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 HOGARTH PARTNERSHIP 

St Augustine, SS. William & Francis De Sales, St Anne, St Osmund

ST AUGUSTINE'S BULLETIN

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11th November 2018 - 32nd SUNDAY OF YEAR – B

BREVIARY WEEK : 4

WORD FOR TODAY

We know what it means to give our all when playing sport, when running for a bus or caring for a sick relative. But what does it mean to give our all in serving God?

Are we not entitled to a break,
or an occasional rest?

Is there nothing we can hold back?

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

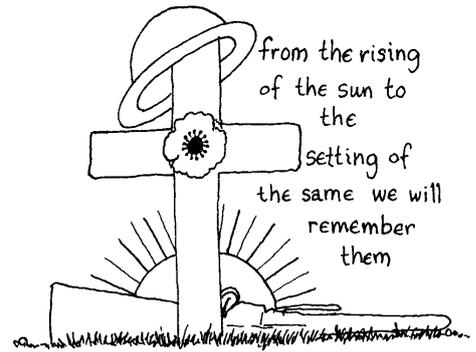
TODAY is the 100th Anniversary of the ending of the First World War.

We remember all those who have died in war.



*They shall grow not old,
as we that are left grow old:
Age shall not weary them,
nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the sun
and in the morning,*

"WE WILL REMEMBER THEM"



November is traditionally the month in which the Church remembers those who have died. We will especially remember those from our parish who have died in the last 12 months.

James Martin Bailie, Margaret Veronica Urwin, Patricia Richardson,
Paul Anthony McGregor,
Margaret Mary Coatman,
Hilda Carr,
John Thomas Marley,
Maria Joan Alden,
Susan Mary Gatenby,



Thomas Hendrick,
Ann Shepherd,
Grainne Hackett,
John Henry Hughes,
Joan Casey
Danny O'Toole,

Walter Andrew Noel Doherty, Maureen Elizabeth Harrison,
David Martin Whalen, Liam Finbar Cormac Ryan, Gerald Harbron,
Josephine Lillian Sullivan, Hubert Anthony Walsh, Stephen Thomas Watt

***Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord
and let perpetual light shine upon them.***

May they rest in peace.

Amen

A BIG THANK YOU from Piety Plus



Many thanks for your support at the launch of Piety Plus, it was a great start to a 'newish' venture! Your continued support, by visiting the Piety Shop, will help us raise funds for our church and SVP. Our next sale, in the Parish Centre, will be **25th November after Sunday 9.15 mass.**

Please come along and see the new selection of gifts on sale.

The shop is open whenever the Church is open (in the Confessional room).

RED MISSION BOX HOLDERS

Thank you for supporting the Missions through the "Red Boxes". The annual collection is now due. Please pick up a brown "Mission" envelope from the back of the Church and empty the contents of your box into this by the end of November. There should be a new sealing label for your Red Box in each envelope. If you are able to count and/or separate your money (into coin denominations) that would be much appreciated! Alternatively, you may wish to bring in your red box for opening and counting, or write a cheque (payable to APF - Mill Hill) for the equivalent amount. Kindly leave your envelopes or boxes or cheques in the sacristy for me to collect. Any problems or questions please contact Mary Mustard on 07900 898990. To find out more about the "red box" appeal and Catholic Missions in today's world, visit www.missio.org.uk

CAFOD RETREAT SATURDAY 17TH NOVEMBER AT MINSTERACRES

With Christmas just around the corner and all that this entails in today's world, why not have a few hours away at a retreat with a difference. We are invited to be disturbed by faith, challenge the culture of consumerism and respond to the Pope's profound invitation to care for our common home. Pope Francis asks us to find time for our own holiness.

So this autumn, take time out of your everyday life to explore Scripture and Church teaching together and be inspired by one another and CAFOD's campaigning and work overseas.

The retreats are free of charge and all are welcome, whether or not you have been involved in CAFODs campaigns.

Please join this Hexham & Newcastle/Middlesbrough retreat in Minsteracres, Consett, DH8 9RT from 10-4pm. Lunch will be provided. Anyone wishing to attend needs to register here –

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/countering-consumerism-lessons-from-gaudete-et-exsultate-tickets-47461730313>

If you are interested contact me on Tel: 265847 or email: Marjory.knowles@gmail.com– we may be able to share transport.

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. 01325 465275 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!

CAMINO SPONSORSHIP – A WORD OF THANKS

It is a few weeks now since I returned after completing 120 klms walking from Sarria to Santiago de Compostella along the Camino Frances in Northern Spain. The journey was fantastic, yes some long days walking starting early morning in the dark but the camaraderie was great and I met so many people from different parts of the world and coming into Santiago on that last day when we were weary was uplifting. I'm just gathering the last bits of sponsorship and should reach £800. This means that £400 will go our SVP to support children and families in Darlington and £400 to Cancer Research. Over the past 10 years I have seen too many of my family and friends fighting the odds and most losing. A big thank you to those who sponsored it, I am truly grateful. Marjory Knowles

TRANSPORT/ASSISTANCE TO BRING PARISHIONERS TO MASS.

AN INVITATION FROM THE SVP

It has become clear that there are parishioners who would like to attend Mass/Services but are unable to do so because of transport or access issues. There are already ad hoc/private arrangements in place for some but the SVP would like to find out if there are parishioners who would volunteer to bring someone to Church. Organising it under the SVP banner ensures that volunteers are covered by insurance. If you feel you could offer someone transport or assistance such as pushing a wheelchair or supporting in some other way and would be prepared to join a rota, please contact me. Also if you already bring someone to Mass etc and you would like to join our rota (this gives you volunteers insurance cover), then please also get in touch. I can be contacted on Tel: 265847, email: marjory.knowles@gmail.com.

HOGARTH PARTNERSHIP NEWS

Partnership Mission 2018 “Unbroken” (God’s love for us is never broken)
“Unbroken” Mission Week at St. Augustine’s Primary School (Beginning Mon 19th November)

Everyone is warmly invited to the events in school but...

Would you...? Could you...?

- * Talk to a small group of children about your First Holy Communion?
- * Read or tell a favourite Bible Story to some children?
- * Share something about your own faith over a cup of tea?
- * Join in our outdoor photo session?
- * Help make paper prayer chains or decorations for the feast of Christ the King?

Thank you to those people who have already offered help and support for the Mission events in our Primary School. Please sign the sheet at the back of the church or in the Parish Centre if you would like to be involved.

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.

Please take and read the Mission Leaflet and see if there is an event you would like to be part of.

- Mass in Carmel School on Monday 12th November at 8am followed by Exposition till 3pm. This day has been allocated to St Augustine’s parish. Ideally we would like two parishioners to cover an hour from 9am till 3pm, list for names on the shelf in Church.
- Alpha taster session will take place in St Williams on Wednesday November 14th starting at 7pm.
- Family Night at Carmel College on Thursday November 15th
- Prayer Stations – Friday 16th St Augustine’s Primary School at 6pm.
- You can also visit St Augustine’s School during the week of 19th November.
- Friday 23rd November - Peace Prayer and Prosecco evening in St Augustine’s Parish Centre 7pm.
- Youth Sunday 25th November the Mission will end with a Youth Mass for the Partnership at 10.30am in St Thomas’ Church .

First Reading: 1 Kings 17:10-16

Elijah the Prophet went off to Sidon. And when he reached the city gate, there was a widow gathering sticks; addressing her he said, Please bring a little water in a vessel for me to drink. She was setting off to bring it when he called after her. Please he said, bring me a scrap of bread in your hand. As the Lord your God lives, she replied, I have no baked bread, but only a handful of meal in a jar and a little oil in a jug; I am just gathering a stick or two to go and prepare this for myself and my son to eat, and then we shall die. But Elijah said to her, Do not be afraid, go and do as you have said; but first make a little scone of it for me and bring it to me, and then make some for yourself and for your son. For thus the Lord speaks, the God of Israel:

Jar of meal shall not be spent,
jug of oil shall not be emptied,
before the day when the Lord sends
rain on the face of the earth.

The woman went and did as Elijah told her and they ate the food, she, himself and her son. The jar of meal was not spent nor the jug of oil emptied, just as the Lord had foretold through Elijah.

The Psalm

My soul, give praise to the Lord.

Second Reading: Hebrews 9:24-28

It is not as though Christ had entered a man-made sanctuary which was only modelled on the real one; but it was heaven itself, so that he could appear in the actual presence of God on our behalf. And he does not have to offer himself again and again, like the high priest going into the sanctuary year after year with the blood that is not his own, or else he would have had to suffer over and over again since the world began. Instead of that, he has made his appearance once and for all, now at the end of the last age, to do

away with sin by sacrificing himself. Since men only die once, and after that comes judgement, so Christ, too, offers himself only once to take the faults of many on himself, and when he appears a second time, it will not be to deal with sin but to reward with salvation those who are waiting for him.

Gospel: Mark 12:38-44

In his teaching Jesus said, 'Beware of the scribes who like to walk about in long robes, to be greeted obsequiously in the market squares, to take the front seats in the synagogues and the places of honour at banquets; these are the men who swallow the property of widows, while making a show of lengthy prayers. The more severe will be the sentence they receive.'

He sat down opposite the treasury and watched the people putting money into the treasury, and many of the rich put in a great deal. A poor widow came and put in two small coins, the equivalent of a penny. Then he called to his disciples and said to them, 'I tell you solemnly, this poor widow has put more in than all who have contributed to the treasury; for they have all put in money they had over, but she from the little she had has put in everything she possessed, all she had to live on.'

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

PRIESTS TRAINING FUND

This will remain open for individual and private donations until 25th November.

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

REFLECTION – Returning to God

We are born in exile and die there too.
As soon as we set sail on the great voyage of life,
we begin our return.
When we die,
we do not so much go to God as return to him.
Like homesick cranes that fly night and day
back to their mountain nests,
so let all our lives take their voyage to you, O Lord.
For you have made us for yourself,
and our hearts will never rest, until they rest in you.
Only those who have flown home to You have flown at all.

Now in its fourth year, this year's ***Walk for Peace*** will take place on Sunday 25th of November. Starting at the Quakers Friends Meeting House in Skinnergate at 12:30pm the **Walk for Peace will cover 3 miles and call at seven venues**, finishing at the Dolphin Centre at 4pm. They will call here in St Augustine's at 12.55pm. Once again members of the town's Sikh Gurdwara will generously offer people on the Walk for Peace a free meal to keep their strength up.
Find out more info on facebook by searching for @darlingtonforpeace.

CLEANING AND RESTORATION OF SIDE ALTARS

The scaffolding will be erected this Monday and they hope to have it all completed in time for Christmas. Some of the cleaning has already been done, starting from the ground and working upwards. If you have any queries would you please email jolyon@tradefair.co.uk

CHRISTMAS FAYRES

Saturday 17th November – St William's 12 noon - 3pm

Saturday 1st December – St Teresa's Autumn Fayre

Saturday 15th December – St Anne's Christmas Social Evening (after Mass)

ST AUGUSTINE'S NATIVITY 2018

This year's nativity play will be at **4pm** in the Parish Centre grounds on **Sunday 23rd December**, followed by mulled wine and mince pies in the Parish Centre. We need shepherds, innkeepers and kings; mostly non-speaking parts. We also need musicians and singers. Please join us and take part in this lovely Christmas parish gathering. Rehearsals are Sunday 16th December at 4pm in the Youth Hall and one 3pm on 23rd just prior to performance. Further detail from Alice Potter on 07734 049642, or please speak to John McGovern, Chair of PC.

THE SALVATION ARMY

last Christmas we helped 700 children with toys and 330 families with food hampers. This year donations needed (to be used in the Darlington Area only):

- Brand new toys (unwrapped toys aged 0-16 yrs)
- Tinned or packaged food.
- Money (cheques made payable to The Salvation Army)

All donations to be received by 8th December at The Salvation Army Thompson Street East Darlington DL1 3EW. For more info www.darlingtonsalvationarmy.org.uk

RAF 100 - Gala Charity Evening (Black tie event)

Friday 30th November, tickets £20 at St George Hotel, Middleton St George. For more info please contact Jenny Haigh on 07939 319119 in aid of RAF/Air Cadets/Royal British Legion

PADDINGTON BEAR

This week	£21.48
Money in Bank	£382.06
Total Collected	£31,849.94



COFFEES AFTER MASS

are hosted by Zoe -
Air Ambulance



JOB VACANCIES

Holy Family RC Primary School

- Lunchtime Supervisor Vacancy

5 hours per week, term time only - fixed term until 31 August 2019

The Directors and Governors of Carmel Education Trust and Holy Family RC Primary School wish to appoint a Lunchtime Supervisor. We are searching for a committed, fun, organised individual who is willing to make our children's lunchtimes full of fun, exercise and energy!

Closing Date 21 November 2018 - application forms and more details can be found on the school website - www.holyfamilyprimary.org.uk

- 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 4 February 2019 initially until 18 July 2019.

An application pack and further information is available on the school website www.holyfamilyprimary.org.uk. The deadline date is 21 November 2018.

PRECIOUS TIME

To realise the value of ONE YEAR – ask a student who failed a grade.

To realise the value of ONE MONTH – ask a mother having a premature baby.

To realise the value of ONE WEEK – ask the editor of a weekly newspaper.

To realise the value of ONE HOUR – ask the lovers who are waiting to meet.

To realise the value of ONE MINUTE – ask a commuter who missed a train.

To realise the value of ONE SECOND – ask a person who just avoided an accident.

To realise the value of ONE MILLISECOND – ask someone who won a silver medal.

Treasure every moment you have, and treasure it more because you share it with someone special, special enough to spend your time.

And remember that time waits for no one.

Yesterday is history, tomorrow is mystery, and today is a gift.

That's why it's called the present

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

ST AUGUSTINE'S BOOK CLUB

Our next meeting will be on Wednesday 14th November. Please come along and join us for lively discussion/coffee/chat in the Parish Centre Bar 2.00pm – 3.30pm. We meet the second Wednesday of every month.

LUNCH GROUP began meeting in October 2015, every third Tuesday of the month, Delicious homemade soups, cakes and bread and tea or coffee are served from 12-30. Soup and cake makers give their food and diners pay £2.50.

All the money is given to charity. In 3 years we have given donations to S.V.P., The Food Bank, Refugee Projects, First Stop, Carmel Peru Project H.C.P.T., Great North Ambulance, DMH Ward 23, DMH Scanner Appeal and Family Help. This has amounted to £2000.

Thank you to all helpers and everyone who came along.

The next Lunch Group is ***Tuesday 20th November 2018***, do come along and join us all ages welcome.

DEFIBRILLATOR TRAINING

As you may be aware we have had a defibrillator installed at the Parish Centre and it has been registered with the ambulance service. The ambulance service have offered to come and carry out a training session in the use of the defibrillator on the **21st November 2018 from 6- 8 p.m.** and there are a limited number of places available . If you would be interested in attending the training can you please put your name on the list at the back of church

<u>November 11th</u>		<u>32nd SUNDAY OF YEAR B</u>	
SUNDAY	St Augustine's St Augustine's	9.15 am 6.30 pm	Vincent McCulla RIP Marjorie Dulston RIP
MONDAY	Carmel School	8.00 am	Mission Mass
TUESDAY	St Augustine's	12.15 pm	Eucharistic Service
WEDNESDAY	No. 10	7.00 pm	Personal Ints followed by Justice & Peace Meeting
THURSDAY	No. 10	12.15 pm	D/M Keough Family
FRIDAY	No. 10	7.00 pm	Georgette Ribereau RIP
SATURDAY	St Augustine's	10.00 am	Walter & Patricia Larkins RIP Followed by CONFESSIONS
SUNDAY 18 th November 33 rd Sunday of Year	St Augustine's St Augustine's	9.15 am 6.30 pm	Maureen Harrison RIP Canon James Rooney 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, Mary Swift, Joan McIntyre and those looking after them.		
LATELY DEAD			
ANNIVERSARIES	November Anniversaries – Gordon Davies, Thomas Taylor, Kathleen Taylor, Mary Ord, Francis Keenan, Elizabeth Watson, Louisa Temple, Mary Appleby, Mavis McGuirl, Joan Beckwith, Alan Green, Jimmy Bailie, Margaret Urwin, Patricia Richardson. May they rest in peace.		
MINISTERS	SUNDAY 18 th November		
	9.15 am		6.30 pm
WELCOMERS	E Dannatt/Mr & Mrs Lynch	Mr & Mrs Humphrey	
READERS	C Iley/J Haigh	S Donnellan/S McEvoy	
OFFERTORY	Tobin Family	P Widdall	
COUNTERS TEAM (A)	P Anwyll/C Webb/J Brown		
	Sunday 4 th November	£ 436.24	
	October Bankers Orders £2,295	£ 275.33 (£344.16 gift aided)	
	£2,754 gift aided	£ 711.57	

*Youth Sunday will be celebrated at St Thomas' on Sunday 25th November
With Mass at 10.30 am. All are welcome with refreshments afterwards*