



HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN

SAT. 15TH AUGUST THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	18:30	MARY PARRY – BD INTENTIONS
SUN. 16TH AUGUST THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	08:00	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
	09:30	MONICA BEWICK - RIP
	11:00	DORRIS D'SILVA - WELLBEING
	18:30	
MON. 17TH AUGUST FERIA	08:00	
	10:00	ANTONIO MIRANDA - RIP
TUE. 18TH AUGUST FERIA	08:00	
	10:00	DEBBIE WHITTAKER - RIP
WED. 19TH AUGUST ST JOHN EUDES	08:00	
	10:00	DEREK WIXTED - RIP
	17:00	ADORATION
THU. 20TH AUGUST ST BERNARD	08:00	
	10:00	MFON WILLIAM - GOOD HEALTH
FRI. 21ST AUGUST ST PIUS X	08:00	
	12:00	PIERRE NUMA - RIP
SAT. 22ND AUGUST THE QUEENSHIP OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	08:00	
	10:00	MARTHE & ANNIE MC DONAGH - RIP
	18:30	ZIHA D'MELLO - RIP
SUN. 23RD AUGUST ST ROSE OF LIMA	08:00	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
	09:30	ROSE McDONAGH - INTENTIONS
	11:00	
	18:30	

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

Adoration Of The Blessed Sacrament:

Every day: 7am-8am

Wed.: 5pm-8:00pm & Sat. 9am.

Monica Bewick – RIP- Funeral 28th August 12 Noon

It is with great sadness that we announce the passing of Monica Bewick, a beloved and active member of our community. Her absence leaves a profound void, and she will be deeply missed by everyone who had the privilege of knowing her. We extend our heartfelt condolences to her family and friends during this incredibly difficult time.

Wednesday 19th August: Parking restriction

Please do not park in the car park as the school will rebuild the fence and trim the tree. Thank you for your understanding.

Support Our Parish Through Gift Aid (Gift Aid Envelopes)

If you are a UK taxpayer and regularly support the parish, please consider joining the Gift Aid Scheme. It allows the parish to claim an extra 25p for every £1 donated at no additional cost to you. Gift Aid Declaration forms are available in the porch and online. Thank you for your generosity and continued support of our parish.

Adults considering becoming Catholic... Journey in Faith 2026-27

Are you, or is someone you know, interested in finding out more about the Catholic faith and the process for being received into the Church? Were you baptised Catholic, but now seeking confirmation? You are warmly invited to an introductory evening to find out more on **Thursday 10th September, 7:30pm in the hall.** (This is a repeat of the session from the 11th June, so no need to come again if you attended that one.) Refreshments will be served.

Weekly sessions will then continue from the 18th of September, 7:30pm.

Please contact Kathy Ball, edmsutton@rcaos.org.uk

Summer Breaks

Children's Liturgy– Sunday 9.30 am Mass

We will resume in September. Thank you all for your support. To volunteer, please

contact Esme via the parish office: carshalton@rcaos.org.uk

Watch this week's SALT presentation at www.youtube.com/@LittleLightLiturgy

Folk Choir Summer Break - back to sing on Sunday, 6th Sept.

As always, new members are very welcome to join the choir. See you all in September.

11 am Choir Summer Break- back to sing on Sunday, 6th Sept.

Anyone who is interested in joining the Choir can contact **Andrew Theobald on 02087152337**, or come to the Choir Loft after 11.00 Mass any Sunday. Thanks.

Friday Lunch Club

The Friday lunches will resume on the **25th September**. Until then, we will have tea and coffee on Fridays after 12 o'clock Mass. Thank you for your continued support, Maureen T.

Playgroup: *The Little Ones @ HolyCross* Monday 7th September

Stay & Play for age 0 - 5 and their parent/carers,

Mondays 9:15 - 11:15 am (term-time).

Volunteers please contact Claire at carshalton@rcaos.org.uk

Thank you and have a wonderful summer ☺!

A Day With Mary - **Save The Date: Saturday 10 October 2026**

Here for the second time at Holy Cross.

The Memorare - Prayer

Remember, O most gracious Virgin Mary, that never was it known that anyone who fled to thy protection, implored thy help, or sought thy intercession, was left unaided.

Inspired by this confidence, I fly unto thee, O Virgin of virgins, my Mother.

To thee do I come, before thee I stand, sinful and sorrowful.

O Mother of the Word Incarnate, despise not my petitions, but in thy mercy hear and answer me.

Amen.



Holy Cross Film Club showing: **Manon of the Spring**

Parish Centre, **7.45 pm, Friday 21 August.**

Refreshments from 7.30pm.

In this sequel to the film, Jean de Florette, (which we showed in June), a Frenchman's daughter seeks revenge on the landowners whose actions led to his death.

Language: **French with English subtitles**

Running time 2 hours, plus interval. Admission free, no booking required.

Further information email: HolyCrossFilmClub@outlook.com

Safe Spaces – support for survivors. Safe Spaces is a free, confidential support service for anyone who has experienced abuse within the Church.

Helpline: 0300 303 1056. Visit safespacesenglandandwales.org.uk.

Fundraising For Diocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage. From Bishop Paul.

One of the trustees of our Lourdes pilgrimage has been doing a sponsored walk to raise money to help disabled pilgrims to go to Lourdes. He will be in parts of Kent and SE London this week. If you would be willing to contribute, he has a fundraising page at www.justgiving.com/page/calourdes125sw

Youth Ministry Training Coordinator.

The Southwark Catholic Youth Service is seeking a Training Coordinator to help form and support the next generation of Catholic youth leaders across the Archdiocese. Find out more and apply at

rcaos.org.uk/vacancies

Parish Secretary, St Mary's Croydon.

St Mary's Croydon is seeking a Parish Secretary to support day-to-day administration. Full-time, 35 hours/week. For further details, visit rcaos.org.uk/vacancies.

Holy Father's Prayer Intention August: For Evangelization In The City.

Let us pray that in large cities often marked by anonymity and loneliness we find new ways to proclaim the Gospel, discovering creative paths to build community.

May they rest in peace:

Remember those who died recently, Monica & Stanley Bewick, Peter Atkinson, William Harding, Katherine King, John Parry, Helen Dolly Wilkins, John Barrett, Concetta Matrojanni, Joe Finnerty, Lawrence Taggart, Cecil Dias, Cheryl Yiu, Rajan Raman, Maureen Arnold, Lena Edwardes, Louis Mann, Bridgid Murphy, Maria Leggett, Margaret Morton, Doreen Mary Charlish, Pat Flannery, Annie Dona, Harvey Watson, Margaret Collier, Francesca Morreale, Pope Francis, Fr Henry Tiku, Mary Coghlan ...

Remember to pray for those who are sick, the isolated, and their carers, especially those within our own Parish Community: Maria Spence, Catherine Main – Ian, Pat Walmsley, Sidney Brown, Norah Sheridan, Kathleen Brown, Mary Pierse, Edna Thornton, Mary Dolan, Doris D'Silva, Clara Pinto...