



Parish of Ramsgate & Minster
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Newsletter for Sunday, 26th May 2024

Parish Priest: Fr Christopher Basden; **Shrine Chaplain:** Fr Simon Heans; **Polish Chaplain:** Fr. Ryszard Hanaczewski;
Deacon: Rev'd Peter Brown; **Visitor Centre Administrator:** Andrew Kelly; **Safeguarding Officer:** Kate Morgan.
Minster Abbey, (Mother Nikola & Sisters; Sunday Mass at 10.00am and daily Mass at 9.00am.) (01843 821254)
The Divine Retreat Centre: Fr. Joseph Edattu & Fr. Paul Pallichamkudiyil. Weekday Mass 5.30pm. (01843 586904)
St. Ethelbert's School: Headteacher, Mr. Simon Marshall - (01843 585555).

My dear people,

What a week! The Mayor and the Bishop (+ Paul Hendriks) were here Friday evening to bless the sea and yesterday evening we had our organ concert at the Shrine. This is to honour our Patron, St. Augustine of Canterbury, in his special week. Tomorrow we will have his Mass at 12 noon at the Shrine and in the evening we welcome FR MARCUS HOLDEN at 7.00pm with Benediction after his presentation.

This weekend we also celebrate our First Holy Communions. Please pray for them and their families. Congratulations to: **Leonardo Scalici, Liliana Kowska, Anna Zuzmicka, Mia Pluckrose, Luiza Kwiatkowska, Zusanna Kupris, Dominykas Lyde, Mirabel and Laura Nwankwo, Bethel Ojlaku, Angelin Weniton, Neve and Ellie Tranquille, Maisie Read, Amily Chen, Malcolm Adekoya, Freddie Homan, Isaiah and Jeremiah Ofori and Joe Kelly.**

Finally, today is Trinity Sunday, which is at the heart of all reality: the Love of God ! We turn to our Blessed Lady, the Daughter of the Father, the Mother of the Son and the Spouse of the Holy Spirit !

God bless you all, *fr. Christopher Basden on behalf of fr. Simon Heans and fr. Ryszard Hanaczewski.*

Day	Date	St Ethelbert's		St Augustine's	
Sunday The Most Holy Trinity (B)	26 th May	10.00am	Mrs Philpott – Thanksgiving	8.30am	People of the Parish
		12.00noon (Polish)	Izabella & Donuta	12.00noon (Sung Latin)	Sylvester Swierzy G.E.
		3.00pm	1st Holy Communion Mass		
<i>Monday</i> <i>St. Augustine of Canterbury</i>	27 th May	9.30am	Marie & Derek RIP	12.00noon	Anna (SC)
<i>Tuesday</i> <i>Feria</i>	28 th May	9.30am	Henry Van Raat, Sid Martin, Myra Francis RIP	12.00noon	David Pettit RIP & Mandi Hammond RIP
<i>Wednesday</i> <i>Feria</i>	29 th May	9.30am (Latin)	Thanksgiving (RA)	12.00noon	Anthony Spong RIP
<i>Thursday</i> <i>Feria</i>	30 th May	9.30am	Holy Souls of Our Lady of Montiligeon	12.00noon 7.30pm	Holy Souls of Our Lady of Montiligeon Latin Rite – Feast of Corpus Christi
<i>Friday</i> <i>The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	31 st May	9.30am 6.00pm (Polish)	Holy Souls of Our Lady of Montiligeon Special Intention	12.00noon (Ordinariate)	Holy Souls of Our Lady of Montiligeon
<i>Saturday</i> <i>Our Blessed Lady</i> <i>1st Saturday</i>	1 st June	9.30am 5.30pm	Holy Souls of Our Lady of Montiligeon For people of the parish to love one another.	12.00noon	Holy Souls of Our Lady of Montiligeon
Sunday The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ <i>Holy Day of Obligation</i>	2 nd June	10.00am 12.00noon (Polish)	Amala Kingsly – For healing and blessings. Alicia & Beata	8.30am 12.00noon (Sung Latin)	Alfred & Elizabeth Johnson (IP) Tadeuz Dudek Following Mass – The Corpus Christi Procession

Prayer Candles: St. Ethelbert's: Mark, Peter, Paul Anthony.

St. Augustine's: Kathy & Mo.

Adoration of The Blessed Sacrament: *St Ethelbert's:* Monday - Friday: 8.30am. *St Augustine's:* on Tuesday 12.45 – 3.00pm.
Rosary: *St Ethelbert's:* Monday – Friday 9.00am, Sat 9.10am. **Mothers' Prayers:** St. Ethelbert's Parish Room on 1st Friday of the month (7th June) at 12.00noon followed by **1st Friday Rosary** at 12.30pm. **1st Saturday Devotion to Our Blessed Lady:** 1st Saturday

of the Month, (1st of June) with 15 minutes of prayer to Our Blessed Lady after 9.30am Mass. **Confessions: St Ethelbert's:** Sat 10.15am & 5.00pm and starting at 9.30am on Sunday and during 10.00am Mass. **St Augustine's:** Tues - Thurs following Mass & during 12.00noon Mass on Sundays. **Polish Confessions:** Sunday: 11.30am & Friday: 5.30pm.

Sundays: Tea & Coffee served after the 8.30am Mass in the Visitors Centre & after the 10.00am Mass in the Parish Hall. All are welcome.

Please remember in your prayers the sick of our Parish: M. Marjoam, A. Fell, Edward Smalley, .T. Webster, H. Russell, Joan Hall, B. Mallon, A. Gosling, Mary Austen, Kathy Knobbs, Olive Carney, Frank Tierney, A. Lucas, Vicky & Kevin Nicholas, Sylvia Quinn, Susanna King, Sr. Aelred, Mark Harvey, Valerie & Michael Godden, Eileen & Jack McCaughan, Jef Silva, Steve Lawlor, Eileen Crowley, Yan Kelly, Norma McAllister, Patricia Smalley, Jane Ryan, Edmond Glean, William Carbury, Carlos Hernandez, Christopher Egan, Tom Phelan, Martin Flannery, Kay Lovett, Kevin Pender, Eileen Chapman, Alex Jordan, Doreen Browning, Eleanor McGinley, Diana Philpott, Tarlie Sansom, Tilda Doherty, Mary Cotton, Diane Sinclair-St Claire, Roz Lennon, Fr. Philip Seed, Canon Luke Smith, Maggie Smith, Uta Nedd, Connie, Mary & Bernadette O'Donaghue, Luke Kelly, Mary Northrop, Anthony Hope, Brylle Buenaventura, Catherine Tocci, Julian Tranguille, Dorothy Dilnot, Lisa Taylor, Rena Gathercole, Liliana Banas, Pauline Gladman, Piotr Kapuśniak, Tim Bowell, Julie Foreman, Guy Rowe, Keith Andrews, Jenny Shaw.

Please remember in your prayers: Cecil Atkins, Beryl Poole, Eileen Olive Cranny, Bridget Sharpin, Alexei, Denise Packer, Philip Mehlin, Michael McPartland, Dixon Graterol, Pauline Leeming, Denis McClosky, Hilary Rhoades, Gabriel Costello, Trevor Vandervord and Moyra Kozulko, Vincent Lennon, all who died recently.

Visitor Centre: St Augustine Visitor Centre and Church are open to visitors Mon, Wed, Thur, Fri and Sat – 12.30pm – 3.30pm.

Baptismal Preparation for Polish and English Baptisms: If you are planning a Baptism, please contact a priest on 01843 592071 or leave a message in the Parish Office, in good time to ensure that Baptismal preparation can take place.

For 1st Holy Communion Preparation: Contact – Catechist Mrs Julie Rydz.

Confirmation & Pre 1st Holy Communion Faith Club: Contact - Catechist Mrs Patricia Smalley.

Thank you to Helena for organising the coffee morning for Parish Funds, a total of £232.00 was raised. Helena would like to thank all who helped and supported her.

Thank you to Caroline who organised the Hamper raffle in the Parish Room this Sunday after Mass, £32.00 was raised.

Future Events:

Parish Wine & Wisdom, Fun Quiz Night on Saturday 22nd June at 7.00pm in the Parish Hall. See poster for full details. The sheet for signing up for a table is at the back of Church.

Parish BBQ on 7th July – Joint Polish & English event, with just one Mass at 11.00am for Polish and English families - BBQ to follow.

Fr. Simon's Monday Group will NOT be held on Monday 27 May and Monday 3 June! After that all as normal at 4.30pm in the Parish Room. We are now on Holiness in the New Testament, a 30-minute video followed by discussions.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S WEEK: Talk by Fr. Marcus Holden, on Monday, 27th May at 7.00pm. followed by Benediction.

Celebration of St. Jude, at the Shrine of Saint Jude in Faversham on Saturday 1st June – please see poster in the porch for full details.

Catholic maritime charity Stella Maris (formerly called Apostleship of the sea) is grateful for this parish's prayer and financial support for its work on Sea Sunday last year. It invites parishioners to join an **online update and thank you webinar on Tuesday 28th May from 7.30pm to 9.00pm**. You will hear about the impact of your generosity on the lives of seafarers, fishers and their families over the last year. Its CEO and chaplains will share inspiring stories of how they have helped seafarers and fishers through your support. To register for this virtual event, please visit www.stellamaris.org.uk/thankyou2024

Mass in Celebration of the Sacrament of Marriage, July 13th 2024 at St. George's Cathedral. If you are celebrating your 1st/10th/25th/40th/50th/60th + Wedding Anniversary this year, please let us know as soon as possible (no later than 31st May 24). Please provide the following details: your name, (in the format John & Mary Smith), your home address, the anniversary you are celebrating, so you can receive and invitation from the Archbishop for the renewal of vows during Mass. Email: mflkent@rcaos.org.uk For the title of your email please write your parish location e.g. Maidstone St Francis.

Ministries for the Sick and Bereaved: If you know of sick or bereaved parishioners who may like a home visit, please obtain their permission and forward details to Parish Office on 01843 592071.

If you are in hospital: If you or a family member is admitted to hospital and requires a priest to visit, inform the ward you are a Catholic and wish to be visited by a priest. Contact the priest on 01843 592071, to advise you are in hospital/require the Sacrament of the Sick.

Diocese Posters for Information and future events are displayed in the porch and at the back of church.

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St Augustine's: Facebook, Twitter & Instagram: @AugustinePugin or on YouTube: /staugustinesramsgate

Website: www.augustine-pugin.org.uk. Newsletters can now be accessed from the Shrine homepage:

[Home - Shrine of St Augustine & The National Pugin Centre \(augustine-pugin.org.uk\)](http://www.augustine-pugin.org.uk).