



St Augustine's Catholic Church High Wycombe

6th Sunday of the Year (A)
12 February 2017

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Sunday 12 Feb – 6th Sunday of the Year (A)

9am +Maria & Josef Humberg
11am People of the Parish
12.45pm Baptism of Marika Batog
6pm + William & Mary Waldron

Monday 13 Feb –

9.30am +Peter Martin
8pm Prayer Group

Tuesday 14 Feb – SS Cyril & Methodius,

9.30am +Roger Akram
11am Polish Mass

Wednesday 15 Feb –

9.30am +Philomena Tonna

Thursday 16 Feb –

9.30am +Patrick & Helen Dunleavy

Friday 17 Feb –

9.30am Service of Word & Communion
11am Polish Mass

Saturday 18 Feb –

11am – midday Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
11.30am - midday Reconciliation

Sunday 19 Feb – 5th Sunday of the Year (A)

9am +Edward Kelly
11am People of the Parish
6pm +Shirley Douglas

Hymns 9am & 11am: 348, 113, 400, 386, 391

Fr. Paul Donovan:

Dear Friends,

As you know, Fr. Paul had been unwell since Christmas, his illness was eventually diagnosed as lymphoma and renal cancer and although he had become quite weak and obviously unwell, investigations were being made about an appropriate treatment plan: then unexpectedly early on Wednesday morning Fr. Paul died.

It has been a great shock to all of us. Bishop Peter, Deacons Michael and Brin, Ann and myself had all seen Fr. Paul at different times throughout the day on Tuesday and spent time chatting with him. It is obviously a very sad and difficult time in the Parish so please hold each other in prayer during these days. Fr. Paul's funeral will be here at St. Augustine's, you will find the details below. Eternal rest give unto him O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon him may he rest in peace.

Fr. Francis.



Funeral Details

Reception of the Body

Monday 20th February, 19:30

Funeral Mass

Tuesday 21st February, 11:00

Psalm response

They are happy who follows God's Law

Gospel acclamation

Alleluia! Alleluia!

Speak, Lord, your servant is listening:
you have the message of eternal life

Alleluia!

London Run to the Cardinal Hume Centre This takes place this coming **Wednesday 15 February**. Please bring your contributions to church as usual, and leave them in the garage or Presbytery by 12 noon on that day. We need non-perishable food items - e.g. tinned veg, tinned soup, tinned fish, tinned meat (but not spam please!), cereal bars, dried pasta, rice, coffee, tea bags, etc., and household items such as detergent, washing up liquid, cleaning fluids etc. Also welcomed are toiletries, nappies, and women's sanitary products. We would be most grateful if you can make sure all food items are still within their "use by" date. The Cardinal Hume Centre really appreciate our continued support for their young and vulnerable clients. So thank you.

MRIB Car Park: PLEASE be aware that the MRIB car park is not available to park in as they undergo construction and repair. We will be notified as to when the car park will be in use again.

Please help the **Brownies and Guides** to collect the Sainsbury's Active Kids vouchers that we can exchange for an exciting range of active and cooking equipment, and experiences. There is a box in the porch to put them in before the end of June. Many thanks in advance.

Cafod Supporters' Day 18 Feb. St Josephs, Austenwood Common, Chalfont St Peter, SL9 8RY. 10am-1.30pm followed by shared lunch.

May Fayre Bank Holiday 1 May Yes, it is that time again. All the family favourites will be there with activities for young and old, entertainment and a wide variety of foods on sale. **WE NEED YOU TO HELP** - by volunteering to help man a stall, selling draw tickets, directing car parking or being available to set up or shut down on the day. **WE NEED THINGS TO SELL** - fancy goods, toys & games, teddy bears, cakes, groceries, bottles, DVDs (but no videos), CDs, e-games, books, bric-a-brac, electrical goods. **WE NEED YOUR COMPANY TO HELP** - by donating goods or

services, sponsoring you for helping, matchfunding or placing an advertisement in our brochure. Contact Tony Baron 01494 718537 tony.j.baron@mwhglobal.com ; Susan Faragher 01494 463908 smfaragher@fastmail.fm ; Trina Richards 01494 451654 trinar@btinternet.com

High Wycombe Mission 6th-21st May 2017

Please pray for the success of our mission: that it will be a time of special grace for our parishes of St Augustine and Blessed John Henry Newman and a time for us all to get to know Jesus better and to feel God's amazing love for each of us. The theme will be: *Come just as you are...I have called you by your name.*

Church Flowers: Are there any Florists or Flower Arrangers that would like to join the Church Flower Rota. It involves arranging flowers about six times a year. Please contact Deacon Michael if you are interested.

Counting Rota 10am

Mon. 13 Feb. Eric Lateu, Ester Clarke

Mon. 20 Feb. Brian Murphy, Carmel Ballard

Mon. 27 Feb. Mary & Barry Evans, Lez Lew

New amended Counting Rota in the porch, please check details.

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord ...

Anniversaries: Anne Warwick, Edward Kelly, Patrick Tierney, Robert Langley, Joseph John, Roger Akram, Matthew Mawhood, John Brooke, Dawn Priest, Valija Imbriks.

Last Sunday's Collection £977.53 + Standing Orders of £696



2017

01 Mar - Ash Wednesday

03 Mar - Women's World Day of Prayer 2pm St Teresa's Beaconsfield.

25 Mar - BLAZE Confirmation retreat day

25 May - Confirmation 7pm

6 - 21 May - High Wycombe Mission

18 Jun - First Communion, St Michael's School

25 Jun - First Communion, Saturday classes

05 Sep - 60th anniversary of opening of new

St Augustine's Church