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Sunday 24th November 2024

**Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe
Ss Austin & Gregory 9.00am**

Intention: William Mangye – Birthday Blessings
- Tina Sousa

St Anne's 11.00am Mass

Intention: Sebastian Scaria (+)
- Tency D'Silva
Intention: Thanksgiving for
Pauline Gallagher for favours received
and prayers answered
- Louise Collins

Monday 25th November

**Monday of Week 34 in Ordinary Time
Ss Austin & Gregory 10.00am Mass**

Intention: Breda Leavesley GE
- Mike Colyer

Tuesday 26th November

**Tuesday of Week 34 in Ordinary Time
NO MASS OR SERVICES TODAY**

Wednesday 27th November

**Wednesday of Week 34 in Ordinary Time
Ss Austin & Gregory 10.00am Mass**

Intention: Rosemary Smith (+) Anni
- Basil Ronan

Thursday 28th November

**Thursday of Week 34 in Ordinary Time
Ss Austin & Gregory 10.00am Mass**

Intention: Shane Kempster (+)
- Sheila Mulvihill

Friday 29th November

**Friday of Week 34 in Ordinary Time
St Anne's 10.00am Mass**

Intention: Holy Souls

Ss Austin & Gregory 5.30pm Mass

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Exposition 4.00pm, Confessions 4.30 – 5.00pm
Rosary 5.00pm

Saturday 30th November

**Saturday of Week 33 in Ordinary Time
Ss Austin & Gregory: 5.00pm Mass**

Intention: Shane Kempster (+)
- Yvonne Murphy

IN PRAISE OF CHRIST OUR KING

In our first reading on this Solemnity of Christ the King, the prophet Daniel says, 'He came to the one of great age and was led into his presence. On him was conferred sovereignty, glory and kingship and men of all peoples, nations and languages became his servants. His sovereignty is an eternal sovereignty which shall never pass away nor will his empire be destroyed' (cf. Dn 7-14). The psalm has it that 'the Lord is king, with majesty enrobed' (Ps 92:1). The book of the Apocalypse (Revelation) describes Christ as 'the faithful witness...the Ruler of the kings of the earth...he has made us a line of kings, priests to serve his God and Father...'. The reading adds that, 'He loves us and has washed away our sins with his blood...to him, then, be glory and power for ever and ever. Amen.

Beloved People of God, everything above is in praise of Christ our King. To the Lord Jesus Christ applies this eternal truth, 'I am the Alpha and the Omega...who is, who was, and who is to come, the Almighty'. He, the Lord, has set us free from slavery. He washed us clean with his precious blood' (cf. Rv 1:5-8). When Pilate brought up the question of his kingship, Jesus calls himself king thus, 'Yes, I am a king. I was born for this. I came into this world for this: to bear witness to the truth; and all who are on the side of truth listen to my voice' (cf. Jn 18: 33-37).

May we join the company of many men and women who are being referred to as, 'being on the side of truth...who listen to his voice' (Jn 18:37). May we too render his majesty service and ceaselessly proclaim his praise, for indeed, we are all be partakers in his eternal and universal kingdom, a kingdom of truth and life, a kingdom of holiness and grace, a kingdom of justice, love and peace.

Fr. Ted

All to Jesus – Through Mary our Mother

**Newsletter – Ss Austin & Gregory with St Anne – MARGATE
24th November 2024**

ADVENT MORNING – SATURDAY 30th NOVEMBER ST ANNE’S CHURCH HALL - 10.00am – 12.30pm
Come along and relax with a warm drink with fellow parishioners.
RAISING FUNDS FOR THE PARISH FOOD BANK

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FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT - COMMISSIONING OF OUR PARISH COMMITTEES
This will take place at the 9.00am Mass at Margate and the 11.00am Mass at Cliftonville

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ADVENT PREPARATION - MONDAYS OF ADVENT – 6.00pm to 7.00/7.15pm
at Ss Austin & Gregory, Margate

PENTITENTIAL SERVICE – WEDNESDAY 18th DECEMBER
FULL DETAILS NEXT WEEK

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CAROL SERVICE - THURSDAY 12th DECEMBER – 6.00pm – St ANNE’S CHURCH
With pupils from St Gregory’s School, St Joseph’s and the Ursuline College

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, and Teresa Skillington

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**

Our prayers continue for our former Parish Priest, Canon Luke. He is doing so well and sends his gratitude for all the prayers.

Cash Collection Sunday 27th October 2024

St Anne’s		Ss Austin & Gregory
Loose Plate	£119.04	£203.27
Gift Aid	£ 57.00	£ 99.00
	£176.04	£302.27

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**

Alternate two weeks at St Anne’s Church Hall
and Ss Austin & Gregory Church Hall.

Next Meeting – Thursday 28th November
St Anne’s Church Hall
at 7.00pm

**SECOND COLLECTION FOR CHRISTMAS FLOWERS
SUNDAY 1st DECEMBER**

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Exposition for one hour following the 9.00am
Mass at Margate and at St Anne’s following the
11.00am Mass

**Arnold and Valerie Kempster
wish to thank most sincerely
everyone for their help and support,
especially since the death of Shane,
particularly all those who attended
Shane’s funeral,
and are most grateful for all the
Mass intentions
for the repose of his soul.**

May he rest in peace

A Day With Mary

is taking place at St George’s Cathedral, Southwark on
Saturday 14th December (10.15am to 5.15pm). Mass
will be celebrated by the Archbishop of Southwark,
John Wilson. Further information is available to
<https://www.adaywithmary.org/>

IMPORTANT WARNING

The Diocese have brought to our attention a scam email targeting the parishioners in the Diocese. These emails impersonate the parish priest, often using a similar email name and masking the real email address. They typically request the recipient to purchase Amazon or other gift cards as gifts for the priest. **Please be aware that no such request has or will be made to the members of this parish, not now or in the future.**

**For information regarding the hire of the Hall at St Anne’s, please contact
Marjorie McGeown 07739 389142**

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