



# St. Augustine's Church Limerick

## 4th September 2022

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### 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

### Mass Times

Monday-Friday

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

SATURDAY

8.30am, 10.15am

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



### St. Augustine's Church

Child Safeguarding  
Representatives.

### Fr. Flor O'Callaghan osa

Fr. John Lyng osa  
Ms Geraldine van Dam  
Mr. Robert Ryan  
Ms Charlotte Gleeson  
Ms Mary Deegan.



September 1st - 4th October



## Season of Creation

### Psalm 148

Praise the Lord from the heavens, praise him in the heights above.

Praise him, all his angels, praise him, all his heavenly hosts.

Praise him, sun and moon, praise him, all you shining stars.

Praise him, you highest heavens and you waters above the skies.

Let them praise the name of the Lord,  
for he commanded and they were created.

He set them in place for ever and ever;  
he gave a decree that will never pass away.

Praise the Lord from the earth, you great sea creatures  
and all ocean depths, lightning and hail, snow and clouds,  
stormy winds that do his bidding,

you mountains and all hills, fruit trees and all cedars,  
wild animals and all cattle, small creatures and flying birds.

Kings of the earth and all nations,  
you princes and all rulers on earth,

young men and maidens, old men and children!

Let them praise the name of the Lord,  
For his name alone is exalted.

### Moore Morning River Run

Moore Limerick will be hosting their hugely popular #MooreMorningRiverRun on Friday, September 9th from St. Michaels rowing club at 7am (leaving promptly). The run/walk or jog will take place along the river Shannon on the Condell road and is a 5km distance. To coincide with World Suicide Prevention Day we will be supporting Suicide Watch for this event and want to raise funds for them to allow these volunteers to continue their fantastic work. We welcome everyone to donate and come along to the event. More info at [www.twitter.com/moorelimerick?lang=en](http://www.twitter.com/moorelimerick?lang=en) Source: [whatsoninlimerick.ie](http://whatsoninlimerick.ie)



# Reflection on Creation

This year's theme: Listen to the Voice of Creation St. Augustine writes, "[Creation] is the divine page that you must listen to; it is the book of the universe that you must observe." The Psalmist (19: 1-4) acknowledges that hearing the voice of creation requires a kind of listening that is increasingly rare. The Psalmist declares that creation proclaims God's handiwork and also knows that the book of Scripture perfectly revives the soul, makes the simple wise, rejoices the heart, and enlightens the eyes (Ps 19:7- 8). The book of creation and the book of Scripture are meant to be read side by side. Contemplation opens us to many modes of listening to the book of creation. The harmonious balance of biodiversity and the suffering cries of creation are both echoes of the Divine because all creatures have the same origin and ending in God. Listening to the voices of our co-creatures is like perceiving truth, goodness or beauty and helps us become aware of the Trinity, in which creation lives, moves and has its being. Source: excerpt from [www.catholicbishops.ie/resources](http://www.catholicbishops.ie/resources) Season of Creation 2022



## Back to School : New Beginnings

Spirit of Wisdom and Love,  
bless all pupils and teachers returning to school  
after the Summer holidays.

Help their new beginnings in primary and secondary schools.  
May each student have good friends, positive learning experiences  
and may we give a special welcome to those  
who come from different countries and religions.

Build all our schools into communities of faith and love  
where each person is respected as a miracle of God's creation. L. Ryan

## 'Prayer to St. Teresa of Calcutta

St. Teresa of Calcutta

Not all of us can do great things.  
**But we can do small things with great love.'**

Saint Teresa of Calcutta, you allowed the merciful love of Jesus  
to inspire you and to change your life.

Through your deeds for those in need, you showed  
His Mercy to the world.

With confidence, I ask you to obtain from the Merciful Heart of Jesus  
(...here make your request...).

Teach me to do every small thing with great love,  
in the name of Jesus and to show mercy to others. Amen



Feast Day Mon. 5th Sept

## Limerick Mental Health Day

The first annual Mental Health Day will take place today Sunday 4th Sept at the Limerick Milk Market from 3-6pm. It will be a free event open to all. There will be a range of events and activities to bring the community together and promote positive mental health. There will be talks on mental health, a fancy dress dog show, with a music competition for local amateur buskers and musicians, a children's art competition and much more.... For more information visit [LMHA website/](http://LMHA website/)

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