

**ST OSWALD & ST EDMUND ARROWSMITH
CATHOLIC CHURCH**

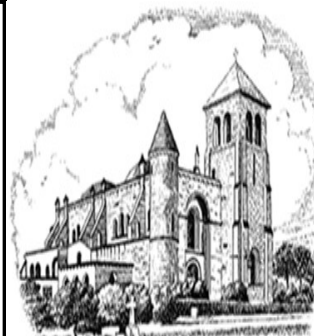
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Week commencing: 23rd August 2020

21st SUNDAY of ORDINARY TIME (A)

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21st SUNDAY of ORDINARY TIME (A)

Saturday	6.00pm (StW)	David Winstanley
Sunday	9.30am (OLI)	Kevin Mulkeen
	11.00am (StO)	Thomas & Mary Huyton
	6.30pm (OLI)	Parishioners

Weekday Masses

Monday	St. Bartholomew, Apostle
	9.00am (OLI) John Cummings
Tuesday	9.30am (StW) Vera Rudnicki
Wednesday	Blessed Dominic Barberi
	9.30am (StO) Delia Kelly
Thursday	St. Monica
	9.30am (StW) Mary Riley
Friday	St. Augustine, Bishop & Doctor
	9.00am (OLI) Alan Cuerden
Saturday	Passion of St. John the Baptist
	10.00am (StO) Terry Burns

22nd SUNDAY of ORDINARY TIME (A)

Saturday	6.00pm (StW)	Martin Donnir & Cecilia Navele
Sunday	9.30am (OLI)	Emma Cunliffe
	11.00am (StO)	Haselden Family
	6.30pm (OLI)	Parishioners

Holy Hand Pilgrimage Mass

This year is the 50th anniversary of the Canonisation of the 40 Martyrs of England & Wales and, although not as we might have originally planned the Pilgrimage Mass to the Holy Hand of St. Edmund Arrowsmith will go ahead at 2.00pm on Sunday 30th August.

This gives us the opportunity to celebrate the Adult Baptisms, Receptions and Confirmations which had to be postponed from the Easter Vigil, so please pray for those who are to celebrate this Sacraments of Initiation, and their Families, at this important stage of their lives.

Services during the week

Confessions: Sat: 11.00-12 noon (StO)

Rosary: There will be no public recitation of the Rosary until further notice.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Mon—Fri: 10.00am-12 noon;
Wed & Fri: 6.00-8.00pm
Sat: 10.30am—12 noon (StO)

Novena: There will be no Novena until further notice.

Anniversaries

23rd Aug	Andrew Naughton Kathleen Vint
24th Aug	Gerald Duffy Mary Jones
25th Aug	James Byrne John Cummings David Johnson Kevin Mulkeen Phoebe Tucker
27th Aug	Bridget Coen Maria Wogan
28th Aug	Gerard Oria Mary Riley

Resumption of Services

As part of the on-going cautious re-opening of our Churches, the next phase will see the resumption of devotions at Our Lady's from the beginning of September i.e. the Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour on Wednesdays at 7.00pm, Holy Hour on Fridays at 7.00pm, and First Saturday Mass and Devotions to the Immaculate Heart of Mary from 10.00am.

As a result, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at St. Oswald's on Wednesday and Friday evenings will end from the beginning of September. I would like to take this opportunity to thank those who have helped to facilitate this time of prayer since the beginning of July.

