

Notices and Reports

We pray for the repose of the soul of Canon Bill Clements who died recently.

PLEASE NOTE – ADORATION RESUMES THIS TUESDAY 12th SEPTEMBER.

Child Baptism – Parents requiring Baptism for their child need to attend 3 Sessions, in any order. The next session, Session 2, is on Tuesday 19th September at 8.00pm in the Parish Room.

Volunteers Needed for gardening and welcoming/ guiding at St. Augustine's

Tea and Coffee is now available after masses at St Augustine's in the new Visitor Centre.

Tuesday Confessions at 7.15pm St. Ethelbert's.

First Holy Communion 2018 Registration has now closed for First Holy Communion.

Confirmation 2018 The children who have been accepted for the programme, based on their attendance of Holy Mass, have now been informed. Any further applicants will have to come for an interview with Fr Mark. Deadline is 30th September. Phone or e-mail to make this appointment. frmarkhiggins@gmail.com

Opportunity for Young Person to help with first Holy Communion programme. This requires a commitment and an ability to relate well to children. This would be a great way to share your faith but also an impressive thing to mention on a UCAS personal statement, DofE course or a C.V.

Parish Rosary at St Ethelbert's 3pm Wednesday.

Divine Mercy Chaplet, Friday at 3pm in Church (Except on 1st Friday).

Stations of the Cross, First Fridays at 3pm St. Ethelbert's.

Parish Social Afternoon – Saturday, 16th September 2.00 – 4.30 in the Parish Hall.

Holy Days of Obligation 2017-18

Last week the Catholic Bishops in England agreed to restore Ascension Thursday and Epiphany as Holy Days of Obligation. **The Holy Days over the next year are:** All Souls 1st Nov, Christmas Eve/Day, Epiphany 6th/7th January, Ascension 10th May, Ss. Peter and Paul 29th June, Assumption 15th August.

Priests- Fr Marcus Holden (Away till October), Fr Mark Higgins, Fr Leszek Klos. **Deacon-** Rev Peter Brown. **Safeguarding:** Kate Morgan. **Office & Presbytery:** 72 Hereson Rd, Ramsgate CT11 7DS, Tel: 01843 592071 (Polish 07468570445) **Email:** ramsgateandminster@gmail.com **St. Mildred's Priory**, Minster Abbey, Minster, Ramsgate CT12 4HF, 01843 821254. **Website:** www.ramsgateandminster.com. **St. Ethelbert's School:** Dane Park Road, Ramsgate CT11 7LS, 01843 585555. **The Divine Retreat Centre**, St Augustine's Abbey, St. Augustine's Road, Ramsgate CT11 9PA, Tel: 01843 586904.

Legion of Mary Meeting – St. Ethelbert's on Friday at 10:15am. Prayer and work for Our Lady in the Parish. New members are always welcome.

Missionary work. Two members of the Legion of Mary will be visiting the parish to do home to home visitation over the next week. They will knock at every door and will be working for many hours each day to share our Catholic Faith.

Pugin Reading Group is on a Summer Break and will resume in September.

Parish Coffee Morning will be on Wednesday, 20th September at 10.30am in the Parish Room. All welcome.

.Dates for your diary:

7th – 14th September- Pugin Week

16th September – Social Afternoon

23rd September- Wine and Wisdom

30th September- Discovering Priesthood day

13th October- Our Lady of Fatima All Night Vigil

We pray for the sick: N. Wall, M. Marjoram, A. Fell, M. McVie, E. Finn, Annie Larks, Mary O'Neill, Eugene Maciag, M. Green, E. Smalley, D. Power, A. Shelts, Clem O'Brien, D. Hall, T. Webster, M. Stanley, M. Clark, A. Coldwell, M. DuFau, E. Evans, H. Russell, F. Coyle, M. Whalley, J. Hall, T. Oliver, J. & J. Kelly, M. Crawford, B. Mallon, C. Cosgrove, Denis & Betty McClosky, G. Gabbet, A. Gosling, Betty Curtain, P. Doyle, Mary Austen, Valerie & Malvern Owen, Shirley Atterbury, Y. Kelly, Frank Tierney, Dennis Howe, Dina Dale, David Pettit, Strom Bolder, Avin Lucas, Eileen McCaughan, Catriona Blaker, Bridget Davis.

Enjoy reading C.S. Lewis' classic book together-

"Mere Christianity"

at the theology reading group. 5pm Tuesdays. St Ethelbert's



Parish of Ramsgate and Minster

Twenty-Third Sunday of The Year – 10th September 2017 (Year A)

This Week

Saturday

-Pugin Week 7 – 14 Sept. See leaflet for details

Sunday

-Father's Football- 3pm

-Devotions at the Shrine at 4.30pm

Monday

Tuesday

-Theology Reading Group 5.00pm.

-Mothers Prayers 7pm

Wednesday

-Parish Rosary 3pm.

Thursday

-Pugin Week concludes

-Pugin's Requiem Mass 6:30pm

Friday

-Legion of Mary Meeting 10:15am

-Divine Mercy Chaplet 3.00pm

- Parish Surgery 6pm

-Social Committee Meeting 7pm

Saturday

-Social Afternoon 2.00 – 4.30pm

Sunday

Mass Times & Confessions

This week note amended daily times:

St Ethelbert's

9:30am- Mon, Tue, Thur, Sat

7.30pm - Friday (Polish)

5.30pm –Saturday

10am and 12 noon (Polish) – Sunday

St Augustine's

12 noon –Daily

8.30 and 12 noon – Sunday

Minster Abbey

9.00am – Mon-Sat

10.00am Sun

Confessions

Thurs/Fri 12.30pm (Aug)

Sat 10am & 5-6pm (Eth)

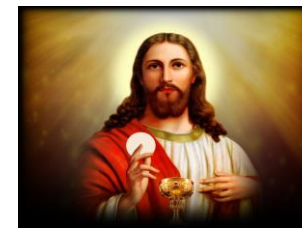
Sun 9.30am-10.30am (Eth)



Pugin Week

We are mid-way through the week in celebration and remembrance of Pugin's life and accomplishments. The week will conclude with Mass for the repose of his soul on Thursday. See leaflets.

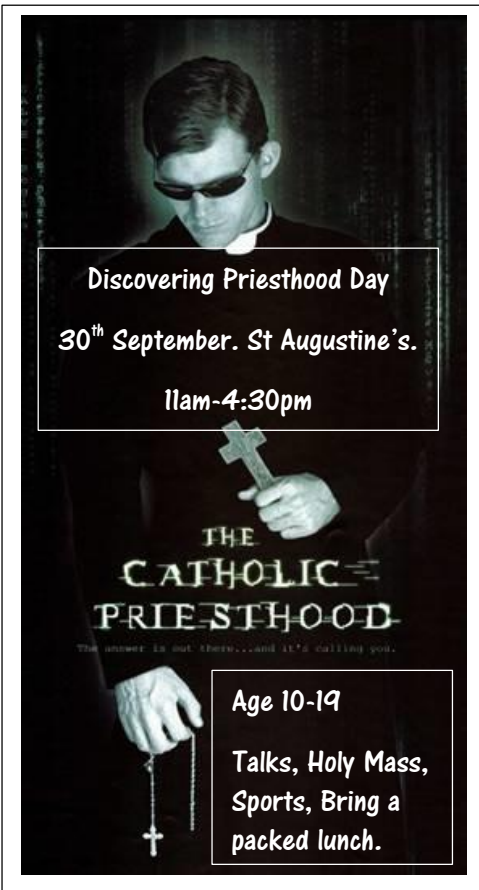
Not been to Holy Mass every Sunday over the summer?



It is a mortal sin to deliberately miss Holy Mass on a Sunday. (Of course the church isn't talking about those who are physically unable to get to Holy Mass).

The Sacrament of confession re-admits you to Holy Communion. To receive Holy Communion without confession would be to make a **sacrilegious communion**.

Confession is **available at all Masses** this weekend and always on request.




Discovering Priesthood Day
30th September. St Augustine's.
11am-4:30pm

THE CATHOLIC PRIESTHOOD

Age 10-19
Talks, Holy Mass, Sports, Bring a packed lunch.

Wine and Wisdom
In aid of the Parish Building Fund
In the Parish Hall on



Saturday 23rd, September 17
At 7.00pm
See poster at the back of Church with details of how to book a table.

We say farewell to Fr Christopher who returns to Poland On Monday, we thank him for helping us over the last month and we ask God's blessing on him as he returns to the work of training future priests in Poland.
There is a voluntary collection for him after Mass.



COMING SOON

Are you interested in finding more about the Catholic Faith? Perhaps you would like to become a member of the Catholic Church? Preparation classes will start in the autumn. Register now by e-mailing: frmarkhiggins@gmail.com

Parish Services and Information

	Time & Location	Intention	Feast	
Sunday 10th September	5.30pm (Sat) 8.30am 10.00am 10.00am 12.00pm (Latin EF) 12.00pm (Polish)	Eth Aug Eth MA Aug Eth	Holy Souls PB Shrine of Our Lady of Montilgeon Sisters of Minster Holy Souls PB Shrine of Our Lady of Montilgeon Timothy Quick RIP	Twenty-Third Sunday of The Year (A)
Monday 11th September	9:30am 12.00pm	Eth Aug	Tony & Peter King Holy Souls PB Shrine of Our Lady of Montilgeon	Feria
Tuesday 12th September	9.30 am 12.00pm 6:30pm (Latin EF)	Eth Aug Eth	Ann-Marie Butchard-Thurston (Yr 6 class mass) Tommy Fearon Edward Cooper	The Most Holy Name of Mary
Wednesday 13th	9:30am (Latin EF) 12.00pm	Eth Aug	Holy Souls PB Shrine of Our Lady of Montilgeon Holy Souls PB Shrine of Our Lady of Montilgeon	St John Chrysostom
Thursday 14th September	9:30am 12.00pm 6:30pm (Latin EF)	Eth Aug Aug	Amelia's Exam Holy Souls PB Shrine of Our Lady of Montilgeon Augustus Welby Pugin RIP	The Exaltation of The Holy Cross
Friday 15th September	8am 12.00pm 7.30pm (Polish)	Eth Aug Eth	Carmel & Magoli Naguib Timothy Quick RIP	Our Lady of Sorrows
Saturday 16th September	9.30am 12.00pm 5.30 pm	Eth Aug Eth	Conversion of the Higgins Family Betty McClusky Barbara Keen	Ss Cornelius and Cyprian
Sunday 17th September	8.30am 10.00am 10.00am 12.00pm (Latin EF) 12.00pm (Polish)	Aug Eth MA Aug Eth	Anthony Jinks Edward Cooper Pat Turner RIP	Twenty-Fourth Sunday of the Year A

St Ethelbert: open 8.30am-4.00pm weekdays and 8.30-1.00pm weekends. **Exposition/Adoration:** **St Ethelbert's:** Tuesday all day Adoration 10.00am – 4.30pm and Mon/Fri 8.30-9.10am (Rosary 9.10am except Friday). **St Augustine's on Thurs** 12.30-1pm. **Minster Abbey** 8pm-8.45pm daily except (Wed & Sun). **Mothers' Prayers,** 2nd Tues of the month. **Padre Pio Prayer Group,** 4th Tues (both at 7pm in parish room). **Prayer Candles:** Margurite Wilkinson, Jim & Nelly Peck RIP, The Bolder Family. **Parish Rosary:** Wednesday at 3.00pm in the Church. **Stations of the Cross:** 1st Friday at 3pm in the Church. **Divine Mercy Chaplet:** Friday at 3pm (except 1st Friday). **Mass attendance:** - **Collections:** First Collection £884.96. Second Collection: £288.70. Second Collection today is for the Catholic Education Service. Second Collection next week is for Home Mission Sunday to support the Bishop's national work of evangelisation.

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