



**St Augustine's Catholic Church
High Wycombe**

The Baptism of the Lord

10 January 2021

Please take the newsletter home with you for reference.

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MASS INTENTIONS

Sunday 10 Jan - *The Baptism of the Lord*

9am People of the Parish
11am Yolanda Minon RIP
6pm Philomena Burkett RIP

Here ends the Season of Christmas

Monday 11 Jan -

9.30am Vera O'Sullivan RIP

Tuesday 12 Jan - *St Aelred of Rievaulx*

9.30am Unborn
6.30pm Mass

Wednesday 13 Jan - *St Hilary, Bishop & Doctor*

9.30am Wendy
6.30pm Mass

Thursday 14 Jan -

09.30am Joseph Family

Friday 15 Jan -

9.30am Thilagan
6.30pm Mass

Saturday 16 Jan -

9.30am Rita

Sunday 17 Jan - *Second Sunday of the Year (B)*

'Peace Sunday'

9am Mass
11am Henry Thornber RIP-Anniv
6pm People of the Parish

Psalm response

**With joy you will draw water
from the wells of salvation**

Gospel acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia!

**John saw Jesus coming towards him,
and said: This is the Lamb of God who
takes away the sin of the world.
Alleluia!**

**Acc: 2. When we eat this Bread and drink
this Cup, we proclaim your Death, O Lord,
until you come again.**

**CONFESSIONS - Please ring to make an
appointment.**

**RETIRING COLLECTION TODAY
For White Flower Appeal.**

MOVEABLE FEASTS OF THE YEAR

<i>Ash Wednesday</i>	<i>17 February</i>
<i>Easter Triduum</i>	<i>1-3 April</i>
<i>Ascension of the Lord</i>	<i>13 May</i>
<i>Pentecost</i>	<i>23 May</i>
<i>Trinity Sunday</i>	<i>30 May</i>
<i>Corpus Christi</i>	<i>6 June</i>
<i>Sacred Heart of Jesus</i>	<i>11 June</i>
<i>Christ the King</i>	<i>21 November</i>

WHITE FLOWER RETIRING COLLECTION

TODAY: The Society for the Protection of unborn children (**SPUC**) is currently campaigning to stop home abortion, which gives women abortion pills to take home without medical supervision. This is one of the most dangerous threats to unborn children and their mothers in decades. Please be as generous as you can. Donate on line at: www.spuc.org.uk/donate

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

2021: Forms need to be returned by the end of **January**. By that time we should have an idea about when the programme should start and finish, and at least provisional dates for the First Communions themselves. Forms can be collected from the church or downloaded from the parish website. **If your child was not baptised at St Augustine's, please attach a copy of their Baptism Certificate.** Parents can expect to be notified in early February of the programme outline.



CELEBRATION OF MASS AND OTHER SERVICES:

Mass at St Augustine's continues at all the usual times. Please check on the Newsletter for weekday Mass times. For Sunday Masses please book in advance either by phone or by e mail. E mails for Sunday Mass requests will not normally receive a reply unless there is a problem with the booking. The church remains open on Saturday afternoons between 3pm and 5pm for private prayer. Usually the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed for the first hour of this time.

CELEBRATION OF BAPTISM: Baptisms are able to go ahead, by arrangement, with 6 people attending. If you have a Baptism arranged, and would like to postpone it, then please let us know.

NEWSLETTER: The Parish Newsletter may be picked up by those attending Sunday Mass in paper form, or it can be found on the Parish website.

ST AUGUSTINE'S PSALM PROJECT: This continues on our you tube channel on Tuesdays and Fridays. These short talks are broadcast live at 11.00am and remain posted.

WELCOMERS/CLEANERS: Thanks are due to all those who help in this work. But we can always use more people who are not themselves in an 'at risk' category, to help with registering people as they check in for Sunday Mass, and to clean the seats after Mass. **If you can help, please e mail or telephone, because if you tell me after Mass I will likely forget which of those I was talking with have volunteered!**

To support the faithful during the pandemic, The **CTS New Sunday Missal 2021** is now £1.99 to order. Please go to: ctsbooks.org

DIOCESE: Diocesan e-Newsletter. Subscribe to the e-Newsletter of our Diocese. Visit the diocesan website: <https://northamptondiocese.org/> on the Home Page scroll down to the application form for our Diocesan e-Newsletter.

ONLINE DIOCESAN COMMUNICATIONS can be found as follows:

Instagram: [dioceseofNorthampton](https://www.instagram.com/dioceseofnorthampton/)
Facebook: RC Diocese of Northampton
Twitter: @RCNorthampton
YouTube: Northampton Diocese

ST THOMAS CENTRE AT NORTHAMPTON

CATHEDRAL: The building is now complete.

To see a virtual walkthrough by the Dean of Northampton Cathedral, Fr. Mark Floody please go to:

<https://northamptondiocese.org/centre/>

THE HIGH WYCOMBE SOCIETY OF ST VINCENT DE PAUL – SVP

St Wulstan's SVP group has been merged with St Augustine's and will be known as: **High Wycombe SVP**. It has been a difficult year for us all but even more so for the beneficiaries the SVP support. **If you would like to make a donation to help the SVP with their ongoing local support to those lonely & in Need, please mark an envelope SVP and hand into the Parish or pay directly into our local SVP Bank Sort Code 60-60-04, Account 46089616**

COMPANIONS IN CHRIST: Zoom Meetings on **Tuesday's** All welcome. 7.30pm doors open, 7.45pm start, 9pm finish. Although there is no obligation to attend **every** week and you can just drop in on a Tuesday evening if you feel like it. Please email Sarah Priestley mrs_s_priestley@hotmail.com or Catri Plummer c.plummer@ntlworld.com for the Zoom details if you would like to attend.

TOUR OF THE HOLY LAND

Wednesday **10 March - Friday 19 March 2021**. Cost £1845 per person. Led by David & Nabs Camp. For full details go to: www.christian-travel.com and enter the date of the tour.

Eternal rest grant to them, O Lord..

ANNIVERSARIES: Teresa Newell, Donal Kennedy, Yvonne Zahl, John Fitzgerald, Michele Fazzone, Bill Gilbert, Clare Fenner, Michelangelo Sepede, David Heaton, Donato Basile, Timothy Fitzgerald, Leonard Airs, Anna Albanese, Anna Garofalo, Margaret Page, Antonio Mucci, Bridget Murray.

**LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: £518.20
+ Standing Orders of £696**

DIARY OF EVENTS

2021

19 Jan - St. Wulstan

02 Feb - Candlemas. The Presentation of the Lord

17 Feb - Ash Wednesday

Useful Websites:

<https://northamptondiocese.org>

<http://www.catholicreadings.org>

<http://www.heavensroadfm.com>

<http://www.walsingham.org.uk>

<https://www.cbcew.org.uk>

<https://northamptondiocese.org/donate/>

<http://cafod.org.uk/coronavirus>

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.

