

Weekday Mass Times and Intentions St Francis St Augustine

Mon 9.30am In thanksgiving for kindnesses received (Anne Farrell)
Tue 12noon Bernadette McDonnell (Maureen and Jim Ball)
Wed 10.00am Hannah and Dan O'Connor (Anniv's) (Molloy family)
Thu 7.30pm Clive Hodges (90th Birthday Int's) (Susan and Michael Jones)
Fri 9.15am Year 4 Class Mass in School
7.30pm Tony Highton (Breda and Tony Stokes)
Sat 10.00am People of the Parish
Michael Hayes (Kari and Ian Gordon and family)

St Augustine's Church is usually open for prayer daily from about 9am – 4pm
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 10.30am – 11.00am and 4.45 pm – 5.15 pm

Feast days:

Tue 31 Jan St John Bosco, Priest and Educator of children
Thu 2 Feb **Feast of the Presentation of our Lord in the Temple (Candlemas)**
Fri 3 Feb St. Blaise, Bishop and Martyr

Collections recently:

22 January 2017: £1224-48 Standing Orders: £500 approx.

Thank you for your great generosity

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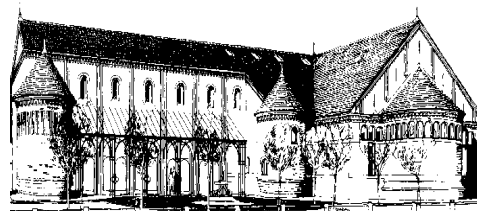
Please pray for those who are sick:

Michael and John Carpenter, Elsa Hewett, Nancy Kirkbride, Joan O'Leary, Susan Griffin, Connie Pope, Pat Harris, Alan Barry, Thomas Lewis, Cathy Jones, Joan Stepien, Tom Clark, Derek Adams, Frank Ward, Kathleen O'Connor, Paul and Gabrielle Crawforth, Helen Booth, Teresa Gleeson, Rita Hibbitts, Margaret Rosier, Kitty Ostrowicz, Mary Taylor, Leila Sewell, Joan Freyne, Agnes Pauling, Dennis Menezes, Betty Wartier, Allan Marshall, Mary and Andrew Hartley, Helen Mulcaster, Marie Hill, Eileen Crean, Eileen Seavers, Noel Heaton, Win Fowler, Joyce and Clive Hodges, Julia Calderbank, Jeff Webb, Sid Simmonds, Christina Kelly, Gerry Kersey, Helen Williams, Ann and Jim Rixon, Barbara Hodge, Molly St John, Holly Smith, Zena Grindlay, Patrick Kenny, Bert Perkins, Jane McSharry, Robert Rhodes, Florence Stokes, Tony Coutts-Smith, Father David Mellor, Father Patrick Daly, Eileen Hunt, Alejandro Ferrer, Sheila Simmonds, Niall and Margaret Bailey, Sheila Williams, Pat Hickson, Rosemarie Finnegan, Tom O' Hare, Noreen Davies, Rebekah Turner, Maura Jelly, Fred Hodge, Colin Cardinal, Frank Horisk, Aidan Childs, Nina Humble, Peter Pawley and Pat Adams.

Those who have died recently: Cyril McClair, Robert Webster, Michael Hills, Oscar Baker, Dennis Chan.

The Catholic Parish of Kenilworth

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Notices for week commencing

Sunday 29 January 2017

The Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time Year A
Psalter Week 4

Sunday Mass Times and Intentions

St Francis

St Augustine

Sat **5.30pm** Tom and Mary Reeves (Anniv) (Brid, Richard and family)
NOTE NEW MASS TIME

Sun 8am Celebrant's Intention

9.30am Sinead O'Toole (Julie Poole and family)

11.15am Mary Shevlin (Members of the CWL)

Next Sunday

St Francis

St Augustine

Sat **5.30pm** Robert Hazelwood (Maureen and family)
NOTE NEW MASS TIME

Sun 8am Philomena Molloy

9.30am Michael Reynolds (2nd Anniv.) (Family)

(Sage family)

11.15am Pauline Smith (Jane and John Leek)

THIS SUNDAY: FRIENDS OF THE HOLY LAND

Over the weekend of **28 / 29 January** Peter Rand will share his first-hand experiences of the situation in the Holy Land when he speaks at each Mass and there **will be a second collection for the work of Friends of the Holy Land.**

ANNUAL CRIB COLLECTION: 'LET THE CHILDREN LIVE!'

The total collection at Christmas was £1770-17! Thanks to you all for your generous crib donations over the season of Christmas out of devotion to our new-born Saviour. I wish to thank most sincerely, the members of SALVE, who raised **£100** as a result of their pre-Christmas sale of mince pies etc. and to thank all those who supported them. This total will make a **significant** difference to the work of 'Let the Children Live!'

NEXT SUNDAY: ANNUAL PRO-LIFE CHARITY COLLECTION

The collection in 2017 will take place at all masses over **4 / 5 February**. I commend to you this collection for such an important work locally based and working nationally.

CYRIL MCCLAIR RIP

We offer our sympathy to Ethel and John Ryan after the recent death of Ethel's brother Cyril. He had battled his serious illness bravely for a long time. May he rest in peace and may all the family know our Lord's comfort.

MICHAEL HILLS RIP

Michael, eldest son of the late Margaret and Ivan Hills, has died recently. We extend our sympathy to his wife Claire, and to all the family. Michael's body will be received into St Francis' Church on **Monday 6 February at 5.30pm** and his Requiem Mass will be the following day, **Tuesday 7 February at 1.00 pm**. May he rest in peace.

REPOSITORY

Various items relating to the Confirmation Mass on 16 February are available at the Repository. Coming up also, items for St Patrick's Day, Mothering Sunday and Easter.

FROM GIO BUCCI, COORDINATOR OF THE CHILDREN'S LITURGY

The Children's Liturgy takes place at 9.30am mass every Sunday during term time. There are 2 groups. The young group is designed for children up to and including Year 2 at school. The older group is aimed at those children only in Years 3 to 6 at school.

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS ON 2 AND 3 FEBRUARY

On Thursday, 2 February we shall keep the Feast of the Presentation of our Lord in the Temple or 'Candlemass'. This celebration, forty days after Christmas, reminds us that Christ is the Light of the Nations and the Glory of Israel.

The solemn entrance into church and traditional candle blessing will be observed at the evening mass at 7.30pm at St Francis' Church.

The Blessing of the throats for **St Blaise's Day** will be given at the **7.30pm Mass the following day on Friday, 3 February at St Francis' Church.**

DAY OF EUCHARISTIC ADORATION FOR VOCATIONS

The date given to us by the Archdiocese for 2017 is **Sunday, 12 February**. This will be observed this year at **St Francis's Church**. **Please book the date and sign up for a period of personal prayer on the charts in both churches.**

LITURGICAL CELEBRATIONS THIS YEAR

Ash Wednesday	1 March (Lent begins)
Palm Sunday	9 April (Holy Week begins)
Easter Day	16 April
Ascension Day	28 May (now Sunday)
Pentecost	4 June
Corpus et Sanguis Christi	18 June (now Sunday)

May Our Lord richly bless our liturgical life during this New Year.

'ST AUSTIN'S 175' CELEBRATION

I am delighted to be able to tell you that a group of people, invited by the Parish Pastoral Council, is in the process of putting together a Celebration in the Parish for the 175th Anniversary of the celebration of mass for the first time at St Austin's Church. **It will be on Saturday 3 June at 12 noon, and there will be a Mass celebrated by the Archbishop and concelebrating priests.** This will be followed by a buffet lunch. Further details will be available soon but at the moment, **please book the date** and keep it free to share in such a wonderful parish event!

PASTIMES

Meetings are on Mondays 2 – 4pm in the Parish Centre, with Craft Corner (knitting, needlework etc), Bridge, Whist, Scrabble etc. and refreshments. Subscription is 40p.

ST FRANCIS' PARENTS' AND TODDLERS' GROUPS

The **Monday** group meets at the Parish Centre from 10 – 11.15am. There is also a **Wednesday** group at Crackley Hall from 10 – 11.30am.

ST AUGUSTINE'S PARENTS' AND TODDLERS' GROUP

This meets on **Tuesdays** at the Kids Club adjacent to the school from 10 - 11.30 am.

OFFERTORY COUNTERS

This Sun: T Stokes, J Barr, P Haley

Next Sun: P Rand, J Kidman, P Ryan

CHURCH CLEANING

St Francis' S MacMahon, J Roberts, S Tinsley

St Augustine's: D McKay, C Hayward

EVERY BLESSING AND GOOD WISHES TO YOU ALL, Father Kevin.