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CORPUS CHRISTI & TENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

PUBLIC MASS AND LITURGY TIMES

Friday	4th		10:30am	Mass	(Alan Sutton RIP)
Friday	4th		11:10am	Burial of Ashes	of David Watson
Saturday	5th	The Body &	6:00pm	Vigil Mass	(James & Mary McGowan)
Sunday	6th	Blood of Christ	8:30am	Mass	(John McNicholas RIP)
Sunday	6th		10:30am	Mass	(Tom Regan RIP)
Friday	11th	Sacred Heart of Jesus	10:30am	Mass	Renewal of our planet
Saturday	12th	Eleventh Sunday	6:00pm	Vigil Mass	World Peace
Sunday	13th	In Ordinary Time	8:30am	Mass	Those living in Fear
Sunday	13th		10:30am	Mass	People of the Parish

MASSES WITHOUT A CONGREGATION – LIVE- STREAMED ON FACEBOOK

Wednesday	9th	St Columba	7:00am	Mass	(Mike Watson RIP)
Thursday	10th		9:00am	Mass	People of the Parish

CONFESSIONS - SATURDAYS AT 5:15PM OR BY APPOINTMENT.

CORPUS ET SANGUINIS CHRISTI

The Body and Blood of Christ, transferred this year to Sunday 6th June.

What St Augustine had to say:- “So the Lord willed to impart His Body, and His Blood which He shed for the remission of sins. If you have received well, you are that which you have received.” (Sermon 227)

“Your mystery is laid on the table of the Lord, your mystery you receive.” (Sermon 272)

RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

The Bishops of England and Wales have now decreed that in the light of the reduced dangers of catching or transmitting the coronavirus Holy Communion on the tongue, either standing or kneeling, will now be allowed. If this is how you prefer to share in the Eucharist the Bishops ask you to approach the altar towards the end of Holy Communion as and when everybody else has finished. What is not yet permitted however is reception from the chalice.

KNEELING IN THE PEWS

To express our devotion and love of the Lord, those of us who are able, like to kneel down. In the interests of Covid security could you please refrain from kneeling if that means being too close to the people in the pew in front of you. Thank you.

FROM FATHER MICHAEL

Synodality is not a word that immediately falls off the tongue. Pope Francis has just announced a synodal process across the whole church – bishops, priests and people dialoguing together, listening together, and planning for the future together – which will culminate in an international synod in Rome in October 2023.

Those of us who have come to the Catholic church from an Anglican background might not be so enamoured with the idea of synods, often exacerbating great divisions within the Church. Pope Francis, on the contrary, wants to avoid the parliamentary model, with the winner takes all kind of mentality. What Pope Francis would appear to be advocating is a listening exercise, a consensus seeking exercise, and a genuine search for spiritual discernment. He wants everyone to play their part. He wants us all to fulfil our vocation as God's Holy People.

All this chimes in very well with what I was suggesting last week – a coming together as a parish for a re-launch in the vaccinated and post lockdown world. Whether the 24th June is going to be feasible remains to be seen. Watch this space.

One aspect of parish life that is vital for our future is that of **Safeguarding**. I am very pleased therefore to be able to announce that the diocese have now appointed a new parish **Safeguarding Representative**:-

Josianne Cachia Email josianne@hotmail.co.uk Telephone 01872271556. Mobile 07745974490
So any safeguarding concerns do not hesitate to contact her. I am very grateful to her for taking up this important role.

YOUNG CATHOLICS, NEW CATHOLICS, RECEPTION INTO THE CHURCH AND FIRST HOLY COMMUNION.

Our parish catechists are getting together on the 9th June to do some learning and praying together with a view to discerning the way ahead. If you have any thoughts or ideas do please come forward. Please pray for them and for me!

AUTUMN FAYRE – SATURDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER

Please put this date in your diary, start collecting those bottles, there will be some stalls inside and some outside in the car park. Pray for good weather!

CATENIAN TREASURE HUNT

This is a car treasure hunt organised by the Duchy Catenians on Sunday 13th June. From 11:30am /12noon. We will be leaving from St Augustine's car park. Final destination PL26 8UQ No 1 Penwithich Road. About 30 mins drive. Bring your own picnic (socially distanced). Hot drinks provided. Hopefully outside but provision for all weather!. Entry £5 per car profits to Catenian president's charity. Everyone welcome, do come and join in.

ST AUGUSTINE'S REPOSITORY & BOOKSHOP – in the Cuthbert Mayne Room. We are delighted to see so many parishioners visiting our repository after the weekly public Masses. Thank you for supporting our parish.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK and especially:- Helen Ledwidge, Yvonne Bradbury, Jesus Mauri-Oria, David Nugent, Angela Alderman, Joseph Poole, Pauline Pallet, Val Cain, Pauline Abdey, Fred Abraham, Sylvia Austin, Brendan Bowe, Teiaia Bradbury, Paul Briscoe, James & Margaret Clapp, Joanne Clarkson, Maureen Coles, Sue Dugmore, Elaine Gladwin, Suzi Hill, Teresita Hill, Carmen Matthews, Sarah Mitchell, Mary O'Brien, June Parsons, Edwina Porter-Duncan, Sylvia Ryan, Amanda Stickney, Paddy Wellington, Pauline Whitford and Sally Wilson.

To share in our Masses online: YouTube: **Saint Augustine of Hippo St Austell**

Facebook page: **St Augustine of Hippo R C Church** (please note the space between R & C)

There are direct links from our website: www.augustineofhippo.com