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TWENTY SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 27th September 2015 YEAR B

Dear Parishioners,

'Anyone who is not against Christ is for Him. We are often exclusive in believing that Christ acts through us alone. There are many good people through whom the Spirit works even though they do not call themselves Christians. This should be an encouragement to us to live out our Christian lives to the full.' (Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

We welcome Bishop David McGough, to the 12.30pm Mass this Saturday. Bishop David will be speaking at our half-day's Retreat along with the Reverend Mark Fisher from Solihull U.R.C., Sister Angela, and other invited guests. Do please pray for God's Blessings on all who participate. The Baptismal Preparation Evenings for October will take place on Thursday 8th October and Thursday 15th October at 8pm in the Presbytery. All are welcome.

Please come along to a Mass of Thanksgiving for Father Frank Smith on Friday October 9th at 6.30pm. It will be an opportunity to thank Father Frank for his contribution to the life of Saint Augustine's Parish; and to offer him our prayerful support in his ministry at Blessed Robert Grissold. We hope to make a Presentation to Father Frank and there are envelopes available in both porches for this purpose. Also there is a list in the main porch for you to sign if you are able to provide refreshments.

The Knights of St Columba are holding a Rosary Crusade here at St Augustine's on Wednesday 7th October at 7.30pm. All are welcome.

Would any of our young Parishioners, not attending a Catholic School, and who wish to be prepared for the Sacraments of First Holy Communion or Confirmation please give their names to Father Andrew, Deacon Kevin or Father Dominic.

Your presence would be greatly appreciated during the period of Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament this Saturday evening, September 26th, between the hours of 8.00pm-10.00pm. The event is called 'Night Fever' and members of the Legion will be inviting young people to come in to Church and to pray before the Blessed Sacrament.

Please pray for our young Parishioners who will be enrolled as Candidates for Confirmation during the 9.00am Mass on Sunday 11th October. The Monday morning 'Journeying Together in Faith' Meetings continue on Monday mornings at 10.45am in the Presbytery.

<p>Saturday 26th September Feria in Ordinary Time Ss Cosmos & Damian Father Robert T Murphy</p>	<p>Zechariah 2:5-9,14-15 Luke 9:43-45 9.00am Ann Hammond-RIP Numbers 11:25-29 James 5:1-6 Mark 9:38-43,45,47-48 12.30pm Hubert Lunham-RIP</p>	<p>Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon Tea/Coffee after 12.30pm Mass</p>
<p>Sunday 27th September TWENTY SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME Mgr Robert D Murphy</p>	<p>Numbers 11:25-29 James 5:1-6 Mark 9:38-43,45,47-48 9.00am Toby John David-RIP 11.00am Ellen Shinton-RIP</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee available after both 9.00am and 11.00am Masses</p>
<p>Monday 28th September Feria in Ordinary Time St Wenceslaus/ Ss Lawrence Ruiz & Companions Father Agnellus Murphy</p>	<p>Zachariah 8:1-8 Luke 9:46-50 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Jack Bevan-Get Well</p>	<p>Pre-School 9.00am-12.45pm 'Journeying Together in Faith' 10.45am in Presbytery</p>
<p>Tuesday 29th September FEAST of SS Michael, Gabriel and Raphael Father Gerard Murray</p>	<p>Daniel 7:9-10,13-14 OR Apocalypse 12:7-12 John 1:47-51 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Eunice O'Connor-Intention</p>	<p>Pre-School 9.00am-12.45pm Legion of Mary 6.30pm YOUTH CLUB 7.00pm</p>
<p>Wednesday 30th September St Jerome Father Salvatore Musella</p>	<p>Nehemiah 2:1-8 Luke 9:57-62 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Anna O'Donnell-RIP</p>	<p>Moms & Toddlers' Group 9.30am-11.15am Rainbows 4.30pm-5.50pm Brownies 5.45pm-7.30pm</p>
<p>Thursday 1st October St Therese of the Child Jesus Patron Saint of France and the Missions Father Joseph Narikuzhi</p>	<p>Nehemiah 8:1-12 Luke 10:12 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Bernard Adkins-RIP 12.30pm All People of the Parish</p>	<p>Pre-School 9.00am-12.45pm Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 10.00am Mass Until 12.30pm</p>
<p>Friday 2nd October Guardian Angels CAFOD HARVEST FAST DAY Father Eugene Nee</p>	<p>Baruch 1:15-22 Matthew 18:1-5, 10 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Thomas Smyth Deacon Kevin O'Connor-Thanksgiving 6.30pm Michael Caffery-RIP LATIN MASS Anointing of the Sick</p>	<p>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 10.00am Mass Until 12.30pm Holy Hour 5.15pm-6.15pm followed by Mass at 6.30pm</p>
<p>Saturday 3rd October Feria in Ordinary Time Saint Thomas Cantilupe Father Philip Newbold</p>	<p>Baruch 4:5-12,27-29 Luke 10:17-24 9.00am Greta Naylor-RIP (Wedding Anniversary) Genesis 2:18-24 Hebrews 2:9-11 Mark 10:2-16 12.30pm Gopal Chakrabarti-RIP</p>	<p>Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon Tea/Coffee available after 12.30pm Mass</p>
<p>Sunday 4th October Twenty Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time Father David Newell</p>	<p>Genesis 2:18-24 Hebrews 2:9-11 Mark 10:2-16 9.00am Margaret Thompson-poorly 11.00am Kate & Philip Howes-40th Wedding Anniversary</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee available after both 9.00am and 11.00am Masses</p>

Offertory Collection last week :£954:17 (Gift Aid £246 Loose £708:17)

Voluntary Second Collection last Sunday: Home Missions-£605:82

Second Collection today: Father Hudson's Care

Second Collection next Sunday: CAFOD Harvest Fast

CAFOD HARVEST FAST DAY- Friday 2nd October. Gift Aid envelopes and prayer cards available.

We currently have a **Class Teacher with RE TLR (extra teaching and learning responsibilities in RE)** vacancy at St Andrew's Catholic Primary School, Windrush Close, Solihull. See poster in porch for details

CONFERENCE 'CATHOLIC CHURCH AND THE FIRST WORLD WAR' - St Mary's College Oscott Details on Oscott College website: www.oscott.net or telephone M.Wilson 0121 321 5026. Also see poster in porch.

JOB VACANCIES- There are a number of job vacancies: Harvington Hall, and MaryVale. Please see posters in porch for details. **Also, a vacancy at The Diocesan Education Service, who are seeking to recruit a Primary Advisor for RE and Catholic Life. Details: www.bdes.org.uk**

40 DAYS FOR LIFE SEPTEMBER 23rd - NOVEMBER 1st. Join the worldwide movement to protect mothers and babies. Peaceful prayer vigil outside Marie Stopes abortion clinic, 4 Arthur Road, Edgbaston B15 2UL 8am-8pm every day. For information see poster in porch or contact Isabel: 07773501721 Or 40daysforlife.bham@gmail.com **ALSO 40DAYS FOR LIFE KICK OFF EVENT 20th September Birmingham Oratory Upper Cloister Room 2.30pm.** Speaker Sr Seraphim. See poster in porch for details.

ALTAR SERVERS- Saturday 26th September 2015, there will be a training session for altar servers at 9.30am. New altar servers are particularly encouraged to attend.

ST MARY'S COLLEGE OSCOTT; Garland for Our Lady an evening of Music and meditation performed by ST George's Worcester Ladies Choir. Saturday 3rd October 2015. 7.30pm Admission free with a retiring collection. See poster in porch for details

Readers this week	Eucharistic Ministers this week
Sunday	Sunday
9.00am Madeleine Coburn <i>Teresa Cund</i>	9.00am Don & Mary Deneny Don & Mary Deneny
11.00am Maria Marsay <i>Marie Watts</i>	11.00am Annette Kelly Annette Kelly
<i>Next week's rota in italics.</i>	
Cleaning Rota: for week beginning September 28th Services October 3rd/4th- F Mary Congdon, Geraldine Saunders, Philip Saunders, Bob Ashman	
Flower Rota for week beginning September 28th Services October 3rd/4th- Joy Walker/Charlotte Poole	

Please remember in your prayers the sick of the Parish

Jayne Hemming	Brian Jones	Anne White	Joseph Lockington
Peter Griffin	Clare Farmer	Gary Phipps	James Farmer
Irene Sutton	Kathleen McLoughlin	Eileen Phipps	Martha Sheridan
Katie Kelly	Agnes Carroll	Patricia Jones	Eilish Duffy
Felicite Dormer	Mick Green	Rose Walsh	Janet Dodman
Christopher Browne	Kate McAvinney	Sarah Maloney	John Balder
Ann Marie Boyd	Kathy Stead	Amando Tenorio	Heath Balder
Maureen McLoughlin	Louisa and Nick	Chris Lawton	Margaret Kelly
Angela D'Arcy	Joseph Farmer	Peggy Roper	Therese Coulton
Baby Lily Day	Aidan, Michael and Patrick O'Donnell	Xiu Ping Chen	
Andrew Simpson	John Keane	Sally & Maddy	Raymond Shenstone
Bernadette Day	Norman Hart	Glen Hughes	Cornelius Callanan
Ray Nicholson	Michael Cassidy	Doreen Shirley	Finbarr Herron
Megan Jean Zarebski	Susanna Gordon	Kim Poole	Martin & Rita McDonnell

CAFOD FAST DAY PRAYER

Lord, all good things come from you.

You are so loving and generous,

You fill our world with wonders.

Inspire us to open our hearts and share your

Gifts, so that those who are hungry may flourish.

Through your grace, we pray all may celebrate fullness of life.

Help us to be more compassionate, to be aware of your love

In each person, and to live as children of one family. We

Ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Mary Mother of God pray for us.



Archangels, Ss Michael, Gabriel and Raphael Tuesday 29th September

Please pray for: Mary Toher who died recently. Also Joseph (Joe) Stock, Ellen Sanderson, Anna O'Donnell, Robert Haley, and Michael Jerome Callaghan whose anniversaries are at this time.

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