

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

NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Year B 11th August 2024

Dear Parishioners, 'The bread is my flesh for the life of the world. Christ is the living bread come down from heaven and anyone who eats this bread will live forever. Just as Elijah the prophet was strengthened by the food given to him by

so we too are helped by the eucharist to continue in our pilgrimage back to our Father. Through this eucharist we are reminded that if we are to follow Christ we must love as he loved us.' (Pope Saint John Sunday Missal.)

Father Dominic writes: Father Joseph, Deacon Kevin and I hope that you are continuing to enjoy the blessings of the summer. May St Paul's words to the Ephesians find a home with us too: 'Try, then, to imitate God as children of His that He loves and follow Christ, loving as He loved you.'

This Thursday we celebrate the Solemnity of the Assumption, a holy day of obligation. As with previous holy days there will be a Vigil Mass on the Wednesday at 7pm and a morning Mass at 9.30am, both at Our Lady of the Wayside. Mass at St Augustine's will take place on Thursday itself at 12.30pm and at 7pm. For the Thursday evening Mass, we will request free car parking in the lower level of the Dominion Car Park in Herbert Road.

I will be on holiday from 3rd to 15th August and am grateful for the help given so that I can enjoy this time. For emergency calls please contact Olton Friary on: 0121 706 0505 or Our Lady of The Wayside Parish on: 0121 744 1967

For those attending St Peter's School on Examination Results Day please meet outside the main School entrance at 8.20am.

Our Parish safe-guarding representative Mrs Anne Ryder will be contacting all our volunteers who perform a role on the Sanctuary, (Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Altar Servers, Flower arrangers etc) in order to gain your consent for your image to be streamed during the services. For those under 16 years of age, your parents or guardians will be asked to give their consent. All other volunteers will be asked to provide brief details, including emergency contact details, for Parish records. Forms may be obtained on the Parish website:

www.staugustinesolihull.org.uk or are available in the Sacristy.

Please note Monday morning Mass starts at 9.30am.

A National Eucharistic Congress will take place at St Mary's College, Oscott, on Saturday 14th September. On Sunday 15th September young people who are discerning their vocation are invited to Invocation@Adoremus at St Mary's College, Oscott. This is an UNMISSABLE opportunity to reflect on how we follow Jesus and respond to the universal call to Holiness.

The event for young adults aged 16-30 is FREE of CHARGE, but participants will need to register their attendance. As well as the celebration of Holy Mass and Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, there will be talks and workshops to help explore God's call alongside other like-minded young people

Please keep in your prayers, the couple who will be married at St Augustine's in the future. Everton Orland Owens and Kerry Delvin August 18th at 1.00pm

The next baptismal preparation evening will take place on Thursday 19th September from 7.30pm-9pm. If you would like to attend, please inform Mrs Mary Clark or one of the Clergy.

One of our young Parishioners, Alexia Patole, is skilled in teaching the following subjects for any young person who would value Online Tuition. GCSE Maths Edexcel- Physics, Chemistry, Biology AQA Years 7-11. For further information please contact email alexiaa29a@gmail.com Telephone 07460793130

March for Life UK happens in London on Saturday 7th September. There are many attempts at the moment to further liberalise abortion in the UK and to silence those offering any alternative viewpoint whether that's 'pills by post' abortions, 'decriminalisation', buffer zones or censorship on pro-life students at universities. The dangers of these situations are being highlighted by the theme for this year's March for Life which is 'Abortion isn't Healthcare'. Join thousands at this family-friendly event. Find out more at www.marchforlife.co.uk

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.

Offertory Collection: Gift Aid:£210:50 Loose £803:99 Total:£1,014:49 Bucket collection last weekend for: March For Life:£553:24

| READERS | | Eucharistic Ministers | |
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| Saturday 10 th Aug | 12.30pm T Cund | Sunday 11 th August | 9am |
| Saturday 17 th Aug | 12.30pm A Ward | M Hallissey | |
| Saturday 24 th Aug | 12.30pm Bernard | | |
| Sunday 11 th Aug | 9am MC Barbour | Sunday 11 th August | 11am |
| Sunday 11 th Aug | 11am M Watts | E Duffy | |
| Sunday 18 th Aug | 9am C Ramsey | Sunday 18 th August | 9am |
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PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS THE SICK OF THE PARISH

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| 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 | |

SVP FRIENDS IN NEED REQUESTS: 2024 We have been asked to find a further wooden bunk bed needed urgently by a large family. Can you help? If so, please call the SVP Society on 07568 508271 We continue to still accept teeshirts, hoodies, jackets and trainers for men in need aged 18- 45, sizes S, M and L only.

SVP FRIENDS IN NEED GROCERY SUPPORT Thank you for your wonderful generosity! We currently need: UHT milk, noodle pots, soups, Crispbread, dry mash, UHT fruit juice, puddings, crisps, chopped tomatoes. Also needed: toiletries: family, men's women's. We will not need: dry pasta and sauces. No fresh or open Please leave in or near SVP boxes in either porch. Thank you.

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| <p>10th August Saturday St Lawrence</p> | <p>1 Kings 19:4-8 Ephesians 4:30-5:2 John 6:41-51 Public & Live streamed Mass 12.30pm Deceased members of Kinnaird Family</p> | <p>Holy Hour 11am-12.00noon Confession 11am-12 noon</p> |
| <p>11th August NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME</p> | <p>1 Kings 19:4-8 Ephesians 4:30-5:2 John 6:41-51 Public & Live streamed Masses 9.00am Catherine McGurk-Intention 11.00am Father Damian-Silver Jubilee</p> | <p>Tea/Coffee available after both Masses</p> |
| <p>12th August Monday Feria in Ordinary Time St Jane Frances de Chantal</p> | <p>Ezekiel 1:2-5,24-28 Matthew 17:22-27 Public and Live streamed Mass 9.30am Josie Concannon-RIP</p> | |
| <p>13th August Tuesday Feria in Ordinary Time Blessed William Freeman/ Ss Pontian & Hippolytus</p> | <p>Ezekiel 2:8-3:4 Matthew 18:1-5,10,12-1 Public and Live streamed Mass 10.00am William Moran-Intention</p> | <p>Toddlers' Group 9.30am-11.30am</p> |
| <p>14th August Wednesday St Maximilian Mary Kolbe</p> | <p>Ezekiel 9:1-7,10:18-22 Matthew 18:15-20 Public and Live streamed Mass 11.30am Philip Ward-RIP & Leon Byron-RIP</p> | <p>Confession 10.45am-11.15am</p> |
| <p>15th August Thursday SOLEMNITY of the ASSUMPTION of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY HOLY DAY OF OBLIGATION</p> | <p>Apocalypse 11:19;12:1-6,10 1 Corinthians 15:20-26 Luke 1:39-56 Public & Live streamed Mass 12.30pm Elizabeth & Dean-Wedding 7.00pm Joe & Rose Moran-Intention</p> | |
| <p>16th August Friday Feria in Ordinary Time St Stephen of Hungary</p> | <p>Ezekiel 16:1-15,60-63 Matthew 19:3-12 Public & Live streamed Mass 10.00am Gill Quinn-RIP 6.30pm Rob Geoghegan-RIP</p> | <p>Holy Hour 5,15pm-6.15pm Followed by Mass 6.30pm</p> |
| <p>17th August Saturday</p> | <p>Proverbs 9:1-6 Ephesians 5:15-20 John 6:51-58 Public & Live streamed Mass 12.30pm Bridie Cuddy-RIP Tara Kelly-Intention</p> | <p>Holy Hour 11am-12.00 noon Confessions 11am-12.00pm</p> |
| <p>18th August Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time</p> | <p>Proverbs 9:1-6 Ephesians 5:15-20 John 6:51-58 Public & Live streamed Masses 9.00am All People of the Parish 11.00am Beata Miller & Family-Intentions Anetta, Katrina & Adriana-Intentions 1.00pm-Wedding Everton Orland Owens & Kerry Delvin</p> | <p>Tea/Coffee available after both Masses</p> |

Novena Prayer for the Canonisation of Blessed Dominic Barberi

(Novena begins on Sunday 18th August and concludes on Blessed Dominic's Feast Day 26th August)

*O God, who so lovingly raised Blessed Dominic
to the heights of holiness, learning and apostolic zeal
and made him a powerful minister of your mercy,
listen to our humble request.*

*We pray that you will in your goodness,
grant a miracle through the intercession of Blessed Dominic,
so that the Church may further honour him on earth
and that many more people will come to know
and invoke the help of this faithful servant of the Church.
We ask this through Christ Our Lord. Amen.*

Mary, Mother of Holy Hope, Pray for Us.

Saint John Henry Newman, Pray for Us.

Blessed Dominic Barberi, Pray for Us.

Please pray for: Gerardine McGlinchey, Lisa Gallagher, David Cahill, Richard Minto, Mary Frances Williams, Bridie Burke, Sandra Margaret Barry, Sheila McGovern, Sheila Margaret Patricia Bush, Deacon Bill Baines who died recently.

Also, Susan Dugdale, John Joseph Owens, Hughie Cooney, Bernard Ereaut, Bill Gibson, Jean Bridget Delaney, Cecilia Alexandra O'Brien, Victor Ruffieux, Francis Rooney, Peter John Chapman, Peter Gertner, Georgina Herraty, Joseph Patton, John Joseph Jones, Freda Bragg 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.

This church livestreams Mass and other events. Please see notices in church for more detail