

ST AUGUSTINE'S, DATCHET

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SECOND SUNDAY OF ADVENT – 07 DECEMBER 2025

SUNDAY MESSAGE FROM FR. SHYJU	HOLY MASS TIMES			
On this Second Sunday of Advent, John the Baptist cries out "Repent!" His voice echoes in the wilderness of our busy lives. We are called to prepare a highway for the Lord, not just externally, but within our hearts. This season is our chance to straighten the paths, confess our sins and clear away the obstacles that separate us from Christ. Let hope ignite our action. May we truly welcome the King. <i>Fr. Shyju</i>	Datchet	Sat 06	06.00pm	Fred Flaherty RIP
	Eton	Sun 07	09.30am	Maureen Donnelly RIP
	Datchet	Sun 07	11.00am	Lucia Herrera Int.
	Datchet	Mon 08	09.30am	Josephine Chambers Int.
	Datchet	Tue 09	No Mass	
	Eton	Wed 10	06.30pm	John Johnson Int.
	Datchet	Thu 11	09.30am	Amy Paterson
	Datchet	Fri 12	No Mass	
	Datchet	Sat 13	06.00pm	Holy Souls
ROSARY: Twenty minutes prior to Holy Mass	CONFESSION: Any Weekday after Mass or 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 9.30am Mass in Our Lady of Sorrows, Eton and after the 11am Mass at St. Augustine's, Datchet

OFFERTORY: 29/30 November: Cash £200 SOs £215

SECOND COLLECTION FOR SHOC (Slough Homeless Our Concern) will be taken next weekend 13 / 14 December 2025.

MARIAN FEASTS: Feast of the Immaculate Conception is on Mon. 08 Dec. and Feast of Our Lady of Guadalupe is on Fri. 12 Dec.

SICK OF THE PARISH: Please pray for James Ansell, Ken Byerley, Maria Cordosa, Maggie and Peter Darbin, Madleen Magic, Terri Nicoll, 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.

PRAY FOR THE SOUL OF FRED FLAHERTY who passed away peacefully on Friday 21 November. We send our prayers and condolences to Fred's family and friends. The funeral service will take place at Slough Crematorium at 10am on Fri. 12 December.

RITE OF WELCOME this Sunday we welcome Mille Rita Annie Doyle, who will receive the Rite of Baptism next Sunday.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY will be held during the **11am Mass this Sunday** (07 December) at St. Augustine's, Datchet.

PARISH CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE will be held on **Sunday 21 December** commencing at approx. **12noon** (immediately after the 11am Mass) in St. Augustine's Hall. Please come along.

THE 100 CLUB DRAW will be held on Sun 21 Dec. at the Christmas Carol Service.

ADVENT PENITENTIAL SERVICE in preparation for Christmas will be held from **6.30pm** until 7.30pm on **Wednesday 17 December** in St. Augustine's. I strongly encourage you to avail yourselves of this opportunity to receive the Sacrament of Personal Confession during this evening.

JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE: During this year of the Jubilee, we are encouraged to make a pilgrimage through the Holy Door which grants us indulgence. The Diocese has designated **St. Peter's, Marlow** as a church for this purpose. Our Parish Pilgrimage to St. Peter's will be on **Friday 19 December**. Parishioners will make their own way to Marlow. We will meet outside the church at **10am**. If any parishioner does not have transport to travel to Marlow please contact Judy Hill: judyhill53@gmail.com

CAROLS ON THE HILL by Queen Victoria's statue outside **Windsor Castle**. Musical support from Royal Holloway University of London Brass Band. **6.15pm Fri. 12 Dec.**

CHURCHES TOGETHER IN DATCHET Ecumenical Service of Nine Lessons and Carols - 6.30pm Sun 14 Dec at St. Mary's Church, Datchet. All are welcome.

ONLINE ADVENT RETREAT will be held on Monday 08 December at 7.30pm and will be delivered by Fr. Matt Blake a Discalced Carmelite priest, who will speak about Ruth. To register please use link:

<https://northamptondiocese.org/grace/>

LOST & FOUND: A small pearl drop earring recently found in Datchet Church.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES 2025							
Datchet	Wed 17 Dec	06.30pm	Penitential Service	Eton	Thu 25 Dec	09.00am	Carols
Datchet	Sun 21 Dec	12 noon	Christmas Carols	Eton	Thu 25 Dec	09.30am	Christmas Morning Mass
Datchet	Wed 24 Dec	08.30pm	Carols	Datchet	Thu 25 Dec	10.30am	Carols
Datchet	Wed 24 Dec	09.00pm	Christmas Night Mass	Datchet	Thu 25 Dec	11.00am	Christmas Day Mass