

NINETEENTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME

9 AUGUST 2020

A Message from the Parish Priest

Dear Parishioners,

As the school summer break draws to a close, I wanted to give you a short parish update. After a few weeks of public Masses again it seems that the system we have in place is working well. I thank Antoinette Parr all our church stewards for looking after procedures in the church. I also thank parishioners for patiently abiding by the procedures, especially hand sanitising and wearing face coverings in church. Our telephone booking system also seems to be working well, with our Masses now booked up throughout the week. Please remember that you may need to call early in the week to ensure a place at your regular Mass. Please also note that the phonline opening hours will change this coming Monday. See details in the box below. We will also align the opening hours of the Stay Connected phonline to the same opening hours as the Mass booking line (Mon - Sat from 11am - 1pm). I thank the Stay Connected volunteers for the hours of work they put into the project each day.

This weekend I ask that we show solidarity with the people of Beirut in Lebanon who have faced devastation as a result of the enormous blast which ripped through their city, killing dozens of people and injuring many thousands more. Please pray for those who are left homeless and forced to live in dire conditions. Please also consider assisting our special collection this weekend. Donations can be made online via our website or by posting them through the Parish House door.

Finally, I am very conscious that our young people and teachers return to school again this week. I know that enormous preparations have been undertaken by the headteachers and staff to ensure the children are safe at school. Please take note of the arrangements for the initial phased return of year groups within North Lanarkshire:

PRIMARY SCHOOLS: Wed 12th Aug for P1, P2 & P3 / Thurs 13th Aug for P1, P4, P5, P6 & P7
Thereafter from Fri 14th Aug: All pupils

SECONDARY SCHOOLS: Wed 12th Aug: S1, S2 & S3 / Thurs 13th Aug: S1, S4, S5 & S6
Thereafter from Fri 14th Aug: All pupils

ASN SCHOOLS have their own individual arrangements. Please contact the school directly.

NURSERY classes in primary schools return on Wednesday 12th August.

Masses at St. Augustine's (Max. 50 persons at each Mass)

Saturday: Vigil 5pm Sunday: 10am, 12pm, 5pm Mon-Sat: 10am

Confessions: Saturdays from 11am - 12pm in the Church porch (screened area)

Call 01236 427538 to reserve a place for Mass.

Phonline open Mon - Sat from 11am - 1pm *UPDATED*

We want to remind the elderly, vulnerable or isolated members of our community that we remain close to you. We are here to help you stay connected to others in a variety of different ways.

Can we help to give you some support?

Contact us if you feel lonely or isolated.
We offer friendship and support at the end of a phone.



You may also need someone to take care of essential errands such as:

- Providing urgent assistance with food or toiletries
- Delivering essential pet foods
- Or responding to some other practical need



Simply call the number at the bottom of this leaflet and we will offer you help, support and friendship to ensure you **STAY CONNECTED**.

Can you help us give support to others?

- We need healthy volunteers to assist in taking phone calls at St. Augustine's Parish, Dundyvan Road, Coatbridge.
- We also need 'runners' to make essential errands for the elderly and isolated.
- We need people to donate foodstuffs to stock our **People's Pantry** Foodbank which will be used to provide for those unable to leave their homes at this time.

Finally, you may wish to give a financial donation to support the **Stay Connected** project which will be used to purchase supplies. You can leave a donation at St. Augustine's Parish or donate online at:

www.saintaugustines.org.uk/stayconnected



Call our 'Stay Connected' phone line on:
01236 427538 from 11am - 1pm Mon - Sat.

You can donate to support our Coatbridge Stay Connected project via our Justgiving page at:

<https://www.justgiving.com/crowdfunding/coatbridge-stay-connected>

Or to donate £5 simply text **CONNECT** to **70970**

PARISH TIMETABLE FOR THE WEEK AHEAD

<p>Sunday 9 August Nineteenth Sunday of Ordinary Time</p>	<p>10.00am Mass (Book via phonenumber to attend) 12.00 noon Mass (Book via phonenumber to attend) 3.00pm The Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Broadcast online) 4.00pm Station of the Cross (Broadcast online) 5.00pm Mass (Book via phonenumber to attend) 6.00pm Holy Hour of Adoration & Benediction (Broadcast online)</p>
<p>Monday 10 August Saint Laurence, Deacon & Martyr</p>	<p>10.00am Mass (Book via phonenumber to attend) <i>Followed by the Chaplet of St. Michael (Broadcast online)</i> 12pm The Angelus (Broadcast online) 3.00pm The Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Broadcast online) 4.00pm Station of the Cross (Broadcast online) 6.00pm The Holy Rosary (Broadcast online)</p>
<p>Tuesday 11 August Saint Clare, Virgin</p>	<p>10.00am Mass (Book via phonenumber to attend) 12pm The Angelus (Broadcast online) 3.00pm The Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Broadcast online) 4.00pm Station of the Cross (Broadcast online) 6.00pm The Holy Rosary (Broadcast online)</p>
<p>Wednesday 12 August Nineteenth Week of Ordinary Time</p>	<p>10.00am Mass (Book via phonenumber to attend) 12pm The Angelus (Broadcast online) 3.00pm The Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Broadcast online) 4.00pm Station of the Cross (Broadcast online) 6.00pm The Holy Rosary (Broadcast online)</p>
<p>Thursday 13 August Nineteenth Week of Ordinary Time</p>	<p>10.00am Mass (Book via phonenumber to attend) <i>Followed by Our Lady Untier of Knots Novena (Broadcast)</i> 12pm The Angelus (Broadcast online) 3.00pm The Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Broadcast online) 4.00pm Station of the Cross (Broadcast online) 6.00pm The Holy Rosary (Broadcast online)</p>
<p>Friday 14 August Saint Maximilian Kolbe, Priest & Martyr</p>	<p>10.00am Mass (Book via phonenumber to attend) 12pm The Angelus (Broadcast online) 3.00pm The Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Broadcast online) 4.00pm Station of the Cross (Broadcast online) 6.00pm The Holy Rosary (Broadcast online)</p>
<p>Saturday 15 August Votive Mass of Our Lady</p>	<p>10.00am Mass (Book via phonenumber to attend) 11am - 12pm Confession (Screened area in Church porch) 12pm The Angelus (Broadcast online) 3.00pm The Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Broadcast online) 4.00pm Station of the Cross (Broadcast online) 5.00pm Vigil Mass (Book via phonenumber to attend) 6.00pm The Holy Rosary (Broadcast online)</p>
<p>Sunday 16 August The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (Solemnity)</p>	<p>10.00am Mass (Book via phonenumber to attend) 12.00 noon Mass (Book via phonenumber to attend) 3.00pm The Chaplet of Divine Mercy (Broadcast online) 4.00pm Station of the Cross (Broadcast online) 5.00pm Mass (Book via phonenumber to attend) 6.00pm Holy Hour of Adoration & Benediction (Broadcast online)</p>

Baptisms can take place once again in the Church. For baptism enquiries please contact the Parish Secretary Margaret Haggarty by calling 01236 423044. Please note there is a maximum of 50 people allowed to attend each private baptism.

Mass Remembrances

Please drop-off Mass intentions through the letterbox of the Parish House or email details.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Rab Bannan.

ANNIVERSARIES / MONTHS MINDS / BIRTHDAY REMEMBRANCES

Rev. Frank Scally; Debbie Davies; Margaret Gallagher; Danny McKay; Peter & Jeanie Hannaway; Catherine McDonald; Mary Hoy.

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Very Rev. Canon N. Hayes; Sandra O'Donnell; John Steele; David Miller; Charlie Donnelly; James Stewart; Alison Black; Anne Campbell; Michael McDade; Anna McGoldrick; Patrick Clare; Frances Smith; John Docharty; Colum Coyle; James Coyle; Irene McLeary; Duncan Miller; Alison McGarrity; Patrick Eli; Bridie McMurray; John Lynch; Cathy Cunningham; William Reid; Annemarie Hughes; Janet McGreavy; Jacqueline Campbell; Joe Malloy; Angela Reynolds-Niemeier; David Johnston; Amelia McKay; James McMorrow; James & Janet McLean; Jim & Esther Harbinson; James Rosie; Frances Travers; Dymphna Mooney; James McElroy; Patrick Murray; Jim Crombie; Margaret Kilday; Margaret Smith; Trevor Howes; Brian O'Neill; Mary Renton; Florrie Cuthbertson; Cindy Gribben; Liam Morgan; Baby Evanna Ras; Ann Campbell; Stephen Lafferty; Baby Jackson Watters; Ruby Kennedy; Eddie Millar; Dana Wilson; John Black; Nan McClafferty (Donegal); Cathy McAleese; Carol Rooney; Danny Sweeney; Barbara Elliot; Ellen Fox; Maddie Sharman.

(Please alert the Parish Office when a name is to be removed from the sick list)

Parish Giving

If you are able, please continue to financially support your parish each week.
Visit www.saintaugustines.org.uk/donate for more information.

1. You can drop your weekly offering in the letterbox of the Parish House.
2. You can donate using the online payment feature on our website
3. You can set-up a regular *standing order* which you can also *Giftaid*.
The online form is available on the Donate page of our site.

Parish Priest: Rev. Fr. Michael John Kane **Deacon:** Rev. Mr. David Harper

Youth Officer: Jan Cavin **Secretary:** Margaret Haggarty **Safeguarding & COVID:** Antoinette Parr

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