



# Ite Missa Est

# Gift of self

July - August 2017

Newsletter of the SSPX in Great Britain and Scandinavia





"In order to return with the greatest possible generosity the love with which Jesus has loved me, I entrust myself with my whole heart to the prayers of this my religious family, so that with the Grace of the Holy Ghost and by the intercession of the Immaculate Heart of Mary, of the great Patriarch St. Joseph and of our Patron Saints, I may attain perfect charity in the service of God and of the Church. Amen.."

(from the Act of Profession of the Consoling Sisters of the Sacred Heart, Feast of the Sacred Heart, 23rd June 2017, Narni, Italy)

#### Ite Missa Est

Newsletter of the Society of St. Pius X in Great Britain & Scandinavia

#### Publisher

Society of Saint Pius X St. George's House 125 Arthur Road Wimbledon SW19 7DR United Kingdom +44 20 8946 7916 district@fsspx.uk

#### **District Superior**

Rev. Fr. Robert Brucciani

#### Price

Suggested donation: £1

To Order Send email or write

#### To Donate

Cheque to: "The Society of Saint Pius X" at the above address.

Standing Order: contact us for a form either: at the above address or: district@fsspx.uk or: www.fsspx.uk/en/donate-gb

Transfer to: Lloyds Bank plc Account: The Society of St. Pius X Account Number: 00279661 Sort Code: 30-99-80 BIC/SWIFT: LOYDGB21061 IBAN: GB07LOYD30998000279661

Paypal: district@fsspx.uk

Internet fsspx.uk

# Gift of Self

Editorial: Foolishness for Christ	6
Other news	10
Spirit of the Society	14

# Spiritual Life

Frontline novice	18
Militia Immaculatae	20
Consoling Sisters	22
St, Augustine & St. Monica	26

# Ite Missa Est

# Society of St. Pius X in Great Britain and Scandinavia

Chronicle in pictures	30
Announcements	38
Liturgical Calendar	40
Year Planner 2017	44
Mass Times	45
Addresses	46

÷.,

# Gift of self

Foolishness for Christ

### Rev. Fr. Robert Brucciani, District Superior

My Dear Brethren,

Taking of the habit

On the Feast of Sacred Heart I had the unmerited privilege and delight to be part of a ceremony in which three young ladies made their first professions – vows of poverty, chastity and obedience - and two more young ladies received the religious habit of the Consoling Sisters of the Sacred Heart. The ceremony took place in the beautiful hilltop town of Narni, which is about an hour and a half north of Rome, on a bright sunny day in the ancient parish church of St. Francesco.

The joy of the occasion was amplified for the fact that all of the young ladies were kneeling before the altar because of an orphanage more than four thousand miles away in India! One day, the complete story of how they came to be here will be set down by a more eloquent writer in a book that will tell a remarkable tale of "foolishness for Christ" (I Cor 4:10)

## Not long ago

In 2006, a young Indian lady knocked on the door of the Consoling Sisters of the Sacred Heart in Vigne, near Narni with an outrageously daring request: "Will you take both me as a novice and my orphanage in India as a part of your apostolate?" The Consoling Sisters were a small community of eleven sisters in need of vocations and given to works of charity. They had no knowledge of India, but they did have a foolishness for Christ, and so they answered: "Bene allora!"

It seemed completely mad as a project. How could an orphanage in India help a congregation in Italy? Surely it would be a millstone more than a help. Well, with the calculations of men this is true, but this story is an example of the calculus of supernatural charity: the return on the gift of self to Christ is not proportional – it is nearer to an exponential relationship: if you give twice as much, He gives four times as much; if you give three times as much, He gives nine times as much.

Within ten years there were new buildings, a flourishing school and a steady stream of volunteers who would give themselves to the apostolate for six months or a year at a time. Going to India for many of these volunteers was a life-changing experience: being taken out of one world - with all its noise, worry and inanity - and entering a parallel universe in which the claims on kindness and charity simply could not be ignored, taught an invaluable lesson of self-giving. And then, living this life of self-giving among the sisters at the orphanage or the priests and brothers at the priory with daily Mass and the sacraments - made many volunteers see the beauty and happiness of a life totally given to Christ.

Most young men and women, if asked to spend six months in a priory or a convent in the west, would run a mile! Put them in a place away from material comfort where their greatest consolations come from the exercise of virtue, then they will, more likely than not, wish to give themselves more and more. In the last ten years 13 out of 125 volunteers have pursued a priestly or religious vocation and there have been more besides...

On this feast of the Sacred Heart, two of the three sisters who made their profession were volunteers to India, the other sister, together with the novices, discovered the Consoling Sisters through reading about the Indian apostolate! The Consoling Sisters now have 17 professed sisters, 2 novices and 2 postulants.

## Resolution of the crisis

The resolution of the crisis in the the Church will only come about when a goodly number of souls are prepared to make such a total gift of self. Archbishop Lefebvre saw ·:- -

this and then founded the Priestly Society of St. Pius X with its spiritual family: the Society of St. Pius X Brothers, Society of St. Pius X Sisters, Oblates Sisters, Missionary Oblate Sisters and the Third Order. The defining act of this great work is self-giving: giving ourselves to Jesus Christ to become Him, and then giving Him to the Father in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

One can say that the cycle of self-giving begins with the sacrament of marriage which is the sacrament of self-giving to God through self-giving to one's spouse. A marriage is made perfect in the self-giving for one's children, not so that they become rich and famous, but so that that they may in-turn give themselves to God.

And then the self-giving of a child is made manifest when he makes that conscious decision to put God first – His teaching, His laws, His sacraments - in short - His Church. And this self-giving is made perfect when he gives himself to God in the vocation he has discerned in order to please Him.

# Lessons to learn

The lesson for parents is simple: turn your homes into schools of self-giving! Banish the noise, the distractions and the expensive trappings of consumerist materialism, and turn your homes into a haven of charity, order, self-giving to each other in order to give all to our Lord Jesus Christ.

The lesson for young adults is also simple: liberate yourselves from the chains of trash culture and give your time, your labour, your charity to a mission, to a school, to a priory or to a project which is for the good of the Church. Make that leap of faith, make that magnanimous act of charity and you will learn about the economy of charity.

We do need to learn this lesson because our district is in vocational deficit! We have 14 priests working in the district and only 11 priests in the Society are from the district. We have five brothers working in the district and there are only 2 religious brothers from the District. There are no brothers, sisters of the SSPX from the District.

8

July - August 2017

Currently	from	working in
active	GB District:	GB District:
vocations	all orders/	all orders/
	congs.	congs.
Priests	11	14
Monks	2	0
Brothers	0	5
Sisters	8	0
Oblates	0	7
TOTAL	21	26

# The fruits

In as much as we can teach the lesson and learn the lesson of self-giving, the joy of the ceremony of yesterday will be repeated again and again. In a few days time, many shall see it repeated at the Seminaries of the Society of St. Pius X in Switzerland, Germany and U.S.A. as 24 young men make that total act of self-giving when they receive the priesthood and 9 young men receive the diaconate.

May they be blessed with a fruitful apostolate, and may we be blessed with the grace of giving ourselves without condition for the glory of God and the spiritual prosperity of our Society.

In Jesu et Maria, Rev. Fr. Robert Brucciani



·:•

# Other News

### Changes

As some of you may already know, **Fr. Patrick Summers**, has been appointed to a new post in his home country from 15th August 2017. This news occasions much sadness because the entire district has a debt of gratitude to Fr. Summers for his priestly ministry, solid piety, practical good sense, manly leadership and love of the souls in his care over the last ten years. May God reward him, keep him humble and make his new apostolate as fruitful as this one has been.



Rev. Fr. John Brucciani

I do hope that you will help us give Fr. Summer's a fitting send-off when he leaves in July.

For my part, Fr. Summers' departure is like losing my own right hand. But, for all the trials that the Good Lord sends, His blessings are never far behind. In this case, it is the news that my brother, **Fr. John Brucciani**, will be Fr. Summers' replacement.

To those who do not know Fr. John, he was ordained in 1998, he has 17 years of experience as a headmaster in France and in the USA. He also knows St. Michael's School as his first posting as a priest.

Another seismic change for the district is the return of our own **Fr. Sebastian Wall** of Solihull. Fr. Wall was ordained in 1994 in our German seminary in Zaitskofen. After a year in Poland, he spent 17 years in South Africa and 6 years in Mexico. He is a great musician and proficient in many languages. Be warned! The faithful in Scotland and Wales should brush up their Gaelic and Welsh without delay!

The departure of one priest and the arrival of two is a blessing for the district. Fr. Wall will replace Fr. McLaughlin who will move to St. Saviour's House in Bristol. Fr. Vandendaele will join Fr. Wall and Fr. Wingerden in Carluke, but will still be the virtual prior of Preston.

### St. Raphael's Homeschool

The prospectus is imminent and by September we hope to have a website ready with a complete junior curriculum and links to resources. A subscription offering will then be developed which will contain unique content: access to video lessons, exercises and individual tuition. This will be a paid service to cover the costs of salary and computer hardware. If you would like to be put on the mailing list for St. Raphael's Homeschool, please go to the website (fsspx.uk/en/ srhs-mailing).

### **Canterbury Pilgrimage**

Please come in large numbers to the Canterbury Pilgrimage on 28th-30th July. A second collection will be made in the chapels on one Sunday in each chapel to defray the costs of the pilgrimage because the subscriptions have hitherto only covered about half of the costs (\$10,000!). All donations are gratefully received.

#### St. Thomas Aquinas Seminary

14th-18th August: The seminarians and priests of our seminary in the U.S.A. will stage an invasion of the south of England (mostly in the region of St. Michael's School) en route to the Fatima Pilgrimage. The opportunity to arrange a Solemn High Mass at the beautiful Church of the Holy Cross, Woking on 15th August has been seized upon. Bishop Fellay will be the celebrant, the seminarians will serve and organise the choir. The Mass will be professionally filmed to promote the Sacred Liturgy.



Rev. Fr. Sebastian Wall

÷.,

## Fatima Pilgrimage

80 pilgrims from the district will make their way to Fatima for the Society's pilgrimage on 17th - 21st August to commemorate the 100th anniversary of Our Lady's apparitions. Several thousand pilgrims are expected for all corners of the Earth. Flight tickets and a detailed itinerary are promised in the next few weeks.

# End of the rosary crusade 22nd August

Please send your completed rosary sheets to your nearest priory or enter totals on the website. A total number of rosaries and sacrifices offered is all that is required.

### **Directives on Marriages**

The Superior General of the Society recently published a series of directives for the priests concerning marriages of the faithful who look to the Society of St. Pius X for the sacraments. A lengthy article has been published on the subject as a news item on the fsspx.uk website on 15th June. In summary, the District Superior must try to obtain delegated authority from the local bishop to receive the marriage vows of our faithful. If it is granted, so much the better. If it is not granted for no valid reason, then the marriage will be conducted according to the extraordinary juridical form to which the Society has had recourse hitherto on account of the grave crisis that presently afflicts the Church. A study of the article is highly recommended.

# Boys Camp 2017

4th -12th August Colleton Manor, Devon Email to Fr. Vandendaele v.vandendaele@fsspx.email

# How To Donate

Cheques:

"The Society of Saint Pius X"

St. George's House 125 Arthur Road Wimbledon SW19 7DR

Standing Order:

ask for a form

Transfer:

Bank: Lloyds Bank plc Account: Society of St. Pius X Account Number: 00279661 Sort Code: 30-99-80 BIC/SWIFT: LOYDGB21061 IBAN: GB07L0YD30998000279661

Paypal: district@fsspx.uk

# Rosary Crusade

# Intentions

- 1. To establish the devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary
- 2. To pray for the triumph of the Immaculate Heart.
- 3. To pray that the pope and all the bishops of the Catholic world to consecrate Russia to the Sorrowful and Immaculate Heart of Mary.
- 4. To pray for the protection of the Blessed Virgin Mary for the Society of St. Pius X and all its members in addition to all the religious communities of Tradition.

## Goal

The goal set by Bishop Bernard Fellay is a bouquet of 12 million rosaries and 50 million sacrifices for Our Lady of Fatima by 22nd August 2017

Send the total number of rosaries and sacrifices offered to: St. George's House 125 Arthur Road, London SW19 7DR district@fsspx.uk

Retreats 2017 Saint Saviour's House, Bristol

Jul 17-22: Archbishop Lefebvre's Spiritual Journey

> stsaviours@fsspx.uk 0117 977 7916



·:•

# Spirit of the Society

Self-giving to the Priesthood and to the Mass

### Letter to Our Brother Priests

The following is a translation of an article that appeared in the June edition of "Lettre à nos freres prêtres" which is published by the SSPX District of France.

The Statutes of the SSPX

The particular purpose of the Statutes (Constitution) of a religious society is to define the essence of that society. Here is a brief resumé of the statutes of the Society of St. Pius X set down so that it might be better understood.

# A Priestly Society of apostolic life

The Society of St. Pius X is defined in the first article of its Statutes as a priestly society of common life without vows, following the example of the societies of the Foreign Missions. This definition uses the terminology of the Code of Canon Law of 1917 (c673). According to the 1983 Code, it is a society of apostolic life (c731).

It should be noted at the outset that the Statutes of the Society of St. Pius X make no reference to a doctrinal or liturgical crisis and do not contain a direct critique of contemporary errors or deviant practices. Each line of the Statutes is orientated towards the sanctification of the members and, consequently, to the radiance of its apostolate.

The purpose of the Society, explains the Statutes, is the priest-

hood and all that relates to it and nothing but that which concerns it. The Statutes detail the works that the Society of Saint Pius X can undertake, in decreasing order of proximity to the essential purpose which is the perfection of the priesthood.

- First and foremost, all works of priestly formation and all that pertains to it.
- Second, everything that can *help the sanctification* of priests such as retreats, priestly associations, periodicals destined for the sanctification of priests, etc.
- Third, there is the formation of auxiliaries of the priesthood (religious brothers, sisters and oblate sisters) for the preparation of the liturgy, the teaching of the catechism, the material assistance of priests and priories, etc.
- Fourth, Catholic schools for the purpose of cultivating vocations to the priesthood and religious life.
- Fifth, the parish ministry and the preaching of parish missions, which must however be the object of contracts with the Ordinaries of the places in order to allow the Society to exercise its apostolate according to its par-



Priestly formation in progress: Thomas and Ogie O'Hart giving themselves to the service of the altar at the new seminary in Virginia, USA.

÷.,

ticular grace.

 Finally, the Society will come willingly to the aid of aged, infirm and even unfaithful priests.

The rules governing the administration of the Society of St. Pius X the organisation of the common life and the apostolate - are classical and merit no further comment.

# A spiritual and priestly life orientated towards the Mass

The most remarkable dimension of the Statutes of the Society of St. Pius X is the link that they establish between the spiritual life of the priest and his apostolate. If there is a spirituality proper to the Society, it is that of the Mass.

The Statutes attempt to orientate the priest and realise in his life that which is essentially his raison d'être: the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass, with all that it signifies, everything that flows from it, everything that is its complement. Therefore, the members of the Fraternity will have a genuine and continual devotion for their Holy Mass, for the liturgy that hallows it, and all that can make the liturgy expressive of the mystery that is accomplished within it. .. A profound theological knowledge of the sacrifice of the Mass will convince them ever more that in this sublime reality is realised all Revelation, the mystery of faith, the completion of the mysteries of the Incarnation and the Redemption, the efficacy of the apostolate. .. Nothing will be neglected so that piety may be oriented and derived from the liturgy of the Holy Mass which is at the heart of theology, pastoral care and life of the Church.

# The Social Reign of Christ the King

Another central element of the "spirituality" of the Society of St. Pius X is indicated by the Statutes in two notable sentences: *They* shall have a devotion for the reign of our Lord Jesus Christ over persons, families and societies in proportion to unlimited infinity of His Kingdom. .. If they are to manifest a political preference, it will always be in line with this Social Kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ.

St. Pius X, pray for us.



CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS

Feast of the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary

15th August, 11:30am SOLEMN HIGH MASS

The Mass will be celebrated by His Lordship, Bishop Bernard Fellay with the assistance of the priests and seminarians of St. Thomas Aquinas Seminary, Virginia USA

Church of the Holy Cross, Sandy Lane, Woking Maybury, GU22 8BA Tel: 01483 767 537 ·:• - -

# Frontline novice

God's way of hardship and joy

### Fr. William Doyle sj - 19th December 1916

Fr. Willie Doyle describes in a letter to his sister - a religious of the Sisters of Mercy - how the hardship of life in a frontline trench is God's own novitiate for a life of self-giving and joy.

I want to have a little chat with you. But you must promise to keep to yourself what I write to you. Did I ever tell you that my present life was just the one I dreaded most, being from a natural point of view repugnant to me in every way? So when our Blessed Lord sent me to the Front I felt angry with Him for taking me away from a sphere of work where the possibilities, at least, of doing good were so enormous, and giving me a task others could perform much better. It was only after a time that I began to understand that 'God's ways are not our ways, nor His thoughts our thoughts' and the meaning of it all began to dawn on me. In the first place my life, especially here in the trenches, has become a real hermit's one, cave and all, a mixture of solitude with a touch of the hardships of a foreign mission. The result has been that God has come into my life in a way He never did before. He has put strange thoughts into my head and given me many lights which I feel have changed my whole outlook upon life. Then I feel, oh, so strongly, that I am going through a kind of noviceship, a sort of spiritual training, for some big work He wants me to do in the future. I feel every day as if spiritual strength and power were growing in my soul.

ly owing to so

This thought of being trained or fitted for God's work (if I may use the comparison with all reverence) like St. John the Baptist, has filled me with extraordinary joy and made me delight in a life which could not well be much harder.

Here I am in a bit of a hole in the side of a ditch, so low that I cannot stand upright and have to bend my head and shoulders during Mass -I can tell you my back aches at the end. My only window is the door (without a door) through which the wind blows day and night; and a cold wind it is just now. I was offered a little stove but my 'Novice Master' did not want that luxury, for it never came. My home would be fairly dry if I could keep out the damp mists and persuade the drops of water not to trickle from the roof. As a rule I sleep well, though one is often roused to attend some poor fellow who has been hit. Still it is rather reversing the order of things to be glad to get up in the morning to try and get warm; and it is certainly not pleasant to be wakened from sweet dreams by a huge rat burrowing under your pillow or scampering over your face! This has actually happened to me. There is no great luxury in the matter of food, as you may well guess.

Recently, owing to someone's carelessness, or possibly because the bag was made to pay toll on the way up to the trenches, my day's rations consisted of half a pot of jam and a piece of cheese!

Through all this, and much in addition, the one thought ever in my mind is the goodness and love of God in choosing me to lead this life, and thus preparing me without a chance of refusal for the work He wants doing. No amount of reading or meditating could have proved to me so convincingly that a life of privation, suffering and sacrifice, accepted lovingly for the love of Jesus, is a life of great joy, and surely of great graces. You see, therefore, that I have reasons in abundance for being happy, and I am truly so. Hence you ought to be glad that I have been counted worthy to suffer something for our dear Lord, the better to be prepared to do His work. Ask Him, won't you, that I may not lose this golden opportunity, but may profit to the full by the graces He is giving me. Every loving wish from my heart for a holy and happy Christmas. Let our gift to the divine Babe be the absolute sacrifice of even our desires, so that His Will alone may be done.

÷

# Channels of Grace



### Mr. Howard Toon

Dear Knight of the Militia Immaculatae,

19th June marks the first anniversary of the launch of the Militia Immaculata (MI) in the District of Great Britain and Scandinavia.

Most of the early enrolments were from among the faithful attending their usual Masses in the Society Mass Centres, but now there are enrolments from among Catholics who have been drawn to the MI by the apostolate of those Knights who have handed out flyers and Miraculous Medals obtained from their devoted local co-ordinators at the Militia Immaculata Corners in their chapels.

There are now just under 600 members in the District. In his booklet *Consecration to the Immaculata*, Father Director Fr. Karl Stehlin gently reminds us, "You are a real Knight of the Immaculata only if you endeavour to make those around you interested and passionate about her, and draw them to her". Do please pick up a few flyers and Miraculous Medals from your local co-ordinator at your next Mass, and give them out to relatives (especially adolescents), friends and workplace colleagues, and wherever an opportunity presents itself.

If you do this, you will open a channel through which the Immaculata's graces can flow to win more souls for Christ. She will surely help you and you might be surprised at how easy it is to show your love for Our Lady in this way. In respect of opening channels of grace, the online bookshop opened this week where you can purchase books on the Immaculata and on Fatima with debit/credit cards or Paypal. The "Consecration" booklet mentioned above is amongst the titles on offer. P&P is a flat \$2.95 whether you order one book or several but postal dispatches are restricted to GB Post Codes.

May the Immaculata bless you all and strengthen you in your zeal for recruiting more Knights.

God bless the work.

Howard Toon District Co-ordinator for the MI



# The special character of the Militia Immaculatae

The Militia of the Immaculata exists not merely as a defensive force, but especially as an offensive one. It is not enough for us to just defend the true religion. With all our might, and trusting in our Oueen. we advance even into the enemy camp to hunt down souls and to win them for the Immaculata... Every heart that is beating somewhere in the world and every one that shall beat until the end of the world must be captured for the Immaculata: that is our goal! And we want to accomplish this as quickly as possible." (Letter of St. Maximilian Kolbe, 23rd April 1929).

The Knight is haunted by the thought that so many souls have never heard the name of Mary. He would like to win the whole world for Her. To bring Her to every beating heart under the sun and to every heart that shall ever beat, so that She may enlighten these hearts with abundant graces and warm them with the love of Her maternal Heart, and enkindle in them and fan the flames of love for God, for the Sacred Heart of Jesus." (First circular letter in German of St. Maximilian Kolbe, 10th June 1938).

fsspx.uk/en/ militia-immaculatae-gb ÷

# Consoling Sisters

of the Sacred Heart



### Rev. Fr. Robert Brucciani

# Introduction

The Institute of the Consolers of the Sacred Heart of Jesus is a religious society with simple public vows. Its special goal is to profess and to promote a particular devotion to the Divine Heart; its sisters commit themselves to this end by a vow. The apostolic goal of the Institute is to dedicate itself to Christian formation— particularly of children and female youth, and to help the priestly apostolate in its many diverse forms.

# History

The Institute of the Consolers of the Sacred Heart or "Consoling Sisters" was approved by Bishop Massimiliani of Civita Castellana (about one hour north of Rome) in 1961. The community started with five sisters, but grew quickly to thirty sisters in four different houses by 1975. Along with every other religious community it suffered the dreadful effects of the "aggiornamento" that followed the Second Vatican Council. Its founder, Don Basilio, saw much of his careful work undone by a spirit of independence and innovation within his community and it was with a heavy heart that he eventually retired to the house in Vigne di Narni to keep the flame of devotion burning there through his great love of the Blessed Sacrament.

Providence never abandons a faithful servant and so, before he died



on 23rd August 1996, in answer to his prayers, Don Basilio found a successor in Father Emmanuel du Chalard of the Society of St. Pius X. To Father du Chalard, Don Basilio entrusted the spiritual welfare of his dear sisters and, although only six remained to submit to their new spiritual guide, it was not long before the new spirit of tradition transformed their community. Out went the Novus Ordo Missae and modern office: in came the Mass of all ages and the traditional office together with a traditional rule of life centred around the traditional Roman Liturgy, devotion to the Holy Eucharist and perennial Catholic theology, morals and ascetics. It was not long before new shoots sprang forth.

# Apostolate

The Consoling Sisters console the Sacred Heart of Jesus not only in their devotions and the promotion of devotion to the Sacred Heart (through the practice of "The Guard of Honour" and the recitation of the nine "Offices of the Sacred Heart"), they also console Him in their work with the elderly who reside at the convent, they console Him through their invaluable assistance to the priests of the Society of St. Pius X (such wonderful cooking!), on retreats, on summer camps and above all in India.

Following an invitation by Father Couture, the District Superior of Asia, in 2006, the Consoling Sisters ÷ -

agreed to welcome a postulant from India who ran her own orphanage and home for the elderly. The postulant is now Sr. Maria Immaculata and her work is now their own.

# Members

The Institute is composed of postulants, novices and professed sisters together with secular and regular auxiliaries. The regular auxiliaries live in the community with the sisters; the secular auxiliaries live in their families, but nevertheless strive to live up to the ideal of the Consoling Sisters as they carry out an apostolate in the world (in careers such as teaching or looking after the infirm).

The model for all members in every aspect of the their lives is of course the Blessed Virgin Mary. Of all creatures, she is the greatest consoler of the Sacred Heart of her Son. She shared most fully in His Passion and she knows His Heart so intimately as to be entrusted with all the graces that flow from it.

# Daily Schedule

The daily schedule of prayer for the sisters is as follows:

06:45 Prayers, Prime, meditation 07:45 Holy Mass 12:30 Sext (15min) 15:45 Spiritual reading (30min) 16:30 Vespers, meditation & Rosary (1hr 10 min) 21:00 Compline (15min)

On Thursdays and Sundays a Holy Hour is held at 16:45, and an all night vigil is held on the evening of the first Thursday of each month.

# **Contact Details**

For more information (or to send a donation) please contact:

The Mother Superior Consoling Sisters of the Sacred Heart of Jesus Via Flaminia Vecchia, 20 05030 Vigne di Narni (TR) Italy Tel: +39 0744 796171 Fax: +39 0744 797007 Email: consolatrici@gmail.com





÷.

# St. Augustine & St. Monica

28th August & 4th May

### Br. Columba Maria

The town of Tagaste, mid-way between Carthage and Hippo (today's Algeria) was home to Patricius, the town's leading citizen and a pagan; Monica, an exemplary wife and Catholic, always in her husband's good books (even if she couldn't properly read them!); and their family of at least two boys and one girl, one of whom was Augustine. If Monica is guilty of any sin it is that she deferred Augustine's baptism rather than see his sins defile the image of God created in him. So it is not astonishing that Augustine grew from a mischievous child into a promiscuous youth - the blemished fruit of a mixed marriage.

Both parents thought higher studies in Carthage would benefit him. Like Saint Basil he was very gifted in grammar and rhetoric, especially in Latin, and it was in the use of these at tribunals (today's courts of justice) that they saw most profit. As part of his studies he read Cicero's Hortensius, a philosophical treatise, and he was immediately drawn to the pursuit of the wisdom described therein - an albeit stunted and unchristian one. But his fleshly weakness (he took a mistress) confused him enough to think real wisdom must include these corporeal 'necessities.' Both He and Monica thought marriage would be the best remedy for his vice and therefore he put away his mistress of many years, and by whom he had a son, and was affianced to a suitable young woman, but to fill the hiatus until the marriage he sought (naturally enough!) another mistress.



"Thou hast made us for Thyself, O Lord, and our heart is restless until it rests in Thee." Confessions

And why shouldn't he? His father behaved the same way.

But the graces from Monica's prayers were slowly wending their way to their target. Augustine carried on his life - falling and rising and falling again - until yet another disappointment prompted him to successfully apply for a vacancy as a rhetorician in Milan.

There he met the Bishop St. Ambrose and, for the first time, he heard a Catholic preach the doctrine of salvation for rational minds. So many of his questions were answered except that of how he could be a Catholic and maintain his sinful life, for he quite correctly reasoned that he was unable to purge himself of his vice. The crisis came in August 386. While talking to a friend about religion, he realised that he himself was the obstacle to his own holiness. He realised that he was receiving what he asked for in his habitual if unuttered prayer: 'Give me chastity and self-control, Lord, but not just yet.'

Monica was nearby; she read the

÷

situation clearly and prayed for his conversion with a new hope and anticipation. A gentle but firm push was needed and it came, miraculously, from the voice of a child next door singing 'Take up and read. Take up and read.' He took up the copy of Saint Paul's epistles that a faithful companion had to hand there, selected a page at random, and read:



The garden in Cassiciacum outside Milan where St. Augustine heard the words, "Tolle et lege!"

The night is passed, and the day is at hand. Let us, therefore cast off the works of darkness, and put on the armour of light. Let us walk honestly, as in the day: not in rioting and drunkenness, not in chambering and impurities, not in contention and envy: But put ye on the Lord Jesus Christ, and make not provision for the flesh in its concupiscences.' (Rom 13)

Augustine was baptised on Easter night, 387, in his thirty-third year, by St. Ambrose, and spent his remaining forty odd years exercising all his talents of grammar and rhetoric in sermons, letter, books, and in conversation - becoming one of the four great doctors of the Church in the west known as the Doctor of Grace. Monica died shortly after this momentous Easter night, perhaps reciting the Church's hymn of thanksgiving, the *Te Deum*, traditionally held to have been composed that Easter by Saints Ambrose and Augustine from their places on opposite sides of the church. Her feast occurs on 4th May, while Saint Augustine's is the anniversary of his death on 28th August 430.

Rev. Fr. Edward Black, on the occasion of the 40th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood, returned to the United Kingdom for an extended holiday. 17 years have past since he left these shores for Australia, but you never would have known if you were at <u>S</u>s. Joseph & Padarn's, London on Trinity Sunday. The pulpit of St. Joseph's had been his balcony of St. Peter's for many of the 23 years (1977-2000) as District Superior. He took possession of it again as if all those years had been but a day.



The annual pilgrimage from Chartres to Paris over Pentecost weekend drew about four thousand pilgrims from all corners of the world. The intentions of the pilgrimage were to both echo and realise the message of Our Lady of Fatima - a call to penance and conversion - and also to promote devotion to the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

A group of 20 pilgrims came from our district and formed a chapter of "les anglophones" with the Irish and American pilgrims. Rev. Fr. Vandendaele was the chaplain. The first day is "mortelle!" as the French would say, but it gets progressively easier. After three days of prayer, hardship and companionship it is always sad to return to the world on Pentecost Monday.



Rev. Fr. Nicholas Mary CssR led 20 pilgrims to the Isle of Egilsay and then to St. Magnus' Cathedral in Kirkwell, Orkney to commemorate the martyrdom of St. Magnus. The driving rain and mist made it easy to evoke that dreadful scene of 900 years ago. We prayed for vocations in the 11th century church.



On 13th May a Marian Day of devotions, conferences and a picnic brought about 200 faithful to St. Michael's School.



The Juniors made a trip to Wales in May with Fr. Summers to visit a slate mine, the beach at Llandudno, Conwy Castle and Pantasaph Franciscan Friary. Here they are at St. Winifred's Well has been a pilgrim destination at least since 1138.





Fr. Summers thinks big. As a sign of the district's appreciation and thanks, Fr. Summers was whisked off to Rome to be measured for a new cassock for his new post in the U.S.A.





On Sunday, 25th June, His Lordship, Bishop Tissier de Mallerais confirmed eight souls at the Chuch of St. Margaret and Leonard, Edinburgh. After the ceremony he couldn't resist climbing up to the organ loft behind the main altar to try the organ. Please keep our bishops in your prayers; they have a punishing workload with no retirement in sight.



# **DISCOVERY IS A**

IT IS not every day you find a blessing from a saint gathering dust in your loft. But that is exactly what has happened to former Mayor of Wakefield Norman Hazell.

Mr Hazell made the extraordinary discovery while going through his belongings in his loft and has now presented the document to his local church.

The handwritten note came from Pope Pius X in 1908 after he had been written to by a Father Timothy Courtney, who was director of the Catholic Young Men's Society which was established at St Austin's Church in Wakefield in 1858. Father Courtney asked for the blessing to help celebrate the 50th anniversary of the formation of the society.

Pius, who was a staunch defender of traditional Catholic values, was made Pope in 1903. He died in 1914 and was canonised as a saint in 1954. His achievements as Pope included collecting the laws of the church into a single volume for the first time and encouraging Catholics across the world to live daily lives in a way in which reflected the most important Christian values.

Pope Pius had written back to Father Courtney to offer a blessing both to him as society director and all of its members. The letters to and from Rome were written in Latin but a translation has been made alongside them.

Mr Hazell, who has been president of the Catholic Young Men's Society since 1962, says he is unsure when the blessing came into his possession but says it must have been at some stage after the society held a centenary dinner at which it was shown in 1958.

The 85-year-old came across the blessing a couple of years ago and was keeping it in a bedroom at home. But



<u>A century-old</u> <u>blessing from one of</u> <u>Catholicism's most</u> <u>celebrated Popes has</u> <u>been unearthed in a</u> <u>loft in West Yorkshire</u> <u>and is now going</u> <u>on public display.</u> **Chris Burn** reports.

then he decided to present it to St Austin's and a special presentation was arranged on Sunday, May 7 – almost exactly 109 years after Pope Pius had written his blessing to the society.

"I found it in the loft, it had been up there probably for 40 to 50 years," Mr Hazell says.

"It was produced for the society's centenary which was in 1958. We had a formal dinner than a special service.

"I don't know where it had come from, probably the church. It was produced and taken around at dinner. I didn't steal it, I was looking after it!

"If somebody had asked me, I wouldn't have had a clue what had happened to it. I had a lot of junk in my loft, in my political life I was a mayor and fought parliamentary elections so had things like that up there and old cricket photographs, things like that. I came across it and thought this shouldn't be here.

"It was just dusty. I have all sorts of things in my loft, I'm a big man for books. I bought down the blessing and put it in a bedroom. I made the decision it has got to go back to the church.

"It is going to be mounted in the church so everyone can see it, not just my family."

On May 5, 1908, Father Courtney wrote to the Vatican in Latin, saying: "Timothy Courtney, priest of the Society of Jesus, director of the Catholic Young Men's Society, established in St Austin's Church at Wakefield, England, a society which is most devoted to the Apostolic See of Blessed Peter and produce signal fruits of edification prostrate at the feet of your Holiness, humbly begs the Apostolic Benediction for the said society and its director, on this occasion of the fiftieth anniversary of its canonical erection in this mission."

A response from Pope Pius X was written by hand four days later before being sent back to England. It read: "As petitioned for, we most lovingly impart the apostolic benediction upon our beloved son, the director, and to all the likewise beloved young men enrolled in the society."

Pius, born in Italy, was known as a 'People's Pope'. He was the only Pope in the 20th Century to give weekly homily sermons in the pulpit and, after a serious earthquake in 1908 in Italy, he filled the Apostolic Palace with refugees prior to the Italian Government taking any action.

He often referred to his humble origins in his sermons and once famously said: "I was born poor, I have lived poor, and I wish to die poor."

Pius lived by his beliefs, rejecting favours for his family and his brother continued working as a postal clerk

A kind member of the faithful sent in this newspaper clipping from the Yorkshire Post, 24th May 2017. St. Pius X, pray for us and pray for your successor!

# **BLESSED GIFT**

while his nephew remained as a village priest even after he became Pope. The way he lived his life in service to the poor and leading by example has been cited as an inspiration by the current Pope, Pope Francis.

Mr Hazell says there would have great excitement at the time when the Pope's response was received back in 1908 by those in Wakefield.

"The Catholic Young Men's Society had a chaplein at the time called Father Courtney who wrote to the Vatican asking for a papal blessing. It was quite uncommon in those days to receive one. Nowadays everyone gets a blessing, when a young Catholic couple get married, they are provided with a nice picture of the Pope signed by a cardinal.

"But Father Courtney took it upon himself to write to the Vatican City asking the Pope if he would give a blessing. He must have been amazed when the Pope wrote back in his own hand, it was Pope Pius X, who has since been canonised. He was a wonderful Pope, such a good Pope.

# Saint inspires current Pope

THE CURRENT Pope has previously praised the example which was set by Pope Pius X.

In 2015, Pope Francis described himself as a "devotee" of the saint, praying at the tomb of his predecessor in St. Peter's Basilica in Vatican City during a private early morning mass.

Francis previously had the nativity scene in St. Peter's Basilica moved so that it would not conceal the tomb of the saint.

Before this decision, the saint's tomb was concealed for months at a time while the nativity scene was prepared and set up to be displayed. But the tomb is now accessible

But the tomb is now accessible throughout the year thanks to the decision of Pope Francis, who has been inspired by his predecessor's generosity with the poor.



BLESSING FROM ABOVE: Norman Hazell and Michael Timlin of the Catholic Young Men's Society with Monsignor David Smith, holding the blessing. PICTURES JAMES HAROISTY

"For him to write from Vatican City to a church in Wakefield, Yorkshire, is just amazing. I was delighted when I refound it."

Earlier this month, Norman presented the blessing to Monsignor Canon David Smith, parish priest at St Austin's Church during Mass. Norman then addressed the congregation about the history of the blessing and of the Catholic Young Men's Society – finding out after the service that two worshippers among the congregation had also been members of the society in the past.

Mr Hazell says: "The church was quite packed. The priest called myself and the society secretary up to the altar carrying the blessing and then 1 spoke about the history of the society."

Mr Hazell says an added bonus of presenting the blessing to the church has been the way it has brought members of the society back together.

He says preparations are already under way to find a suitable way to mark the 160th anniversary of the society next year.

"I was elected president in 1962 and I'm the sort of stubborn bloke who won't accept defeat so I'm still the president after more than 50 years," Mr Hazell says.

"I was elected by a large group of men but now there are only half a dozen or so of us. I have pictures from the 1958 dinner when there were 40 men there. Now there are only four of us left alive.

"Since all this, four former members of the society have come forward. Next year for the 160th anniversary, we will have a special Mass said in memory of all the members of the society who have died."

III Email: chris.bum@jpress.co.uk III Twitter: gchrisburn.post X

# Of your charity please pray for the souls of

Mr. Jon Peter Wieselgren of Stockholm who died on 11th May Mrs. Margaret Mayes of Teddington, London who died on 30th May

Please also pray for the following whose anniversaries occur about this time

#### July

Father Basil Wrighton, Father Oswald Baker, Edith Knott, Walace Watts, John Adams, Frank McNally, Stella Booth, Lily Beswick, Marie Patterson, Mary Shakespere, Mary Mooney, Robert Kemp, Elizabeth Landon, Miss J Beauvoisin, George Moorat, Gregory McDonald, Gertrude Dougal, Luis Parfitt-Spencer, Anne Callaghan, Vera Forder, Thomas Rigby, Elizabeth Pfaff, Alfred Bransby, John Hurrell, Derek Colley, Francis Mooney, Patrick O'Connor, Raymond Griffiths, John and Joy Deegan, Dorothy Reid, Ada Mary George, Veronica Anderton-Webster, Niall Maddock, Josephine Ryan, Lillian Bentley, Patience Baldwin Thrower, Rita Callaghan, Mary Fitzgerald-Fox, Paul Vigoureux, Sheila Shepherd, Karol Bettany, Godfrey Gilbert, Ellen Cranstone, Isobel Yates, Anna Trapani, Joseph Kibbey, Roy Warner, Mary Ainsworth, Nora Docherty, Jean Johnstone, Alfonsus Valori, Mary Stukis, Francis Pangrazi, Constance Hardera, Bernard Prescott, Elizabeth Whiteford, Joseph Mate, Margaret Kingon-Rouse, Catherine Ruth Grizell, Belinda O'Connor, Elizabeth Wilkinson, Barbara Dowey, Florence Scaife, Iris Chambers, John Bristow, John Boyle, Valerie Potkins, Aidan Fanning, Maurice Marshall, Brendan Collins, Kenneth Archer, Charles Kennedy, Zadislaw Siemaszko, Rita Cunningham, Edward Stratton, Svlvina Subdi

#### August

Father Louis Coache, Father Michael Cresswell, Brother Joseph C.S.S.R., William Roser, Mrs YoungBateman, Lucy Cheffers, Moira Campbell, Adolphine Rhead, Patricia Grimer, Mrs Maxwell, Irene Marshall, Mary Clarihew, Joseph Bolton, Amy Lynch, Mrs Mather, Joseph McAsey, John Galloway, Angela Cookson, Winifred Kenny, Nora Walsh, Catherine Livesey, Irene Bowman, Nora O'Brien, May Wood, Mary Davis, Winifred Conway, Elise Denning-Smitherman, May Holden, Geoffrey Backus, Francesco Trapani, James Havelock-Walker, Lilian Nicholson, James Glynn, Margaret Saunders, Reginald Hill, Anne Teresa Callaghan, North McIntyre, Sheila Tree, Mary Malloy, John Francis Corcoran, Mary Anne Tibbott, Theresa Couldery, Mary Maguire, Josephine Boyle, Mr H Farnworth, Aileen Grossmith, Cecil Russell, Winifred Walmesley, Vivian Tristram, Kathleen Baker, Edward Marchant, Rita McCarthy, Reginald Chapman, Anthony Codd, Catherine Derham, Mary Ellen Holland, Michael O'Connor, Xavier Craig, Daniel Daly, Douglas Campbell, Richard Holden, Joan Goodbarn, George Campbell, Mary Proctor-Blagden, Doris Curwen, Tony Foster, Mary Griffin, Doreen Hurst, Anthony McLane, Kathleen Millington, Jane Philipps, Mary O'Hare, Jean Marie Szimjonka, Audrey Bocar, Arthur Whieldon, Mary PrendergJst, Robert Allen, Anthony Beswick, Mary Tudor, Ralph Cowan, Peter Denning-Smitherman, Kathleen O'Brien, John O'Connor, Albert Edwards, Bryan Phipps, Cynthia Bettany, John McCarthy, Mary Mills, Margaret Whitmarsh-Everiss, Margery Delafield, Jane Southgate, Maureen Donnelly, Peter Barry, Josephine Crosby, Iris O'Leary, Henry Connor

# Prayers taught at Fatima

## Angel of Peace (1916)

My God I believe, I adore, I trust and I love Thee. I beg pardon for those who do not believe, do not adore, do not trust and do not love Thee.

O most holy Trinity, Father, Son and Holy Ghost, I adore Thee profoundly. I offer Thee the most precious Body, Blood, Soul and Divinity of Jesus Christ, truly present in all the tabernacles of the world, in reparation for the outrages, sacrileges and indifference by which He is offended. By the infinite merits of the Sacred Heart of Jesus, and the Immaculate Heart of Mary, I beg the conversion of poor sinners.

**Our Lady (13th May 1917)** Most Holy Trinity I adore Thee. My God, my God, I love Thee in the Most Blessed Sacrament.

#### Our Lady (13th July 1917)

O my Jesus, it is for the love of Thee, for the conversion of poor sinners, and in reparation for the sins committed against the Immaculate Heart of Mary.

#### Our Lady (13th July 1917)

O my Jesus, forgive us our sins, save us from the fires of Hell, and lead all souls to Heaven, especially those in most need of Thy mercy.



#### ROCHESTER TO CANTERBURY PILGRIMAGE

28th - 30th July

for the intentions of Our Lady of Fatima for the Society of St. Pius X for vocations

Meet 1:30pm on the lawn outside Rochester Cathedral. Cost £50/£35, discounts available. Complete form at Mass Centres or email canterburypilgrimageuk@gmail.com

SATURDANY	<b>St. Elizabeth,</b> <u>3 cl.</u> Queen a Portugal, Widow	St. Withburge, V.; Dereham, Norfolk 745 St. Marwerne, V.; S <sup>4</sup> cent. St. Edger, <sup>4</sup> King af Ergland; Glastanburg 975		<ul> <li>St. Swithin, E. 4 C., 882</li> <li>(Portsmouth 3 cl., Southwark, Comm)</li> <li>St. Edith, Queen &amp; Widow, Polesworth, Warwickshire 928</li> <li>St. David, A b, 100</li> </ul>
FRIDAY	4 cl.     SS. Cyrtl & Methodius, St. Elizabeth,       Bishops, Confessors     3 cl.       Queen of Portu       7     1	First Friday St. Palladius, B. & C. Sociland 440 (Aberdeen 3 cl.) St. Hedda, B. & C., Winchester St. Hedda, B. & C., Winchester St. Forder, G. & T. Thomas of Carterbury, B. & M. Kitte of Carterbury, B. & M. Cottes of Carterbury, St. J.	<u>4 cl.</u> St. Bonaventure, <u>3 cl.</u> Bishop, Cartessor, Datar af the Church	<b>B. Richard Langharne</b> , L. & M., Tyburn <b>1879</b>
THURSDAY	ferta 6	<ul> <li>St. Sectourga, Welow, Ely, Cambridgeshire 699</li> <li>St. Thomas Marc. L. &amp; M.; Esheaded on Town Hill 1555</li> <li>BL. Thomas Alfeld, Pr. &amp; Ven. Thomas Wellery, L.</li> </ul>	<b>v</b>	St. Mtdred, V.; St. Mtdred, V.; SS. Brigtd & Maure, Scotland St cent. Bl. Thomas Turretal, P. d. M.; Norwich 1888
WEDNESDAY	<u>4 cl.</u> St. Anthony <u>3 cl.</u> Mary Zaccarta, Confessor 5	<ul> <li>St. Modwen, V. &amp; Atss.,</li> <li>St. Serturya, Wid</li> <li>Burton on Trent 50</li> <li>St. Thomas More, 1</li> <li>Vers. George Michol,</li> <li>Rudard, Yarley, PPh.,</li> <li>BL. Thomas Algolan &amp; Humpirey</li> <li>Peturbard, LL, MM, Oxford 199</li> <li>MM, Tyourn 1995</li> </ul>	4 <u>ed.</u> St. John Gualbert, <u>3 el.</u> Ferta Abtot (Comm. of SS. Nator & Felts, Martyral 13	BL John Jones, Pr. 4 M; Southwark 1898 BL David Gorson, Kright of St. John of Jeruelem, L. 4 M; Southward 1541
TuesDAY	<u>3 cl.</u> Ferta 4 cl.	<ul> <li>B. John Correltus, P., 4 Comp.</li> <li>and B. Hugh Creen, Pr., MM, 19941942 (Rymouth 3 ch.)</li> <li>BBL Henry Abbod.</li> <li>William Andleby, Thomas</li> <li>Wercop &amp; Edward Fulthrop.</li> <li>Li, 6 MM, Yore 1997.</li> </ul>	Kerta (Comm. of St. Ptus 1 Pope, M	St. Droten, Ab. & G; P <sup>6</sup> c. (Alerden, Argyll & The Idea 3cl) (Other Plunket, E & M, 1999 (Othen 3 c) BL. Adrian Fortsecue, M, 1999 (Brmingham 3 cl)
MONDAY	<b>St. Irenaeus,</b> Bishop, Martyr <b>Z</b>	<b>35. Jultus &amp; Asron</b> , MM.; Cardiff 3 ch	2 cl. The Seven Holy 3 cl. Brothers, Martyrs, and \$55. Ruftna 400 & Secunda, Virgins, Martyrs	
SUNDAY	Fourth Sundary <u>2.cl.</u> after Pertecost <sup>(Comm. of</sup> Visitation of The Blessed Virotn	Mary) SS. Processus & Martfurlar, MM. Vers. Martfird Scott & George Besley, PPr. & MM.; Fleet Street 189	Fifth Sundary 2 <u>cl.</u> after Pentecost <b>9</b>	<ul> <li>SS. Join Flaher, B.</li> <li>&amp; Thomas Mars, L., MM, 1586 (In Ergland &amp; Wales ic.)</li> <li>Our Lady of Aberdeen, Patron of Diccese, Aberdeen 1 (d.)</li> </ul>

me Emilian, St. Lawrence of <u>3 cl.</u> St. Mary Magdalen, r <u>3 cl.</u> Erindist, Contessor, Penitent <u>3 cl.</u>	20 St. Margaret, 21 Count of the Virgin, Martyri 21 St. Praredee, 22	Ver. John Hambley, Pr. d.M. Salisbury, 1907. 4 M. Salisbury, 1907. 4 M. Salisbury, 1907.	Eerta4 cl.55. Nazartus & Celsus,51. Martha,3 cl.Comm. of St. Partaleon, MartynMartyn, Pope, Martyn, Pope, Martyn,Vitrgin (Comm. of St. Feltz, Pope, Simplicius, Pope, 3 cl.3 cl.2728& Innocent I, Pope29Simplicius, Beatrice, MM.)	<ul> <li>St. Jössph of Artmathea. C.;</li> <li>Glastorbury St. Attack</li> <li>Ver. Robert Stutton.</li> <li>Pr. d. M.; Scilica 189</li> <li>St. Sampson, B. &amp; C;</li> <li>St. Ethelwin, B. &amp; C;</li> <li>Pr. d. M.; Baumaris 1898</li> <li>Kantiff 3 cl.</li> <li>Lindisfarue, Durham 740</li> </ul>	tet of Russia to my Immaculate Heart, and the Communion of Reparation on go. the First Saturdays. If my requests are heeded, Russia will be converted my and there will be peace; if not, she will spread her errors throughout the used userld, causing uars and persecutions of the Church. The good will be ase martyred, the Holy Faher will have much to suffer, various nations will XI. be annihilated. In the end, my Immaculate Heart will triumph. The Holy XI.	
$\overline{3 \text{ cl.}}$ Bi. Vincent de Paul, Si. Jerome Emilian, Confessor $\overline{3 \text{ cl.}}$ Confessor $\overline{3}$	<b>1</b> 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	Bi. John Plasstroptan. Pr. 4 M.; Crestor 1679 Var. Antary Brory, Pr. 4 M.; Newgate 1557	cl. St. Arrue, 2 cl. 1 Mother of Our Lady Mittul. of Cath. Leeds 1 cl.)	<ul> <li>BL. John Tropram. Pr. &amp; M., St. Joseph of Artmathea. Galastread 1994</li> <li>BL. Gacope Swallowell, Ven. Robert Stutton, L. &amp; M., Darlitogion 1994</li> <li>Pres. Robert Nutter &amp; Edward Ven. William Davis, Thwing, PP. &amp; MM, Lancaster 1600</li> <li>Pr. &amp; M., Laumaris 1995</li> </ul>	1917 Third Apparition: Vision of Hell After the terrifying vision of hell, the children were given a secret in three parts: "You have seen hell where the souls of poor sinners go. To save them, God wishes to establish in the world devoion to my Immaculate Heart. If what I say to you is done, many souls will be saved and there will be peace. The war is going to end; but if people do not cease offending God, a worse one wull break out during the reign of Pius XI.	When you see a night illumined by an unknown light, know that this is the great sign given you by God that He is about to punish the world for its crimes by means of war, famine, and persecutions of the Church and of the Holy Father. To prevent this, I shall come to ask for the consecration
<u>l.</u> St. Camillus de Lellís, Confessor	τ	Sacred r Tr vera 3 cl. Orld & M. Dedication of Cathedral Church mm.)	T	. હે M.; arltck, M. <b>158</b>	s cl.	
Sixth Sunday 2 <u>cl.</u> Ferta <u>4 c</u> after Pertecost (Comm. of St. Alexts,	17	Our Lady of Mourt Carmel Appartition of the Sacred Patron of Discass Salified 1 dil St. Helder, H. & M.; Jersey & Preticu" (aritiff, Mareka 3 di cort. Brismouth, Comm) St. Kenelin, King, Gild & M. Ven. Join Lion, L. & M.; Galoussershire 22 Galdam 159	Seventh Sunday <u>2 cl.</u> Ferta <u>4 cl</u> after Pertecost Comm. cf St. Artstra, Nirgin, Marty 23	<ul> <li>B. Apolltrartus, E. &amp; M.</li> <li>B. John Bote, P. &amp; M.</li> <li>B. Voltrien B. &amp; C.</li> <li>B. Voltrien B. &amp; Durien BOS</li> <li>B. Voltrien BOS</li> <li>Vens. Nucholas Garitcie, Vens. Nucholas Garitcie, Vens. Robert Euclimente, Robert Ludian &amp; Rubern, 1.6 M., York 1988</li> </ul>	Etgith Sunday <u>2 cl.</u> St. Ignatus <u>3</u> after Pertecost <u>af Loyda, Cafessor</u> <b>30</b> SS. Abdan & Server, MM. St. Germanus, E. & c. 446	<ul> <li>St. Germarus, B. I.</li> <li>P., Germarus, B. I.</li> <li>P., Grismouh, Comm.</li> <li>P., Grismouh, Comm.</li> <li>BAug. Caritif, Mare</li> <li>S. L. Westminster</li> <li>S. Neot, M., &amp; H.</li> <li>Glastorioury/Corrwa</li> </ul>

MONTH OF THE PRECIOUS BLOOD OF OUR LORD

1917 Third Apparition: Vision of Hell • Illustrated by Thomas Odern

Sugar arusday	$\frac{4 \text{ cl}}{2} \text{ St. Domtric,} \qquad \overline{3 \text{ cl}} \text{ Dedication of }  \overline{3 \text{ cl}}$ Confessor Confessor the Church of St. Mary of the Snows $5 \text{ of the Snows}$	First Friday First Saturday Bi. William Horne, Lay St. Oweld, King of brother, Ven. Edmund Birothole, Pr. & Ven. Cament Philipo, L., MM; Tyburn 1840	2 cl. (Comm. of \$53. Ttburtus, Rentyr, and Susarva, Martyr, Martyr)         5 cl. 3 cl.           11         Susarva, Susarva, Susarva, Martyr)         12	<ol> <li>John Mary Vlarney,</li> <li>4. Gogarus, Ab &amp; G;</li> <li>4. Hospitus, Ab &amp; G;</li> <li>5. Marves 5 Editionuph</li> <li>5. Andrews 5 Editionuph</li> <li>5. Jankert, B. &amp; G;</li> <li>5. Jankert, B. &amp; G;</li> </ol>
WEDNESDAY THURSDAY	4 cl.     St. Alphonsus Uguar,     Ferta     4 c.       Bishop, Corfessor,     3 cl.     3 cl.       Bishop, Corfessor,     3 cl.     5 cl.       ess,     Data free     5 cl.       tyrsl     Z     St. Stephen I,       Pope, Marytri     S	<ul> <li>St. Waltheaf, Ab. 4 C,</li> <li>St. Plagmund, 5, 4 C,</li> <li>Wer, Thomas Belchtan,</li> <li>Canterbury 34</li> <li>Pr. 4 M., Newgate 458</li> </ul>	3 cl.     Vigit of St. Laurence     St. Laurence,     St. Laurence,       Comm. of St. Romanus,     Martyn       Martyn     Job       ss.     9       3 cl.     10	Sh. Hungh E. & C., Ely 200 BL. Ruchard Bee, P., & M. ktarved), Newgete 1537
TUESDAY	Ferta (Comm. of The Holy Machab Mad	St. Ethelwold, 5: 4 C; Wurchester 99 St. Karneth, H.; Gowe Pentusuda, Walas, 6" cent. 31, Thomas Welthourne, 1. 4 M, York 200	1. St. John Mary Vlarvey, Cortessor Com. of 55, Cortacus, La Martyrs	St. Oewald, King of Northunbrid, M.; Sirops. 642 (Sirewsbury, Westminster 3 cl.) (9-kug, Argyll & files, 10-kug, Liverpol 3 cl.) Lancaster 3 cl.; 11-Augr Liverpol 3 cl.)
A reduced to the redu	1917 Fourth Apparition: Children Imprisoned The anticlerical local authorities imprisoned the children so that they could not attend the expected apparition on 13 August. They offered their anguish as a sacrifice for sinners, leading their fellow	prisoners in the rosary. Even when threatened with martyrdom they held fast to the message. Once freed they saw Our Lady on <b>p August</b> . "Pray, pray very much, and make sacrifices for simers, for many souls go to Hell because they have no one to make sacrifices and pray for them," she told them.	Transfiguration of <u>2 cl.</u> <b>3t. Cajetar, <u>3 cl.</u></b> Our Lord Jesus Christ, Confessor (Comm. of Comm. of Nirth, St. Donatus, Sunday after Pentecosti	<ul> <li>S. Status II, P.,</li> <li>S. Status II, P.,</li> <li>Elicistanus &amp; Agaptus, MM.</li> <li>England/Rome 10</li> <li>St. Henry, B. &amp; C.,</li> <li>Ven. Nicholas Postgate,</li> <li>Winchester 20</li> </ul>

<b>Ferta</b> <u>4 cl.</u> St. John Eudes, <u>3 cl.</u> (Corrun. of St. Agaptrus, Confessor	🤕 <sup>Martyn</sup> 19	St. Helene, Empress, Widdow	1-1-1	lessor (Conn. al <b>St. Zephyrtrus</b> , Pope, Martyn) 26	BL. John Wall, P. 4 M.;           BL. John Wall, P. 4 M.;           Woresstat d. 22-Aug 567           Ender, and S. 4 C.;         Ender, and S. 4 C.;           BL Transa Parcy, M.;         A. 4 C.2-Aug for the all information of the analysis of the all information of the all in				MONTH OF THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY
<u>3 cl.</u> Ferla (Comm. of 2	<b>60</b>	St. Helena	etrose, forn Colchester; 330 11.verpool, Salford 3cl. 2 cl. St. Louis IX,	King, Corfessor 25 😒	St. Thomas, 5, 4 C.; Hareford 1307 St. E6ba the Elder, Ats., Coldingram 643				H OF THE
<u>2 cl.</u> St. Hyactnth, <u>3 cl.</u> d Confessor	17		m, r. « u, m 100 olomew,	Apostle <b>24</b>	St Allos, Pricess, Northampun, 240 Vers. Micholas Tichlorre & Thomas Hadshott, 11. 4 MM, Tyburn, 501	<u>3 cl.</u> St. Raymond <u>3 cl.</u> Feltr Nornatus, Confessor	31	<b>St. Atdar,</b> 5. é. C., <b>660</b> Utverpol, Herban é Nevastle, Portsanduk, Streasburg, Lancastr, Portsanduk, The 13kes 5 cl.	TNOM
St. Joachim, 2 cl. Father of the Blessed	Virgin Mary, Confessor		p Benizi,	Confessor 23	<b>33. Ebba the Younger &amp; Comp.</b> VVV. 4 MM, Goldingtenn <b>870</b> <b>34. Tydell,</b> V. 4 M., Wales <b>460</b>	The Beheadting <u>3 cl.</u> St. Rose of Lima, <u>3 cl.</u> of St. John the Baptist Virgin (Comm. of SS. Feltr	30 <sup>4 Adauctus</sup> 31 Martyral 31	BB. Richerd Leigh, Pr., Margaret Ward, Laywoman, Laward Shelley, <i>Richerd</i> Martin, John Roche & Ven. Richard Fower, LL, MM., Tyburn <b>198</b>	
THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BVM 1 cl.	Ittul. of Cath: St. Andrew's 4 Editriburgh Patron of 01. of Good Atd Cathed, Motherwell)	Holy Day of Obligation	3 cl. The Immaculate 2 cl.	Heart of	Hippolytus & Symphortan, Martyrs) BL John Kemble, Pr. 4.M.; Hereford 879 BL Ruchard Kirhanan, Pr. 4.M.; York 1882		29 St. Sabina, Martyri	<b>St. Sebbe</b> , King, Mk. 4 C, St. Paul's Cathedral <b>675</b> <b>BL. Ruchard Heret.</b> L. 4 M, Lancaster <b>160</b>	Nude Medda
	14 Carm. of St. Eusebtus, Cortesor)		<b>nces</b> <u>3 cl.</u>	Frentot de Chartal, Widow	Dedication & Cathedral Church (Hackan and Newcaste 1 cl.)	2 cl. St. Augustine, 3 cl. Bishop, Confessor, Doctor	of the Church Comm. of St. Hermes, Martyri	<ul> <li>El. Edmund, Arrowsmith, Pr. 6 M.; Larcester 463</li> <li>El. Wultian Dean, Pr. 6</li> <li>Ven. Henry Welder, L. MM, Mile End Green 456</li> <li>El. Thomas Fellur, Pr. 6 M.; Eventford 456</li> </ul>	1917 Fourth Apparition: Imprisonment • Illustrated by Aude Medda
Tenth Sunday 2 cl. after Pentecost	13	55. Hippolytus & Caselan, MM. BL William Freemen, Pr. & M. Warwick 1995		after Pertecost	<ul> <li>St. Bernard, Ab. &amp; D.</li> <li>St. Corrym, King &amp; M.;</li> <li>Northumbrie 660</li> <li>Northumbrie 660</li> <li>St. Harbert Haccoun, Eishop;</li> <li>England Italy,</li> <li>St. Ronald, Griethain &amp; M.;</li> <li>Orland, Islands, Scotland, 115</li> </ul>	Twelfth Sunday 2 <u>cl.</u> after Pentecost	51	<ul> <li>St. Joseph Calassoncttus, C. Dedication of Cathedral Church Muttingham 1 cl.)</li> <li>St. Decuman, H. &amp; M.;</li> <li>Str. Decuman, P. &amp; M.;</li> <li>El. Devid Lewis, Pr. &amp; M.;</li> <li>Usi \$579</li> </ul>	1917 Fourth Apparition: Imp

	Year Pla	nner
Jul	7	Ordination of Mr. Thomas O'Hart to the Diaconate at St. Thomas Aquinas Seminary, Virginia USA.
	8 17-22	St. Michael's School, End of School Year (Fr. Summers' farewell) Archbishop Lefebvre's Spiritual Journey Retreat, Bristol
	28-30	Canterbury Pilgrimage
Aug	4-12	Boys' Camp, Colleton Manor, Devon
	11	All Day Adoration, St. George's House, Wimbledon
	14-18	St. Thomas Aquinas Seminary visit to St. Michael's School
	15	Solemn High Mass at Holy Cross Church, Woking, celebrated by His Lordship Bishop Fellay and served by the seminarians.
	17-21	SSPX Fatima Pilgrimage: fully booked
	23-28	Oblate Sisters' Retreat at High Grange House
	28	All Day Adoration, Church of the Holy Name, Gateshead
Sep	2-3	Walsingham Pilgrimage
	6	All Day Adoration, St. Saviour's Bristol
	11	St. Michaels School, Start of School Year
	25	All Day Adoration, Our Lady of Victories, Preston
Oct	14	St. Michael's Cadet Force 10th Anniversary
	20-23	Gregorian Chant Seminar at St. Saviours House
	25-26	Priests' Meeting, Bristol
	23-27	St. Michael's School, Half Term Break
Nov	18	St. Michael School Fayre
-	-	
Dec	6	All Day Adoration, St. Michael's School, Burghclere
2018		
Feb	19-24	Priests' Retreat, Bristol
	25	Day of Recollection on Marriage by Rev. Fr. Ludger Grun at
		St. Michael's School
May	7-18	Holy Land Pilgrimage 2018
	_	, , ,

Mass Tii	mes											
	JULY						AUGUST					
	2nd	9th	16th	23rd	30th	6th	13th	15th	20th	27th		
Bingley	-	-	1700	-	-	-	-	-	1700	-		
Bristol	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	0800 1830	1000	1000		
Burghclere	0730 0900	0715 1900	0730 0900	0730 0900								
Colleton Manor	-	12th 1130				1100		-				
Edinburgh	1300	1300	1300	1300	1300	1300	1300	1230	1300	1300		
Gateshead	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800	1800		
Glasgow	0945	0945	0945	0945	0945	0945	0945	1830	0945	0945		
Groombridge	1300	1300	1300	1300	1300	1300	1300	-	1300	1300		
Herne	0830	0830	0830	0830	0830	0830	0830	-	0830	0830		
Jersey	-	-	-	-	29th 1030		-	-	19th 1030	-		
Leicester	1730	1730	1730	1730	1730	1730	1730	1100	1730	1730		
Liverpool	-	1700	-	1700		-	1700	-	-	1700		
London (St. Joseph)	1100	1100	1100	1100	1100	1100	1100	1900	1100	1100		
London (Wimbledon)	0800	0800	0800	0800	0800	0800	0800	0715	0800	0800		
Manchester	1230	1230	1230	1230	1230	1230	1230	1230	1230	1230		
Middlemarsh	-	-	-	1100			-	-	-	1100		
Oxford	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	1000	-	-	1000		
Portsmouth	1130	1130	1130	1130	1130	1130	1130	1900	1130	1130		
Preston	0930	0930	0930	0930	0930	0930	0930	1900	0930	0930		
Rhos-on-Sea	1700	-	-	-	1700	1700	-	-	-	-		
Taunton	1530	1530	1530	1530	1530	1530	1530	-	1530	1530		
Woking	1130	1130	1130	1130	1130	1130	1130	1130	1130	1130		

see fsspx.uk/en/scandinavia for more Mass times in Scandinavia

# Mass Centres

# Great Britain

#### DISTRICT HOUSE

Saint George's House 125 Arthur Road Wimbledon SW19 7DR Tel: 0208 946 7916 district@fsspx.uk Resident: Rev. Fr. Robert Brucciani (District Superior) Rev. Fr. Håkan Lindström (District Bursar) Rev. Fr. Francis Ockerse (District Secretary) Rev. Fr. Matthew Clifton

#### ABERDEEN

Aberdeen Foyer Marywell Centre, Marywell St, Aberdeen AB11 6JF Tel: 01857 616206

#### BINGLEY

The Little House Market Street, Bingley BD16 2HP Tel: 01274 567786

#### BRISTOL

Saint Saviour's House Saint Agnes Avenue, Knowle, Bristol BS4 2DU stsaviours@fsspx.uk Tel: 0117 977 5863 Resident: Rev. Fr. Philippe Pazat (Prior) Rev. Fr. Vianney Vandendaele Sr. Marie-Charbel JssR Sr. Mary Joseph JssR

#### BURGHCLERE

Saint Michael's School Chapel Harts Lane, Burghclere, Hants RG20 9JW Tel: 01635 278 137/173 stmichaels@fsspx.uk Resident: Rev. Fr. Patrick Summers (Headmaster) Rev. Fr. Cary Holden (Housemaster) Rev. Fr. Cary Holden (Housemaster) Rev. Fr. Lawrence Barrett Rev. Fr. Reid Hennick Br. Ignatius Br, Columba Maria CssR Br. Gerard Mary CssR High Grange House Harts Lane, Burghclere, Hants. RG20 9JW Resident: Sr. Mary Elizabeth (Superior) Sr. Mary Ancilla Sr. Mary Josepha Sr. Marie Salome Sr. Mary Bridget

#### CARLUKE

Saint Andrew's House 31 Lanark Road Carluke, Lanarkshire ML8 4HE Tel: 01555 771523 standrews@fsspx.uk Resident: Rev. Fr. John McLaughlin (Prior) Rev. Fr. Anthony Wingerden

#### CHULMLEIGH

Colleton Manor Chapel Chulmleigh, Devon, EX18 7JS Tel: 01769 580 240

#### EDINBURGH

Saints Margaret and Leonard 110 Saint Leonard's Street Edinburgh EH8 9RD Tel: 01555 771523

#### GATESHEAD

Church of the Holy Name of Jesus Gladstone Terrace West, Bensham Gateshead NE8 4DR Tel: 0191 4270542

#### GLASGOW

Saint Andrew's Church, 202 Renfrew Street, Glasgow G3 6TX Tel: 01555 771523

**GROOMBRIDGE** (Tunbridge Wells) Church of Saint Pius V, Station Road, Groombridge TN3 9QX Tel: 01892 654 372

#### HERNE

Saints John Fisher & Thomas More Church Herne Street, Herne CT6 7HR Tel: 020 89467916

#### LEICESTER

Church of Saint Anne Abingdon Road, Leicester LE2 1HA Tel: 01858 555813

#### LIVERPOOL

The Church of Saints Peter and Paul 35 Upper Parliament Street, Liverpool L8 7LA Tel: 0151 4802433

#### LONDON

Church of Saints Joseph and Padarn Salterton Road, N7 6BB Tel: 020 8946 7916

#### MANCHESTER

Church of Saint Pius X, 16 Deer Park Road, Manchester M16 8FR Tel: 01772 885 990

#### **MIDDLEMARSH / HOLNEST**

Saint Lawrence Chapel Tel: 01963 210 580 [Mass celebrated in Holnest in wintertime]

#### OXFORD

N.O.C.C. 17 Middleway, Summertown, Oxford OX2 7LH Tel: 01993 851695

#### PORTSMOUTH

Our Lady Help of Christians 14 Kingston Road, Porstmouth PO1 5RZ Tel: 01635 278137

#### PRESTON

Our Lady of Victories East Cliff, Winckley Square, Preston PR1 3NA Tel: 01772 562 428 NEW stmarys@fsspx.uk

#### **RHOS ON SEA**

Saint David's Chapel Conwy Road, (A547) Mochdre Rhos-On-Sea LL28 5AA, Tel: 01492 582586

#### STRONSAY

St Columba's House, Stronsay, KW17 2AS, Tel: 01857 616206 Resident: Rev. Fr. Nicholas Mary CssR Br. Louis-Marie CssR

#### TAUNTON

Church of Our Lady of Glastonbury 17 South Street (off East Reach), TA1 3AA Tel: 01823 652701

#### WOKING

Church of the Holy Cross Sandy Lane, Maybury, GU22 8BA Tel: 01483 767 537

## Jersey

Tel: +44 1534 742 884

## Scandinavia

#### **AALBORG, DENMARK**

#### **OSLO, NORWAY**

#### MALMÖ, SWEDEN

#### STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN

Rev. Fr. Håkan Lindström, St. George's House, 125 Arthur Road, London SW19 7DR Tel: +44 20 8946 7916 h.lindstrom@fsspx.email www.fsspx.uk/en/scandinavia

# **Pious Groups**

#### THIRD ORDER OF ST. PIUS X

Rev. Fr. Philippe Pazat thirdorder@fsspx.uk

#### **ARCHCONFRATERNITY OF ST. STEPHEN**

Rev. Fr. Lawrence Barrett, Mr. Richard Cullen acss@fsspx.uk

#### EUCHARISTIC CRUSADE

Rev. Fr. Vianney Vandendaele hostia@fsspx.uk

#### MILITIA IMMACULATAE

Rev Fr. Robert Brucciani, Mr. Howard Toon militia-immaculatae.org mi@fsspx.uk

#### SCHOLA

Rev. Fr. Håkan Lindström schola@fsspx.uk

### ST. RAPHAEL'S HOMESCHOOL

Miss Monica Marshall straphaelshomeschool@fsspx.uk

EMERGENCY NUMBER: 0754 888 0281



The Society of St. Pius X is an international priestly society of common life without vows, whose purpose is the priesthood and that which pertains to it.