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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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18th November 2018 - 33rd SUNDAY OF YEAR – B

BREVIARY WEEK : 1

WORD FOR TODAY

Eventually, no one knows when, time will come to an end.

If our existence has any sense or meaning then our actions here and now will have consequences.

God will weigh our lives and judge our worth. We can prepare for this only by days of fruitful service of God and others.

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***

Traidcraft Stall today Sunday 18th November

There will be a stall selling Traidcraft goods in the Parish Centre this Sunday 18th November after the 9.15 am Mass and in Church after the 6.30 mass. 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.

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.

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). Tickets will be on sale after Masses from this weekend or from the Parish Centre bar or by email from martin.mclean2@ntlworld.com Price £5.

PIETY PLUS

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).

OSCAR ROMERO FILM will be shown in No. 10, Sunday 2nd December at 11.00am.

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?

Please sign the sheet at the back of the church or in the Parish Centre if you would like to be involved.

Events next week:

- You can 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 .

YOUTH SUNDAY COLLECTION

Next weekend we celebrate Youth Sunday. Bishop Seamus and the Youth Ministry Trust wish to thank you for your generous contributions to last year’s collection and for all you have done throughout the year to support our young people on their faith journey. There will be a collection next week to support the work of YMT. Envelopes are available if you would like the opportunity to Gift Aid your donation. ***There will be a Youth Mass celebration at St Thomas’ next Sunday at 10.30am followed by tea and biscuits.***

CLEANING AND RESTORATION OF SIDE ALTARS

The scaffolding has now been put in place and they hope to have it all completed before Christmas. Some of the cleaning has already been done, starting from the floor and working upwards. If you have any queries would you please email jolyon@tradefair.co.uk

First Reading: Daniel 12:1-3

At that time Michael will stand up, the great prince who mounts guard over your people. There is going to be a time of great distress, unparalleled since nations first came into existence. When that time comes, your own people will be spared, all those whose names are found written in the Book. Of those who lie sleeping in the dust of the earth many will awake, some to everlasting life, some to shame and everlasting disgrace. The learned will shine as brightly as the vault of heaven, and those who have instructed many in virtue, as bright as stars for all eternity.

The Psalm

Preserve me God, I take refuge in you.

Second Reading: Hebrews 10:11-14.18

All the priests stand at their duties every day, offering over and over again the same sacrifices which are quite incapable of taking sins away. Christ, on the other hand, has offered one single sacrifice for sins, and then taken his place for ever, at the right hand of God, where he is now waiting until his enemies are made into a footstool for him. By virtue of that one single offering, he has achieved the eternal perfection of all whom he is sanctifying. When all sins have been forgiven, there can be no more sin offerings.

Gospel: Mark 13:24-32

Jesus said to his disciples: 'In those days, after the time of distress, the sun will be darkened, the moon will lose its brightness, the stars will come falling from heaven and the powers in the heavens will be shaken. And then they will see the Son of Man coming in the clouds with great power and glory; then too he will send the angels to gather his chosen from the four winds, from the ends of the world to the ends of heaven.

'Take the fig tree as a parable: as soon as its twigs grow supple and its leaves come out, you know that summer is near. So with you when you see these things happening: know that he is near, at the very gates. I tell you solemnly, before this generation has passed away all these things will have taken place. Heaven and earth will pass away, but my words will not pass away.

'But as for that day or hour, nobody knows it, neither the angels of heaven, nor the Son; no one but the Father.'

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As the Church's year draws to a close we think of the end of times.
Does my conduct here on earth have any effect on what will happen to me
when I die?
Am I making life choices that speak loudly of my desire to be with God for
eternity?
Or am I exercising my right to ignore or shelve what God asks of me?

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.

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.

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

CHRISTMAS FAYRES

Saturday 1st December – St Teresa’s Autumn Fayre

Saturday 15th December – St Anne’s Christmas Social Evening after 5pm Mass – Live Music, Shared Table, Raffle & Bottle Tombola – All Welcome

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.

PADDINGTON BEAR

This week	£5.57
Money in Bank	£387.63
Total Collected	£31,855.51



COFFEES AFTER MASS

are hosted by Zoe -
Air Ambulance



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

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

INNER WHEEL CLUB OF DARLINGTON – ANNUAL CHARITY COFFEE MORNING

On Thursday 22nd November 10am – 12 noon in St Augustine's Parish Centre. Christmas Stall, Cake Stall, plus lots more.

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

<u>November 18th</u>		<u>33rd SUNDAY OF YEAR B</u>	
SUNDAY	St Augustine's St Augustine's	9.15 am 6.30 pm	Maureen Harrison RIP Canon James Rooney RIP
MONDAY	No. 10	12.15 pm	NO MASS
TUESDAY	St Augustine's	12.15 pm	Eucharistic Service
WEDNESDAY	No. 10	7.00 pm	Margaret Rickaby RIP
THURSDAY	St Augustine's	12.15 pm	In Thanksgiving (Ray&Barbara Abbott)
FRIDAY	No. 10	7.00 pm	Howell Hawkins RIP
SATURDAY	St Augustine's	10.00 am	Clare Whalen 80 th Birthday Followed by CONFESSIONS
SUNDAY 25 TH November Christ the King	St Augustine's St Augustine's	9.15 am 6.30 pm	Mgr Philip Holroyd RIP Elsie O'Connor 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 25 th November		
	9.15 am		6.30 pm
WELCOMERS	St Augustine's Academy	Mr & Mrs Webster	
READERS	St Augustine's Academy	J Devine/S Hughes	
OFFERTORY	St Augustine's Academy	Jacinta Crowe	
COUNTERS TEAM (B)	T Appleton/ G Harrison/J Poad/G Doherty		
	Sunday 11 th November	£ 593.40	
	October Bankers Orders £2,295	£ 196.09 (£ 245.11 gift aided)	
	£2,754 gift aided	£ 789.49	

***Darlington Town Centre Churches – Readings & Music for Advent
Sunday 2nd December 6.30pm - St Cuthberts.***

If anybody would like to represent us and do a short reading please see Fr Gordon.