



Parish of Ramsgate & Minster
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Newsletter for Sunday, 13th October 2024

Parish Priest: Fr Jonathon Routh (Priest: 01843 594031 email: jonathonrouth@rcaos.org.uk) & Parish Office (01843 592071 email: ramsgate@rcaos.org.uk); **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).

Dear parishioners,

This Sunday is THE DAY OF PRAYER FOR PRISONERS AND THEIR FAMILIES, known for short as '**PRISONERS' SUNDAY**'. On this day we remember prisoners and their families at mass. Prisons are in crisis and life for prisoners and their families in our communities is challenging. The Prison Advice & Care Trust (PACT) is the national Catholic prison charity which supports prisoners, their families and their children, offering them hope and the chance to turn their lives around. There will be a second collection to support the good work of PACT and make our contribution to the Lord's challenge to us all, '*I was in prison and you visited me*'.

Cardinal Vincent tells us 'PACT workers can be found inside many prisons, working alongside chaplains to support people who may be experiencing mental illness or losing hope'. PACT also supports prisoners and their families 'to maintain their family bonds, recognising the anxiety, isolation and perhaps hardship they may be experiencing while a loved one is in prison. This work has been influential and it is one of the most effective means to reduce the risk of re-offending by former prisoners'

The support of Catholic parishes like ours through our prayer and giving makes a huge difference to PACT and to the impact the charity can make for people living through what may well be the worst times of their lives. The Second Collection this Sunday will support the work of PACT.

God bless,
 Fr Jonathon

Day	Date	St Ethelbert's		St Augustine's	
Saturday <i>The Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	12 th Oct	9.30 am.	Holy Souls of Our Lady of Montligeon	12.00noon <i>(Latin)</i>	Irena Maria Glogowska RIP
28th Sunday of Ordinary Time (B)		5.30pm. <i>(Vigil)</i>	Alexander H. Almeida RIP		
Sunday <i>Day of prayer and 2nd Collection for prisoners & their families.</i>	13 th Oct	10.00am	Nilusha Thanthrimudalige – Wellbeing	8.30am	People of the Parish
		12.00noon <i>(Polish)</i>	Ryszard Kowalski RIP	12.00noon <i>(Sung Latin)</i>	Theresa & Jonny – Wedding Anniversary
Monday <i>St. Callistus I, Pope & Martyr</i>	14 th Oct	9.30am	Holy Souls of Our Lady of Montligeon	12.00noon	Tony Bex RIP
Tuesday <i>St. Teresa of Jesus (of Avila)</i>	15 th Oct	9.30am	Kazimierz RIP	12.00noon	Holy Souls of Our Lady of Montligeon
Wednesday <i>St. Hedwig, Religious</i>	16 th Oct	9.30am <i>(Latin)</i>	Living & Deceased Benefactors of St. Ethelbert's Church	12.00noon	Anne Austen RIP followed by Interment at 3.30pm.
Thursday <i>St. Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop & Martyr</i>	17 th Oct	9.30am	Holy Souls of Our Lady of Montligeon	12.00noon	Theresa & Jonny Wedding Anniversary
Friday <i>St. Luke, Evangelist</i>	18 th Oct	9.30am	Kazimierz RIP	12.00noon <i>(Ordinariate)</i>	Carol Anne Worsley RIP
		6.00pm <i>(Polish)</i>	Living & Deceased Benefactors of St. Ethelbert's Church.		
Saturday <i>St. Paul of The Cross</i>	19 th Oct	9.30am	Thanksgiving for good health for Roy Fisher	12.00noon <i>(Latin)</i>	Holy Souls of Our Lady of Montligeon
29th Sunday of Ordinary Time (B) World Mission Sunday		5.30pm <i>(Vigil)</i>	Norman Cotton RIP		

Prayer Candles: St. Ethelbert's: Hazel, Malcolm & Lewis, Callen Frasier, Alex & The Able Family.

St. Augustine's:

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, at 12.00noon followed by **1st Friday Rosary** at 12.30pm. **1st Saturday Devotion to Our Blessed Lady:** 1st 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 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.

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, 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, Tarlie Sansom, Mary Cotton, Diane Sinclair-St Claire, Roz Lennon, Canon Luke Smith, Maggie Smith, Uta Nedd, Luke Kelly, Mary Northrop, Anthony Hope, Catherine Tocci, Julian Tranguille, Dorothy Dilnot, Lisa Taylor, Rena Gathercole, Pauline Gladman, Piotr Kapuśniak, Tim Bowell, Julie Foreman, Guy Rowe, Keith Andrews, Fr. Brian Coyle, Jenny Shaw, Francis Bishop, Flora Gentleman, Brylle Buenaventura.

Please remember in your prayers: Anne Austen, David Mancini, Kazimiera Syposz, Sr. Breda FcJ, 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 594031 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 Rvdz.

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

If you are in hospital: If you or a family member is admitted to hospital and requires a priest to visit, please contact your Parish and ask for a Priest to visit. Contact for Fr. Jonathon is on 01843 594031 or call your local Parish.

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.

'The Taste of India' Hamper Raffle held last Sunday at the Coffee Morning raised £51.00 and was won by Carlos.

Forthcoming events:

26th October, Saturday – Social Afternoon for Senior members of the Parish starting at 2.00pm.

2nd November, Saturday - Blessing of the Graves – *St. Ethelbert's*, *St. Augustine's* & Ramsgate Cemetery. Times to be arranged.

10th November, Sunday – Remembrance Sunday.

23rd November, Saturday – Social Afternoon for Senior members of the Parish starting at 2.00pm.

24th November, Sunday – Remembrance Service, 3.00pm for those who have died in our Parish in the past year & all our loved ones.

8th December, Sunday - The Parish Christmas Fayre will be held at *St. Ethelbert's* Parish Hall, starting at 12.00noon. Mass on that Sunday at *St. Ethelbert's* will be at 11.00am and will be for English/Polish, (NO 10.00am English or 12.00noon Polish Mass). Mass at *St. Augustine's* on that Sunday (sung Latin) will be at 10.00am. (NO Noon Mass). This is to enable all Parishioners to have the opportunity to attend this Parish event.

21st December, Saturday – Social Afternoon Christmas Party for Senior members of the Parish starting at 1.00pm.

AFTERNOON FOR READERS to introduce the new translation for the Lectionary. **Led by Bishop Paul Hendricks.**

To address questions such as: Why the change in translation? How is it different from the translation we're using now? What different sorts of translation are there? What does it mean in practice, for readers? How is the Lectionary arranged? **VENUE:** Church hall of *St Thomas of Canterbury*, 59 Burgate, Canterbury, Kent, CT1 2HJ. **DATE:** Saturday 2nd November 2024. **TIME:** 2pm to 4pm. **NOTE:** The hall will be open from 1pm, please bring a packed lunch. Tea/coffee available.

FEAST OF ST JUDE AT FAVERSHAM, 26th – 28th October 2024.

Many masses to choose from over three days. Saturday 26th October 12.30, 2.30 and 4.00 p.m. Sunday 27th October 12.30 p.m.

Monday 28th October 12.30 p.m. *St Augustine's* is not the only Holy Shrine to bless our county of Kent. Many people have found healing by making the little pilgrimage to the lovely Kent town of Faversham, to ask *St Jude* for his prayers. The Shrine of *St Jude* is on Whitefriars, Tanners Street. For more information call 01795 539214, visit www.stjudeshrine.org.uk or email shrineoffice@stjudeshrine.org.uk

Follow the parish on: *St. Ethelbert's*: or on **Twitter:** @catholicramsmin

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://Home-ShrineofStAugustine&TheNationalPuginCentre(augustine-pugin.org.uk)).

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

PLEASE REMEMBER YOUR PARISH WHEN YOU ARE WRITING YOUR WILL.