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Endcliffe Parish Church of St Augustine
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Welcoming all, Following Jesus, Growing together



Saturday 27th September – 2.00pm – 4.30pm Parish Pilgrimage starting at St Augustine's.
Please see attached flyer for more details. A good chance to still have fellowship together this weekend while learning more about the parish.

SUNDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER – TRINITY 15

There will be no service this Sunday, due to the half marathon and 10k run restricting access to the building.

Services within the Mission Area include:-

St Mary's Bramall Lane 10.30 Holy Communion

St Andrew's Psalter Lane 10.30 Morning Worship

St Peter and St Oswald's 10.00 Holy Communion led by their future Priest in Charge

READINGS for those who wish to read them at home or find them ready when you are visiting a different church this week.

First Reading Amos 6:1a,4-7

Psalm 146

Second Reading 1 Timothy 6:6-19

Gospel Luke 16:19-31

Tuesday 30th September 10.30am Coffee morning at Nonnas, Ecclesall Road

Next Week

Sunday 5th October – Trinity 16

10.30am Holy Communion led by Revd Canon Mike West including Baptism of Vivian Marsden

A Poem to Ponder
HIS AUTUMN

Was there an autumn in Your life, Lord Jesus?

From the springtime of Your youth
in Your Father's house and garden
to the summer of Your manhood
in His harvest fields of sick and hungry.

Yes, autumn came in the Gethsemane grove –
the falling drops of blood like autumn's falling leaves,

before the winter of the cross.

A short autumn, but intense, painful,
distressed, but necessary.

As autumn's fallen fruits and leaves
bring forth new growth, in time,
so the autumn shedding of Your will,
and fall into the hidden depths of the grave,

made way for the springtime of Your resurrection
and the eternal shoots of our new lives in You,
through the shedding of Your saving blood.

Joy Tobler

Don't forget Joy Tobler has signed up for a 40 day challenge in aid of the charity FREEDOM FROM TORTURE. Her aim is to write a poem a day for the 40 days, beginning on September 1st. If you would like to see the poems as Joy goes along, click on the following link to her fundraising page: [FREEDOM FROM TORTURE: 40 Day Solidarity Challenge](#)



Organ Fund

Organ Pledge payments

For small donations (less than £50) please use the Sum-Up in church. For larger payments please use bank transfer.

If you have already set up a regular direct debit for the organ fund, could you ensure that you have the correct details, please and that your payment is marked with your family name and initial.

St Augustines Endcliffe PCC

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Thanks to your generosity we have been able to pay the deposit from your pledge payments which means the church has been able to keep more money in our higher interest account so generating more for the organ fund.



Eco Tips – Here are some ideas to help you make ‘enjoying nature’ more intentional in 2025

Spend time in nature. Spending time appreciating God's creation can be an act of worship. Nature can be experienced when we notice an insect, hear a bird sing, feel the earth beneath our hands or even when we watch a documentary. There is strong evidence that nature is also good for our mental health. Try to immerse yourself in nature every day, even for just a few

minutes and give thanks to God for His good creation.

Further ideas can be found at <https://arocha.org.uk/ideas-to-enjoy-nature/>

Eco Tips

The Season of Creation (1 September – 4 October) is dedicated to God as the creator and sustainer of all life. During this period of the church calendar, many churches celebrate Harvest, thanking God for His provision through the land and food that is grown. It's a time when churches and congregations are called to pay special attention to the responsibility of humanity for the Earth and for all that lives upon it, and to pray for our world. Explore A Rocha UK's season of creation resources at: arocha.org.uk/what-we-do/season-of-creation.

PEACE WITH CREATION

Creator of all,

we praise you for the gift of life

and for the faith that unites us in care for our common home.

We confess how estranged we have become—

from one another, from your Creation, and from our truest selves.

We acknowledge that our greed and destructive impulses

have fractured our relationships with you, with others, and with the Earth.

Fertile fields have become barren,

forests lie desolate,
oceans and rivers are polluted.
Thriving communities have become places of suffering,
and the earth cries out. Amen

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If you want to book the hall please send an email to staugustinessheffield.hall@gmail.com
The main contact email for St Augustine's is now staugustines.endcliffe@gmail.com which is
monitored by Revd Ela Nutu Hall and Catherine Rooker-Brown who will forward any mail to the
relevant person.