## PARISH OF SAINT AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO

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## SIXTH WEEK OF EASTER (Year C)

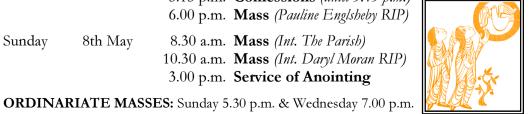
Sunday 1st May 2016

Weekday Readings: Year II. Divine Office: Week 2

#### TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES

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Saturday	30th Apr.	5.15 p.m.	Mass (Latin) Confessions (until 5.45 p.m.) Mass (Int. Audrey Chaffe RIP)
Sunday	1st May		Mass (Int. The Parish) Mass (Int. Nicanor Parra RIP)
Tuesday	3rd May	7.00 p.m.	Mass - St Philip & St James, Apostles
Wednesday	4th May	11.00 a.m.	Mass - The English Martyrs Exposition The Regina Cæli
Thursday	5th May	12 noon 12.05 p.m.	The Regina Cæli Mass
Friday	6th May		The Rosary Mass (Int. Hilary Illsley )
Saturday	7th May	5.00 p.m. 5.15 p.m.	Mass (Latin) 1st Saturday Devotions Confessions (until 5.45 p.m.) Mass (Pauline Englsheby RIP)
Sunday	8th May	10.30 a.m.	Mass (Int. The Parish) Mass (Int. Daryl Moran RIP) Service of Anointing



#### POPE FRANCIS' MAY INTENTIONS

Universal: That in every country of the world, women may be honored and respected and that their essential contribution to society may be highly esteemed

**Evangelisation:** That families, communities, and groups may pray the Holy Rosary for evangelization and peace.

#### **MASS INTENTIONS**

Sat 30th Apr - Audrey Chaffe RIP (Veronica Powell's intention). Sun 1st May, 10.30am - Nicanor Parra RIP (Martha's intention). Fri 6th May - Hilary Illsley (The Cleaning Team's intention). Sat 7th May - Pauline Englisheby RIP (Margaret Sander's intention). Sun 8th May, 10.30am - Daryl Moran RIP (Deacon John & Jenny Sanders' intention).

#### NEW SPECIAL MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Those who have recently offered to serve the Church as Special Ministers of Holy Communion will be commissioned this weekend 30th April/1st May (at whichever Mass you normally attend).

#### PARISH BREAKFAST

There will be a parish breakfast this **Sunday 1st May** after the 8.30am Mass. All are most welcome.

#### **MAY DEVOTIONS**

During the Month of May a lamp will be placed in the Lady Chapel. The lamp will burn throughout the month and donations of £1 towards the cost would be gratefully received. Perhaps you would like to choose a day that has special significance for you, your family or friends when you would like to remember them in this way. Please enter their names next to the appropriate date.

# SERVICE OF ANOINTING - Sunday 8th May at 3.00pm

During Eastertide, when we celebrate the life-giving power of the Risen Lord, it is appropriate that we celebrate the power given to the Church in the Sacrament of Anointing for the Sick. I warmly invite all those who are able, to come to the Service of Anointing next Sunday 8th May, Ascension Day, at 3.00pm. All those who live with incapacitating illness or who, over the years, have gradually become restricted in what they can do, are invited to come to receive the Sacrament of God's healing. All those parishioners, also, who for whatever reason feel the need of the support and strength given by the Sacrament are welcome to be anointed at this service. I would encourage all those who are well to come and support our sick brothers and sisters. The parish Eucharistic Ministers are arranging tea and refreshments afterwards. The parish is grateful for their ministry. Fr. Peter.

## FORMING INTENTIONAL DISCIPLES

Pope Francis is encouraging strong, joyful, spirit-filled parishes who witness to a living relationship with Jesus. With this in mind we will be starting a six week programme here on *Tuesday 10th May at 7.30pm*. As part of a nationwide initiative we will work together in small groups using the book 'Forming Intentional Disciples' by Sherry Weddell. This programme has transformed and deepened the faith of thousands of people and it is hoped that our parishioners will support and take part. If you are interested and have not already done so, please sign your name on the list on the noticeboard in the porch. Some of you have already purchased a copy of Forming Intentional Disciples (price £10). Please can you indicate on the list whether you have a copy or whether you still need to purchase one, so that enough copies can be provided for every parishioner taking part in the course. Thank you.

#### **CONFIRMATION 2017**

For those of minimum age of 12yrs in September 2016 (School Year 8). If you wish to prepare for Confirmation in 2017 would you please let Fr Peter or the Parish Office know as soon as possible so that we have an idea of numbers. Thank you

#### JUSTICE AND PEACE GROUP

Meeting this coming Wednesday 4th May at 6.00pm in St Monica's room.

#### **1ST SATURDAY DEVOTIONS**

Next Saturday 7th May at 5.00pm

### **MUSIC GROUP**

If you enjoy singing and would like to join the small band of singers who faithfully and joyfully support the Church's liturgy at the 10.30am Mass each Sunday, you would be made most welcome. The group meets to practice every Friday evening at 5.30pm. If you are interested, please have word with Fr Peter or feel free to come along on a Friday evening to give it a try. You do not need to be able to read music.

#### **QUIET DAYS FOR 2016**

# 'Meeting ourselves in the parable of the Prodigal Son'

The second in Fr. Christopher's series of Quiet Days exploring the meaning of the Parables will take place in the Violet Evelyn Hall, Southgate, Buckfast Abbey next *Saturday 7th May 2016*, cost per head £15. For more details please see the poster on the notice board in the porch. Application forms are available in the Narthex.

## NATIONAL DAY OF PRAYER FOR THE POLICE - Thursday 5th May

Those serving in the Police force both as officers and staff often face difficult, traumatic challenges throughout their day and are expected to remain strong and

professional at all times. Regardless of faith, many police really appreciate knowing the public has a dedicated day of prayer for them. Police chaplains will be praying at both Exeter and Truro cathedrals and you are most welcome to join them. If you would like a specific prayer guide for the day please contact Sarah Jeffrey: 07720 341614 or sarah.jeffrey@devonandcornwall.pnn.police.uk

# PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS AND YAZIDIS: Where are we now?

Saturday 14th May, 10.00am - 4.00pm at Truro Central Methodist Church
This study day is a rare opportunity to hear first-hand accounts of the privations, threats and atrocities that face Christians in many parts of the world today. The speakers

and atrocities that face Christians in many parts of the world today. The speakers include Baroness Caroline Cox who will speak about the worsening persecution in Sudan, Nigeria and sub-Sahara Africa as well as South East Asia, Wilson Chowdhry of the British Pakistani Christian Association and Jane Bicknell of World Watch Monitor who will talk about the little reported but significant problem of persecution and assassination of Christians by drug barons in Central and Southern Americas. The event is free of charge but donations to cover speakers' expenses will be welcome. Tea and coffee are provided but please bring a packed lunch. For further details please phone: 07854 360067.

#### ST AUSTELL STREET PASTORS

The Annual General Meeting is being held on *Wednesday 18th May at 7.30pm* at the Salvation Army Citadel in Ranelagh Road. All are invited who have an interest in SASP or who wish to know more about Street Pastors, Prayer Pastors or Street Pastor Friends.

#### **COLLECTIONS - Thank you**

The parish collection total below does not include Standing Orders which average at £340 per week. Cheques should be made payable to: PRCDTR St. Austell Parish.

Parish collection: £729.08; Candles: £36.30; Coffee: £11.97; APF: £60.48; Cafod: £5.97; Parish Maintenance Fund: £5.82.

# **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, Maura Bennett, James & Margaret Clapp, Mary Coupe, Milena Danielli, Trevona Delany, Mary Dineen, Sue Dugmore, Mark Eustice, Helen Gibson, Teresita Hill, John Jones, Cynthia Longthorp, Carmen Matthews, Sarah McGivern, Sarah Mitchell, Mary O'Brien, Ian Parkinson, Valerie Parkinson, June Parsons, Pamela Platt, Connie Pope, Edwina Porter-Duncan, Tony Shortall, Jenny Stears, Amanda Stickney, Pauline Whitford, Sally Wilson.

#### **Parish Safeguarding Representatives**

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**Diocesan Safeguarding Office** Tel: 01364 645430 "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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