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FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C) – 13 JULY 2025

SUNDAY MESSAGE FROM FR. SHYJU	WEEKEND & WEEKDAYS HOLY MASS TIMES			
As we listen to the Good Samaritan's story this weekend, it may resonate with us personally. Many times in our lives, we may just pass by on the other side and ignore <i>the wounded</i> , because we are under time pressure and or do not want to become involved. When <i>the wounded one</i> comes before us, it is Jesus Christ, in the form of a stranger. Why don't we pause for a moment to recognise His face in them and help.	Datchet	Sat 12	06.00pm	Kathleen Wall RIP
	Eton	Sun 13	09.30am	Maria Cordessa Int.
	Datchet	Sun 13	11.00am	Antony Ward RIP
	Datchet	Mon 14	09.30am	Lucia Herrera Int
	Datchet	Tue 15	No Mass	
	Eton	Wed 16	No Mass	
	Datchet	Thu 17	No Mass	
	Datchet	Fri 18	09.30am	Caroline Ansell RIP
ROSARY: Twenty minutes prior to Holy Mass.	CONFESSION: Any Weekday after the Mass / by appointment			
BENEDICTION: Every Thursday after 9.30am Mass	EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Weekdays before Mass from 8.30am			

TEA & COFFEE will be available on Sunday after the 11.00am Mass at St. Augustine's in the Jubilee Room, Datchet. Please come along.

OFFERTORY: 05 / 06 July: Cash £250 SOs £210.

LAST WEEKEND'S MISSION APPEAL – THE FRANCISCAN SISTERS: £455. Thank you for your generosity.

SECOND COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND – Stella Maris (formerly known as Apostleship of the Sea). Although this collection would usually be taken on 13 July, we will be taking the collection next weekend (Sunday 20 July), as there have been two consecutive weekends when we've taken a second collection.

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

RECENTLY DECEASED: Please pray for the repose of the soul of Linda Webb, who passed away on Tuesday 01 July. Her funeral will be held at 11.15am on 23 July in St. Augustine's, Datchet. Please remember Linda, her family and friends in your prayers.

MASSES THIS WEEKEND: Fr. Frank McAuliffe will be celebrating the 6pm Saturday evening Mass in St. Augustine's, Datchet and also the 9.30am Sunday morning Mass in Our Lady of Sorrows, Eton. He will leave after the 9.30am Mass to catch his flight back to Ireland. We thank Fr. Frank for coming back to see us and celebrate Masses in the Parish this past week.

RITE OF WELCOME: This weekend we welcome Grace Ann Vas who will be baptised on 20 July at Datchet.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: We are intending to introduce a Children's Liturgy at 11am on some Sundays in Datchet, but will need some more volunteers to assist. If you are interested in helping, please speak directly to Ros Nockles and or Judy Hill. Alternatively please email office@staugustines.org.uk

THE MONTH OF JULY is a month dedicated to the Precious Blood. It was formally instituted by Pope Pius IX in 1849, but the devotion dates back to the scriptures themselves. Do you remember the passage in the Gospel of John where Jesus' side is pierced by a lance? The early Christian Fathers saw this as the moment of the birth of the Church as from his side flowed blood and water, the beginnings of the sacramental life of the Church. One of the ways we can honour the Precious Blood of Jesus is through receiving it from the chalice during Mass. The General Instruction in the Roman Missal reminds us that Holy Communion has a fuller form as a sign when it is received under both kinds – the Body and Blood. It makes the sign of the eucharistic banquet 'more clearly evident'.

PARISH BBQ – 12.30pm SUNDAY 17 AUGUST

There are lists at the back of St. Augustine's and Our Lady of Sorrows for you to sign-up for the BBQ. **Please PRINT the FIRST NAME and SURNAME of ALL those who wish to attend, except children aged 15 or under, where we just need to know the age of the child.**

WE WILL NEED HELP PLEASE in setting up before the BBQ and also in clearing up afterwards. If you are able to help, when you write your name on the signup list, please *tick* one or both of the adjacent columns indicating if you can help in the morning before the BBQ starts and / or stay and help in the afternoon.

If subsequent to signing up, you find you can no longer attend, please let Chris Grey or Ros Nockles know or alternatively email Pamela Bailey at office@staugustines.org.uk Thank you.

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.



THANK YOU !

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 June which weighed a total of **71.8kg**. 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.

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.