

St Anne, St Augustine, Holy Family, St Mary, St Osmund

Hogarth Partnership

St Teresa, St Thomas Aquinas, SS William & Francis De Sales

ST AUGUSTINE'S BULLETIN

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26th May 2019 – 6th Sunday of Easter Year C

BREVIARY WEEK : 2

WORD FOR TODAY

The peace that Jesus offers is not some woolly contented feeling but a call to his followers to make peace a reality.

It is god's spirit in our hearts that urges us to be peacemakers.

and this peace is more than the mere absence of conflict; it is the deep-rooted knowledge that, whatever the danger, we

are held in the palm of God's hand.

JUSTICE & PEACE MEETING

The next J&P meeting is planned for Wednesday 29th May after the 7pm Mass in 10 St Augustine's Court.

LITURGY MEETING

The next Liturgy meeting is planned for Wednesday 5th June after the 7pm Mass in 10 St Augustine's Court.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2020

Parents meetings have been arranged on:

Thursday 13th June Thursday 11th July

These will take place in No. 10 St Augustine's Court, at 7pm.

BAPTISM COURSE



Where? St Augustine's Parish Centre

When? Wednesday 5th & 12th June 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.

ASCENSION OF OUR LORD – THURSDAY 30TH MAY

This is a holyday of Obligation and Mass will be at

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| Wednesday 29 th May | St Williams | 7.00 pm |
| Thursday 30 th May | St Thomas' | 9.00 am |
| | St Teresa's | 9.30 am |
| | St Mary's Barnard Castle | 10.00 am |
| | Holy Family | 11.00 am |
| | St Augustine's | 12.15 pm |
| | St Anne's | 12.15 pm |
| | St Augustine's | 7.00 pm |
| | St Osmund's | 7.00 pm |

WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY – SUNDAY 2ND JUNE

A collection will take place at all masses next weekend. Prayer cards available at the back of Church.

Elsbeth and Chris invite you to the
Kumi Community Foundation Annual Open Day

on Saturday 1st June at 2 Upsall Drive, Darlington DL3 8RB Tel: 01325 465469
11.00 am to 4.00 pm

Donations of tombola prizes and cakes will be most welcome. Thank you!
Cakes and help at the **June Sunday Masses** in the Parish Centre will also be
very welcome. <http://www.kumicommunityfoundation.co.uk>

NORTHERN CROSS AGM IN DARLINGTON

The Northern Cross Annual General Meeting will take place on Wednesday
5th June, 7.00pm at St Anne's Church Hall, Welbeck Ave, Darlington. All are
welcome & light refreshments will be served after the meeting. Please
advise the Northern Cross office if you would like to attend Tel 01325 464008
or text 07446128433 or email norcross@btconnect.com.

FIRST COMMUNIONS take place here on Saturday 15th June at 10.30am,
please remember all the children in your prayers.

There are some lovely cards, gifts, rosary beads, etc in our Piety Shop –
please take a look.

MUSIC & WORSHIP WITH MATT MAHER

Come and join in an evening of Praise, Worship and Adoration led by eight
time Grammy nominee, Matt Maher on Wednesday 29th May from 7-9pm at
St Mary's Cathedral.

Tickets are priced at £10 each to cover costs.

<http://buytickets.at/cathedraltour> Tickets will also be on sale on the door.

STEPPS SUMMER PLAYS STEPPS are presenting two one act plays at
Bondgate Methodist Church Hall on **Friday 7th June 7.15pm & Saturday 8th
June at 2.00pm & 7.15pm**. The first play is Wuthering Heights & the second
an original comedy, St Genevieve's Charity Shop.

Tickets £6.50 Adults, £4.50 Concessions. Tel : 01325 526339 to buy tickets.

**Please be aware, Wuthering Heights contains some dramatic scenes of
violence.**

WANTED – Multi-drawer lockable filing cabinet. Please see Fr Gordon

First Reading: Acts 15:1-2.22-29

Some men came down from Judaea and taught the brothers, Unless you have yourselves circumcised in the tradition of Moses you cannot be saved. This led to disagreement, and after Paul and Barnabas had had a long argument with these men it was arranged that Paul and Barnabas and others of the church should go up to Jerusalem and discuss the problem with the apostles and elders.

Then the apostles and elders decided to choose delegates to send to Antioch with Paul and Barnabas; the whole church concurred with this. They chose Judas known as Barrabbas and Silas, both leading men in the brotherhood, and gave them this letter to take with them:

The apostles and elders, your brothers, send greetings to the brothers of pagan birth in Antioch, Syria and Cilicia. We hear that some of our members have disturbed you with their demands and have unsettled your minds. They acted without any authority from us, and so we have decided unanimously to elect delegates and to send them to you with Barnabas and Paul, men we highly respect who have dedicated their lives to the name of our Lord Jesus Christ. Accordingly we are sending you Judas and Silas, who will confirm by word of mouth what we have written in this letter. It has been decided by the Holy Spirit and by ourselves not to saddle you with any burden beyond these essentials: you are to abstain from food sacrificed to idols, from blood, from the meat of strangled animals and from fornication. Avoid these, and you will do what is right. Farewell.

THE PSALM

Alleluia!

Second Reading: Apocalypse 21:10-14.22-23

In the spirit, the angel took me to the top of an enormous high mountain and showed me Jerusalem, the holy city, coming down from God out of heaven. It had all the radiant glory of God and glittered like some precious jewel of crystal-clear diamond. The walls of it were of a great height, and had twelve gates; at each of the twelve gates there was an angel, and over the gates

were written the names of the twelve tribes of Israel; on the east there were three gates, on the north three gates, on the south three gates, and on the west three gates. The city walls stood on twelve foundation stones, each one of which bore the name of one of the twelve apostles of the Lamb.

I saw that there was no temple in the city since the Lord God Almighty and the Lamb were themselves the temple, and the city did not need the sun or the moon for light, since it was lit by the radiant glory of God and the Lamb was a lighted torch for it.

Gospel: John 14:23-29

Jesus said to his disciples:

'If anyone loves me he will keep my word,
and my Father will love him,
and we shall come to him
and make our home with him.

Those who do not love me do not keep my words.

And my word is not my own:
it is the word of the one who sent me.

I have said these things to you
while still with you;
but the Advocate, the Holy Spirit,
whom the Father will send in my name,
will teach you everything
and remind you of all I have said to you.

Peace I bequeath to you,
my own peace I give you,
a peace the world cannot give, this is my gift to you.

Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid.

You heard me say:

I am going away, and shall return.

If you loved me you would have been glad to know that I am going to the Father, for the Father is greater than I.

I have told you this now before it happens,
so that when it does happen you may believe.'

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REFLECTION – Signposts on the footpath of peace

To be glad of life, because it gives you a chance to love,
to work, to play, and to look up at the stars.

To despise nothing in the world except what is false and mean.

To fear nothing except what is cowardly.

To be guided by what you admire and love,
rather than by what you hate.

To envy nothing that is your neighbour's
except his kindness of heart and gentleness of manner.

To think seldom of your enemies, often of your friends,
and everyday of Christ.

And to spend as much time as you can, with body and with spirit,
in God's out-of doors.

These are little signposts on the footpath of peace. (Henry van Dyke)

HOSPITALLER ORDER OF ST JOHN OF GOD

Will be celebrating their annual Memorial Mass in St Augustine's Church at
11.30am on Monday 3rd June – all are welcome.

HELPERS NEEDED

We would like to have a small team of people who could be contacted to
help with light refreshments on occasions in the Parish Centre. If you would
"like to/be able to" put your name forward, please let us know.

ANNUAL INTERPARISH QUIZ (please note change of date)

Saturday 15th June in Holy Family Parish Centre. Doors open at 7.30pm for
8.00pm start. As we are now a Partnership, I think it is even more important
that each Parish is represented by at least one team. I try to make it
entertaining as well as testing the old grey matter. As we provide a light
supper it would be helpful if we had numbers in advance.

£1 per person. Trophy for Main Quiz & for Music Quiz.

With Thanks, Vince Rose Tel: 01325 353802

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 7.30 - 10.30pm

'Serve the Lord with Gladness' Day of Reflection for all Ministries

St Joseph's Parish Hall, Gateshead. Saturday 15 June, 10.30am – 3.30pm.

BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL AS PLACES ARE LIMITED.

A further day will be arranged later in the year for anyone who is unable to attend either of the above.

For further information and to book please contact Department for Liturgy – Tel: 0191 243 3312 or email liturgy@diocesehn.org.uk

PIETY SHOP: NEW STOCK

Craft packs, just in time for half term, now available in the Piety Shop.

All packs include:- paints; a glue stick; scissors; a pencil; coloured and patterned card and paper; envelopes; peel off stickers and a variety of 'bits and bobs' (sequins, buttons, beads, braids etc) Everything in one folder. *Why not bring your completed creations in and we will display it in the Shop for everyone to see.* Price £4. All profits to SVP.

We also have some new Congratulation cards as well as beautiful First Communion Cards/rosaries/books etc.

DARLINGTON TOWN MISSION are looking for an Assistant Missioner (14 hours per week). They are a small local Christian based charity whose vision is to reduce isolation and provide companionship for elderly people, focusing on the Over 80's here in Darlington. If you would like more information please see the the notice on the board or contact Mr Brian Simpson on 264145. Closing date is 14th June 2019.



COFFEES AFTER MASS

Provided by CAFOD

| <u>May 26th</u> | | <u>6th SUNDAY OF EASTER – YEAR C</u> | |
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| SUNDAY | St Augustine's St Augustine's | 9.15 am 6.30 pm | Anthony & Monica Morgan RIP Arthur & Win Gaddass RIP |
| MONDAY – St Augustine of Canterbury | No. 10 | 12.15 pm | Nancy & Michael McGowan RIP |
| TUESDAY | St Augustine's | 12.15 pm | Eucharistic Service |
| WEDNESDAY | No. 10 | 7.00 pm | Ints. of Our Lady Followed by J&P Meeting |
| THURSDAY Ascension of Our Lord | St Augustine's St Augustine's | 12.15 pm 7.00 pm | Madeleine Carrabine RIP Canon James Rooney RIP |
| FRIDAY | St Augustine's | 1.45 pm | Req. Mass Peter Forrest RIP |
| SATURDAY | St Augustine's | 10.00 am | Anne Mitchell RIP Followed by Confessions |
| SUNDAY 2 nd June 7 th Sunday of Easter Year C | St Augustine's St Augustine's | 9.15 am 6.30 pm | Personal Ints (LGS) Mary & Rose Kane RIP |
| THOSE WHO ARE SICK | Please remember Fr Gary Dickson, Fr Richard Harriott, Fr Wilfrid Elkin, 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, Philip Robinson, Elizabeth Leeman, Michael Grogan, Madeleine Swift, Joan McIntyre and those looking after them. | | |
| LATELY DEAD | Peter Forrest | | |
| ANNIVERSARIES | May Anniversaries – Beatrice Prior, Dick Hansell, Ellie McFarthing, Ronnie Tempest, Elsie Lawley, Patrick Killeen, Frank Connolly, Sarah Danks, Hugh McGee, Carole Charlton, May Smollett, Carazon Thompson, Sue Gatenby, Maria Alden, David Whalen. May they rest in peace. | | |
| MINISTERS | SUNDAY 2 nd June | | |
| | 9.15 am | | 6.30 pm |
| WELCOMERS | Mr & Mrs Brockley/C McAllister | C Spence/B Dunleavy | |
| READERS | F Ingham/M Frank | J Devine/P Mann | |
| OFFERTORY | Ruth Crosby-Stewart | Mr & Mrs Humphrey | |
| COUNTERS TEAM (A) | P Anwyll/C Webb/J Brown | | |