



**Parish of Ramsgate & Minster**  
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**Shrine of St Augustine & National Pugin Centre,**  
**St Augustine's Road, Ramsgate, Kent CT11 9NY**

**Newsletter for Sunday, 9<sup>th</sup> June 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,*

This past Friday was the Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. In most of our churches there are statues of the Sacred Heart. What is the meaning of this devotion? It shows forth the amazing and astonishing love of God, which exquisitely comes through the humanity of Our Blessed Lord Jesus. He says to us, 'Come to me all you who labour and are heavily burdened ... for I am gentle and humble of HEART!' All through his ministry he shows his heartfelt compassion for the suffering multitudes. Then at His sacred passion, His heart is pierced with the lance. We know this as physiologically the chamber of the heart contains water. Symbolically this represents Baptism and the Eucharist. If we have received so much love then it is our duty to radiate and share that love with all those whom providence sends into the peripheries of our lives. June is the month of the Sacred Heart and in the Northern Hemisphere appropriately is full of fauna and flora bathed with light in these long days. We beg the prayers of the Immaculate Heart of Mary to obtain for us the Grace to simply love those around us.

*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	
<b>10<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)</b>	9 <sup>th</sup> June	10.00am	For all Legionnaires of the Order of Legion of Mary	8.30am	People of the Parish
		12.00noon (Polish)	Fr. Pawel - Birthday	12.00noon (Sung Latin)	Michael Yusef Chalhoub
<i>Monday Feria</i>	10 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30am	Healing for Johanna Brans	12.00noon	Delivery & Mercy for my family & friends.
<i>Tuesday St. Barnabas</i>	11 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>8.00am</b>	Gill Lawlor RIP - For spiritual health of her soul	12.00noon	Vincent Lennon RIP
<i>Wednesday Feria</i>	12 <sup>th</sup> June	<b>8.00am English</b>	Healing for Richie Whiting	12.00noon	Vincent Lennon RIP
<i>Thursday St. Anthony of Padua</i>	13 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30am	Holy Souls	12.00noon	Linda Harmer RIP
<i>Friday Feria</i>	14 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30am	Private Intention	12.00noon (Ordinariate)	Linda Harmer RIP
		6.00pm (Polish)	Private Intention		
<i>Saturday The Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	15 <sup>th</sup> June	9.30am	Vince Lennon RIP	12.00noon	Eileen Hodges RIP
		5.30pm	The Able Family		
<b>11<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)</b>	16 <sup>th</sup> June	10.00am	Ethan Searchfield RIP	8.30am	People of the Parish
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Collection for Day for Life</b>		12.00noon (Polish)	Lilliana – Wellbeing.	12.00noon (Sung Latin)	Brodie & Kiera – For safe travelling.

**Prayer Candles:** *St. Ethelbert's:* Alexander Able – Health & Wellbeing.

*St. Augustine's:* Wing Leung x 2

**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 1<sup>st</sup> Friday of the month at 12.00noon followed by **1<sup>st</sup> Friday Rosary** at 12.30pm. **1<sup>st</sup> Saturday Devotion to Our Blessed Lady:** 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the Month, 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.  
**Tuesday and Wednesday Mass at 8.00am. No 9.30am Masses, no Latin Mass on Wednesday - English**  
**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, 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, 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:** Vincent Lennon, 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, 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 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion Preparation:** Contact – Catechist Mrs Julie Rydz.

**Confirmation & Pre 1<sup>st</sup> Holy Communion Faith Club:** Contact - Catechist Mrs Patricia Smalley.

**St. Ethelbert's School, PTFA Summer Fair, Friday 28<sup>th</sup> June from 3.00 – 5.00pm all are welcome.**

**Future Parish Events:**

**Social Committee Meeting: 2.00pm on Wednesday, 12<sup>th</sup> June in the Parish Hall.**

**Parish Wine & Wisdom, Fun Quiz Night on Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> 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 Social Afternoon for our senior members of the Parish** on Saturday, 29<sup>th</sup> June at 2.00pm in the Parish Hall.

**Parish BBQ on 7<sup>th</sup> July** – Joint Polish & English event, with just one Mass at 11.00am for Polish and English families - BBQ to follow. Raffle prizes are requested please bring to Mass prior to the event or leave in the Parish Office.

**Summertime 2024: 29<sup>th</sup> July – 1<sup>st</sup> August: Altar Servers Trip to Westminster Pastoral Centre, £189. For aged 11-16.** We commend this excellent residential trip for altar servers and those who regularly attend mass on the weekend. In an event that has now gone on for more than 20 years, it is a few days for deepening one's catholic faith, in a great social atmosphere, including football, sports and visit to Thorpe Park. For more details of how to get to the venue, with a coach laid on at St. Anselm's Dartford, see your parish priest for a form, or contact Fr. Stephen Boyle, chaplain to the Guild of St. Stephen, [Dartford@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:Dartford@rcaos.org.uk), [Tel:01322 220075](tel:01322220075). See Poster at the back of church.

**Archbishop John warmly invites you to join him as he leads the Southwark Archdiocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage**, from 23<sup>rd</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> August 2024. Details of this can be found on the Archdiocesan website: [rcaos.org.uk](http://rcaos.org.uk). Experience the unique spirituality of Lourdes, along with people from parishes around the Archdiocese. Direct link: <https://rcaos.org.uk/news-events/news/archbishop-john-to-lead-pilgrimage-to-lourdes/>. See poster at the back of church.

**Mass in Celebration of the Sacrament of Marriage, July 13<sup>th</sup> 2024 at St. George's Cathedral.** If you are celebrating your 1<sup>st</sup>/10<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup>/40<sup>th</sup>/50<sup>th</sup>/60<sup>th</sup> + Wedding Anniversary this year, please let us know as soon as possible (no later than 31<sup>st</sup> 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](mailto: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](http://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).

**PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR PARISH WHEN YOU ARE WRITING YOUR WILL.**