by its building - a debt which has now been cleared. This 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary is an occasion for the parish to celebrate and a number of events have been arranged: on the evening of 5<sup>th</sup> May at 7.00pm Bishop Mark has kindly agreed to visit the parish and celebrate Mass for us; on Saturday 20th June St. Mewan Sinfonia, Cornwall's only String orchestra, will be giving a concert in the church; and from Thursday 24th September to Sunday 27th September there will be a flower festival in the church, with a concert being given by the Mevagissey Male Choir on Saturday 26th September. Although this year celebrates the opening of the church building, let us pray that as the people of the parish we may continue to use our church for the worthy worship of God in order to be effective witnesses to our faith in the world.

# **ANNUAL PRO-LIFE ROADSIDE PRAYER CHAIN**

Will be held on Morlaix Avenue, Truro, between Trafalgar and Tesco's roundabouts on *Saturday 25th April, 11.00am until 1.00pm*. Please join us even if you can only manage 15mins in this most important witness to the sanctity of human life from conception to natural death.



#### CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

Please take a copy of the Catholic Children's Society newsletter, 'Children First', available in the Narthex. It is full of articles and information about the work of the society and how you can support their work.

#### **DIOCESE OF PLYMOUTH CATECHETICAL CAMPS 2015**

Applications are now being taken for this year's Catechetical Summer Camps, to be held at Grangehurst, Buckfast Abbey. Details of the three camps being run this year are on the notice board in the Porch, application forms are available in the Narthex or on-line from the camp website: <a href="www.pdsummercamps.org.uk">www.pdsummercamps.org.uk</a>. (No child is ever refused a place on camps because of financial constraints. Please speak to Fr. Peter if you require assistance.)

# 'A DAY ON DISCIPLESHIP', Saturday 18th April, 10.30am - 2.00pm at St. Nicholas School, Ringswell Avenue, Exeter EX1 3EG.

Fr. Denis McBride C.Ss.R. & David Wells will be speaking on Jonah, the Reluctant Disciple. This is a story of our time - the only prophet who needed to be called twice. Jonah struggled not only with God but with himself and his fondness for his own reputation. He is stunningly modern, a challenge for our own time. For more details see the poster on the notice board in the Porch.

# **COLLECTIONS - Thank you**

The parish collection total below does not include Standing Orders which average at £350 per week. All cheques should be made payable to 'PRCDTR St. Austell Parish'.

Details available next week.

## **SICK AND HOUSEBOUND**

Please remember in your prayers those in the parish who are sick or housebound, especially Pauline Abdey, Joy & Fred Abraham, Sheila Alleyn, Sylvia Austin, Marcella Beer, Maura Bennett, Pat Carsey, James & Margaret Clapp, Mary Coupe, Milena Danielli, Mary Dineen, Sue Dugmore, Mark Eustice, Helen Gibson, Teresita Hill, Joan Insley, Paul & Cynthia Longthorp, Carmen Matthews, Maria Consuelo Martyn, Pam O'Cock, Ian Parkinson, Valerie Parkinson, Pamela Platt, Edwina Porter-Duncan, Sylvia Ryan, Margaret Sanders, Jenny Stears, Amanda Stickney, Pauline Whitford, & Sally Wilson.

# 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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