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Sunday 21st April 2024

Fourth Sunday of Easter

Ss Austin & Gregory 9.00am

Intention: Elsie and Robert Whatford (+)

Requested by: Diane Whatford

St Anne's 11.00am Mass

Intention: Sebastian Joseph (GE)

Requested by: Steny Joseph

Monday 22nd April

Monday of the Fourth Week of Easter

Ss Austin & Gregory 10.00am

Intention: Maria Keaveney Jessiman (+)

Requested by: The Family

Tuesday 23rd April

Feast of Saint George, Martyr, Patron of England, Solemnity

NO MASS OR SERVICES TODAY

Wednesday 24th April

Wednesday of the Fourth Week of Easter

Ss Austin & Gregory 10.00am Mass

Intention: Sylvia Todd (+)

Requested by: Diane Whatford

Thursday 25th April

Saint Mark, Evangelist, Feast

SS Austin & Gregory 10.00am Mass

Intention: Marie Keaveney Jessiman (+)

Requested by: The Family

Friday 26th April

Friday of the Fourth Week of Easter

NO MASS AT ST ANNE'S TODAY

Ss Austin & Gregory 5.30pm Mass

Intention: God's Blessing on Aysha Bennett

Requested by: Anonymous

Exposition 4.00pm, Confessions 4.30 – 5.00pm

Rosary 5.00pm

Saturday 27th April

Saturday of the Fourth Week of Easter

Ss Austin & Gregory: 5.00pm Mass

Vigil Mass of the Sunday

Intention: Susan Murray and Family

Requested by: The Elliot Family

GLAD AND COURAGEOUS TO TELL...!

The words of the apostle Peter were directed to the Rulers of the people, and elders, the powers that be, the authorities of the time. However, he needed the courage that comes from the Holy Spirit for such 'bold and fearless' answer. 'Rulers of the people, and elders! If you are questioning us today about an act of kindness to a cripple, and asking us how he was healed, then I am glad to tell you all, and would indeed be glad to tell the whole people of Israel, that it was by the name of Jesus Christ the Nazarene, the one you crucified, whom God raised from the dead, by this name and by no other that this man is able to stand up perfectly healthy...for of all the names in the world given to men, this is the only one by which we can be saved' (Cf. Acts 4:8-12)

Beloved People of God, no one advocates rudeness and disrespectfulness to the rulers or elders. Insensitivity to others is not a gift of the Holy Spirit. However, love for the Lord, knowledge of Truth, and being filled with the Holy Spirit, would surely make anyone happy, courageous, ready, eager and willing to speak like St. Peter, telling anyone who cares to know, anyone who questions, who our Blessed Lord, Jesus Christ is and about all that he has done and does. Just as our Blessed Lord speaks of the knowledge of the Father, he proclaims the Father's love with relish.

We pray that we too be filled with the Holy Spirit, so as to be able to answer gladly and respectfully, anyone who questions us about the faith that we have. The Holy Spirit, among other gifts, gives courage, wisdom and knowledge. Joy is also among the fruits of the Holy Spirit. We need courage to speak gladly and courageously, gratefully telling of the love that the Father has lavished on us...'

Fr. Ted

All to Jesus – Through Mary our Mother

Our Parish Day

Celebrating our diversity and gratitude for the support from all the Parishioners

23rd June 2024

11.00am Mass at St Anne's
Donations to the stall are most welcome
(Bottle stall, Tombola, etc)

We commend to Our Lady, Health of the Sick, all those in our parish who are unwell, or who are in nursing and care homes, in hospitals and the housebound, remembering especially:

Clare Hastings, Molly Dunne, Wesley John Whatford,
Cathy Simmons;

Protection reasons, individuals must explicitly agree to their names to be mentioned in our Newsletter. Please let the parish office know in writing if either your name or the names of your relatives and friends should appear on our sick list. Thank you

CANON LUKE SMITH – OUR FORMER PARISH PRIEST

As many of you will be aware Canon Luke has been unwell for the past few months. Please keep him in your prayers.

Cash Collection Sunday 31st March 2024

St Anne's		Ss Austin & Gregory
Loose Plate	£ 969.18	£597.81
Gift Aid	£ 415.00	£484.50
	£1384.18	£1082.31

The above totals do not include the total received by Standing Order.
Thank you for your continued support of the Parish.

MOTHER OF DIVINE GRACE PARISH PRAYER FAMILY

Meetings every Thursday evening
at 7.00pm

(List of dates and venue available at the back of the church)

Please come and join us whenever you can.
You will be very welcome

**Next Meeting – Thursday 25th April
St Anne's Church Hall, Cliftonville**

“Families Supporting Our Parish”

We thank all those who have already returned their blue collection boxes.

Please bring yours to church when next you come.

Thank you all so much

ST GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL

Second Collection next weekend

For over half a century, St George's Cathedral has been the Mother Church of the Archdiocese of Southwark, home to 175 parishes and over 50,000 Roman Catholics.

Today the Cathedral continues to attract thousands of worshippers and visitors each year, as well as serving a lively local parish community which proudly reflects the rich cultural and ethnic diversity of South London. The Cathedral frequently hosts important Diocesan and national celebrations, as well as concerts and events for various Catholic charities. In many respects, St George's Cathedral serves as a spiritual home and 'beehive' for Catholic evangelisation and mission across the Archdiocese of Southwark. St George's Cathedral is entirely reliant upon the generosity of its parishioners, volunteers and the Diocese to keep its doors open. Your support can enable the Cathedral to remain open daily to those seeking a place of peace, prayer and worship

THE LORD IS HERE AND WANTS TO
SEE YOU' (John 11-28)

**FRIDAY AT Ss AUSTIN & GREGORY Exposition
from 4.00pm to 5.00pm, followed by the Rosary and
Mass at 5.30pm (Confessions from 4.30 – 5.00pm)**

**SUNDAY 28th APRIL
Exposition for one hour following the 9.00am Mass**

AT MARGATE ONLY.

PRIEST TRAINING FUND

SECOND COLLECTION THIS WEEKEND

It costs £30,000 a year to sponsor a seminarian. They study for 6 years before being ordained a Catholic Priest. We therefore reply on your generous support and prayers. Please support our priests of the future with a gift today. **Thank you!**

PARISH BANK ACCOUNT INFORMATION – All NatWest Accounts

St Austin & Gregory, Margate. Account Name: RCAS Margate, Account Number 52026388, Sort Code 60-14-05

St Anne's, Cliftonville. Bank: Account Name: RCAS Cliftonville, Account Number 09872213, Sort Code 60-06-01

St Austin & Gregory, Poor Fund Account. Account Name: Poor Fund Account Margate. Account Number 52026353 Sort Code 60-14-05