



St. Augustine's Church Limerick

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

14th June 2026

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Mass Times

Monday-Friday

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

SATURDAY

8.30am, 10.15am

Mass for the Sick

3.00pm

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

All Masses are live
streamed
at St. Augustine's

God Rested

While we all need 'time out' from the daily routines and stresses of life, rituals and routines are part of the scaffolding which support life. Making your bed every morning and washing dishes are not exciting exercises. Revision and repetition is the way we prepare for exams. Rituals like Mass can be boring but they speak to greater needs and hungers, especially in times of grief and tragedy when we have no other words. Of course the language and the symbols need to be constantly reviewed to address the changing scene and circumstances. Our holidays provide a change of scenery and a break from routine. Without roots in faith our 'breaks' can develop into a frantic search for new thrills or long drinking binges. God rested on the seventy day but Sunday is now a busy shopping day. There is so little time for reflection, for God, for each other. The soul craves the story of creation in the Cratloe Woods, or beside the restful waters of Lough Derg - the gift of time without clocks and schedules. That's a real holiday!



St. Augustine's Church Child Safeguarding Representatives.

Fr. Flor O'Callaghan O.S.A.
Fr. John Lyng O.S.A.
Ms Geraldine van Dam
Mr. Robert Ryan
Ms Charlotte Gleeson
Mr. Tom Walsh



Let us Thank the God of Summer



For this time of blossoming
For this time of relaxation and re-creation
For the spectrum of colours in garden and field
For wild flowers and cultivated roses
For strawberries beside the road
For fresh lettuce and onions
For spectacular sunsets
For the ebb and flow of the tide
For the smell of new-mown grass
For the fragrance of the honeysuckle
For the healing warmth of the sun
For butterflies and lady birds
For the Clare Glens and Cratloe Woods
For Ballybunion and Kilkee
For the blue haze on the hills
For diving swallows and distant cuckoos
For the things that blossom in our hearts
For the GOD of all things.



Thought for the Day

We can identify easily with the double expression "harassed and helpless", a wide expression of frustration and naked need. There can indeed be a sense of aimlessness, "like sheep without a shepherd", as we look for direction in life, values to live by and a sense of overall meaning and purpose.

Dennis O'Driscoll captured it in his poem Missing God:

*Miss Him when the TV scientist explains the cosmos through equations,
leaving our planet to revolve on its axis aimlessly, a wheel skidding in snow.*

The message of the kingdom is no less real — rooted in compassion — and relevant today as never before. In the pithy expression of Bishop David Jenkins: "There is God. He is as he is in Jesus. There is hope."

Prayer: God of the cosmos, you come close to use all in the compassion of Jesus. As we take to heart his proclamation of the kingdom, show us how we can be bearers of the good news to all around us. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Source: www.tarsus.ie readings



Mount St. Alphonsus 6 Times Daily
7.30am, 10am, 11.30am, 6pm, 7.30pm, 9pm
Friday 19th -Saturday 27th June



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COME, HOLY SPIRIT,
FILL THE HEARTS OF YOUR FAITHFUL
AND KINDLE IN THEM THE FIRE OF YOUR LOVE.

HOLY SPIRIT PRAYER MEETING

REDEMPTORIST CONFERENCE CENTRE
Mount St. Alphonsus, Limerick

SUNDAY, JUNE 14TH 2026 AT 8PM

— EVENING PROGRAMME —

if you play an instrument, please bring it with you. if you have a Bible, bring it with you.

PRaise WORSHIP TEACHING SHARING INTERCESSIONS

FOLLOWED BY a cuppa!

One Spirit • One Church • One Mission

SPANISH MASS

Sunday, June 14th at 3.00pm
St. Joseph's Church
O'Connell Ave, V94 NR29

You are most welcome to join us for a time of faith, prayer and community

Church Music Summer School

The Irish Church Music Association (ICMA) is holding its annual Summer School in Maynooth from **30th June - 2nd July**

The summer school is geared towards anyone involved in liturgical music at parish level or in schools. Many attendees are choir leaders or enthusiastic singers and instrumentalists and we have a wide range of workshops on offer. In addition to the main sessions, participants can choose from a variety of breakout workshops to suit their needs.

www.icmamusic.ie

Maranatha

Maranatha afternoon of Prayer on this Sunday 14th June, at 2.30 pm at St Michael's Church, Denmark St. Limerick with beautiful music & song followed by Mass at 4.30pm.

All welcome.