

The Parish of St Austin and the English Martyrs, Wakefield

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23rd Sunday of the Year

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Covid 19 - Mass programme for week 6-13 September 2020

DAY	FEAST	MASS	LOCATION	INTENTION
Sat 5 Sep		12 noon 6 15 pm	The English Martyrs St Austin	Audrey Wilcock - RIP Peter Kenn
Sun 6 Sep		8 am 9 am 10 am 11 am 6 pm	St Austin St Austin St Austin St Austin St Austin	Bill McEvoy and others John Dougherty Priest's Intentions Priest's Intentions Pro Populo
Mon 7 Sep		12 noon	St Austin	Maurice O'Shea RIP
Tue 8 Sep	The Nativity of the BVM	12 noon	St Austin	Margaret Dunn – A 9\9
Wed 9 Sep	No Mass			
Thu 10 Sep		12 noon	St Austin	Kathleen McBride
Fri 11 Sep		12 noon	St Austin	Josie McTiernan - LD
Sat 12 Sep		12 noon 6 15 pm	The English Martyrs St Austin	O'Brien and Elley Families Robert Anthony – RIP
Sun 13 Sep		8 am 9 am 10 am 11 am 6 pm	St Austin St Austin St Austin St Austin St Austin	Special Intention Jean – special intention Priest's Intention Pro Populo Priest's Intention

It was wonderful to see last weekend the biggest congregations at all the Masses that we have had since the end of lockdown. We must all pray that, little by little, people will return to Mass and the Sacraments. Of course, it remains important that we ensure that it is safe for people to come to church. The Parish has purchased a fogging machine which sprays the entire church with disinfectant after each Mass. Social distancing remains the key, therefore, to prevent the spread of infection. With the use of masks it is possible now for a few more people to be admitted to Mass. Could I please request that you continue, if at all possible, to make use of the on-line booking system, as this is a great help to our stewards and also enables accurate "track and trace" documents to be created.

Finally – on a positive note – the church toilets are now open and available for use!

The 200+ Club -August winners are £200 to Maureen Warwick and £50 to David Brook. Cheques will soon be on their way!

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

Offertory Collection for 23 August – Envelopes £547, loose cash £409.94, standing orders £1,025 a total of £1981.94. Many thanks.