

# PARISH OF SAINT AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO

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*The parish secretary is usually in the parish office to receive calls on weekday mornings.*

## TWENTY-FOURTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME (Year C)

Sunday 11th September 2016

Weekday Readings: Year II Divine Office: Week 4

### TIMES OF MASSES & SERVICES

Saturday	10th Sep.	9.30 a.m. <b>Mass (Latin)</b> 5.15 p.m. <b>Confessions</b> ( <i>until 5.45 p.m.</i> ) 6.00 p.m. <b>Mass</b> ( <i>Int. The Parish</i> )
Sunday	11th Sept.	8.30 a.m. <b>Mass</b> ( <i>Int. Joan &amp; Ian Brown</i> ) 10.30 a.m. <b>Mass</b> ( <i>Int. John Riche RIP</i> )
Tuesday	13th Sept.	7.00 p.m. <b>Mass - St John Chrysostom</b> ( <i>Int. Lionel Ricketts RIP</i> )
Wednesday	14th Sept.	10.30 a.m. <b>Mass - The Exaltation of the Holy Cross</b> ( <i>Int. Harry Dalton RIP</i> ) 11.00 a.m. <b>Exposition</b> 12 noon <b>The Angelus</b>
Thursday	15th Sept.	<b>No Mass</b>
Friday	16th Sept.	10.00 a.m. <b>The Rosary</b> 10.30 a.m. <b>Mass - St Cornelius</b> ( <i>Int. Tony Crosby RIP</i> )
Saturday	17th Sept.	9.30 a.m. <b>Mass (Latin)</b> 5.15 p.m. <b>Confessions</b> ( <i>until 5.45 p.m.</i> ) 6.00 p.m. <b>Mass</b> ( <i>Int. Florence Poole RIP</i> )
Sunday	18th Sept.	8.30 a.m. <b>Mass</b> ( <i>Int. Nicholas Griffitt RIP</i> ) 10.30 a.m. <b>Mass</b> ( <i>Int. The Parish</i> )

**ORDINARIATE MASSES:** Sunday 5.30 p.m. & Wednesday 7.00 p.m.



### POPE FRANCIS' SEPTEMBER INTENTIONS

**Universal:** That each may contribute to the common good and to the building of a society that places the human person at the centre.

**Evangelisation:** That by participating in the Sacraments and meditating on Scripture, Christians may become more aware of their mission to evangelize.

### MASS INTENTIONS

Sun 11th Sept, 8.30am - Joan & Ian Brown (Pam Murray's intention). 10.30am - John Riche RIP (Sheila Riche's intention). Tues 13th Sept - Lionel Ricketts RIP (Beryl Blackwell's intention). Wed 14th Sept - Harry Dalton RIP (Elaine Holmes' intention). Fri 16th Sept - Tony Crosby RIP (Joyce Crosby's intention). Sat 17th Sept - Florence Poole RIP (Linda Poole's intention). Sun 18th Sept, 8.30am - Nicholas Griffitt RIP (Marie Hawken's intention).

### WEEKDAY MASSES

Please note that this week there is no Mass on Thursday 15th September.

### ST AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO - Feast Day BBQ

Many thanks to all those who worked so hard to organise the barbecue for the Feast Day of St Augustine last Sunday. Although it turned out to be a very Cornish barbecue due to the showers, nonetheless it was a great success and a wonderful parish event. Many thanks, **Fr. Peter**

### THANK YOU FOR MY 'OFFICIAL' BIRTHDAY PRESENT

Back in March, in fact the day before Easter Sunday on Holy Saturday, I celebrated my 50<sup>th</sup> Birthday - a rather quiet celebration given the day, a large part of which I spent in church. So it was a great surprise, that last Sunday I had an 'Official Birthday' on the Feast of St Augustine and was presented with a birthday present from parishioners - a very generous cheque for £850. I had no idea that anything was being arranged, although I had been rather confused as to why a couple of people had wished me a happy birthday that weekend! I obviously don't know as much as I thought I did about what goes on in the parish. One of my predecessors as parish priest here, Fr. Dunstan, has just celebrated his 100<sup>th</sup> birthday, so I have decided that I am still able to consider myself young! I would like to thank parishioners for this very generous gift. It was a wonderful and very generous surprise. **Fr. Peter**

### CHILDREN'S CATECHISM - ENROLEMENT

If your child is Year 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, **10th/11th September** to enable you to enrol your child(ren) for this year's catechism course.

**CATECHISM** will commence for Groups 1 & 2 on **Wednesday 14th September, 4.30pm - 5.30pm**. Parents are very welcome to stay to the opening session. Group 3 will hold its first session on **Wednesday 21st September**.



### **THE CO-WORKERS OF SAINT TERESA OF CALCUTTA, Cornwall**

The Annual Meeting will be held here at St Augustine's this **Tuesday 13th September** from 10.30am until approximately 3.30pm. The speaker is Mr Bob Chaplin who will show video footage of his recent visits to Moldova. His talk will start at 11.00am. Please bring a packed lunch. Everyone is welcome.

### **SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES**

After a number of years serving the parish as one of our Safeguarding representatives, Karen Waters has decided to retire from this vital role. We are very grateful to Karen for her faithful and dedicated service to the parish. It is with pleasure that we welcome Fran Evans as she steps into Karen's shoes and joins Pat Whitehouse as a safeguarding representative. We would like to express our gratitude to both Pat and Fran for being willing to serve the parish in this important way.

### **HOME MISSION SUNDAY - 18th September**

The theme for Home Mission Sunday this year is "Proclaim the joy of love". The good news about Jesus Christ is at the very heart of our faith. On Home Mission Sunday we focus on those who have not heard the good news and those who have forgotten it. We pray that we will be enabled to share our faith more joyfully and confidently, witnessing to the 'joy of love' to others. There will be a retiring collection after all Masses next weekend, **17th/18th September** in support of the work of evangelisation in England and Wales. Please help yourself to one of the prayer cards available in the Narthex.

### **COMPANIONS OF ST MONICA**

The Companions of St Monica invite all parishioners to join them on **Tuesday 27th September at 7.00pm** for an evening of Favourite Hymns, Readings and Organ Meditations, followed by light refreshments in the Narthex. Please come and share an inspiring evening in celebration of some much loved treasures of Christian poetry and music.

### **RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS**

The RCIA sessions will begin again in October. If you, or someone you know, have expressed an interest in the Catholic Church, the RCIA sessions are the means of exploring the Faith in a relaxed and informal manner. Any parishioners wishing to more fully understand aspects of their own Catholic Faith will also be most welcome. There is still time to 'sign up' and enquiries can be addressed to Fr. Peter or to the parish office.

### **APOSTLESHIP OF THE SEA**

The Mass of Our Blessed Virgin Mary (Stella Maris) is on **Thursday 22nd September at 7.00pm**. This year this annual Diocesan will be held at St. Mary's, Falmouth. The Mass takes place on World Maritime Day and two chaplains will be re-commissioned along with several ship visitors. There will be refreshments in the hall after the Mass and everyone is invited.



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

**AGM - Tuesday 13th September at 7.30pm, Mount Charles Methodist Church**

As well as the annual election of officers there will be a very informative presentation on Dementia Awareness. All are welcome.

### **QUIZ NIGHT AT CHARLESTOWN**

The Ordinariate Group are holding a Quiz Night at Charlestown Community Hall on **Saturday 24th September at 7.30pm**. Tickets are priced at £5.50 to include a Pasty Supper. For more information please contact Jackie Foster: 01726 66941, or Judith Pollard: 01726 71921. The proceeds of the evening are in aid of the Cornwall Mission of the Catholic Ordinariate.

### **TORQUAY CELEBRATE WEEKEND - 15th/16th October**

Cuthbert Mayne School, Trumlands Road, Torquay, TQ1 4RN. The theme this year is 'Act justly, love mercy, and walk humbly with your God' (Micah 6:8). There will be a variety of workshops over the two days, organised streams for children and young people, lively worship, sound teaching, family Mass and opportunities for Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Reconciliation. The main speakers are David Payne, Fr Jonathan Stewart and Maria Heath. For more details you may phone Susanne, tel :01803 606256, visit the website: [www.celebrateconference.org](http://www.celebrateconference.org) or email: [torquay@celebrateconference.org](mailto:torquay@celebrateconference.org).

### **COLLECTIONS - Thank you**

*The parish collection total below does not include Standing Orders which average at £321 per week. Cheques should be made payable to: PRCDTR St. Austell Parish.*

Parish collection: £568.50 Candles: £49.63; Flowers: £2.79; Coffee: £8.12; Catholic Children's Society: £10.00; Parish Breakfast £11.00; Cafod: £12.90.

### **SICK AND HOUSEBOUND**

Please remember in your prayers those in the parish who are sick or housebound

### **COGITAMENTA**

"If you cannot find Christ in the beggar at the church door, you will not find Him in the chalice."

"Prayer is the place of refuge for every worry, a foundation for cheerfulness, a source of constant happiness, a protection against sadness."

*St John Chrysostom*

#### **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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