

## Notices and Reports

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

**PLEASE NOTE – ADORATION RESUMES NEXT TUESDAY 12<sup>th</sup> 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 19<sup>th</sup> 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 and Confirmation 2018** Registration has now started for children currently in year 2 and above (First Holy Communion), and year 7 and above (Confirmation). If your child is not attending Holy Mass at the moment, then he or she will not be able to enter the sacramental programme in the autumn.

**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.

**House Rosary** on Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> September at 3pm, at Laura's – 189A Ramsgate Road, Broadstairs.

**Divine Mercy Chaplet**, Friday at 3pm in Church (Except on 1<sup>st</sup> Friday).

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

**Parish Social Afternoon** – Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> September 2.00 – 4.30 in the Parish Hall.

**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.

**Legion of Mary September Function for all active and auxiliary members, after 6:30pm Mass Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> September.**

**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, 20<sup>th</sup> September at 10.30am in the Parish Room. All welcome.

**Dates for your diary:**

7<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> September- Pugin Week

16<sup>th</sup> September – Social Afternoon

23<sup>rd</sup> September- Wine and Wisdom

30<sup>th</sup> September- Discovering Priesthood day

13<sup>th</sup> 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.

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

**"Mere Christianity"**

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

## Pilgrimage to Fatima

2017

FULLY BOOKED



**Priests-** Fr Marcus Holden (Away till October), Fr Mark Higgins, Fr Leszek Klos. **Deacon-** Rev Peter Brown.  
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## Parish of Ramsgate and Minster

Twenty-Second Sunday of The Year – 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2017 (Year A)

### This Week

#### Saturday

-Sodality of Mary 6:15pm

#### Sunday

#### Monday

#### Tuesday

-Theology Reading Group 5.00pm.

#### Wednesday

-House Rosary 3pm. See details in newsletter

#### Thursday

-Pugin Week starts see details in the newsletter

-Legion of Mary Function - after 6.30 Mass

#### Friday

-Legion of Mary Meeting 10:15am

-Divine Mercy Chaplet 3.00pm

- Parish Surgery 6pm

#### Saturday

#### 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)



St Ethelbert's starts a new school year this week! Throughout September you will hear more about the upcoming courses and catechism classes that will be running in our parish until next summer.

**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.

*Wine and Wisdom*  
*In aid of the Parish Building Fund*  
*In the Parish Hall on*  
***Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup>, September 17***  
***At 7.00pm***

*See poster at the back of Church with details of how to book a table.*

*From the catechism- Valid Marriages*

**For a Catholic's marriage to be valid in the eyes of God it needs to take place in a Catholic Church and before a Catholic priest.** A Catholic who is only *civilly married* is not married in the eyes of God. The bible calls marital relations with someone you are not married to in the eyes of God as 'fornication' or, 'living in sin'. Every month, couples in Ramsgate choose to have their marriages blessed, or 'convalidated'. This involves a small and private church service.

Arrange a meeting with Fr Mark by e-mailing or phoning him to see if this is possible for you. You will then be able to make a good confession and receive Holy Communion once again.



# 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](mailto:frmarkhiggins@gmail.com)**

## Parish Services and Information

	Time & Location	Intention	Feast	
<b>Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> September</b>	5.30pm (Sat) 8.30am 10.00am 10.00am 12.00pm (Latin EF) 12.00pm (Polish)	Eth Aug Eth MA Aug Eth	William & Phyllis Rapley RIP Irene Tomlin RIP Well Being of Mrs. Letts Piatkowski Family	<b>Twenty-Second Sunday of The Year (A)</b>
<b>Monday 4th September</b>	9:30am 12.00pm	Eth Aug	Rose Dewaney Timothy Quick RIP	Feria
<b>Tuesday 5th September</b>	12.00pm 6:30pm (Latin EF)	Aug Eth	Holy Souls PB Shrine of Our Lady of Montilgeon Rose Kenny	Feria
<b>Wednesday 6th September</b>	9:30am (Latin EF) 12.00pm	Eth Aug	Edward Cooper Mr & Mrs G. Pelosi (FM)	Feria
<b>Thursday 7th September</b>	9:30am 12.00pm 6:30pm (Mass starts 6:45pm)	Eth Aug Eth	Holy Souls PB Shrine of Our Lady of Montilgeon Holy Souls PB Shrine of Our Lady of Montilgeon Fr Mark's intentions. Preceded by rosary.	Feria
<b>Friday 8th September</b>	9:30am 12.00pm 7.30pm (Polish)	Eth Aug Eth	(Whole school Mass) - Holy Souls OLM Timothy Quick RIP	The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary
<b>Saturday 9th September</b>	9.30am 12.00pm 5.30 pm	Eth Aug Eth	Rose Dewaney Holy Souls PB Shrine of Our Lady of Montilgeon Holy Souls PB Shrine of Our Lady of Montilgeon	Feria
<b>Sunday 10th September</b>	8.30am 10.00am 12.00pm (Latin EF) 12.00pm (Polish)	Aug Eth Aug Eth	Sisters of Minster Holy Souls PB Shrine of Our Lady of Montilgeon Timothy Quick RIP	<b>Twenty-Third Sunday of the Year A</b>

**St Ethelbert:** open 8.30am-4.00pm weekdays and 8.30-1.00pm weekends. **Exposition/Adoration:** **St Ethelbert's: Mon/Fri** 8.30-9.10am (Rosary 9.10am except Friday) During the summer months please see the newsletter weekly for amended days/times. **ALL DAY ADORATION RESUMES ON TUESDAY, 12<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER.** **St Augustine's on Thurs** 12.30-1pm. **Minster Abbey** 8pm-8.45pm daily except (Wed & Sun). **Mothers' Prayers,** 2<sup>nd</sup> Tues of the month. **Padre Pio Prayer Group,** 4<sup>th</sup> Tues (both at 7pm in parish room). **Prayer Candles:** Margurite Wilkinson, Bolder Family, William & Phyllis Rapley RIP, Laura & Sid Wyness. **House Rosary:** Wednesday, 6<sup>th</sup> September at 3pm at 189A Ramsgate Road, Broadstairs. **Stations of the Cross:** 1<sup>st</sup> Friday at 3pm in the Church. **Divine Mercy Chaplet:** Friday at 3pm (except 1<sup>st</sup> Friday). **Mass attendance:** - **Collections:** (Excluding Minster Parish ) First Collection £833.15. Second Collection: £264.27. Second Collection today is for the Parish Building Fund. Next Sunday second collection for Catholic Education Service.

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