

**SAINT AUGUSTINE
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Fr Dominic Kavanagh Father Joseph Narikuzhi Deacon Kevin O'Connor

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST Year B 2nd June

Dear Parishioners, 'Christ is our food and drink. Just as in human life we need food and drink, so we need Christ to sustain us in our spiritual lives. He feeds us with Himself just as God fed the Jews with manna in the wilderness. Our sharing of the one Body and blood of Christ means that we share with each other Christ's eternal life' (Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

Father Dominic writes: Father Joseph, Deacon Kevin and I wish you every joyful Blessing on this Feast of Corpus Christi, 'Come then, good shepherd, bread divine, still show to us thy mercy sign. O feed us still, still keep us thine; so, may we see thy glories shine in fields of immortality.' (Sequence)

The next baptismal preparation evening will take place on Thursday 13th June at 7.30pm in the Presbytery, finishing at 9pm. If you wish to attend, please inform Mrs Mary Clark or one of the Clergy. **The Novena** to the Sacred Heart takes place from Thursday 30th May until Friday 7th June .

Please keep in your prayers, three couples who will be married at St Augustine's in the near future: Gabriel Hawker & Lucy Sam on 15th June 9am; Robert Butler & Lauren Jordan 29th June at 2.30pm; Jack Mottram & Emily-Louise Allcock 6th July at 9.30am.'

A Day for Catechists and potential Catechists will take place at St Ambrose Barlow Church in Hall Green on Saturday 15th June. Full details are on the notice board or please contact Bernadette, our Parish Secretary. If you are interested, please register your interest. Deacon Kevin and Monsignor Danny McHugh are holding a session for Parish readers, especially for those who have recently undertaken this Ministry, on Saturday 22nd June at 9.30am in Church. Would our new readers please try to attend this training session.

Do please continue to keep Monsignor Timothy Menezes and Canon Richard Walker in your prayers as they prepare for their episcopal ordination on July 16th at St Chad's Cathedral.

The Bishops' Conference of England and Wales have issued a pastoral reflection on Gender, entitled 'Intricately woven by the Lord.' This important document is offered to accompany all Catholics, especially parents and families, seeking to guide their children- to accompany those who struggle with their identity as male and female. You will find this reflection on the Bishops' Conference website: www.cbcew.org.uk This website also look at the forthcoming Day for Life, which falls on June 16th, 'The Lord is my Shepherd-Compassion and Hope at the end of Life.'

Please remember in your prayers Mary Christina Hayes whose Requiem takes place on Thursday 6th June at 12,30pm. There will be the usual 10am Mass on Thursday 6th June.

'Come and See Weekend'. The Sacred Heart Fathers and Brothers (Betharram) will be holding a 'come and see weekend' to explore the gift of Vocation to the Religious Life and Priesthood.

The weekend will take place from Friday (evening) 21st, to after lunch on Sunday 23rd June, at the Dupuis Centre, St Paul's Convent, 94 Selly Park Road, Selly Park Birmingham B29 7LL For more information, please make contact with Br Andrew Ferris, SCJ - email: andrewferris@hotmail.co.uk or Father Wilfred Joseph, SCJ - email: Wilfred15@hotmail.com

We would like to hold a Corpus Christi Procession on Sunday 16th June at the end of the 11am Mass, followed by a picnic lunch. During the Mass we will enrol into the Guild of St Stephen several of our young Altar Servers. If you would like to take part in the picnic lunch, please sign the form in the main porch indicating the number of people attending.

Meditation –this is one way to pray. It is an opportunity to be still and experience how much we are loved by God. The Meditation is taking place on Monday 1st July. It takes place at 1.00pm in the Parish Meeting Room at Sacred Heart and Holy Souls Acocks Green. Everyone is welcome.

For news and events around the Archdiocese please visit the diocesan website:

www.birminghamdiocese.org.uk

The Saint Vincent de Paul Society wishes to organize a car share in order to bring Parishioners to and from Church. If you are able to help, please contact Mr. James Oliver at:

jamesoliver213@gmail.com

Mr James Oliver is organising a Parish Walk for Sunday 2nd June. All are welcome, leaving from the Church car park at 2pm.

St Peter's Catholic Secondary School are advertising for a Lay Chaplain. Please contact the School for further details or see the poster on the notice board.

St Augustine's Catholic Primary School and Our Lady of the Wayside Catholic Primary School, Shirley, B90 4AY, currently have Reception School places available for September 2024 intake.


Please contact the Schools on: 0121 705 4355 and 0121 744 6852 respectively to arrange a tour or visit <https://www.solihull.gov.uk/School-and-Learning/School-admissions>

Offertory Collection: Gift Aid £201:33 Loose £898:95 Total:£1100:28 Second Collection last weekend: **Christian Aid: £641:37**

READERS		Eucharistic Ministers			
Saturday 1 st June	12.30pm Bernard	Sunday 2 nd June	9am	Sunday 2 nd June	11am
Saturday 8 th June	12.30pm T Duffy	M Coburn		J Hickey	
Sunday 2 nd June	9am T Choi				
Sunday 2 nd June	11am C Hodrien	Sunday 9 th June	9am	Sunday 9 th June	11am
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Sunday 9 th June	9am M Coburn				
Sunday 9 th June	11am Emanuelle				

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THE SICK OF THE PARISH

Roberto Cordora	Kevin Fahy	Sandy Simia	Adam Cole	Anne Deary	Lali Ratnaraja
Trevor Windle	Danny Meadows	Eileen Doyle	Kevin McDaid	Jonathan Williams	Michael
Patricia Mann	Cornelius Callanan	John Kavanagh	Damian Poole	Kathryn Farmer	Sandra Evans
Catherine Walton	Harry Conlon	Eileen Nolan	Pauline Samathar	Rita Titchmarsh	Helen Brookes
James Brown	John McCarthy	Mary Johnson	Savio Baretto	Eve	Roger Cox
Christopher Edmund Poole		Liam Lewis	Joseph Wong	Briege Williams	Angela Hyland
Nicole Plummer	Pat Brogan	Thelma Cole	Molly Saunders	Mike Sassano	Mary & Amanda
Rosemary Knowles	Eilish, Tony & Angela Duffy		Aoife Cook	Delbert Manorina	

<p>1st June Saturday</p> <p>St Justin</p>	<p>Exodus 24:3-8 Hebrews 9:11-15 Mark 14:12-16,22-26 Public & Live streamed Mass 12.30pm George Core-RIP McNamee & Duffy Families-Living & Deceased</p>	<p>Holy Hour 11am-12.00noon Confession 11am-12 noon</p>
<p>2nd June Sunday</p> <p>SOLEMNITY OF THE HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST</p>	<p>Exodus 24:3-8 Hebrews 9:11-15 Mark 14:12-16,22-26 Public & Live streamed Masses 9.00am All People of the Parish 11.00am Annette & Franc Kelly -Wedding Anniversary Moira Healy-RIP</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee available after both Masses</p> 
<p>3rd June Monday</p> <p>Ss Charles Lwanga & Companions</p>	<p>2 Peter 1:2-7 Mark 12:1-12 Public and Live streamed Mass 10.00am Joe Douglis-RIP Mary Anne Packie & Family-Intention</p>	
<p>4th June Tuesday</p> <p>Feria in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>2 Peter 3:11-15,17-18 Mark 12:13-17 Public and Live streamed Mass 10.00am Joan Langridge-RIP Joan Doyle-RIP</p>	<p>Toddlers' Group 9.30am-11.30am</p>
<p>5th June Wednesday</p> <p>St Boniface</p>	<p>2 Timothy 1:1-3,6-12 Mark 12:18-27 Public and Live streamed Mass 11.30am Martin O'Malley-RIP Christy Carmody-RIP</p>	<p>Confession 10.45am-11.15am Lectio Divina 7.30pm gilljones@gmail.com</p>
<p>6th June Thursday</p> <p>Feria in Ordinary Time St Norbert</p>	<p>2 Timothy 2:8-15 Mark 12:28-34 Public & Live streamed Mass 10.00am Maggie Ryan-Special Intention 12.30pm Requiem Mary Christina Hayes</p>	
<p>7th June Friday</p> <p>SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS</p>	<p>Hosea 11:1,3-4,8-9 Ephesians 3:8-12,14-19 John 19:31-37 Public & Live streamed Mass 10.00am Michael McAteer-RIP 6.30pm Father Simon Baker</p>	<p>Holy Hour 5,15pm-6.15pm Followed by Mass 6.30pm</p>
<p>8th June Saturday</p> <p>Immaculate Heart of Mary</p>	<p>Genesis 3:9-15 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:-1 Mark 3:20-3 Public & Live streamed Mass 12.30pm Kath Beale-RIP Bruce Pountney-RIP</p>	<p>Holy Hour 11am-12.00 noon Confessions 11am-12.00pm Tea/Coffee available after 12.30pm Mass</p>
<p>9th June</p> <p>Tenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</p>	<p>Genesis 3:9-15 2 Corinthians 4:13-5:-1 Mark 3:20-3 Public & Live streamed Masses 9.00am Patrick O'Donnell-RIP 11.00am Kathy Beale-RIP Susan McKiernan-RIP</p>	<p>Tea/Coffee available after both Masses</p>

Corpus Christi

Let us pray
[to the Lord who gives himself in the Eucharist
that this sacrament may bring us salvation and peace]
Lord Jesus Christ,
you gave us the Eucharist
as the memorial of your suffering and death.
May our worship of this sacrament of your body and blood
help us to experience the salvation you won for us
and the peace of the kingdom
where you live with the Father and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever. Amen.
New Saint Joseph Sunday Missal



Please pray for: Mary Christina Hayes (Requiem Thursday 6th June 12.30pm; Reception Wednesday 5th June 7pm), Mary Frances Williams (Requiem Friday 21st June 10am), John Traynor, Richard, Julia Keaveney, Maria Ann Sharples, Mary Ellen Drew, Pat Butler, Patricia Belcher, Joan Doyle, Pauline Waters, Margaret Freeman, Gretchen Dean, who died recently.

Also, Hans Benischice, Ann Ryan, Shaun Connolly, Lily May, Anne Harris, Martin McLoughlin, Kathleen Poole, John & Catherine Isaacs, John Gorman, Kevin Patrick O'Connor, Maria Marta Pawlikowska, Ellen Murphy, Paschal McKeown, Eugene Duffy, Frank Clipson, Pearl Caroline Lynch, Bruce Pountney, Kathleen Ann Beale, and all with anniversaries at this time.

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdiocese's policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Anne Ryder. She can be contacted at: sg.staugustine.solihull@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240 or safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concerns.