



St Augustine's Catholic Church High Wycombe

Twentieth Sunday of the Year (C)
18 August 2019

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Morning Prayer: Monday-Saturday
Around 5 minutes before Mass

Sunday 18 Aug - Twentieth Sunday of the Year (C)

9am People of the Parish
11am Michele, Ferdinandina, Domenico
Picciano & Concetta Cristinziano RIP
6pm Agnes D'Souza RIP-Anniv

Monday 19 Aug -

9.30am Zygmunt Chodzko-Zajko RIP

Tuesday 20 Aug - St Bernard, Abbot & Doctor

9.30am Foundation Mass - Rutledge

Wednesday 21 Aug - St Pius X, Pope

9.30am Mass

Thursday 22 Aug - The Queenship of the B.V.M.

9.30am Gladys Ghani RIP-3rd Anniv

Friday 23 Aug - St Rose of Lima, Virgin

9.30am Mass
11am Polish Mass

Saturday 24 Aug - St Bartholomew, Apostle

9.30am Mass

Sunday 25 Aug - Twenty-first Sunday of the Year (C)

9am Maria & Francesco Picciano RIP-Anniv
11am People of the Parish
6pm Stella Fernandez RIP-Anniv

Hymns: 9am & 11am: 53, 169, 626, 112

Psalm response

Lord, come to my aid!

Gospel acclamation

ALLELUIA, ALLELUIA!

Open our heart, O Lord,
to accept the words of your Son.
ALLELUIA!

Acc: 1. We proclaim your Death, O Lord,
and profess your Resurrection
until you come again.

**CONFESSIONS - Saturday 10.15 to
11.00am, or by arrangement or, in case of
need, at any reasonable time.**

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED
SACRAMENT Saturday mornings after
Mass ending with Benediction at around
11.00am.**

CHURCH PARKING ON SUNDAY. There is ample parking for Sunday Masses at M.R.I.B. I.C.W.G. (IMO), Amersham Hill Dental Clinic plus the Old Registry (on a time lock) so please be considerate and do not block the entrance to the Church, the footpath or pavement. This applies mainly to people arriving late for Mass.

ALTAR SERVERS: Second Altar Servers meeting at **2.00pm on Saturday 31 August.**



ALPHA COURSE - There will be another Alpha course running in the Upper Room every **Wednesday from Sept. 11th - Nov.20th, starting at 7pm** with evening meal



provided. There is no charge for the course or meal. Alpha is a video based opportunity to explore life and the Christian faith in a friendly, open and informal environment. Please invite your family members, friends, neighbours and colleagues - everyone is welcome. Alpha will also enrich the faith lives of existing Church-goers. Take invitation cards from the tables. For further info: Email: staugustinesalpha@hotmail.com or tel: HW 442993.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

2020 While our First Communion children's programme will be beginning as usual in the New Year, we are running through the

autumn a series of 'Pre-First Communion' meetings for the parents of the children concerned. **Enrolment meeting Saturday 14 September** 11.30am in the Upper Room. Each meeting should last for around 40 minutes. It is a good thing, but not essential, if both parents can attend these meetings, particularly if both are Catholic. While children do not have to be at these meetings, feel free to bring them along if you need to! The purpose of these meetings will be to help you develop your own faith and to better assist your children as they go through the programme in the New Year. Registration forms on the tables. **Programme to be issued at First Meeting.**

The Knights of St. Columba: Are having a sponsored walk on **Sunday 15 September.** This will be a four mile walk through some of the wonderful AONB countryside near Stokenchurch. We invite anyone to join us, or sponsor us, in which case please fill in one of the forms at the back of the church. Half the money raised will go to **Wycombe Homeless Connection** to help with the very real problem of homelessness in our midst, the other half for other **KSC Charitable Activities.**



CHILDREN'S LITURGY is taking a summer break and will be back on **Sunday 8th September.** Happy holidays to you all! Children's Liturgy Team



TEA & COFFEE: Every Sunday after 11am Mass: will be available in the Upper Room. All are welcome, but please do not block anyone in, in the Car Park. All proceeds will go towards SVP. **Thursday Morning:** in the Presbytery after Mass.



PRAYER GROUP: Meets every Monday (Except Bank Holidays) in the Upper Room at 8pm. Everyone welcome.



FRIENDSHIP GROUP:

Every Wednesday 10.30am - 12.30pm in the Upper room. All most welcome to come and chat and make friends. If you know anyone who would like to join, please spread the word.



TODDLER GROUP

Is taking a summer break. They will return on Thursday 5 September 10.30 - 12noon For more information contact Judith Whelan: judithwhelan@hotmail.co.uk



YOU ARE WARMLY INVITED TO....

FAITH & FRIENDSHIP GROUP: A group for sharing, worship and Bible study. Every Thursday from 7-9pm. Contact Dominic on 07754 051840 for details if interested.

LEGION OF MARY GROUP: Every **Tuesday** at St Augustine's Church, **7.45pm** in the Conservatory of the Presbytery, 24 Amersham Hill. For information contact: Mary Philpott mbpphilpott@outlook.com

SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL (SVP) NOTICES:

MEETINGS: Every First & Third Thursday of the month at 7.45pm in the Upper Room. All welcome.

ONE CAN FOODBANK:

They are very low on...UHT Milk. Low salt Corned Beef & Ham. Tinned meat meals: Chilli, Stews etc. Tinned hot dogs/ meatballs. www.onecantrust.org.uk

EVANGELIUM CONFERENCE 2019

Sharing the Catholic Faith in the Modern World. For young Catholics 18-35 at the Oratory School Reading, RG8 0PJ.

16-18 August. For more information. Visit www.evangelium.co.uk see notice in the porch.



DIVINE ADORATION

Give thanks to the Lord for he is good. His love endures for ever.

Praise and Worship before The Blessed Sacrament with Prayer Ministry

FRIDAY SEPTEMBER 6 at 8pm

Upper Room St. Augustine's Church 24 Amersham Hill, High Wycombe, HP13 6NZ

www.st-augustines-church.org.uk Please join us in inviting the Holy Spirit to bless us with His presence by praying this invocation '***Come, Holy Spirit! Fill the***

hearts of Your faithful and enkindle in them the fire of Your love'.

FULLY ESCORTED PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK SHRINE, IRELAND

07 October 2019. £599.00 pp sharing. Price includes flight with 10kg hand luggage, from Birmingham or Stansted, 4 nights' in Knock House Hotel with full board. All entertainment /guided tours included. WCHR rooms on request. Single room supp £100. Contact Patricia on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email knockpilgrimages@gmail.com Knock Pilgrimages is a member of the Travel Trust Association and is fully protected by ATOL T7613. Notice in the porch.

TOUR OF THE HOLY LAND

Wednesday **22 April - Friday 1 May 2020.**

Cost £1580 per person. Contact: Nabs - 07432152933 or David - 07771542994. Full details leaflet, on the tables.

Of your Mercy.... Please pray for the following: Gladys Jarocka who died on 2 Aug. Her funeral is here on **Friday 30 Aug.** and Margaret Wooster whose funeral is here on **Tuesday 3 September.** Please keep them and their families in your prayers.

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord.

ANNIVERSARIES: Elizabeth Lumby, Anne Murphy, Alice Nicholls, Mary Letsome Moten, James Murphy, Winifred Darby, Daphne Leathers, Jim Rowntree, Dick Widgington, Patrick Paice, Chantelle Smith, Paul Sheridan

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: £828.24 + Standing Orders of £696

COUNTING ROTA 10.30am

Mon. 19 Aug Maria & Peter Perdoni

Tues. 27 Aug Catherine Livesay, Liz Lew

Mon. 02 Sep Eric Lateu, Ester Clarke

USEFUL CATHOLIC WEBSITE is called Spiritual Direction and has all sorts of useful articles suggesting different methods of prayer, how to pray in our busy lives and developing our spiritual life. Go to www.spiritualdirection.com



DIARY OF EVENTS

2019

23-30 Aug - Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes

06 Sep - Divine Adoration 8pm

22 Sep - Harvest Mass

06 Oct - CAFOD (Harvest Fast Day Fri. 4 Oct)

01 Nov - All Saints (Holy Day)

02 Nov - All Souls

10 Nov - Remembrance Sunday-
Requiem for the Fallen (11am)

24 Nov - Our Lord Jesus Christ, Universal King

PRAYER TO ST MICHAEL

Holy Michael, the Archangel

Defend us in the day of battle.

Be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray, and do thou, O prince of the Heavenly Host, by the power of God, thrust down to hell Satan and all the wicked spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls.

Amen.

