

***SAINT AUGUSTINE  
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**Fr Dominic Kavanagh - Father Andrew McCann and Deacon Kevin O'Connor**

**SOLEMNITY of the ASSUMPTION of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY 16th August 2015**

**Dear Parishioners,**

'The Almighty has done great things for me. The resurrection of Christ is the guarantee that in Him God has given us the power to conquer sin and death. Our Lady is assumed into glory through the power of her Son and we pray that one day like her the fulfillment of glory will be ours. We are all destined for heaven where Mary is now with her glorified Son. Her assumption gives glory to God the Father who has done great things for her.' (Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

Please pray for baby Wyatt Matthew Young who is to be baptized into the family of the Church this Sunday afternoon.

The second of August's Baptismal Preparation evenings will take place on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> August at 8pm in the Presbytery. All are welcome.

We offer our prayerful congratulations to Emma Jones and Andrew Lennon who will have celebrated their marriage this Saturday, August 15<sup>th</sup>. Please pray for Gemma Fox and Gerald Dunne who are to be married at St Mary's, Ballybrack, Co. Donegal on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August ; and Jason Walton and Katherine Hughes who are to be married at Saint Augustine's on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> August at 2.15pm. This Monday, August 17<sup>th</sup>, we will be undertaking some repairs to the roof of the Church and to the patio area outside the original flat. Please pray for those who will be undertaking this work. The Son of one of our Parishioners, Mark O'Sullivan is undertaking a sponsored Bike Ride from Lands End to John O'Groats. He is doing it for SCOPE, a charity that helps individuals with mental disabilities. If you are willing to sponsor him please go on line to [www.justgiving.com/mark-o-sullivan6](http://www.justgiving.com/mark-o-sullivan6) or hand in to the Presbytery.

Nourish a project run by Solihull Churches will provide a free hot meal for the homeless and needy every Friday evening between 7pm-8pm, at Christ Church 741 Warwick Road, Solihull B91 3DG Please keep this in mind if you come across someone who would benefit from it.

Father Michael Stack, who for many years has been a Hospital Chaplain, has written about some of the people to whom he has ministered. These reflections are produced in a book entitled '**Lord, when did we see you sick?**' It is available in the piety, price £5.00.

Father Dominic will be taking his Summer Holiday until 26<sup>th</sup> August. Please note that there will not be a 9am Mass on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> August. Neither will there be a 10am Mass on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> August as there is a Requiem Mass for Mr Michael Hulse on Friday at 11.30am

<p><b>Saturday 15th August</b> <b>Feria in Ordinary Time</b></p> <p>The Most Rev Bernard Longley</p>	<p><b>Joshua 24:14-29      Matthew 19:13-15</b>  <b>9.00am</b> Margaret Kelly-Get Well  <b>Apocalypse 11:19,12:1-6,10</b>  <b>1 Corinthians 15:45-51      Luke 1:39-56</b>  <b>12.30pm</b> Eileen Naughton-RIP</p>	<p><b>Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon</b>  <b>Tea/Coffee after 12.30pm Mass</b></p>
<p><b>Sunday 16th August</b> <b>SOLEMNITY OF THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY</b></p> <p>Father Bogdan Lukuc</p>	<p><b>Apocalypse 11:19,12:1-6,10</b>  <b>1 Corinthians 15:45-51      Luke 1:39-56</b></p> <p><b>9.00am</b> John Doyle-RIP</p> <p><b>11.00am</b> Irene Lobo-RIP</p>	<p><b>Tea/Coffee available after both 9.00am and 11.00am Masses</b></p>
<p><b>Monday 17th August</b> <b>Feria in Ordinary Time</b></p> <p>Father James Lutwama</p>	<p><b>Judges 2:11-19      Matthew 19:16-22</b>  <b>9.35am</b> The Rosary  <b>10.00am</b> Philomena Kelly-RIP</p>	
<p><b>Tuesday 18th August</b> <b>Feria in Ordinary Time</b></p> <p>Father Adrian MacNamara</p>	<p><b>Judges 6:11-24      Matthew 19:23-30</b>  <b>9.35am</b> The Rosary  <b>10.00am</b> Emily Robinson-RIP</p>	<p><b>Legion of Mary 6.30</b></p>
<p><b>Wednesday 19th August</b> <b>Feria in Ordinary Time</b> <b>St John Eudes</b></p> <p>Father Peter Madden</p>	<p><b>Judges 9:6-15      Matthew 20:1-16</b>  <b>9.35am</b> The Rosary  <b>10.00am</b> Franc Kelly- 65<sup>th</sup> Birthday</p>	
<p><b>Thursday 20th August</b> <b>St Bernard</b></p> <p>Father Bernard Maddox</p>	<p><b>Joshua 11:29-39      Matthew 22:1-14</b>  <b>9.35am</b> The Rosary  <b>10.00am</b> Bernard Naylor-RIP  <b>12.30pm</b> Tony Clark-RIP</p>	<p><b>No Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 10.00am Mass</b></p> <p><b>8pm Baptismal Preparation-in Presbytery</b></p>
<p><b>Friday 21st August</b> <b>St Pius X</b></p> <p>Father Anton Madej</p>	<p><b>Ruth 1:1,3-6,14-16,22      Matthew 22:34-40</b>  <b>11.30am</b> Requiem Michael Hulse-RIP</p> <p><b>6.30pm</b> Theresa Naylor-Birthday</p>	<p><b>No Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 10.00am Mass</b></p> <p><b>Holy Hour 5.15pm-6.15pm followed by Mass at 6.30pm</b></p>
<p><b>Saturday 22nd August</b> <b>Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary</b></p> <p>Father Gabriel Maguire</p>	<p><b>Ruth 2:1-3,8-11,4:13-17      Matthew 23:1-12</b>  <b>9.00am</b> No Mass  <b>Joshua 24:1-2,15-18      Ephesians 5:21-32</b>  <b>John 6:60-69</b>  <b>12.30pm</b> Jim Keogh-RIP</p>	<p><b>Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon</b>  <b>Tea/Coffee available after 12.30pm Mass</b></p>
<p><b>Sunday 23rd August</b> <b>Twenty First Sunday in Ordinary Time</b></p> <p>Father Christopher Marshall</p>	<p><b>Joshua 24:1-2,15-18      Ephesians 5:21-32</b>  <b>John 6:60-69</b></p> <p><b>9.00am</b> Gerard Wheeler-RIP</p> <p><b>11.00am</b> Matthew Daniel-RIP</p>	<p><b>Tea/Coffee available after both 9.00am and 11.00am Masses</b></p>

**Offertory Collection last week :£1,132:81(Gift Aid 363.00 Loose £769:81)**

**ANNUAL HARVINGTON PILGRIMAGE-** Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> September 2015. For details please see poster in main porch.

**BILL TO LEGALISE ASSISTED SUICIDE-** This Bill will be debated in the House of Commons on 11<sup>th</sup> September 2015. This private members Bill, introduced by Rob Marris MP, will have a free vote and it is important that people make their views known to their own MP ahead of this extremely important debate. Two excellent resources are: [www.catholicnews.org.uk/assistedsuicide](http://www.catholicnews.org.uk/assistedsuicide) and [www.bioethics.org.uk](http://www.bioethics.org.uk) There are postcards available to use.

**ROSARY RALLY-GRACE DIEU-** Annual Service to honour Our Lady o Mount Carmel. Holy Mass 3pm; Procession; Benediction; Blessing of the Sick. Refreshments. Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> August 2015. Coach from St Augustine's 12.1pm; St Thomas More's 12.35pm; St Michael's Moor Street 12.55pm. Approximate cost £10. Children £5.00. Please sign Coach List in porch if you wish to go. All are welcome.

**Catholic family history society-** Annual Conference and AGM Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2015 Carrs Lane Conference Centre Birmingham B4 7SX Details: [www.catholic-history.org.uk/cfhs](http://www.catholic-history.org.uk/cfhs) Also see poster in porch.

**BLESSED HUMPHREY MIDDLEMORE SCHOOL REUNION-** Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2015. The Harborne Village Social Club Serpentine Road, Harborne B17 9RD. No tickets needed just turn up. Bar and DJ available. All School Years very welcome.

**Readers this week**

**Sunday**

**9.00am** Michael Keating  
*Anthony Killeen*

**11.00am** Mary Clark  
*Maria Marsay*

***Next week's rota in italics.***

**Eucharistic Ministers this week**

**Sunday**

**9.00am** Caroline McGonigle & Ken Bolton  
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**11.00am** Eilish Duffy  
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**Cleaning Rota: for week beginning August 17th Services August 22nd/23rd-G  
Tracey Dunleavy, Paula Bren, Dasan & Tessie Nettikkadan  
Flower Rota for week beginning August 17th Services August 22nd/23rd – Chris Docker**

**Please remember in your prayers the sick of the Parish**

Jayne Hemming  
Peter Griffin  
Irene Sutton  
Katie Kelly  
Felicite Dormer  
Christopher Browne  
Ann Marie Boyd  
Maureen McLoughlin  
Angela D'Arcy  
Baby Lily Day  
Andrew Simpson  
Bernadette Day  
Ray Nicholson  
Megan Jean Zarebski

Brian Jones  
Clare Farmer  
Kathleen McLoughlin  
Agnes Carroll  
Mick Green  
Kate McAvinney  
Kathy Stead  
Louisa and Nick  
Joseph Farmer  
Aidan, Michael and Patrick O'Donnell  
John Keaney  
Norman Hart  
Michael Cassidy  
Susanna Gordon

Anne White  
Gary Phipps  
Eileen Phipps  
Patricia Jones  
Rose Walsh  
Sarah Maloney  
Amando Tenorio  
Chris Lawton  
Peggy Roper  
Xiu Ping Chen  
Sally & Maddy  
Glen Hughes  
Doreen Shirley  
Kim Poole

Joseph Lockington  
James Farmer  
Martha Sheridan  
Eilish Duffy  
Janet Dodman  
John Balder  
Heath Balder  
Margaret Kelly  
Therese Coulton  
Gerald Anthony Cole  
Raymond Shenstone  
Cornelius Callanan  
Finbarr Herron  
Martin & Rita McDonnell

The  
Assumption  
of the  
Blessed  
Virgin Mary  
15th August



All powerful and ever-living God,  
you raised the sinless Virgin Mary, Mother of Your Son,  
body and soul to the glory of heaven.  
May we ever look towards heaven as our final home  
and come to share her glory.  
We ask this through our Lord Jesus Christ Your Son,  
who lives and reigns with You and the Holy Spirit,  
one God forever. Amen

Mary, Queen of every heart, accept all that I am  
and bind me to you with the bonds of love, that I  
may be yours forever, and may be able to say in all truth:  
'I belong to Jesus through Mary.'

**Please pray for:** Michael Hulse, (Requiem Friday 21<sup>st</sup> August 11.30am) Maureen Easton, John McGrory, who all died recently. Also Peter Gertner, Georgina Herraty, Joseph Patton, Ann McVeigh, Freda Bragg, William(Bill) Whitehouse, Paddy Mullackey, Lillian Dowson and James Hart whose anniversaries are at this time.

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