



St Augustine's Catholic Church High Wycombe

Fifteenth Sunday of the Year (A)
16 July 2017

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Sunday 16 July – Fifteenth Sunday of the Year (A)

9am +Fr. Tom Feighan (1st Anniv) &
People of the Parish
11am +Fr. Tom Feighan (1st Anniv)
6pm +Ricardo E. Nicor II (RIP)

Monday 17 July –

9.30am +Foundation Mass-Flynn
8pm Prayer Group

Tuesday 18 July –

9.30am +Stella Fernandes
11am Polish Mass

Wednesday 19 July –

9.30am +Fr. Paul Donovan (Anniv. Of Ordination)

Thursday 20 July –

9.30am +Foundation Mass-Rutledge

Friday 21 July –

09.30am Service of Word & Communion
11am Polish Mass

Saturday 22 July – *St Mary Magdalene, Penitent*

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

Sunday 23 July – Sixteenth Sunday of the Year (A)

9am People of the Parish
11am +Alan Kelly (Anniv)
6pm +Mrs Stella Fernandes
& Christopher D'Souza

Hymns 9am & 11am: 345, 386, 158, 52, Anthem, 388

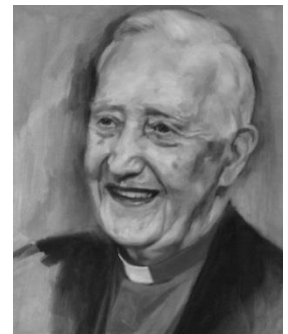
Psalm response

**Some seed fell into rich soil
and produced its crop.**

Gospel acclamation

**Alleluia, alleluia!
Speak, Lord, your servant is listening;
you have the message of eternal life.
Alleluia!**

Today we welcome Fr. Willie, who has come especially from Ireland to say the 9am & 11am Masses to mark the First Anniversary of Fr. Tom's passing on 15th July 2016.



Congratulations to Fr. Michael Bates who was ordained as a priest at St Augustine's Church Daventry yesterday. You will remember that Fr. Michael was with us as a Deacon between October & March, and was very much involved in caring for Mgr. Paul in his illness and in arranging his funeral. We remember him with great fondness and are delighted that he has agreed to come and celebrate our three Masses next Sunday 23rd July, when you will be able to receive the traditional First Blessing from a newly ordained priest. Fr. Michael will also preside at a concelebrated Mass on Wednesday 26th July, 9.30am at the Church of the Immaculate Heart of Mary. (High Street, Great Missenden. All welcome. Please see notice in the porch for more details.

Children's Liturgy Group stops after 16th July for the summer break. We will resume in September.'



Calling all former members of St Augustine's Choir... As part of Parish activities to mark the 60th Anniversary of the opening of St Augustine's (September 1957), Adam and the Choir would love to hear from former members of the Choir. If you used to sing with the Choir or know of anybody who did, please get in touch with us as soon as possible. New members are also welcome to join in September for a special Mass on 29th October. Further details will be made available in due course.

Email: SAMVOX@breathe.com or Call: 0777-907 8269 (24/7)

New Counters required for Sunday Collections.

Please contact the Parish e-mail if you are able to spare an hour or so on Monday mornings after 10am or Tuesdays 10am after Bank Holidays to count the collection.

Post Mission Meeting Sunday 16th July Please note that there will be a post Mission meeting today Sunday 16th July at OLG after the 11 o'clock Mass - i.e. at 12:30. All Parishioners are invited in order to be included in deciding what we take forward within our Parishes following our marvellous Mission in May. Please do come along and have your say.

London Run to the Cardinal Hume Centre

This takes place this coming Wednesday 19 July. Please bring your contributions to church as usual, and leave them in the Presbytery porch or Presbytery itself, 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. **Please note there is no collection in August - we restart in September.**

NORTHAMPTON
development



CATHEDRAL
campaign

Our Cathedral in Northampton is the Mother Church of our Diocese. If you have ever visited it you will be aware of its beauty but also its limitations in not being able to offer hospitality or in accommodating special events and groups. Exciting plans have been developed for the future of the Cathedral and the fundraising campaign is underway. For further information about the project and how you can lend your support, please visit the Cathedral website at <http://northamptoncathedral.org/the-cathedral/cathedral-centre> where you can watch a video presentation about the proposed Cathedral Centre. The Campaign Office is based in Bishop's

House and Angela Madge, the Campaign Administrator, will be happy to hear from you. Angela can be contacted on 01604 712065 or via email: cathedralcampaign@northamptondiocese.com

Caritas Social Action Network is holding a conference in September for members and those working in Catholic social action. This year's theme is 'Mission in an Age of Austerity'. The conference is designed as an informative and encouraging day for staff and volunteers with interactive workshops on staff/volunteer formation, missional communities and ways to connect our faith-based sources to lasting change. As we slowly build towards Pope Benedict's vision for Catholic social action in communion with the local Bishop with a Caritas in every diocese, we are working to support those on this journey. For this reason, diocesan representatives will be able to purchase tickets at the discounted CSAN member rate and we would be delighted if representatives from the Diocese of Northampton could attend, especially for the practical sessions on formation and mission. The conference will be held at **CCLA, 85 Queen Victoria Street, London** on **Friday 29th September, 9.30am-17.00pm**. For those who wish to attend, Mass will be celebrated nearby at 9am. We have confirmed keynote speakers Paul Hackwood (Director, Church Urban Fund) and Baroness Shirley Williams, bringing their own perspective on the challenges and rewards of faith-based social action. For tickets and the agenda, please visit the [Eventbrite page](#).

Young Catholic Adults Weekend 20-22nd Oct 2017

For details please see notice in porch or link below. Bookings to be made before 29th Sept. 2017
<http://www.youngcatholicadults.co.uk/events.htm> or <http://youngcatholicadults-latestnews.blogspot.co.uk/>

Of your mercy... please pray for the repose of the soul of Phil Crook who died recently. Funeral will be on Thursday 27th July 2017 at 1pm.

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord ...

Anniversaries: Edith Lewis, Paddy Maun, Celia Avery, Sharon O'Brien, Billy Bryceland, Kay Whelan.

Counting Rota 10am

Mon. 17 July. Ann Egan, Rose Pylnikow
Mon. 24 July. Tom O'Hara, Mark De Cruz
Mon. 31 July. Eric Lateu, Ester Clarke

Last Sunday's Collection: £871.28 + Standing Orders of £696

Second Collection: for Sea Sunday (AoS) was £536.18 many thanks.



Diary of Events

06 Aug – Feast of the Transfiguration
15 Aug - Assumption of the BVM. Holy Day of Obligation
18-25 Aug Lourdes Pilgrimage
05 Sep - 60th anniversary of opening of new
St Augustine's Church