



**St. Augustine's Church
Limerick**
31st Sunday in Ordinary Time
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3rd November 2019

Remembering Our Loved Ones

Mass Times

Monday -Friday

7.30am, 8.30am,
10.15am, & 4pm

SATURDAY

8.30am, 10.15am
3.00pm

(Mass for the Sick)

SUNDAY

9.00am, 11.15am
& 7.30pm

CONFESSIONS

MONDAY & FRIDAY

10.45am-12 Noon
3.00pm-4.00pm

SATURDAY

10.45am-12noon
2.30pm-4pm

The journey through grief is unique to each person. Each member of a family feels the pain of loss in his or her own way. Human anguish cannot be programmed. Support groups may be helpful in some cases. They provide spaces and places where the bereaved can share feelings in a safe confidential setting with others who have been through a similar experience.

Services of Remembrance bring a faith dimension to the loss of a loved one. There is a place for questions, for doubt, for anger, for tears, for wrestling with God in these services. Strength and consolation can come from the lighting of a candle, a name on the November Dead list or a bunch of flowers on a grave.



Masses for the dead can draw us into the movement of death and resurrection that is so much part of the human story, and can give us an opportunity to give thanks for the mystery, the miracle and the wonder of those who were part of our lives. Lord help us to reach out beyond our own pain to embrace the sadness of others. Help us to remember that you are close to the broken hearted this month and always.



**St. Augustine's Church
Child Safeguarding
Representatives.**

Fr. Noel Hession OSA
Fr. Flor O'Callaghan OSA
Bro Michael Danaher OSA
Fr. Paul Flynn OSA
Fr. David Kelly OSA
Ms Geraldine van Dam
Mr. Robert Ryan
Ms Charlotte Gleeson
Ms Mary Deegan.



Remembering



God of hope, thank you for the special people
I am remembering during this month.

Walk with me in my dark moments of grief and loneliness.

Complete all the unfinished bits and pieces .

Remove all guilt for things unsaid, for words which may have wounded.
Thank you for those who continue to love and support me through my grief.

Give me hope, direction and courage .

May I continue to treasure precious memories
and move beyond the difficult ones.

Turn my pain into compassion for others.

Help me to let go of my questions and to rest
in the promise of meeting my loved ones again.

May I draw strength from the flickering half-lights of my faith
Restore my trust in the care of God and the hope of the Risen Christ.

Amen.

Fr. L. Ryan OSA

Congratulations

Fr. Noel Hession osa



Celebrates

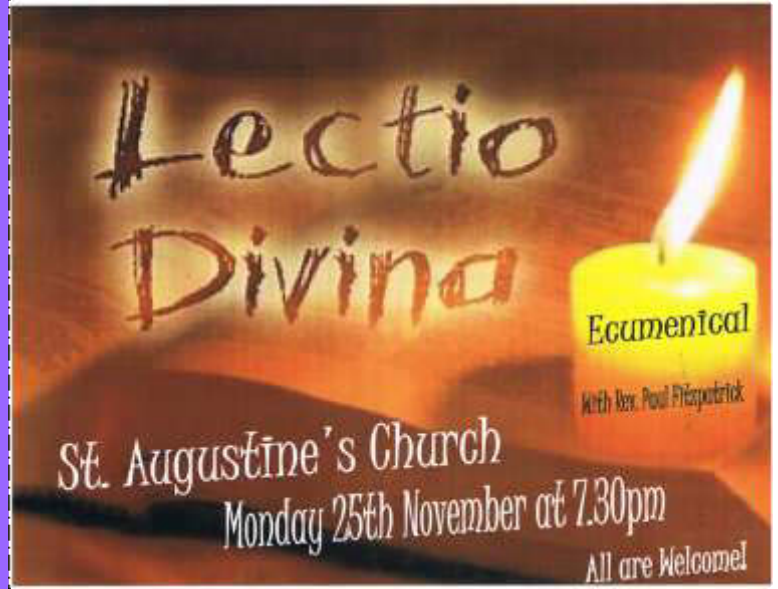
Silver Jubilee

25 years ago Fr. Noel Hession osa was ordained priest. This year he celebrates the Silver Jubilee of his ordination and asks that you remember him in your prayers.

To mark the occasion he invites you join him for a special celebration Mass here in St. Augustine's next Sunday 10th November at 11.15am.

NOVEMBER DEAD LISTS

Forms and envelopes for your November Dead Lists are available at the back of the church inside the main doors. Fill out lists and drop them into the box provided. Special Remembrance Masses will be offered for loved ones at 7.30 am Monday – Friday, and 10.15am Saturday, and 9.00 am on Sundays during the month of November.

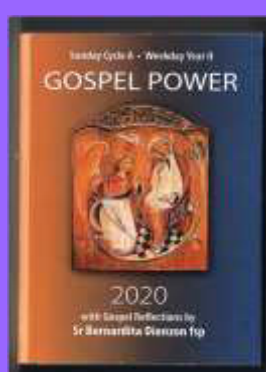
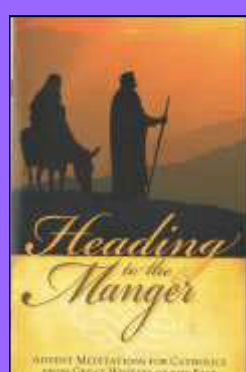
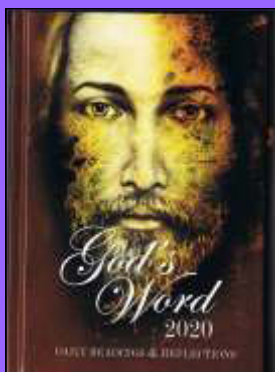


Service of Remembrance

The University Maternity Hospital Limerick will hold its annual remembrance service at the Church of the Holy Rosary, Ennis Road, Limerick, on Saturday, November 9th at 3pm. We invite parents who have experienced the death of their baby / pregnancy loss at any stage, together with their family, friends and hospital staff to this service.



This service is organised by the Counselling Department and Midwifery staff at UMHL. And people are very welcome to stay after the service for a chat and a cup of tea. We ask that people attending the service show sensitivity to newly bereaved families by using the quiet space available for crying babies/young children. The service is an annual event which aims to acknowledge the pregnancies that were lost and the lives of babies who have died through ectopic pregnancy, miscarriage, still-birth and neonatal death. We welcome parents and families together in their grief and acknowledge the short lives of their babies.



The Abbey Bookshop in this church has an new extensive range of booklets and sacred readings to help you pray and reflect this Advent Christmas & into the New Year . Here are just a sample: