

CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST EDMUND OF CANTERBURY

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Sunday 21 JUNE Yr A

This weekend throughout England and Wales there is a national collection for the Day for Life

FR STEPHEN'S SILVER JUBILEE MASS

Canon Victor Darlington will be celebrating a special Mass for Fr. Stephen on

Saturday 4 July at 6.00 pm after which there will be a celebration in the church hall
Everyone is welcome.

If you would like to make a donation towards a gift for Fr Stephen on the occasion of his Silver Jubilee please use this link:

<https://stedmunds.churchsuite.com/donate/fund/zcvzwfuf6>

or put your donation in one of the envelopes that are at the back of the church.

Envelopes can be put in any collection plate or posted, through the Parish Office door.

THE LIGHT OF CHRIST CHARISMATIC PRAYER MEETING

Wednesday 24 June in the Hall

7.45 pm Praise and Worship

8.00 pm Holy Mass

Celebrant - TBC

Followed by Healing Ministry before the Blessed Sacrament

10.00 pm Evening concludes

Deborah's Palm at the Claver Convent,
Thursday June 25, 3 to 6 00 pm. All welcome.

There will be no Deborah's Palm in July and August. It will start again in September.

CONFIRMATION MASS

We have heard the most wonderful comments about the beauty of last Saturday's Mass at which Canon Victor Darlington confirmed over forty of our young people.

The Canon spoke directly to the confirmandi who appeared to be taking in everything he said. Rosie's Choir sung as beautifully as ever and enhanced the service from the start. Well done too to our altar servers who did a fine job.

As ever we owe thanks to the small team, led by Tickey Colling who guided the confirmandi throughout their course.

DAY FOR LIFE

This is the day in the Church's life dedicated to celebrating the sacredness of life. The proceeds from the Day for Life collection provide core funding to assist other life-related activities supported by the Church.

ACCESS TO THE HALL

Some Hall users gain entry to the Hall by using the key pad on the side door. This is a great help to them and to the Parish Office. However, please could we ask those who have the code not to enter the Hall outside the times they have booked it, or without first checking with the Office that there is no one in there already.

You cannot tell from outside the Hall whether it is in use and some meetings and activities are being disturbed by people coming in.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION CATECHISTS

The team that has led the first holy communion formation for the last few years is moving on to new pastures. We have a new lead catechist but without more volunteers we will struggle to prepare the 50 or more children who will sign up for the course.

Please think carefully about whether you could assist. Further information can be had by emailing beckenhamfhc@rcaos.

JESUIT REFUGEE SERVICE

Join the JRS on 22nd June to celebrate Refugee Week (15th-21st June) with a special performance of **Faith and Hope** by the JRS UK Theatre Group!

A powerful, thought-provoking play created by refugee friends, exploring what it means to seek safety and dignity in today's world.

Key details:

When: 7pm Monday 22nd June

Where: St George in the East Church (closest stations are Shadwell DLR and Overground)

The Jesuit Refugee Service (JRS) is an international Catholic organisation, at work in over 50 countries around the world with a mission to accompany, serve and advocate for the rights of refugees and other forcibly displaced persons.

<https://www.jrsuk.net/>

Being formed in the likeness of Christ, we strive to become a truly Christ centred community, through humble witness, love, compassion and communion.

MASSES

Sun 21 June 6.00 pm 8.00 am 9.30 am 11.00 am 5.30 pm	Twelfth Sunday Patricia Mamboya (b'day) For the people Maurice Tydings RIP (7th anniv) Roberta Coatti RIP Eddie Dowling RIP & Bernie Dowling RIP
Monday 22 June 10.00 am 11.30 am	Sts John Fisher & Thomas More Peter Carr RIP Requiem of Patricia Bishopp
Tues 23 June 10.00 am	Feria Ted Billy RIP (2nd anniv)
Wed 24 June 10.00 am	The Nativity of St John the Baptist St Jo Harvey RIP
Thu 25 June 10.00 am 6.00 pm <small>CLAVES</small>	Feria Clarissa Nicholls RIP Adoration
Fri 26 June 10.00 am	Feria Theresa Callaghan RIP
Sat 27 June 10.00 am 6.00 pm	Feria For the clergy & staff at St Edmund's John & Mary McAvoy RIP
Sun 28 June 8.00 am 9.30 am 11.00 am 5.30 pm	Saints Peter & Paul Pauline Wood For the people Rodolfo Cabilin, Edgardo Magtuba & dec'd family members RIP Angie O'Hare RIP

EXPOSITION

Monday to Thursday and Saturday
from 9.00 –9.45 am and Friday after Mass

ROSARY

Monday and Wednesday
after Mass, and Friday before Mass

CONFESSION

Saturday after morning Mass until 11.30, and
Saturday evenings from 5.00 pm to 5.45 pm.

***On occasion exposition or rosary will not take
place owing to a funeral being held
in the church***



We pray for all our parishioners

The recently deceased: Patricia Bishopp, Raffaele
Rubino, Valerie Lee, Canon Alan McLean.

Those whose anniversaries are at this time: Stan
Ziolek, Caroline Anaele, Patricia James, Clifford
Addems, Asher Downer, Adele Powell, Soraya Gill, Sr
Ann Byrne, Honora Johnson, Jose Roberto Freitas,
Gloria Scannapieco–Rubano, Gerard Belfourd.

Those in ill health: Chris Elgar, Peter Anthony Jones,
Katherine McLaughlin, Henry Ginn, Margaret Mattison,
Paul Hixson, David Back, Arlene Sinclair, Margaret
Russell, Emma Rodrigues, Christine Parker, Don,
Beatrice Allegretti, Yvonne Forshaw, Elizabeth
Hardaker, Sheila Crozier.

And all those suffering with long term sickness.
May the Lord bless them and keep them – Amen.

DIARY

June

20 Altar Servers training at 4.00 pm
24 Funeral service at Beckenham
Crematorium for Valerie Lee.

July

4 Celebration in the Hall after Mass
6 Law Surgery in the Hall at 6.00 pm

SILENT PRAYER

Silent prayer time in the Hall on Mondays from
5.30 - 6.20 pm

**Every Monday (except second Monday and bank
holidays).**

John Main Christian Meditation Group

Second Monday

Quiet Monday (reaching out to other local churches) -
see flyer in porch for details

Please note the need to arrive promptly and
observe the group silence. Access is via stairs.

MASS TIMES AT ST ANTHONY'S, ANERLEY

Weekdays

9.30 am daily (Monday to Saturday)
Tuesday evenings at 7.30 pm

Saturday

6.00 pm Vigil Mass

Sunday Mass

9.30 am
11.15 am
5.30 am

MASS TIMES AT ST MARK'S, WEST WICKHAM

Weekdays

10.00 am daily (except Tuesday)
6.00 pm (Tuesday only)

Saturday

6.30 pm Vigil Mass

Sunday Mass

8.00 am
10.00 am
11.30 am