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### SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (C) – 25 MAY 2025

SUNDAY MESSAGE FROM FR. SHYJU	WEEKEND & WEEKDAYS HOLY MASS TIMES			
"Do not let your hearts be troubled or afraid. Peace I bequeath to you, my own peace I give you, a peace the world cannot give, this is my gift to you." These words of Jesus in today's Gospel bring much consolation. We live in a world where we can lose our peace of mind due to wars and violence. Jesus is promising that the peace he gives us is not the same as that which the world gives. Let us rely on Him.	Datchet	Sat 24	06.00pm	People of the Parish
	Eton	Sun 25	09.30am	Michael Howard RIP
	Datchet	Sun 25	11.00am	Sheila Jones RIP
	Datchet	Mon 26	09.30am	Thanksgiving Mass
	Datchet	Tue 27	09.30am	Holy Souls
	Eton	Wed 28	07.00pm	Terry O'Neill RIP
	Datchet	Thu 29	09.30am	Ascension of our Lord
	Datchet	Fri 30	09.30am	Caroline Ansell RIP
<b>ROSARY:</b> Twenty minutes prior to Holy Mass.	<b>CONFESSION:</b> Any Weekday after the Mass / by appointment			
<b>BENEDICTION:</b> Every Thursday after 9.30am Mass	<b>EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:</b> Weekdays before Mass from 8.30am			

**TEA & COFFEE** will be available on Sunday after the 9.30am Mass at Our Lady of Sorrows, Eton and after the 11.00am Mass at St. Augustine's, Datchet. Please come along.

**OFFERTORY:** 17/18 May: Cash £293 SOs £210.

**WORLD COMMUNICATIONS SUNDAY:** There will be a second collection next Sunday for the Catholic Communications Network.

**SICK OF THE PARISH:** Please pray for James Ansell, Maria Cordosa, Maggie and Peter Darbin, Fred Flaherty, Janet Graham, Terri Nicoll, Tricia Rice, Elaine Shaw, Roger Stewart and Linda Webb. If anyone would like to have a priest visit them or others who are sick, kindly speak to Fr. Shyju.

**SHEILA JONES RIP:** Sheila Jones passed away on Monday 12 May. Please remember her in your prayers and also the family and friends of Sheila who are grieving at this time.

**FEAST OF THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD:** This is a day of obligation. There will be a Vigil Mass at 7.00pm on Wednesday 28 May in Our Lady of Sorrows, Eton and Mass during the day at 9.30am on Thursday 29 May in St. Augustine's, Datchet.

**ROSARY PROCESSION, ETON:** We will hold our annual candle-lit rosary procession in **Eton on Wednesday 28 May, after the 7.00pm** Vigil Mass of the Ascension of our Lord. Please come along and join with others to bear witness to our faith and to intercede for our families.

**FR. FRANK** is saying Mass in his Church, St. Senan, Kilrush, Ireland at **12noon** on **Sunday 25 May** celebrating his Diamond Anniversary. The Mass will be streamed.

<https://www.kilrushparish.com/web>

**CHANGE OF DATE FOR PARISH BBQ:** This will now be held on **SUNDAY 17 AUGUST**.

**CHANGE OF EMAIL ADDRESSES:** Please note the new email addresses for the Parish Safeguarding Contact and the Parish Office email, which are detailed at the top of this Newsletter. If anyone who used to receive the Newsletter by email is no longer receiving a copy from the new Office address please first of all, check your "spam" email. For any further queries please email: [office.staugustinedatchet@northamptondiocese.org](mailto:office.staugustinedatchet@northamptondiocese.org)

**INDIA 2026:** Fr. Shyju is organising a tour of India in Jan. 2026. Leaflets giving details are available in both Churches. To book or for further information, send an email to Fr Shyju [frshanadu@gmail.com](mailto:frshanadu@gmail.com)

**REAR DOOR TO ST. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH:** There have been a couple of occasions recently when the rear door of the Datchet Church has been found to have been left unlocked. If you are the last person to leave the Church, please check that the rear door has also been locked. Thank you.

**COACH FOR THE DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM:** Coaches are being organised for the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham on Saturday 14 June. If you would like a place on a coach, please contact Natty Rodrigues on 07397149269. The cost will be £35 per person. The coach will pick-up passengers at Holy Redeemer, St Ethelbert's and Our Lady of Peace Churches.

**MASS CARDS:** If you would like to offer a Holy Mass for your beloved or deceased, please complete a Mass Card and a Mass Intention Envelope. These are available at the back of the Church.

Dear St. Augustine's & Our Lady of Sorrows,



We would like to thank you for your kind support and recent donation to Slough Foodbank. We received your donations during May which weighed a total of 53.3kg. Each gift makes an enormous difference to families and individuals who are most in need in our local community.

To explain how your donation will help, approximately 10kg of essential food items and 1kg of toiletry items provide a single person with three days of emergency supplies. Your support is needed now more than ever. Slough Foodbank statistics show a shocking increase in the number of people needing help, with 7% more food parcels distributed in 2024 versus 2023. A total of 12,147 food parcels were distributed in 2024.

We hope that you will continue to support Slough Foodbank.

With our gratitude and warm wishes

**Slough Foodbank**

**PLEASE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THE FOODBANK**

Boxes for donations can be found in each Church. The items on their Shopping List are:

**Food Urgent:** long life fruit juice, tinned fruit, tinned tuna, tinned vegetables, long life custard, cooking sauces, coffee, tinned spaghetti, long-life milk, instant mash, soup, long-life rice pudding.

**Always required:** tea, long life sponge puddings, tinned tomatoes, tinned meat.

*Please note they have a 12 month supply of PASTA. It is NOT NEEDED.*

**Toiletries & Basic Items Urgent:** washing up liquid, shampoo, deodorant, shaving foam/gel, toothpaste, child toothbrushes, nappies size 6+, 7 & 8.

**Always required:** soap, toilet rolls, strong carrier bags.