

The Parish of St Austin's and English Martyrs, Wakefield

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33rd Sunday of the year - Year B

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Masses this week 18 November to 25 November 2018

DAY	Feast	MASS	LOCATION	INTENTION
Sat 17 November		6.15 pm	St Austin's	John Francis 80 th Birthday In Thanksgiving
Sun 18 November		8.15 am 9.30 am 11.00 am 6.00 pm	St Austin's English Martyrs St Austin's St Austin's	Elizabeth Carberry – RIP November Dead List Pro Populo Priest's Intentions
Mon 19 November		9.30 am	St Austin's	November Dead List
Tue 20 November		12 noon	English Martyrs	Pat Burns – RIP
Wed 21 November		9.30 am	St Austin's	No Mass
Thu 22 November	St Cecelia	12 noon	St Austin's	November Dead List
Fri 23 November	St Clement 1	12 noon	English Martyrs	Eucharistic Service
Sat 24 November		9.30 am 2.00 pm 6.15 pm	St Austin's St Austin's St Austin's	Priest's Intentions <i>Wedding Service</i> <i>Marcus Judd and Jessica Briard</i> November Dead List
Sun 25 November	The Feast of Christ the King	8.15 am 9.30 am 11.00 am 6.00 pm	St Austin's English Martyrs St Austin's St Austin's	Priest's Intentions Priest's Intentions The World and the Church Priest's Intentions

Exposition: Usually half an hour before 9.30 am and 12 noon weekday Masses and after Saturday morning Mass

Novena: Monday 7.00 pm St Austin's

Day of Adoration: First Thursday of the month 10.00 am to 4.00 pm St Austin's. (10.00 am morning prayer, 11.25 am Rosary, Noon Mass followed by adoration of the Blessed Sacrament, 2.15 pm Rosary, 3.00 pm Divine Mercy Chaplet, 3.40 pm Evening Prayer)

First Saturdays Devotion: Act of Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Blessed Virgin Mary. The Rosary will be recited during Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament at 10.00 am. Mass of the day will be offered for this intention.

Sacrament of Reconciliation: St Austin's Saturday 10.00 am – 11.00 am & 5.15 pm to 5.45 pm and on the First Friday of the Month at 7.00 pm before the Latin Mass at 7.30 pm. English Martyrs – Sunday 9.00 am.

Polish Mass: Sunday 3.30 pm St Austin's

Wednesday Word: The parish version, reflecting on next Sunday's readings is online and copies are in both churches. www.wednesdayword.org/parish/resource.htm. This is also available as a link from our parish web site.

Day	Group	Church Centre	Time
Wednesday	Wednesday Friends – Keep Fit	St Austin's	2.00 pm
	Intercessory Praise	English Martyrs	6.30 to 7.30 pm
Thursday	Parents and Toddlers	St Austin's	9.30 am
	Thursday Club	St Austin's	12.30 pm
	Singing for Pleasure	St Austin's	1.30 pm
	RCIA	St Austin's	7.00 pm

UCM AGM Monday 19 November in English Martyrs Parish Centre at 6.30 pm. There will be a short talk on the work of the SVP. Everyone is welcome.

Catholic Film Society: The next meeting will be Tuesday 20 November 2018 in St Austin's Community Centre after the 6.30 pm Holy Mass. Doors open at 7.00 pm, film commences at 7.15 pm. We will be showing "**Blessed Bartolo Longo, Apostle of the Rosary**" a film on the life of this former satanic priest and his conversion from the occult to spiritism and search for a vocation in the Catholic Church [approx. 50 minutes]. Drinks and nibbles available. No charge but donations appreciated to fund the Society. Everyone welcome.

Christ The King Praise. We will be welcoming the Holy Spirit at the annual Christ the King Praise service at 3.00 pm on Sunday 25 November in English Martyrs Church. Everyone is welcome. Come and Make a joyful noise.

There will be a Carol social evening in English Martyrs Parish Centre on Friday 14 December at 7 pm. Tickets will be on sale after Mass

Armistice Centenary Commemoration Service proved to be a poignant and moving occasion. The lives of the 84 soldiers and sailors named on our newly restored War Memorial who died in the Great War were honoured with dignity and respect as were those who were fortunate enough to come home and rebuild their lives after the horrors of the trenches. Many thanks to our distinguished guests for being with us on this very memorable occasion, those who helped in any way and to the Great War Centenary Committee who made this happen especially to Agnes Hoban whose research over many years provided much of the touching content on the lives of the 84 as well as those who came home.

Directory of Parish Activities: At the meeting on Tuesday evening it was decided that we should create a Directory of Parish Activities to help publicise more widely the great range and variety of the life of the parish. To help with this project, there is a form/questionnaire available in the church porch. It would be appreciated if anyone responsible for any activity could complete this and return it to one of the priests as soon as possible.

School Places/applications for one of your Parish Primary Schools. St Austin's and English Martyrs Catholic Primary Schools welcome applications for children aged 4-11 years old. (For nursery places please contact Mrs Catherine Flood, Headteacher of English Martyrs). If you have a child who will be 5 between 1 September 2019 and 31 August 2020 and are looking for an excellent catholic education in your parish, we at St Austin's and English Martyrs would love to hear from you. The closing date for applications for the Reception class, which are made through the Local Authority, is 15 January 2019. You will need to complete a supplementary information forms available from both schools. For enquiries at St Austin's School please call the Headteacher, Mr Flood, on 10924 339435. At English Martyrs please contact the Headteacher, Mrs Floor on 10924 299244.

Gaudete! is the Christmas CD featuring the choir from St Austin's Church. Lots of traditional favourites along with some old and new that will come as a welcoming offering for Christmas. CDs at £10 are available from the shop in the Narthex, from the Choir after 11.00 am Mass on Sunday. By phone on 10924 24364135 or at staustinschoir@blueyonder.co.uk.

Christmas cards, religious advent calendars and gifts are now available from English Martyrs shop at the back of church.

November Dead List: If you would like your loved ones to be remembered in Masses celebrated throughout the year, please list their names and leave an offering in the brown envelopes available in both churches. Their names will be displayed in the sanctuary in St Austin's for the month of November – the month of the Holy Souls.

CAP Christmas Appeal. Every year homeless charity CAP put together Christmas hampers for families in need. Please think of donating non-perishable food, both seasonal and everyday either to their HQ on Market Street or by leaving items in the boxes available at the back of both churches. The appeal closes on 30 November, although food, clothes and toiletries are welcome all year round.

Items for the Bulletin: Please send to priest@catholicchurchwakefield.co.uk before noon on Thursday marked "item for Bulletin"

Collection last week: Envelopes: £870.51 Loose: £601.96 Standing Orders: £760.00 Total: £2232.47

Suzu: £157.11 (4.11.18) Restoration of the War Memorial £414.97 Thank you.

There will be a second collection this weekend for the SVP Society.

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