

Our Lady Help of Christians



13th September 2026

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

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Baptism minimum 2 months notice required;

Marriage minimum 12 months notice required

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MANY CONGRATULATIONS to Liam Manley and Sarah Callan who were married here on 27th August. Our prayers and good wishes for their future together.

WE WELCOME Alexander and Freya Hill who were Baptised on the 30th August. May God bless them and their families.

JOAN ROSE R.I.P. Please pray for Joan and her family and friends. The funeral will be at St Joseph's, Redhill on Monday 21 September at 10.30am.

JOSEPH DACANAY R.I.P. Please pray for Joseph and his family and friends.

Mass Times and Intentions

Sunday 13th September

Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat. 6pm Mass – Caroline Allers RIP and
Terrilyn Borain RIP

9.15am Mass – Albert & Ella Poels RIP

11am Mass – Parishioners

4.30pm Syro Malabar Mass

Week 14th – 19th September

Monday – Exaltation of the Holy Cross

9.30am Ecumenical Morning Prayer

7pm Mass Joe & Helen Walker

Tuesday – Our Lady of Sorrows

N.B. 10am Exposition

Wed – Ss Cornelius & Cyprian

10am Mass Nicholas Davies

Exposition follows Mass until 10pm

Thursday

10am Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Friday

10am Mass Tony Dale RIP

Saturday

12 noon Nuptial Mass for Laura Ortega
& Timothy Richards

Reconciliation (Confession):

Saturday at 5.15pm or by appointment.

Sunday 20th September

Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sat. 6pm Mass – Parishioners

9.15 Mass – Lena Keane RIP

11am Mass – Living & Deceased
Members of the Bruno & Erlank Families

4.30pm Syro Malabar Mass

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE UNWELL

JJ McNulty, Fr Sebastian Paul, Mary Keen, Chad Van Duyn, Ronald and Veronica Cooper, Patricia O'Shea, Jenny Pearce, John Machen, Gloria Bray, Rob Vallance, Alan O'Brien, Judy Phillips, Gabriel Mariano, Ashley Wolsey, Tina Elliot, Angela Widdup, Kristina Gonzalez, Lucy Orchard, Sophie Milton, Wilfrido Zabarte, Mike Povey, Pat Lynch, Jenny Emrys-Roberts, Barney Barker, Howard Hopper, Gwen Bruno, Clive Stanbrook, Hugh McManus, Bridie McManus, Carmela Tomkins, Kerrie Mitchell, Suzanne Kassir, Tim Buckell, Valli Alimon, Christopher Brown, Kevin Luddington, Victor McGrath, William Simmons, Marie McMahon, Patricia Bygrave, Amy Macanlalay, Thomas Hazell, Mark Fitzpatric and Cathy Fahy.

Please let the Parish Office know if anyone would like to be added to / taken off the list.

THE CHILDREN'S LITURGY are providing refreshments after 9.15 Mass this weekend to fundraise for charity. We need more volunteers to help with Children's Liturgy during 9.15 Mass. To find out more or volunteer, please email Rosanna: rosannaleney@gmail.com. Children's Liturgy is open to all children aged 0-5 years accompanied by an adult and includes prayers, Bible stories & craft.

RECONCILIATION & FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME 2026-2027. If you usually attend Mass regularly in this parish and have a child commencing Year 3 (or above) in September whom you would like to prepare for the Sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion then the application form will be available to collect from Fr Aaron after Mass from this weekend 12-13 September until the 4th October.

ECUMENICAL MORNING PRAYER is at 9.30am on Monday 14 September in our church. All welcome.

WIDOWED / SEPARATED LUNCH on Sunday 20th September at the Pia Ristorante West Byfleet. If you would like to join us, please ring Pat Wray on 07810340589.

HOPE CAFÉ on 16 September at 10.30am in the STM room. If you fancy a cuppa and friendly chat, we would love to see you. Any queries contact Janet on 07917346287. All welcome.

BAPTISM PREPARATION MEETING 7.30pm on Monday 12 October in the STM room. If you have a child for Baptism, please see Fr Aaron after Mass and complete the Baptism Enquiry Form prior to attending the meeting. The forms are in the church porch.

NEXT SUNDAY we are celebrating Education Sunday and our young people are invited to come to 9:15 Mass in school uniform and give thanks for the wonderful education opportunities we have.

OUR LADY'S GARDENING TEAM.

Volunteers welcome for the autumn work party to tidy around the church and gardens Saturday 26th September from 9am.

PARISH WALK from St Dunstan's to St Hugh's along the Basingstoke Canal 12 noon 13 Sept. If you would like to go, please email St Hugh's Parish Office: knaphill@abdiocese.org.uk.

THE MARIST SCHOOL. Keep up to date with the latest news [online](#). The Marist Mail is issued Fridays during term time on their website or use this QR code:



DEANERY MASS. The deanery clergy are meeting on Tuesday, 15 September. Mass will be at 10am at Christ the King Church, Bagshot. All are welcome to attend.

For Parish Centre Enquiries or Hall

Bookings - contact Chris Geary

ourladyshallbookings@outlook.com

Parish Safeguarding Representatives:

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For St Thomas More Preschool Enquiries

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EXPLORING CATHOLICISM: RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION OF ADULTS (RCIA).

If you or anyone you know might be interested in learning more about the Catholic faith perhaps, although not necessarily, with a view towards full initiation into the Church at Easter 2027, please collect an enquiry form from the church porch and return the completed form to Father or the parish office. The form is also [online](#) and can be accessed with this QR code:



If you are a Catholic adult and have not yet received the Sacrament of Confirmation, please also complete an enquiry form. The course will begin on Tuesday 29 September at 7.30pm in the St Thomas More room.

WORKING FOODBANK COLLECTION 12-

13 Sept. Donations please for dried food / toiletries but NO perishable please! Items most needed are on the [Foodbank website](#) and include instant mashed potato, small cartons laundry detergent non bio + bio, toilet rolls, small jars of coffee, shampoo & conditioner, instant noodles & rice & egg noodles, toilet gel & liquid, meat & chicken tinned meals, corned beef, ham, spam & salmon tins and surface & anti-bacterial cleaners.

PLEASE NOTE on Saturday 19th there is a Nuptial Mass at 12 noon so no morning Mass / Confession or Exposition / Rosary.

THE PEOPLE'S EMERGENCY BRIEFING on Tuesday 6th October at St Dunstan's Church, Woking. Refreshments at 7pm for 7.30pm start. An important 50-minute film created from the briefing given on the climate crisis to MPs just last year. Tickets are free from buytickets.at/livesimplywoking/234444 or speak to St Dunstan's church office, 01483 760652, if you are not online.

MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARIES MASS 11.30am 3rd October at Arundel Cathedral. For more information, including how to book, please see the poster in the porch or online on the [Events page of the Diocesan website](#).

A&B YOUNG ADULTS (18-35) RETREAT DAYS 10am to 6.30pm, £20, lunch included. St Wilfrid's Parish, Burgess Hill 26 Sept or St Richard's Parish, Chichester on 7 Nov or Arundel Cathedral on 23 Jan. Book at the [Events page of the Diocesan website](#) or email: bex.driver@abdiocese.org.uk.

OFFERTORY. Monthly s/orders + the weekly cash collections averaged £2224 per week 23-30 Aug. Many thanks. If you haven't done so, please consider setting up a standing order. Forms are in the narthex or [online](#). Giving can be made via the donation machine in the porch or online. This is the QR code for online payments:



THE ANNUAL MASS COUNT takes place next weekend at all weekend Masses during the offertory.

PRAYER FOR PROTECTION

Holy Michael, Archangel, defend us in the day of battle; be our safeguard against the wickedness and snares of the devil. May God rebuke him, we humbly pray; and do thou, prince of the heavenly host, by the power of God thrust down to hell Satan, and all wicked spirits who wander through the world for the ruin of souls. Amen.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

14 th Sept	Ecumenical Morning Prayer, Church, 9.30am
16 th Sept	Hope Café, St Thomas More room, 10.30am
20th Sept	Widowed/Separated Lunch, Pia Ristorante West Byfleet, 12.30pm
24 th Sept	Parish Walk, meet outside the Church, 10am
29th Sept	Exploring Catholicism: RCIA Meeting, STM room, 7.30pm
1st Oct	Catenian Meeting, Hall, 7.30pm
3rd Oct	Seniors' Lunch, Hall, 12.30pm
5th Oct	SVP meeting, St Thomas More room, 7.30pm
6th Oct	Exploring Catholicism: RCIA Meeting, STM room, 7.30pm
7th Oct	Craft Club, St Thomas More room, 10.30am
10-11 Oct	Woking Foodbank Collection
12 th Oct	Ecumenical Morning Prayer, St John's Church, 9.30am
12 th Oct	Baptism Preparation Meeting, St Thomas More Room, 7.30pm
17 th Oct	Parish 70 th Anniversary Celebration, Hall, 7pm