



# St. AUGUSTINE'S CHURCH LIMERICK FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI 29th May 2016

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## Mass Times

Monday –Friday  
7.30 am, 8.30am,  
10.15am & 4.00pm

Saturday  
8.30am, 10.15am  
3.00pm  
(Mass for the Sick)

Sunday  
9.00am, 11.15am,  
Evening Mass  
7.30pm

## Confession

Monday, Wednesday  
&Friday  
10.45 am–12.00  
3.00pm– 4.00pm  
Saturday  
10.45 am –12.00  
2.30pm –4.00pm

# CORPUS AND SANGUIS CHRISTI LOVE POEM

One of the most beautiful poems on the Eucharist is written by an Anglican priest, George Herbert.

The poem is entitled Love (111). The poet recognises Jesus in the Eucharist as LOVE. Herbert speaks for us all. He feels '**guilty of dust and sin**', and the '**unkind ungrateful**' guest at the Table, who dare not even look at the Lord, so full of shame is he. But the Lord assures him and assures us all –  
**"And know you not, says Love, who bore the blame?"**  
Such good compassionate theology for us all. M.L.O.S.A.



Love bade me welcome: yet my soul drew back,  
guilty of dust and sin.  
But quick-eyed Love, observing me grow slack,  
from my first entrance in,  
drew nearer to me, sweetly questioning,  
If I lacked any thing.

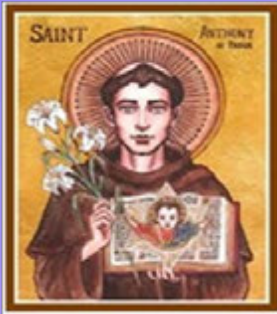
"A guest," I answered, "worthy to be here:"  
Love said, "You shall be he."  
"I the unkind, ungrateful? Ah my dear,  
I cannot look on thee."  
Love took my hand, and smiling did reply,  
"Who made the eyes but I?"

"Truth Lord, but I have marr'd them: let my shame  
go where it does deserve."  
"And know you not", says Love, "who bore the blame?"  
"My dear, then I will serve."  
"You must sit down," says Love, "and taste my meat."  
So I did sit and eat. George Herbert

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# St. Anthony's Relics coming to Ireland

Large crowds are expected to turn out across Ireland next month for the visit of the relics of St Anthony – the Saint of lost things.

Last time the relics visited Ireland there were traffic jams in cities and towns around the country as devotees flocked to honour their much loved Saint – the 13<sup>th</sup> century friar who was one of the earliest members of the Franciscan Order founded by St Francis in 1209.

2016 looks set to see a similar outpouring of devotion in Cahir, Killarney, Knock, Sligo, Dublin, Longford, Derry and Armagh. They will afterwards travel on to Scotland and England.

From the 9<sup>th</sup> to the 16<sup>th</sup> of June 2016, St Anthony will be visiting Ireland in the form of two relics, one of which is the relic Pope Francis venerated sixteen years ago in Argentina as Archbishop Jorge Bergoglio of Buenos Aires.

The relics will be accompanied in Ireland by Fr Mario Conte, editor of the *Messenger of St Anthony*, the magazine published by the Conventual Franciscan Friars of Saint Anthony's Basilica in Padua, Italy, where the Saint's tomb is located.

[www.catholicirelandnews.com](http://www.catholicirelandnews.com)

## Novena to St. Anthony

St. John's Cathedral  
Limerick

**Sunday**

June 5<sup>th</sup>—Monday 13<sup>th</sup>

MASSES each day at  
10.00 am, & 5.45 pm

**Saturday**

10.00 am, & 6.00 pm

**Sunday**

10.30am, & 7.00 pm

**Fri 10<sup>th</sup>**

**Anointing of the Sick**

**After 10.00am Mass**

**Conducted by**

**Fr. Joe Walsh OFM**

# PROCESSION

You are invited to attend the Diocesan Corpus Christi Procession on the Feast of the Most Blessed Sacrament (Corpus Christi) this Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May which will begin following the 5.30m Mass in St Joseph's Church.

All are welcome especially families, and this year there will be a special emphasis on Grandparents and grandchildren.

Children who have celebrated their First Holy communion are invited to attend in their First Communion attire to mark their and their Families Special Year.

The procession will proceed from St. Joseph's Church to the Reparation Convent (a child friendly distance).



**SACRED HEART NOVENA**

SACRED HEART CHURCH THE CRESCENT

FROM 26<sup>TH</sup> MAY TO 3<sup>RD</sup> JUNE

12 NOON AND 7 PM  
(SUNDAY: 10.30 AM AND 7 PM)

**MASS AND DEVOTIONS**

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# What's on in Limerick

- **Africa Day Limerick** celebrates African diversity and success and the cultural and economic potential of the continent. It includes a family fun day with live music, fashion, dance, food and children's activities between 2pm-6pm at the Limerick Milk Market this Sunday 29<sup>th</sup>.
- **Jazz Lunchtime Concerts** From Thurs 19<sup>th</sup> May –Thurs 9<sup>th</sup> June at 1pm. To mark what might be the start of Summer, some of the musicians of Music Generation Limerick playing live in the Hunt Museum Garden for a free, informal lunchtime swing session. All are welcome to these weekly jazz sessions, to start the weekend off on the right note!
- **Rebecca Storm & Band** will be in concert at the Strand Hotel Sat June 4<sup>th</sup>.
- **A Night in Venice** at the UCH on Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> June. A Night in Venice encapsulates some of the great music of Verdi, Puccini and Rossini. With music performed by the European Baroque Ensemble, this show features World class opera singers performing arias from the Grand Operas of the day including Aida, Madam Butterfly Turandot and many more.
- You are invited to attend a lunchtime **Mindfulness Meditation** session at UL Contemplative Centre with **Lonan Ni Dhubháin** on the following days:  
Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June 2016 : Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2016: Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2016 :  
**Time 1.10pm – 2pm**



**Sea-side Retreat**

‘Come to Me all who labour and are overburdened and I will give you rest’

**A 3 Day Retreat for Lay people**  
**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> (6pm)**  
**—Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June (1pm)**

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