

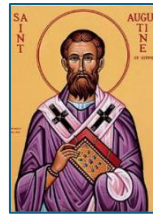
ST AUGUSTINE'S, DATCHET		OUR LADY OF SORROWS, ETON		
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THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY – 16 AUGUST 2026				
MESSAGE FROM FR. SHYJU				
THE FEAST OF THE ASSUMPTION of the Blessed Virgin Mary is on Saturday 15 August and is a holyday of obligation. On this Feast of the Assumption, we celebrate Mary being taken body and soul into heavenly glory. Her Assumption isn't just her victory; it is our ultimate promise. In Mary, God shows us that our earthly lives, our bodies, and our daily struggles have eternal value. When life feels heavy, look to our Blessed Mother. She points us to her Son, reminding us that grace wins, love triumphs and heaven is our true home.				
SPIRITUAL ACTIVITIES		HOLY MASS TIMES		
ROSARY 20 mins prior to Mass ADORATION Weekdays at 8.30am BENEDICTION Thu. after 9.30am Mass CONFESSION After Mass / Appointment	Datchet	Sat 15	06.00pm	Paola Bernardi RIP
	Eton	Sun 16	09.30am	Lucia Herrera Int.
	Datchet	Sun 16	11.00am	Kath Hudnott RIP
	Datchet	Mon 17	09.30am	Brenda RIP
	Datchet	Tue 18	09.30am	Ward Family Int.
	Eton	Wed 19	06.30pm	Holy Souls
	Datchet	Thu 20	09.30am	Francesco Macri RIP
	Datchet	Fri 21	09.30am	Ben Whitehead RIP
	Datchet	Sat 22	06.00pm	Farid Yousif Oufi RIP

TEA & COFFEE will be served after the 9.30am Sunday Mass in Eton and after the 11.00am Sunday Mass in Datchet.

OFFERTORY 08/09 AUGUST: Cash: £430 SO: £220 per week.

SICK OF THE PARISH: Please pray for James Ansell, Ken Byerley, Maria Cordosa, Peter Keating, Michael Lefleur, Terry Nichol and Elaine Shaw. If anyone would like to have a priest visit them, kindly speak to Fr. Shyju.

WEDDING: Congratulations to Dominic Price, one of our Parish organists and a member of the Parish Council, who is getting married next weekend. Please keep Dominic and his fiancée Nichole Iliza in your prayers.



ST. AUGUSTINE'S PATRON'S DAY: This is a very special week for our Parish community. The Church celebrates the Feast of St. Augustine on 28 August. We will have Nine Days of Novena said after the Mass each day until next Sunday 23 August. We will celebrate the Feast on Sunday 23 August with our Parish BBQ. Please come and join the Holy Masses and share your joy with our Parish community.

PARISH BBQ – 12.30pm SUNDAY 23 AUGUST (ST. AUGUSTINE'S)

We will be providing soft drinks at the BBQ, but you are welcome to bring your own drinks e.g. wine and glasses if you wish.

If you are able to help, with the BBQ, please come in the morning before the BBQ starts and stay and help in the afternoon.

If you have signed up to attend the BBQ and you now find that you can no longer attend, please let Chris Grey or Ros Nockles know. Thank you.

REQUEST FOR DONATIONS OF RAFFLE PRIZES FOR OUR PARISH BBQ

We will be holding a Raffle at the Parish BBQ and we would welcome donations of suitable prizes, such as bottles of wine, cans of drink, tins of biscuits, gift sets of toiletries etc. Raffle prizes should be left in the Jubilee Room or given to Chris Grey in Datchet, or left in the box in the Eton Church. Please bring your raffle prizes this weekend. Thank you.

WEEKDAY MASSES: During the children's school holidays, I encourage you to attend a weekday Mass with your children / grandchildren. Our aim is to encourage children to come to Church and join congregations in the future.

SUPPORT THE FOODBANK: Boxes for donations can be found in each Church. The items on their Shopping List are: Food Urgent (items 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 (always required): soap, toilet rolls, strong carrier bags.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT RE PARKING AT OUR LADY OF SORROWS, ETON:

Last Sunday, a number of Parishioners who had parked by our Church in Eton and who had followed the long standing practice of displaying the usual notice on their dashboard, were given a parking penalty by RBWM. This matter is currently under discussion with RBWM, but until you hear to the contrary you are recommended to pay for parking on Sunday morning at Our Lady of Sorrows Church, Eton.