

The Parish of St Austin and The English Martyrs, Wakefield

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3rd Week of Lent



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Covid 19 - Mass programme for this week 6 – 14 March 2021

DAY	FEAST	MASS	LOCATION	INTENTION
Sat 6 March		12 noon 6 15 pm	English Martyrs St Austin	November Dead List Maurice Dyson - A
Sun 7 March	Third Sunday of Lent	8 am 9 am 10 am 11 am 6 pm	St Austin St Austin St Austin St Austin St Austin	Pro Populo Priest's Intention Navendra Mathur – 2 nd A [28 Feb] Anne and Ty Peat – WA Arthur Day – 29 th anniversary RIP
Mon 8 Mar	St John of God	12 noon	St Austin	Margaret McTiernan – BA [A 27 Feb RIP]
Tue 9 Mar	St Frances of Rome	12 noon	St Austin	O L Kuriakose – A [8 Mar]
Wed 10 Mar		No mass		
Please remember places at all masses <u>must</u> be booked. Please see website or telephone the office				
Thu 11 Mar	St Aengus	12 noon	St Austin	Rita Kirk - RIP
Fri 12 Mar		12 noon 7 30 pm	St Austin St Austin	November Dead List Latin Mass – November Dead List
Sat 13 Mar		12 noon 6 15 pm	English Martyrs St Austin	November Dead List November Dead List
Sun 14 Mar	Fourth Sunday of Lent	8 am 9 am 10 am 11 am 6 pm	St Austin St Austin St Austin St Austin St Austin	Priest's Intentions Maurice O'Shea – RIP Priest's Intentions Pro Populo Roy Wade - LD

Stations of the Cross and Benediction – will take place in St Austin's Church on the Wednesdays in Lent at 7 30 pm.
Places must be booked either via the website or by telephone.

Changes of Sunday Mass Times – after last week's announcement from the Prime Minister outlining details of the "roadmap" out of the pandemic, it is timely that we take advantage of the beginning of the relaxation of rules. From Easter Sunday Masses at St Austin will be at 8 am, 9 30 am, 11 am and 6 pm. There will be a 9 30 am Sunday Mass at the church of the English Martyrs which will replace the 12 noon Mass on Saturdays. The Mass at St Austin for the Easter Vigil will be at 8 pm and subsequently the Vigil Mass will be celebrated at 6 15 pm as usual. We can take this as a sign that things are now improving and I hope these changes may encourage more of our congregation to attend Mass. Once the relaxation of rules is complete we will return to our usual Mass schedule which we used before the pandemic. Mgr Smith

The Very Rev Canon Vincent O'Hara, formerly of the parish of the English Martyrs, died peacefully on Thursday 4 March in the Home of the Little Sisters in Leeds. Fondly remembered by all who knew him. May he rest in peace and rise in glory.

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.

"Hope is the only thing stronger than fear." Robert Ludlum, author [1927-2001]