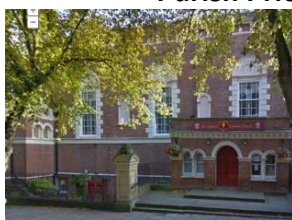


The Parish of St Austin and The English Martyrs, Wakefield

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7th Week in Ordinary Time



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Mass programme for the week 19 to 26 May 2024

DAY	FEAST	MASS	LOCATION	INTENTION
Sat 18 May		6.15 pm	St Austin	Cyril Critchley RIP
Sun 19 May	Pentecost Sunday	8.00 am	St Austin	Kathleen Harris
		9.30 am	English Martyrs	First Holy Communion Mass O'Brien & Elley Families
		11.00 am	St Austin	Pro Populo
		5.00 pm	St Austin	Rosary and Benediction
		6.00 pm	St Austin	Priest's Intention
Mon 20 May	Our Lady, Mother of the Church	9.30 am	St Austin	Philomena Quilan RIP
Tue 21 May		11.30 am 6.30 pm	English Martyrs St Austin	Trevor Pearson RIP Chacko Mani RIP
Wed 22 May		9.30 am 10.30 am	St Austin English Martyrs	Ifeoluwa Odeneye B'day November Dead List
Thu 23 May	Our Lord Jesus Christ, the Eternal High Priest	9.30 am 7.30 pm	St Austin English Martyrs	Fr Martin Cushnan RIP Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Fri 24 May		12 noon	St Austin	Faustina Morgan RIP
Sat 25 May		9.30 am 6.15pm	St Austin St Austin	Martyn & Katie O'Donnell Ints John Bartram RIP
Sun 26 May	The Most Holy Trinity	8.00 am	St Austin	Priest's Intention
		9.30 am	English Martyrs	Pro Populo
		11.00 am	St Austin	Stuart Morley RIP
		5.00 pm	St Austin	Rosary and Benediction
		6.00 pm	St Austin	Jacinta & Angela Shaw Ints

Confessions: Saturday 10.00 to 11.00 am and 5.15 to 5.45 pm

Wednesday Word is on the Parish web site and at www.wednesdayword.org/parish/resource.htm

Novena: Please see overleaf for details.

There will be Holy Rosary at St Austin's Church after the 12 noon Mass on Fridays and at The English Martyrs church before the 9.30 am Mass on Sundays. Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament will be half an hour before all weekday Masses and 10.00 to 11.00 am on Saturday. *Please pray for the sick of our parish, for those recently deceased and for those who have no-one to pray for them.*

First Saturdays Devotion, Act of Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Blessed Virgin Mary. Every First Saturday the Rosary will be recited after the 10.00 am Mass, the beginning of the Hour of Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament. Materials for meditation on the mysteries of the Rosary are on the offertory table, please return after use. Please see the folder in the Narthex for further information regarding the full requirements and promises attached to the Devotion. Mass of the day will be offered for this devotion. For Mass donations, please speak with Elamma M.

DAY	GROUP	CHURCH CENTRE	TIME
Wednesday	Keep Fit	St Austin's	2.00 pm
Wednesday	Prayer and Praise	English Martyrs	6.30 to 7.30 pm
Thursday	Parents & Toddlers	St Austin's	9.30 am
Thursday	Thursday Club	St Austin's	12.30 pm
Thursday	Singing for Pleasure	St Austin's	1.30 pm

Pentecost Praise: One hour of praise to celebrate the birth of the church – 3.00 to 4.00 pm Sunday 19 May at English Martyrs Church. Everyone welcome. Tea/Coffee and cake afterwards in the parish centre.

May Devotions will commence in St Austin's Church on the Sundays in May, the month of Our Lady, commencing Sunday 5 May at 5.00 pm. There will be Rosary and Benediction. Please attend this traditional and beautiful service if you can. The rosary will also be recited before every weekday Mass.

Wakefield's Sporting Catholics – 2nd Edition. A second edition of Terry Kelly and Dom Gilroy's publication featuring "Wakefield's Sporting Catholics" is currently being prepared. We are looking to feature any significant local, regional, national or international sporting achievements of parishioners from St Austin's, English Martyrs of St Peter and Paul's parishes. If this applies to you, a family member or friend – please get in touch with Dominic Gilroy by the end of June dpfgilroy@hotmail.com. Thank you.

200 Club: The 200 Club is a fun way for contributing to our Parish Funds but it needs your support. We are always looking for new members please encourage your friends to sign up. A reminder to our regular members or those who paid last year, please may I encourage you to pay if you can. The membership is still £24 a year payable via standing order, bank transfer, cheque and cash in an envelope marked 200 Club. If you put your contact details, I usually respond via email or text to confirm receipt. Finally congratulations our **April winners £200 Auxilia Mapuranga (224) and Michael Starford senior (117)**, Look out in next week's bulletin for the May winners - but remember you need to be in it to win it. As always thank you for supporting our Parish. Sharon (07432118132)

Diocesan Eucharistic Procession: The annual Diocesan Eucharistic Procession will take place on Sunday 9th June 2024, 3:00pm at Hinsley Hall (weather dependent). Barbecue and children's games afterwards. All invited to participate including Altar servers and First Holy Communion children (wheelchair/pram accessible route). Further details on the Diocesan website!

Centenary of the Dedication of the Cathedral July 2024: On Thursday 18th July at 11.30am, together with the Priests, Deacons, Religious and Lay Faithful, Bishop Marcus will celebrate a Solemn Pontifical Mass at the Cathedral Church of St Anne, the Mother Church of the Diocese of Leeds, to commemorate the 100th Anniversary of the Cathedral's Dedication. More information about the Cathedral's centenary celebrations will be published in due course.

Novena: The Novena dates for May, June & July is: 27th May, 10th & 24th June, & 8th July all at the usual time of 7.00 pm. Everyone is welcome to this service of prayer and peace.

Repository: We have repositories in both churches which sell a range of cards, booklets and religious and devotional artefacts to aid personal prayer and help celebrate various sacramental and seasonal events.

Bulletins: Items for the Bulletin can be emailed to office.staustin@dioceseofleeds.org.uk or posted through the Presbytery door, by lunch time on a Thursday. Thank you.

Collections Last Weekend

Envelopes: 559.75 Loose: 739.18 Standing Orders: 948.88 Total: 2247.81

Second Collection This Weekend for Catholic Communications

Thank You