

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Our Lady of Reparation

16th February 2020- Year A - 6th Sunday of Ordinary Time

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Live internet Camera: 7am-10pm
Church Opening Times: 7am-7pm

Confession times

Saturdays

10.30am - 11.30am & 5.45pm - 7pm

Wednesdays

12.45pm to
1.15pm

First Fridays

10.45am to
12 noon

(and at call)

Prayer times

Rosary • 9.40am • Monday to Friday
Morning Prayer • 9.40am • Saturdays

**Blessed Sacrament
Adoration and Benediction**

Wednesdays

12.45pm to 6.15pm

First Fridays

10.45am to 12 noon

Saturdays

10.30am to 12 noon

Sundays

4pm to 5.45pm



In the hollow
of Her mantle
and the
crossing of
Her arms

Fatima Devotions

First Saturdays @ 12 noon

Perpetual Succour

All other Saturdays @ 12 noon

Fr. Patrick Feyisetan (Parish Priest)
Fr. Celestine Ekwueme (Assistant Priest)
Revd. Vincent Morrison (Permanent Deacon)

✠ Sunday Mass times ✠

7pm (Saturday)

8am., 9.15am., 10.45am.,

12.15pm., 3pm., & 6pm




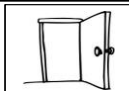



Daily Mass times

Monday to Friday • 10am & 12.10pm

Monday to Friday • 6.45pm

Saturdays • 10am

Saturday 15 th February		Wednesday 19 th February		Saturday 22 nd February The Chair of St. Peter, the Apostle	
7.00pm	Fr. Antony Sellam, in thanksgiving	10.00am	Dr. Sze Hing Ng & Mrs Anne Ng, wedding anniversary	10.00am	Martha Sam Vu, RiP
Sunday 16th February 6th in Ordinary Time		12.10pm	Pascal Dussouet, RiP	7.00pm	Richard & Constance Shaw
		6.45pm	Mary O'Hara, RiP	Sunday 23rd February 7th in Ordinary Time Day of Prayer for the Unemployed	
8.00am	Ephraim Bululu & family, in thanksgiving & for wellbeing	Thursday 20 th February		8.00am	Ewan Van Belling, RiP
9.15am	People of the Parish	10.00am	Sheila Gibson, RiP	9.15am	James and Jodie Noel & Family in thanksgiving on their marriage
10.45am	Nora Doyle, RiP	12.10pm	Kay Corry, wellbeing	10.45am	Joe Noronha, wellbeing
12.15pm	Fr. Kenneth Berry, RiP	6.45pm	Fr. Gerard Quirke, wellbeing	12.15pm	People of the parish
3.00pm	Arsenio Toledo, RiP	Friday 21 st February St. Peter Damian		3.00pm	Timothy Yeboah & Family in thanksgiving and for wellbeing
6.00pm	Peter Kelleher, wellbeing	10.00am	Nancy and David Mendes, RiP	6.00pm	Mr and Mrs Solanke & Family, in thanksgiving
Monday 17th February The Seven Founders of the Servite Order		12.10pm	Patrick Mullaney, RiP	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p>Parish Office HOURS</p>  <p>Mon to Fri 9.30am to 4pm Shirley Nash Parish Secretary</p> </div>	
10.00am	Everard Fletcher, RiP	6.45pm	Sr. Maria Basini, ODC, Diamond Jubilee, wellbeing		
12.10pm	Melba & Oscar, for wellbeing	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px;">  <p>Wednesday Word</p>  </div>			
6.45pm	St. Mary Brigid in thanksgiving				
Tuesday 18 th February		Sun 23rd February 2020 1 st Reading • Leviticus 19: 1-2. 17 - 18 2 nd Reading • 1 Corinthians 3 : 16 - 23 Gospel Matthew 5: 38 – 48 Year of the Word Aylesford Event Saturday 27 th Jun 2020		<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;"> <p>Parish Surgery</p> <p><u>Mondays</u> 4.30pm to 7pm <u>Thursdays</u> 9.30am to 11.30am & 5pm - 6.30pm</p> </div>	
10.00am	Shirley in thanksgiving				
12.10pm	Donald Mercer, wellbeing				
6.45pm	Jacques Law-Kwang, RiP	<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; text-align: center;">  <p>Open Door</p> </div>			
					

The Holy Father's Prayer Intention for February 2020: May the cries of our migrant brothers and sisters who are victims of criminal trafficking, be heard and answered.



Official Prayer for The Year of The Word of God

Living God, you walk alongside us and speak to us throughout the Scriptures.

Your Son, Jesus Christ, listens to our hopes and fears and shows us how to live for one another.

Send us the Holy Spirit to open our hearts and minds so that we may be your witnesses throughout the world.

Amen

V: Your word is our path and your truth is our light.

R: This day and every day
Our Lady of the Annunciation
St. Matthew
St. Jerome

**Pray
for
us**

Season of Lent

Here in the Parish

- This starts on Ash Wednesday 26 Feb. There will be Ashes distributed at all Masses, times of which are: 8am, 10am, 12.10pm & 6.45pm (not 7pm)
- It is a day of fasting & abstinence.
- Faith Journey (RCIA) First Scrutiny Mass @ 12.15pm Sunday 1st March
- Details of the Parish Lenten programme will follow, so do set aside time for prayers, talks and ways to help you in your Lenten Journey.

Croydon University Hospital, Chapel

There will be Mass on Ash Wednesday 26th Feb @ 12 noon in the Chapel. This will continue every Monday starting 2nd Mar @ 12 noon. All are welcome. The Hospital Chapel entrance is near Woodcroft Road.

✕ Eternal Rest

Douglas Stuart, RiP
Funeral Mass @ St. Mary's
10am on Mon 2 Mar

We offer our condolences and assurance of our prayers to his family and friends. We also pray for all who have died or who have an anniversary of passing away at this time, that they may enjoy peaceful rest and those grieving, the peace of Christ.

Today's Parish Music Ministry Sun 16th Feb

Children & Young People
Singers & musicians @ 9.15am
Latin Choir @ 10.45am
Young adults @ 12.15pm.
Would you like to use both
your "time & talent"?



New musicians and singers are **always** welcome. Please approach after any Mass where the music group is present, usually Sunday 9.15am, 10.45am & 12.15pm.

www.croydoncatenians.co.uk

- This weekend (15/16 Feb, we welcome the Catenian Association. They will be present in the porch after all Masses.
- The Croydon circle was formed here at St Mary's 99 years ago under the guidance of Canon McLaughlin.
- The Catenian Association is open to all practicing Catholic men - and is a social support / friendship network for them and their families.
- Please talk to the contacts after Mass in the porch area, to find out some more .

Foodbank items especially needed:

- Size 5, 5+ and 6 nappies,
- dog food, laundry tablets, washing up liquid & household cleaning products, kitchen towel
- ladies deodorant,
- rice: eg packets, microwave/steamable, uncooked
- tinned rice pudding
- tinned spaghetti

Parish Life

Children's Bible Study class, follows the end of the 9.15am Mass today in the parish centre. Families with their children, welcome. The subject is the story of Jesus told by St. John. Bring your children to "The Word".

Parish 20 to 40 SFN Group, meet straight after the 12.15pm Mass in the lobby area of the parish centre. New attendees ALWAYS welcome – age 20 to 40. Come & See !

St Mary's Women's Group will be meeting on Tuesday 18th Feb in the Parish Room.

Please note the new start time of 7:30pm. We organise collections, across the whole Parish, for the most needy in our community, but we are also a friendship group for women. We are always looking for new ideas so do please come along, find out a bit more about us and share your ideas about other things that we can do

Bible Study & Charismatic Prayers meets this coming Friday 21st Feb immediately after the 6.45pm Mass, in the Church. All welcome.

Children's Liturgy 4th Sunday

This will take place in the 9.15am Mass next Sunday 22nd Feb. During the first part of the Mass, parents and their children will be invited by the Mass celebrant to join the Liturgy team in the parish room. The group will return just before the Offertory.

Sacramental Classes

- RCIA, Wed @ 7.30pm – 19 Feb, Velankanni Room of the Parish Centre
- Sacramental and classes led by Deacon Vincent (enrollees aged 11 to 15) take place as usual, Saturdays, 5pm in the parish prayer room – next class is 22 Feb
- First Holy Communion Classes. Are every Sunday Morning with the children and families attending the 9.15am Mass before then gathering in the parish centre at the end of Mass. Those who are fully registered and have been attending, please regularly check your e-mails and information provided by the Catechism team for any further information.

New Car

Parking system

Our new system is now live and is operative

Monday to Friday 24 hour. It covers parking on the forecourt, the parking areas around the parish centre & ramps.

What you have to do

During the period of operation, if you are attending the parish for any reason, be it service, Mass, surgery or prayer time etc., you will need to log in your car registration at the pad by the shop in the porch area.

This is necessary to avoid a parking ticket which is applied for unregistered vehicles. It does **NOT APPLY** on the weekends/for Sunday Masses. At these times, all other usual car parking arrangements remain unchanged, including the charity car park on Saturday daytime run by SVP, reducing your speed, care for pedestrians/ children, disability badge holders and parking safely and considerately at all times given the need for access and our usual use. Thank you for your cooperation.



Diary dates:

- 26 Feb:- Ash Wednesday
- 1 Mar: - First Sunday of Lent
- 6 Mar :-Family Fast Day Cafod
- 25 Mar: Annunciation
- 5 Apr:- Palm Sunday
- 9 Apr:- Maundy Thursday
- 10 Apr:- Good Friday
- 11 Apr:- Holy Saturday
- 12 Apr:- Easter Sunday
- 19 Apr:- Divine Mercy Sunday

Oakwood School & Nursery, Open Day:

Sat 7 Mar 2020 – 10am to 1pm: Visit: www.oakwoodschool.org.uk

"New Life in Christ" • Hosted by the Cor Lumen Christi, Community, Chertsey. 14 – 15 Mar 2020. Experience the Lord in a more powerful and personal way. £10 registration

Pilgrimages supporting Catholic Charities

2020 • Padre Pio: 30th April to 5th May

• **Lourdes:** 5th to 9th June

• **Medjugorje:** 1st to 7th July • **Divine Mercy:**

30th July to 4th August • **Fatima:** 20th to

24th August • **Infant Jesus:** 2nd to 5th

September Flying from Gatwick. Further

Details from Malcolm Fernando:- 075 05 011

249 or 0208 777 4785.

mjsfernando@gmail.com

Prepare for the Re-dedication of England as the Dowry of Mary 29 Mar. Visit www.behold2020.com

& walsingham.org.uk

Personal prayer suggestions that can be undertaken as part of your prayer life and don't need formal prayer times in Church

- Do a Novena for the Feast of the Annunciation Mar 25th. Day 1 starts Mon 16 Feb, ending Day 9 Tue 24 Feb, then celebrate the Feast on Wed 25th Mar

- Start the Personal Consecration to Our Lady – "33 Days to Morning Glory – To Jesus through Mary". The 33 days start on Fri 21 Feb – see the web sites for details and watch this space for more !

