

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

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20th Sunday of the Year (C)

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Masses this week 18th to 25th August 2019

DAY	FEAST	MASS	LOCATION	INTENTION
Sat 17 August		6.15 pm	St Austin's	Winnie and Harold Bryan A
Sun 18 August		8.15 am 9.30 am 11.00 am 6.00 pm	St Austin's English Martyrs St Austin's St Austin's	Gertrude Katosire – intentions Pro Populo Wakefield Catenians – Mass for Vocations Joao and Arcangela da Costa RIP
Mon 19 August		9 30 am	St Austin's	Derek Shaw - RIP
Tue 20 August	St Bernard	12 noon 1.30 pm	English Martyrs St Austin's	November Dead List Funeral Service – Jean Pugh - RIP
Wed 21 August	St Pius X	9.30 am	St Austin's	Ryan and Audrey D'Costa and family - Thanksgiving
Thu 22 August	Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary	12 noon	St Austin's	Margaret Kenney – RIP
Fri 23 August	St Rose of Lima	12 noon 12 noon	St Austin's English Martyrs	Requiem Mass – Margaret Slingsby – RIP Eucharistic Service
Sat 24 August	St Bartholomew Apostle	9.30 am 6.15 pm	St Austin's St Austin's	Matthew Owen – RIP Altar Servers, especially those leaving this year for University
Sun 125 August		8.15 am 9.30 am 11.00 am 6.00 pm	St Austin's English Martyrs St Austin's St Austin's	Connie Fozzard – A Edward Mincher – A Pro Populo Priest's Intentions

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 Exposition and after Saturday morning Mass. 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
Tuesday	Mass followed by Tuesday Chit Chat	English Martyrs	12 noon
Wednesday	Intercessory Prayer and Praise	English Martyrs	6.30 pm
	Wednesday Friends – Keep Fit	St Austin's	2.00 pm
Thursday	Parents and Toddlers	St Austin's	9.30 am
	Thursday Club – Bingo, Biscuits and Banter	St Austin's	12.30 pm
	Singing for Pleasure	St Austin's	1.30 pm
	SVP (22.8.19)	St Austin's	7.00 pm

200+ Club: July winners were - £200 Sharon Katema (No. 264) and £50 Annemarie Granger (No. 36). See next week's Bulletin for the August winners. New members always welcome @ £2 per month. Bernard will be at Masses either this weekend or next weekend. Thank you.

Locking of St Austin's church during the day: For the time being we have to keep the church locked during the day to prevent a well-known person continuing to make our lives a misery. We are very sorry for this inconvenience but feel we have no alternative at this time. The door will be unlocked before mass and then locked afterwards. If you are working in the church e.g. flower arranging, cleaning etc. please keep the side door locked. Emergency exits are available through the baptistry and the back sacristy. If possible please ensure the toilet door is also kept locked.

Requiem Mass for Teresa Dugan, Tuesday 27 August at 1.30 pm at English Martyrs.

Pilgrimage to Rome: We are hoping to take a parish pilgrimage to Rome from the 30th August to 6th September next year. This will include four nights in the City and a further three nights in the villa of the English College by Lake Albano opposite the Pope's summer palace. There is a full programme of excursions and activities. Full details from Joan Gossner (tel. 242610, after 10th August). The cost is £1,395 per person (sharing in Rome and a single room at the villa) with a £100 supplement for a single room throughout. The cost includes dinner, bed and breakfast daily and lunch on four days. Fr Smith will be leading the pilgrimage as spiritual director.

For the next few weeks, the **Exhibition of the Eucharistic Miracles of the World** can be viewed via a link on our Parish Website. Do have a look at this interesting internet collection formed by the young Italian Carlo Acustis, Servant of God.

Music for the 11.00 am Mass is now published on the parish web site with links to the hymn tunes to be used. It can be accessed at www.catholicchurchwakefield.co.uk and then navigate to 'Groups' 'choir' then the music list.

National Citizen Service, (The Challenge), a national charity: We are pleased to be hosting the Challenge once again in St Austin's Parish Centre throughout August. 50/60 15 to 17 year olds will be using the Centre as a base to go out into the community to promote their particular Challenge. Please support these young people if you see them in town wearing NCS tee shirts. (Please see the notice boards in the Church and Centre for more information)

Refugees and Asylum seekers: St Austin's Parish Centre is used on Mondays and Wednesdays by the Leeds Refugee Council and by Horton Housing of Bradford as a drop in centre for refugees / asylum seekers to get support and information. (Please see the notice boards in the Church and Centre for more information)

The National Childbirth Trust: The NCT are using St Austin's Parish Centre for their parent meetings on a regular basis throughout the rest of the year and into 2020. *The Trust's vision is of a world in which no parent is isolated and all parents are supported to build a strong society. To find out more visit www.NCT.org.uk*

Summer Fun Fridays – every Friday in August in English Martyrs Parish Centre. On 23 August at 5.30 pm we'll be holding a summer buffet. Entrance free although donations are welcome. Tea and coffee available. Come along and share some good food and good company.

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

Collection Last Week: Envelopes: £936.40 Loose: £595.59 Standing Orders: £760.00 Total: **£2291.9**
Suzy: £161.35 Many thanks to Couples in Christ who have donated £150 for use of the Parish Rooms.
Thank You.