



St Augustine's Catholic Church High Wycombe

Twenty-Second Sunday of the Year (C)
01 September 2019

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Morning Prayer: Monday-Saturday Around 5 minutes before Mass

Sunday 01 Sept - Twenty-Second Sunday of the Year (C)

9am Sister Rosalia RIP
11am Elzbieta Truty & Michael Smith RIP
& Family
6pm People of the Parish

Monday 02 Sept -

9.30am Joseph (B'day)
5.30pm Reception of Margaret Wooster's
body into Church

**Tuesday 03 Sept - Pope St Gregory the Great
-Doctor of the Church & Apostle of England**

11am Requiem - Margaret Wooster
6.30pm Mass

Wednesday 04 Sept - St Cuthbert, Bishop

9.30am Owen O'Reilly RIP-Anniv

Thursday 05 Sept -

9.30am Lyn John Pereira RIP-Anniv

Friday 06 Sept -

9.30am Tony McGreevy RIP-Anniv
11am Polish Mass
6.30pm Jojo White

Saturday 07 Sept -

9.30am Cora De Neys RIP-Anniv

Sunday 08 Sept - Twenty-Third Sunday of the Year (C)

Day of Prayer for all involved in Education

9am People of the Parish
11am Maureen Lippiat RIP
6pm Sonny De Neys RIP

Hymns: 9am & 11am: 51, 187, 229, 247, 130

Psalm response

In your goodness, O God,
you prepared a home for the poor .

Gospel acclamation

ALLELUIA, ALLELUIA!
Shoulder my yoke and learn from me,
for I am gentle and humble in heart.
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.**

MESSAGE FROM FATHER DAVID:

A week and a half ago, while I was enjoying many cream teas in

Devon at Buckfast Abbey, the Bishop contacted me to say that I was no longer needed to celebrate Sunday Masses in Luton; however, he then asked if I would be willing to become Parish Priest of Our Lady, Help of Christians, and St Lawrence parish at Olney in North Buckinghamshire, as Canon John Koenig has had to retire.

I will begin serving the parish next weekend (7-8 September). The parish house there has not been lived in for 12 years and will need to be refurbished: so I will remain living here at St Augustine's until towards the end of October.

I have loved being here for a second run and serving with Fr Jonathan and Deacon Brin, and I will be very sad to leave; but I am also happy with the appointment. I want to thank you all for your welcome, support, love and great faith.

Please pray for me as I will continue to do for you.

God bless you all.

Fr David



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.



YOU ARE WARMLY INVITED TO....

FAITH & FRIENDSHIP GROUP: A group for sharing, worship and Bible study. Every Thursday from 7.30-9pm. 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 mbpphillpott@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.

SICK & HOME VISITS: If you know of anyone who is ill or housebound please let Fr. Jonathan (01494 523969) or Viviane Gifford (07748 657729) know, so we can arrange for a visit and to receive Holy Communion if they wish.

ONE CAN FOODBANK:

They are very low on...UHT Milk. Biscuits, Vegetables, Carrots, Green Beans, Mushrooms. www.onecantrust.org.uk

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



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



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.

2ND THURSDAY FAITH AND LIFE SERIES: AT OUR LADY OF GRACE CHURCH.

Thursday 12 September: 7.30pm for 7.50pm start. To start preparing for the canonisation of **Blessed John Henry Newman**, Sarah Priestley will show a video called "Pivotal Players" by Bishop Robert Barron. All welcome - please join us.



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.***

CAFOD Supporters' event: All welcome:

Come and hear about CAFOD's work in Uganda, our Harvest focus country. You will also hear first-hand experiences from our amazing speakers. **Sat 7 Sept** - St Mary's Hall, Aspley Hill, **Woburn Sands** MK17 8NN
Sat 21 Sept - St Teresa's Hall, 40 Warwick Road, **Beaconsfield**, HP9 2PL Both days are from **10:30am – 1.30pm** (coffee/tea from 10:15am with shared lunch from 1:30pm). Please let us know you are coming - 01494 863 777 or northampton@cafod.org.uk.



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**.



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 Margaret Wooster whose funeral is here on **Tuesday 3 September**. Please keep her and her family in your prayers. Her body will be received into the Church on **Monday 2 September at 5.30pm**.

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord.

ANNIVERSARIES: Rita Pusey, Ethel Kew, Marie Wall, Mae Briordy, John Brown, Graham Newman, Julia Perry, Adam Blackwell, Doreen Scrivens, Helen Wright, Ellen Burke, Bridget Stone, Ludwik Chrominski, Terry Davey, Mary Walsh, Mary Ashcroft, John Roberts, Marjorie Smith, Teresa Marianczak, Tony McGreevy, Sally Thompson, John Horner, Elzbieta Truty.

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: £681.29
+ Standing Orders of £696

COUNTING ROTA 10.30am

Mon. 02 Sep Eric Lateu, Ester Clarke
Mon. 09 Sep Mary & Barry Evans
Mon. 16 Sep Brian Murphy, Carmel Ballard

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

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.

