



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY O.T (C)

SAT. 27TH SEPT. ST VINCENT DE PAUL, PRIEST	18:30	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
SUN. 28TH SEPT. WORLD DAY OF PRAYER FOR MIGRANTS AND REFUGEES	08:00	THOMAS PEREIRA - RIP
	09:30	FR. VINCENT - ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY
	11:00	MARIE - DANIELE BERNADAC - WELLBEING
	18:30	JULIE É BAPTISTA FERRAO - RIP
MON. 29TH SEPT. SS MICHAEL, GABRIEL AND RAPHAEL, ARCHANGELS, FEAST	08:00	
	10:00	FRANÇOISE THERIAULT - RIP
TUE. 30TH SEPT. ST JEROME	08:00	
	10:00	
WED. 01ST OCT. ST THÉRÈSE OF THE CHILD JESUS	08:00	
	10:00	ANNIE DONA VINDA - RIP
	17:00	ADORATION
	19:30	DANI & KARINA DE FRANCESCHI INTENTIONS
THU. 02ND OCT. THE HOLY GUARDIAN ANGELS	08:00	
	10:00	MARY DERE – BD INTENTIONS
FRI. 03RD OCT. HARVEST FAST DAY	08:00	
	12:00	JASMINA BRAGANZA - RIP
SAT. 04TH OCT. ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI	08:00	CARROLL FAMILY - INTENTIONS
	09:00	ADORATION
	10:00	TOMMY LAWRENCE & FAMILY- WELLBEING
	18:30	FABRICE K. - INTENTIONS
SUN. 05TH OCT. ROSARY SUNDAY	08:00	
	09:30	MARY McDONAGH - RIP
	11:00	
	18:30	TERRY BAYLEY - RIP

Confessions: Saturday - 10.30 am to 11:15 am; 6pm to 6.25pm

Adoration Of The Blessed Sacrament:

Every day: 7am-8am

Wed.: 5pm-7.30pm & Sat. 9am.

FR VINCENT – 7th Priestly Ordination Anniversary

Fr. Vincent marks his 7th Priestly ordination anniversary tomorrow, 29th September. Kindly keep him in your prayers. **HAPPY ANNIVERSARY FR. VINCENT**



The ROSARY In October: those who recite five decades of the Rosary in church, or as a family, a religious community, or as a group of the faithful, may gain a plenary indulgence daily; in other circumstances a partial indulgence. A partial indulgence may be obtained daily by reciting the **Litany of Loreto and the Prayer to**

Saint Joseph.

Next Sunday is Rosary Sunday

CAFOD Family Fast Day: Friday 3rd October

Please collect an envelope from the back of Church and return next week.

Second Collection next Weekend for CAFOD Harvest Fast Day.

Mama Annie – RIP Funeral 03rd Oct. at 9.30am

Mama Annie liked to sing in French with a tambourine. Her kindness, singing and spirit will be deeply missed. Condolences to her family and friends. Refreshments in the hall after the burial so no tea group after 12noon Mass please. All welcome.

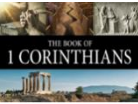
CONFIRMATION Registration

Forms are available on the table in the porch. Please note that the Confirmation program is for **candidates of Year 10 and above**.

Please pray for our candidates and catechists. **The registration fee is £20.**

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION

Parents of children in year 3 or above, visit the First Holy Communion page on the parish website – you'll find it under SACRAMENTS. Last chance to sign up this weekend.



BIBLE STUDY

Next Session will be on **Monday 6th Oct. at 7.30pm**, Parish hall. All welcome. For more information, (Cherryl)

carshaltonplf@rcaos.org.uk

Children's Liturgy Group - Sunday 9.30 am Mass.

Our Children's Liturgy group resumed on Sunday 7th September. Thank you for your support ! Volunteer with us! please contact Esme via :

carshalton@rcaos.org.uk

Thinking of becoming a Catholic?

Journey in Faith 2025 – 2026 (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults)

This process prepares adults who are seeking to be received into the Catholic Church. It invites people to deepen their knowledge of Jesus and their relationship with Him. Weekly sessions take people through the key teachings of the Catholic faith and the issues facing Catholics in today's world. We look in detail at the sacramental life and prepare those who decide to become Catholics to receive the sacraments of initiation (Baptism, Confirmation and Holy Communion) . Other parishioners who would like to join us and perhaps refresh their own faith are also very welcome. Sessions take place on **THURSDAY at 7:30 pm** in the parish centre.

If you are interested, please contact the RCIA co-ordinator, Kathy Ball, via the contact form on the parish website or email: edmsutton@rcaos.org.uk



Young Adult Mass (18 -30y) : Sunday 28th Sept at 6.30pm

Welcome back. Please join us again after 6.30pm for games, refreshments and more. All welcome.

Youth Group Mass(12-17y) : Thank you

Many thanks to those who attended last week.

1st Saturday Devotion : 04th Oct.

Come and join us in prayer, meditation, Mass, Confession, and a Rosary, every first Saturday of the month from 9am.

Sparks of Light – Saturday, 18th October, 10:30am – 3:30pm,

An event that enables others to encounter Jesus Christ in and through his Church; supported by the Agency for Evangelisation and Catechesis.

Are you interested in reaching out to others, beyond the walls of the church? Then this day is for you. It simply involves an invitation to enter a Catholic Church, to light a candle for a loved one, to chat with a team of friendly volunteers, or to just experience the peace of the Church. Input will be provided by Maria Heath, Director of Mission Northampton, and you will have the opportunity to share the love of Christ in practical ways. St Elphege's Church, Wallington, SM6 9AY Contact Kathy Ball, Deanery Mentor for Evangelisation:

edmsutton@rcaos.org.uk

Friday Lunches

We will return on Friday 10th October. Volunteers welcome.

Missio Red Box Collection

Red Box holders should find their envelope at the back of the Church which contains the Autumn newsletter from Missio.

Please return your envelope to the Church by the weekend of **3/4th October**. Many thanks for your continued support. **World Mission Sunday** takes place this year on **19th October**, a global collection and a reminder that we are one global family in Christ. There will be a separate collection in the Parish on that day.

Holy Cross Baby and Toddler Group - 9am-10.15am

Mon: 29th Sept / 13th Oct/ 3rd Nov/ 1st Dec.

Parish families, please join us for crafting, playing, singing and chatting over a cup of tea /coffee and biscuits. We look forward to welcoming you! **We urgently need more volunteers to run this important group.**

The Missionary Society Of St Paul - Second Collection: Thank you to all those whose contributed to the recent second collection, we raised £1,363.82

Hong Kong and Cantonese Mass- Saturday 4 Oct. – 3pm

1st Saturday each Month. **Holy Family Church Sutton**

Marys Meals - Leftover Foreign Currency: Please help us to support Mary's Meals by donating your leftover foreign currency.

Church Cleaning - Cleaning of the Church on Fridays at 8:30am after 8am Mass. We need volunteers, please. Thank you.

Pilgrimage San Giovanni Rotondo 28th Nov. to 2nd Dec. 25

Chaplain : Fr Philip Pak.

Return flights : London Stansted – Bari. £790.

To book : **Tel: 0203 773 5115 | 0780 737 5061 -**

office@stpeterspilgrimages.com. **More information on the board.**

Holy Father's Prayer Intention September: 'For our relationship with all of creation'.

Let us pray that, inspired by Saint Francis, we might experience our interdependence with all creatures who are loved by God and worthy of love and respect.

May they rest in peace:

Remember those who died recently, Mama Annie, Harvey Watson, Margaret Collier, Francesca Morreale, Pope Francis, Fr Wenna Henry Tiku, Mary Coghlan, Sr Margaret McMullen ...

Remember to pray for those who are sick, the isolated, and their carers, especially those within our own Parish Community: Pat Flannery, Sidney Brown, Norah Sheridan, Mary Pierse, Edna Thornton, Mary Dolan, Maria Leggett, Doris D'Souza