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TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C 28th August 2016

**Dear Parishioners,
'Behave humbly.'**

God's blessing comes to those who behave humbly. Jesus warns us against seeking honour from among men. We are to be humble like Him if we are to find favour with God. Jesus our leader will bring us to the heavenly Jerusalem, the city of the living God, only if we follow Him humbly.' (Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

Please pray for Ava Hancox and Rocco Peter Olds who are to be baptised into the family of the Church this weekend. The Baptismal Preparation evenings for September will take place on Thursday 1st and Thursday 8th September at 8pm in the Presbytery. All are welcome.

Please remember in your prayers Jennifer Smabel and David Caunt who are to be married here at St Augustine's on Friday 9th September at 1.30pm.

A Mass of Thanksgiving for the Canonisation of Mother Teresa of Calcutta will take place at St Chad's Cathedral on Tuesday 6th September at 7pm. The Mass will be celebrated by the Archbishop. **We are arranging a Barbecue in** the Presbytery gardens on Saturday August 27th from 1.30pm onwards. It will be to raise funds to help the children of Chernobyl. One of our Parish families has acted as a host for two young boys from Chernobyl.

We are arranging an outing to Oscott College on Sunday 18th September. Coach list available in front porch if you would like to join this visit. The afternoon starts with tea in the College refectory, after tea, guided tours of the College will begin with an opportunity to meet students and to explore the College museum and chapel. The visit will conclude with Evening Prayers in the chapel with the College community at 6.30pm until 7.15pm.

We have arranged a further Meeting to reflect on the ongoing theme of Evangelisation. It will take place on Tuesday 13th September at 7.30pm in the Parish Hall. Please do keep in your prayers how we may best continue to share the Good News with our neighbour, especially those on the fringes of society. Mr Paul Northam, the Diocesan Evangelisation Field Worker, will be leading the Meeting. **The next occasions when we will hold 'Night Fever'** will be Saturday 17th September between 8pm-10pm. Do please come along to support this event.

A neighbouring Church has had an incident of purses/bags being stolen during Holy Communion. Please be aware of your possessions when you are in Church.

<p>27th August Saturday St Monica</p>	<p>1 Corinthians 1:26-31 Matthew 25:14-30 9.00am Mary Clearken-Birthday</p> <p>Ecclesiasticus 3:17-20,28-29 Hebrews 12:18-19,22-24 Luke 14:1,7-14 12.30pm Tony McCabe-Poorly Simon Worthington-RIP</p>	<p>Confession/Exposition 11.00-12.00 Noon</p> <p>Barbecue-Presbytery Garden 1.30pm</p>
<p>28th August TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</p>	<p>Ecclesiasticus 3:17-20,28-29 Hebrews 12:18-19,22-24 Luke 14:1,7-14</p> <p>9.00am All People of the Parish</p> <p>11.00am Frances & Tom Cassidy 40th Wedding Anniversary</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee available after 9.00am and 11.00am Masses</p>
<p>29th August Monday Beheading of St John the Baptist</p>	<p>1 Corinthians 2:1-5 Mark 6:17-29 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Patrick Ward-RIP, Leon Byron-RIP & Philip Ward-RIP</p>	
<p>30th August Tuesday Ss Margaret Clitherow, Anne Line and Margaret Ward</p>	<p>1 Corinthians 2:10-16 Luke 4:31-37 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Ernest Titchmarsh-RIP Joy Mills-Intention</p>	<p>Legion of Mary 6.30pm</p>
<p>31st August Wednesday Feria in Ordinary Time St Aidan & the Saints of Lindisfarne</p>	<p>Apocalypse 21:9-14 John 1:45-51 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Trudie Brookes-Intention Dean-Poorly</p>	
<p>1st September Thursday Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>1 Corinthians 3:18-23 Luke 5:1-11 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Gerald Anthony Cole-RIP 12.30pm Mary Powell-recovery</p>	<p>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 10.00am Mass Until 12.30pm 8.00pm Baptismal Preparation Evening. Presbytery 8.00pm</p>
<p>2nd September Friday Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>1 Corinthians 4:1-5 Luke 5:33-39 9.35am The Rosary 10.00am Bridget Larkin-90th Birthday</p> <p>6.30pm Patrick Francis McBrien-Poorly With Anointing of the Sick</p>	<p>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after 10am Mass Until 12.30pm</p> <p>Holy Hour 5.15pm-6.15pm Followed by Mass at 6.30pm</p>
<p>3rd September Saturday FEAST St Gregory the Great</p>	<p>1 Thessalonians 2:2-8 Matthew 16:13-19 9.00am Mary Martin-Poorly Wisdom 9:13-18 Philemon 9-10,12-17 Luke 14:25-33 12.30pm William Jack Woodhurst-RIP Philomena Jordan-RIP</p>	<p>Confession/Exposition 11.00- 12.00 Noon First Saturday Fatima Devotion 11.30am Tea/Coffee available after 12.30pm Mass</p>
<p>4th September Twenty Third Sunday in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>Wisdom 9:13-18 Philemon 9-10,12-17 Luke 14:25-33</p> <p>9.00am All People of the Parish</p> <p>11.00am John Farrelly-RIP</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee available after both 9.00am and 11.00am Masses</p>

Offertory Collection last week: £691:66 (Gift Aid £169 Loose £522:66)

Collection last Weekend: Society of African Missions (SMA)-£1,257:92

NEW ROTAS –READERS, CLEANERS FLOWERS, MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION-Now available on notice boards. Please check you availability to serve. Thank you

LATIN MASS- No Latin Mass until 7th October

DIVINE MERCY PILGRIMAGE to the Shrine of Our Lady of Mt Carmel, AYLESFORD, Bank Holiday - 29th August 2016, 10.00 am - 4.00 pm. Main Celebrant Bishop Pat Lynch, Auxiliary Bishop of Southwark, pilgrimage is led by Marian Fathers. Programme: 10:00 am Welcome; 10:15 am Talk; 10:45 am Praise and Worship; 11:00 am Talk; 12 noon Holy Mass; 2:00 pm Divine Mercy Procession; 3:00 pm Hour of Mercy, Exposition, Chaplet; 4:00 pm Veneration of the Image of Divine Mercy & Relic of St Faustina. More information: Marian Fathers, Divine Mercy Apostolate, 1 Courtfield Gardens, London W13 0EY (Ealing) Tel: 020 8998 0925, info@divinemercy.org.uk See poster in back porch for details.

Helen Tuite is appealing for people to raise money for the Solihull Branch of the Multiple Sclerosis Society by taking part in Solihull's first Half Marathon on Sunday 23 October. Helen's father, Jim Tuite, who used to live in Solihull and came to Mass here occasionally when he was well enough, suffered with MS for over 40 years, and was in a wheelchair for most of that time. Helen said, "MS is unpredictable, currently incurable and affects 100,000 of us in the UK. It attacks the central nervous system and can cause sight loss, pain, incontinence, fatigue and disability. The MS Society is here for everyone living with MS – to provide practical help today, and the hope of a cure tomorrow. I am guessing each one of you knows someone with this awful disease – I'm hoping you would like to support us by taking part yourself or by spreading the word and mentioning this to anyone you think might be interested." You can register for the event at: <http://www.kpevents.net/4612/event-23rd-oct-2016-solihull-half-marathon> if you have any queries, please contact Helen Tuite on 07941 416303 or helen.tuite@hotmail.co.uk and she can arrange for a sponsorship pack to be sent to you.

SPUC web site campaigns-there are several on line petitions that urgently need support. eg 'Say No to Buffer Zones'; 'Lives Worth Living'; 'Abortion Miscertification' Please see details on notice board.

A SAINT FOR THE MIDLANDS- Cardinal John Henry Newman; Exhibition, 22 panels. 3 venues free admission. Please see posters in porch for venues and dates.

JUBILEE HOLY HOUR BY CANDLE LIGHT- Thursday 8th September from 6.15pm-7.15pm

Readers this week	Eucharistic Ministers this week
Sunday	Sunday
9am Don Deney Pam Davies	9.00am Richard Bird & Ken Bolton Don & Mary Deney
11am Juliana Benjamin Mary Clark	11.00am Tessie Nettikkadan Annette Kelly
Cleaning Rota: for week beginning August 29th for Services September 3rd/4th –E Annie Fuller, Teresa Donovan, Rebecca Davies	
Flower Rota: for week beginning August 29th for Services September 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	James Farmer	Kathleen McLoughlin
Martha Sheridan	Katie Kelly	Patricia Jones	Eilish Duffy
Mick Green	Andrew Simpson	Bernadette Day	Ray Nicholson
Christopher Browne	Kate McAvinney	Sarah Maloney	John Balder
Ann Marie Boyd	Kathy Stead	Amando Tenorio	Heath Balder
Maureen McLoughlin	Louisa and Nick	Margaret Kelly	Teresa Farrelley
Angela D'Arcy	Joseph Farmer	Peggy Roper	Therese Coulton
Baby Lily Day	Rose Walsh	Aidan, Patrick and Michal O'Donnell	Norman Hart
Martine and Rita McDonnell	Raymond Shenstone	Cornelius Callanan	Doreen Shirley
Sally & Maddy	John Keaney	Glen Hughes	Finbarr Herron
Michael Cassidy	Susanna Gordon	Mark Andrew Sutton	David Nunan
Dean			

Back To School

This month, many students and teachers are headed *back to school*. Pray these prayers on your own or with your children as they begin a new year.

Prayers to Begin a School Year

God of wisdom and might,
we praise you for the wonder of our being,
for mind, body and spirit.
Be with our children as they begin
a new school year.
Bless them and their teachers and staff.
Give the strength and grace as their bodies grow;
wisdom and knowledge to their minds
as they search for understanding;
and peace and zeal to their hearts.
We ask this through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Prayer for Students

Lord our God,
in your wisdom and love
you surround us with the mysteries of the universe.
Send your spirit upon these students
and fill them with your wisdom and blessings.
Grant that they may devote themselves to their studies
and draw ever closer to you,
the source of all knowledge.
We ask this through Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Please pray for: Mary Culshaw, Lee Thomas Jeynes, William Rooney, Eileen Dodd, Mary Fitzgerald, Richard Bynoth, Dorothy Gamble, Deacon Ernest John Titchmarsh, Philip Robinson, William Dowling, Gerard Stanley, Michael Molloy and Brian Cole whose anniversaries are at this time.

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