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WORD FOR TODAY

Nobody wants setbacks in life. But when they do happen to us, how do we view them? Can we see beyond the nuisance value of them?

What can we learn from suffering and seeming defeat?

THIS SUNDAY IS WORLD MISSION DAY and is celebrated in every country where the Catholic Church is present. World Mission Sunday is the one day in the year when we join together to pray and give for the good of mission dioceses around the world.

- Missio is the Pope's chosen instrument for sharing the Gospel and building the Church overseas.
- World Mission Sunday is one of only three Papal collections that are mandatory and universal.
- Donations given on World Mission Sunday support over 1,069 mission dioceses overseas that cannot support themselves.
- Money donated on World Mission Sunday is sent to Missio to distribute directly where the need is greatest.

A second collection will be taken at the end of Mass – gift aid envelopes available

SISTER MARY JUDE MULRENNAN (DISCALCED CARMELITE)

A Mass of Thanksgiving will be celebrated on Sr Jude's Golden Jubilee as a Carmelite Sister on Tuesday 23rd October – 8.00am at the Carmelite Convent, 88 Cleveland Avenue. DL3 7BE.

TRAIDCRAFT EXHIBITION - SUNDAY 28TH OCTOBER

There will be an exhibition of Traidcraft goods in the Parish Centre on Sunday 28th October after the 9.15 a.m. and 6.30 masses. There will be a limited number of goods available for sale at that time and also a number of catalogues for people to look at and order goods. Please come along and have a look and support the work of this important organisation.

PIETY SHOP & PIETY PLUS



Thank you for all those who supported our stall in the Parish Centre at the weekend.

Our next date in the Parish Centre is 25th November.

Meanwhile we are open after all Masses on a Sunday, and whenever the Church is open. We have a new range of cards, gifts, craft packs for the children, and have revamped all the stock, with a good range of Mass, sympathy, birthday cards as well as rosary beads, prayer books etc. All the profits from the Piety Plus range will go to the SVP.

Liturgy Meeting on Wednesday 24th October after the 7.00pm Mass

ST. AUGUSTINE'S R.C. PRIMARY SCHOOL

(CARMEL EDUCATION TRUST)

OPEN DAY

TUESDAY 6TH NOVEMBER 2018

9.30am – 10.30am or 1.45pm - 3pm or 6.30pm - 7.30pm

The school is holding open sessions for prospective parents / carers of children due to start school in September 2019.

The morning or afternoon sessions provide an opportunity to experience the school in action. An evening session is provided to cater for working parents. All three sessions will allow visitors to gather information about applying for school places in Darlington and to speak to senior members of staff about eligibility for admission to St. Augustine's School.

St. Augustine's is a very popular school and in previous years some families have been disappointed when their application for a place was unsuccessful. It is very important to check with the school about its admissions criteria.

A map showing parish boundaries will be on display during these sessions and staff are happy to answer any enquiries.

If you are unable to attend one of the open sessions, then please contact school with any questions.

A copy of the Admissions policy and over-subscription criteria is also available on the school website or on Darlington Borough Council website.

Website: www.staugustinesacademy.org.uk

Email: enquiries@staugustinesacademy.org.uk

Tel: 01325 380819

HOLY FAMILY RC PRIMARY SCHOOL

EYFS Class Teacher – Vacancy (Maternity Cover)

The Directors and Governors of Holy Family RC Primary School, a member of the Carmel Education Trust, wish to appoint an experienced, highly motivated and enthusiastic EYFS Class Teacher to join our friendly, dedicated and hardworking team to provide full time maternity cover, from 4th February 2019 initially until 18th July 2019. An application pack and further information is available on the school website www.holyfamilyprimary.org.uk. The deadline date is 21/11/2018

On Sunday 4th November those whose funerals have been held here in St Augustine's parish in the last year will be remembered by the reading of their names and lighting candles at our Sunday Masses.

If you would like the name of a relative or friend whom you have lost this year to be added to the parish list, please fill in the details on the list in Church.

HOGARTH PARTNERSHIP NEWS

Partnership Matters

The October/November edition of the bi-monthly *Partnership Matters* news update is now available on the diocesan website (www.rcdhn.org.uk).

Partnership Mission 2018 “Unbroken” (God’s love for us is never broken)

- Carmel College week of 12th November
- Primary schools week of 19th November

There are many varied things that you could help with, and more information will be available in the coming weeks.

During the first week of our Partnership Mission there are lots of things going on in Carmel College. St Augustine’s have been allocated **Monday 12th November** as our day to cover the day in the Chapel for Exposition. There is a morning Mass at 8am and they would like at least two people to cover the day each hour. CAN YOU HELP PLEASE? Please put your name on a list on the table if you can.

HOGARTH PARTNERSHIP PLAY 2019

Following the success of our first endeavor 'Great Expectations' earlier this year, plans are now in place for our next production which is set in a large Edwardian London home in 1914. A lively musical comedy, it follows the lives of the household 'below stairs'. The production (as last time) will tour each of our eight partnership parishes 'for one night only' in March/April next year.

- For those interested in taking part either on stage as principals/chorus or backstage or generally helping out, there will be two information/audition sessions. The first on Saturday 27th Oct 2-3pm in St Augustines Youth Hall Larchfield Street OR on Monday 29th Oct 7-8pm in St Thomas Parish Hall, North Road. Alternatively, you can register your interest at hogarthplayers@gmail.com. Unfortunately, there are no parts for young people below 6th form.

This is an across parish project so please consider joining in,- you will be very welcome. This production will be raising funds for Cancer Research UK.

HOGARTH PARTNERSHIP AUTUMN QUIZ

Formerly known as the Autumn Inter-Parish Quiz this event will be held on Saturday, 10th November 2018 in Holy Family Parish Centre. The doors will open at 7:30pm and the quiz will begin at 8:00pm. £1 per person. There will be a bar, buffet and a raffle. For catering purposes it would be helpful if you could let us know if you are entering a team or teams and how many would be in the team.

**NEXT SUNDAY MORNING
AT 2AM**



CLEANING AND RESTORATION OF SIDE ALTARS

David Everingham, who did an excellent job on the reredos, has begun work on the side altars. He is hoping to complete the work in time for Christmas. It will mean that we will have to erect some scaffolding, but this will not take place until after the early November weddings and will be removed in time for the wedding just before Christmas. Disruption will be kept as minimal as possible, but we hope you will agree it will be worth it to see both altars restored to their former glory. If you have any queries would you please email jolyon@tradefair.co.uk

INFORMATION SESSIONS ON THE PERMANENT DIACONATE

The permanent diaconate is well-established in our Diocese now, and the deacons come from all walks of life and live out their ministry in a variety of ways. The Council of Deacons is running a series of information evenings across the diocese, to offer an opportunity to come along and find out more about the diaconate. The Council of Deacons is sure that the Holy Spirit is calling forward men to the diaconate. The information evenings will offer an overview of the four-year formation period, insight from current deacons as to how they live out their ministry, and offer a chance to ask questions. Anyone interested to know more is invited to come along to one of the sessions. Wives of those interested in the diaconate are welcome to attend. The details of the three information evenings are as follows:

- Wednesday 7th November 7.00 pm: St Hilda's Resource Centre, West Road, Newcastle upon Tyne, NE15 7PY.
- Wednesday 21st November 7.00 pm: English Martyrs and Ss Peter and Paul, Redhill Road, Stockton-on-Tees, TS19 9BY.
- Thursday 22nd November 7:00 pm: St Michael's, Durham Road, Houghton-le-Spring, DH5 8NF (in the meeting room).

If you are unable to attend any of these evenings, but are still interested in knowing more about the permanent diaconate, please look at the diocesan website: <http://www.rcdhn.org.uk/vocdeacon/vocdeaconabout.php>

First Reading: Isaiah 53:10-11

The Lord has been pleased to crush his servant with suffering.
If he offers his life in atonement,
he shall see his heirs, he shall have a long life
and through him what the Lord wishes will be done.
His souls anguish over
he shall see the light and be content.
By his sufferings shall my servant justify many,
taking their faults on himself.

The Psalm

May your love be upon us, O Lord,
As we place all our hope in you.

Second Reading Hebrews 4:14-16

Since in Jesus, the Son of God, we have the supreme high priest who has gone through to the highest heaven, we must never let go of the faith that we have professed. For it is not as if we had a high priest who was incapable of feeling our weaknesses with us; but we have one who has been tempted in every way that we are, though he is without sin. Let us be confident, then, in approaching the throne of grace, that we shall have mercy from him and find grace when we are in need of help.

Gospel: Mark 10:35-45

James and John, the sons of Zebedee, approached Jesus. 'Master,' they said to him, 'we want you to do us a favour.' He said to them, 'What is it you want me to do for you?' They said to him, 'Allow us to sit one at your right hand and the other at your left in your glory.' 'You do not know what you are asking' Jesus said to them. 'Can you drink the cup that I must drink, or be baptised with the baptism with which I must be baptised?' They replied, 'We

can.' Jesus said to them, 'The cup that I must drink you shall drink, and with the baptism with which I must be baptised you shall be baptised, but as for seats at my right hand or my left, these are not mine to grant; they belong to those to whom they have been allotted.'

When the other ten heard this they began to feel indignant with James and John, so Jesus called them to him and said to them, 'You know that among the pagans their so-called rulers lord it over them, and their great men make their authority felt. This is not to happen among you. No; anyone who wants to become great among you must be your servant, and anyone who wants to be first among you must be slave to all. For the Son of Man himself did not come to be served but to serve, and to give his life as a ransom for many.'

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Doubt sees the obstacles, Faith sees the way.
Doubt sees the darksome night, Faith sees the day.
Doubt dreads to take the step, Faith soars on high.
Doubt whispers "Who believes?", Faith answers, "I!"

The **RCIA** course for the Darlington Family of Parishes continues on a Thursday evening at 7pm in 10 St Augustine's Court (opposite main door of Church). This course is for all who are thinking about becoming a Catholic, or Catholics who would like to explore the faith in a supportive environment. Please let your priest know if you are interested, or ring St Augustine's on (01325) 266602. The meetings finish no later than 8.30pm.

Mass Intentions - We are short of mass intentions – especially for those masses held during the week. Envelopes are available at the back of Church.

Mass of Welcome and Induction of Young Vincentians is being held on Wednesday 24th October at 2pm in Carmel College. All Welcome.

REFLECTION – The request that Jesus refused to grant

James and John were two opportunists.
Their one aim was to rise in the ranks.
To achieve their end they did not hesitate to beg.
They did not mind how much envy and resentment
they aroused in their companions.
Their aim was to scramble up the career ladder.
But at what price to themselves?
If in the course of their rise to the top,
people lose themselves, their own souls,
whatever they do or achieve will be worthless.
Power hardens the human heart.
A hard-hearted person is incapable of love.
It is by giving that we receive,
and it is by serving that we grow in love.

BAPTISM COURSE



Where? St Augustine's Parish Centre

When? Wednesday 7th & 14th November 7.15pm – 8.30pm

Please let us know if you will be attending. Either by telephone on 266602 or by email info@staugustineschurch.org.uk.

A TIME OF REFLECTION WITH MARY

Saturday 1st December 10-1pm (refreshments from 9.45am)

This will take place in St Thomas Aquinas Parish Hall. For further information please contact Department for Spirituality, 0191 2433302 or email spirituality@diocesehn.org.uk

CAFOD Cabaret

This year's CAFOD Cabaret will take place on Friday 7th and Saturday 8th December. Could anyone interested in taking part please declare their interest to Martin McLean (tel. 01325465275 or e-mail martin.mclean2@ntlworld.com). Both new and returning performers equally welcome. Don't be shy - your Third World needs you more than ever!

CLEVELAND PHILHARMONIC CHOIR and guests will perform Britten's 'War Requiem' to commemorate the Armistice Centenary on Saturday 10th November at 7.30pm at Sage Gateshead. Tickets: www.sagegaeshead.com

ST AUGUSTINE'S PARISH CLUB/CENTRE INFORMATION

PARISH CENTRE INFORMATION

To book the Parish Centre : email staugspc@gmail.com or
telephone 07909 747145

Bar Opening Times: Sunday 7-10.30pm
Friday 9th November – bar open

CHRISTMAS SWAGS – SATURDAY 24TH NOVEMBER

Val Guest, who led the Spring Flowers Workshop in March, will be leading a Christmas Swag workshops on Saturday 24th November in the Parish Centre. There will be a morning (11am-1.30pm) and afternoon workshops (3pm-5.30pm). All materials will be provided for participants to make and decorate their own swag (garland). The swags will make a great addition to your Christmas decorations for your home and will last till Christmas, they can also be made into a wreath for your door. Festive refreshments will also be provided.

*Tickets are £23 and will be available in the Parish Centre
after 9.15 mass from Bernadette Chapman.*

All profits will go to Sunday Stop who provide a hot meal for people in need in the Parish Centre on the first Sunday of the month.

COFFEES AFTER MASS

are hosted by
HCPT Group 195



Paddington Bear

This Week £34.56
In the bank £336.48
Total £31,804.36



HOST UK

Are looking for people to offer hospitality to international students over the Christmas period. If you would like to know more please see notice at the back of Church or visit their website www.hostuk.org.

RIP – PETER HENDERSON (STARS)

His funeral will take place on Wednesday 31st October at St William's at 10.30am.

CAFOD - WHAT IS THE SITUATION IN YEMEN?

Latest Update



The UN has described Yemen as being on ‘the brink of the world’s worst famine for 100 years. Giovanna Reda, CAFOD’s Head of Humanitarian Programmes for the Middle East, said:

“We cannot fail to be moved by the news coming from Yemen; of families ripped apart by this war.

“The impact of this conflict is devastating. Hunger affects 17 million Yemenis which is 60 per cent of the population. People do not know where and when they will get their next meal. Millions of people don’t have access to safe drinking water and proper sanitation. Last year, the country faced the largest outbreak of cholera, claiming the lives of thousands of people.

“We see immense suffering in the faces of people in Yemen, of the children whose young lives have been stunted by malnutrition, and of those who find themselves homeless, because of the conflict, and in need of the basics of life.

“The UN Security Council met in June this year to hold urgent talks, they must act now to secure a ceasefire and halt the suffering of millions of people.”

Please keep the people of Yemen in your thoughts and prayers

What are the humanitarian needs in Yemen?

Yemen is one of the poorest countries in the Middle East, and ordinary people are bearing the brunt of an increasingly brutal conflict.

Severe water shortages combined with airstrikes, sniper attacks and a fuel blockade have rapidly turned this conflict into a humanitarian crisis. Demand is rapidly increasing to get food, water, shelter, sanitation and medical care to vulnerable families in the greatest need.

According to the UN’s Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA), the conflict has left millions of desperate people in need of humanitarian aid and protection. Yemeni families were already dealing with dire and extreme poverty but this conflict has exacerbated their suffering.

The economy and public services such as hospitals and clinics face collapse, and many Yemeni families have exhausted their savings as they struggle to earn a living; women, children and men face a humanitarian catastrophe.

Two-thirds of the population, more than 20 million people are in urgent need of some form of life-saving humanitarian assistance such as food, water, medical care and shelter.

Food

More than 7 million people in Yemen are extremely vulnerable and need immediate access to food. 462,000 children under five are suffering from severe acute malnutrition.

Shelter

More than 3 million people have been recorded by the UN as internally displaced, nearly half of whom are children. Aden governorate is hosting the highest number, 393,508 individuals, followed by Ta'izz 300,585 individuals and Hajjah, 280,821 individuals (as of October 2016).

Health

More than 1,900 of the country's 3,500 health facilities are currently either not functioning or partially functioning, leaving half the population without adequate healthcare. According to the UN, as of 5 November, there has been more than 900,000 suspected cholera cases and 2,192 associated deaths were reported; more than half of the suspected cases are children.

How is CAFOD's partner responding?

Working in conflict affected communities in the south of Yemen; before the blockade, and assault on Yemen's port city of Hodeidah, our partner was able to provide nutrition services; which involves screening and identifying children under 5 and breastfeeding mothers for acute malnutrition. Their work also included training community volunteers to spot the worst cases of malnutrition in their communities and get mothers and babies treated at available health facilities or in the home.

Against a challenging environment, they have been able to check thousands of children suffering from malnutrition or showing signs of the condition - providing the nutritious food supplements needed for proper treatment.

This emergency response is vital as the country continues to battle with cholera.

Working in neighbouring Djibouti

We gave £12,000 to our partner Caritas Djibouti, to support more than 500 families from Yemen, who had fled the conflict into neighbouring Djibouti. This money provided emergency medical care, food assistance and support for small micro-credit businesses so that refugee families could be more economically independent.

We are unable to name our partner in Yemen or state exactly where they are working. This is because they are operating at great risk to their own safety; publicising their work could endanger both them and the life-saving programmes they are delivering.

You responded with generosity and compassion just before Christmas 2016, to our Yemen Crisis Appeal raising more than £300,000 for the people of Yemen, and we joined forces with the Disasters Emergency Committee (DEC) appeal, which has raised £30 million.

<u>October 21st</u>		<u>29th SUNDAY OF YEAR B</u>	
SUNDAY	St Augustine's St Augustine's	9.15 am 6.30 pm	Fr Jim Leavy Ints. Air Crash Victims Flight GW925
MONDAY	No. 10	12.15 pm	D/M Lawler & McGowan Families
TUESDAY	St Augustine's	12.15 pm	Eucharistic Service
WEDNESDAY	No. 10	7.00 pm	Mary Marks RIP Followed by Liturgy Meeting
THURSDAY	No. 10	12.15 pm	Susan Jost RIP
FRIDAY	St Augustine's	12 noon 7.00 pm	Req. Mass Hubert Walsh RIP NO MASS
SATURDAY	St Augustine's	10.00 am	Andrew Keough RIP Followed by Confessions
SUNDAY 28 th October 30 th Sunday of Year	St Augustine's St Augustine's	9.15 am 6.30 pm	Liam Bradley RIP Bernie Deane RIP
THOSE WHO ARE SICK	Please remember Fr Gary Dickson, Fr Richard Harriott, Fr Wilfrid Elkin, Fr Jim Doherty, Sister Evelyn and all priests and religious in the diocese who have health problems. Also the sick & housebound of the parish - Michelle Butler, Anne Kee, Betty Smith, Peter Coady, Philip Robinson, Elizabeth Leeman, Michael Grogan, Jason Morrison, Sr Loreto, Madeleine Swift, and those looking after them.		
LATELY DEAD	Hubert Anthony Walsh, Peter Henderson		
ANNIVERSARIES	October Anniversaries – Cassie Cottrell, Lawrence Davies, Kathleen Trees, Peter Gallogly, Christine Sheridan, Mary McMahan, Kenneth Bowe, Catherine Appleton, Catherine Bourke, Kevin Cundy, Joseph Mercer, Joseph Baldwin, Marjorie Dulston, Andrew Blair, John Tweedy, Monica Hibbert, Barbara Peterburs, James Hughes, Andrew Keough, Noreen Staples, Vin Ferguson, Kenneth Hardman, John Hutchinson. May they rest in peace.		
MINISTERS	SUNDAY 28 th October		
	9.15 am		6.30 pm
WELCOMERS	Mr & Mrs Kilgour/S Hughes	R Ivanec/J Crowe	
READERS	R McGovern/A McGlynn	C Woolley/J Owens	
OFFERTORY	Ingham Family	G & A Connor	
COUNTERS TEAM (B)	T Appleton/ G Harrison/J Poad/C McAllister/G Doherty		