

# **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

#### <u>CONFESSIONS</u> MONDAY & FRIDAY

10.45am-12 Noon 3.00pm-4.00pm <u>SATURDAY</u>

10.45am-12noon 2.30pm-4pm

# St. Augustine's Church Bank Holiday Monday

Masses

10.15am, & 4.00pm

### Thank You

The Collection at
Masses for
Mission Sunday
came to €1,335.00
Thank you for
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# St. Augustine's Church Limerick 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

website: www.augustinianslimerick.com email: info@augustinianslimerick.com 28th October 2018

# Scripture Sunday Oct 28th 'The Word of God and the Family'

As the Year of Mercy came to an end Pope Francis issued his Apostolic Letter Misericordia et Misera. In that letter Pope Francis said "I greatly desire that God's word be increasingly celebrated, known and disseminated, so that the mystery of love streaming from this font of mercy may be ever better understood. As the Apostle tells us clearly: 'All Scripture is inspired by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness' (2 Tim 3:16). It would be beneficial if every Christian community, on one Sunday of the liturgical year, could renew its efforts to make the Sacred Scriptures better known and more widely diffused."

Because the Bible is a sacred book, the Word of God, we treat it with reverence and care. We give it a special place in our home. We look to the Bible as Word of Life. It can inspire, encourage, comfort, bring healing and hope. We pray for the guidance of the Holy Spirit as we open our Bible and read a little portion regularly, on our own or with others.

Source: www.limerickdiocese/newsletter

#### ST. DOMINIC'S PRAYER BEFORE READING SACRED SCRIPTURE

Merciful God, anoint me in the Holy Scriptures as I read your Word. Let me hear your voice speaking to me from within. Give me wisdom to understand your message to me. Let your Word be the joy of my heart and the lamp to my feet. May I rejoice in the blessedness of hearing your Word and keeping it. Speak Lord, your servant is listening...

The Munster Province has designated Sunday October 28th, 2018 – the Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time - as Scripture Sunday. The theme for this day is 'The Word of God and the Family'.

# **Limerick Charismatic Conference**

The Limerick Charismatic Conference will take place in the Radisson Blu Hotel Ennis Road, Limerick, this Saturday 27th and Sunday 28th October from 2-7pm on both days. The theme for this years conference is **'He Touched Me'**. The speak-



ers will be Fr. Columba Jordan, C.F.R. (Youth & Healing Ministry –Derry) and Dr. Jessie Rogers (Scripture Scholar –St. Patrick's College, Maynooth). Come and join us as we share God's Word and worship together.





#### 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 7.30am each weekday, 10.15am Saturday & 9.00am on Sundays during the month of November.

#### ALL SAINTS -- ALL SOULS

Thursday next 1st November is the Feast of All Saints and a Holy Day. We celebrate the goodness of people we have known—the vast number of un-canonized saints. Masses here in St. Augustine's will be 7.30am, 8.30am, 10.15am, 1pm & 4pm.

Please note there will be an extra Mass at 1pm. Friday, 2nd November is the Feast of All Souls with prayers for our deceased loved ones.



## Thought for Today

The journey towards faith has many dimensions. Firstly, there is our need (expressed in the Gospel as blindness). Secondly, the courage to name our need, even in the face of opposition. Next comes our encounter with Jesus and our cry for help, guidance, healing. Naming our need is insisted upon by Jesus as an essential step, because faith is so much more than believing lots of doctrines. More fundamentally, it is an act of trust, a putting of myself in relationship and being able to receive from God whatever it is we need. This is the faith which makes us well.

#### Prayer

God, our light and hope, be our guide on the path of life and on the way of

faith. Help us to be aware of our blindness, especially when we think we can see. With your healing touch, may we be filled with light and joy.

Amen. www.tarsus.ie



## **Desert Day**

You are invited to a quiet peaceful day away from your busy schedule to remember your departed loved ones. The day will consist of quiet prayer, reflection and will conclude with the Eucharist.

Venue: Westbourne, Ashbourne Avenue, Limerick

Date: Saturday, November 10th 2018 Registration from 10am. Time 10.30 to 5.15

Booking is essential as places are limited. For details

and information contact: Sr. Phyllis Moynihan at 0879636893 or

Email: phymoy@yahoo.co.uk

# SHOE BOX GIFTS

Leaflets are still available for your shoeboxes at the back of the church and when they are ready you can drop them into the pastoral office (blue door outside between railings). The closing date for your boxes is November 10th.

# Caring for our Planet Seminar: 'Lifestyle and Consumerism'

Is a simple lifestyle possible in our throwaway culture? presented by Dr. Cathriona Russell in the Don Bosco Centre, Milford Limerick on Saturday 17th November at 10am. To register contact 086 3236728, or 0871337612.

## St. Augustine's Church Coffee Day Friday 2nd November

Hosted by the I.C.A Limerick Branch

### Dochas

(Hope for people with Autism)



# Dementia Club Rosbrien.

A Dementia Club is commencing in Our Lady of Lourdes Family Resource Centre, Rosbrien. It will be held from 6.30pm to 8.30pm the first Wednesday of the month commencing 7th November. We aim to provide a social and educational club to empower the person with dementia and their carer and enhance a feeling of wellbeing. There will be guest speakers with varied topics every month. All are welcome to come along for a cuppa and chat. looking forward to seeing you there.