

# Our Lady Help of Christians



1<sup>st</sup> February 2026

*Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

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*Baptism minimum 2 months notice required;*

*Marriage minimum 12 months notice required*

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## Mass Times and Intentions

### Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> February

**Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sat. 6pm Mass – Cammy Golden RIP**

**9.15am Mass – Parishioners**

**11am Mass – Hermann Wollmer RIP**

### **Week 2<sup>nd</sup> – 7<sup>th</sup> February**

**Mon – The Presentation of the Lord**

**7pm Mass Brendan Mooney RIP**

**Tuesday – St Blaise**

**10am Mass** Repose of the souls for the  
grandparents of Frank & Jude Andrews

**Wednesday**

**10am Mass** Mr & Mrs Ladislaus RIP

*Exposition follows Mass until 10pm*

**Thursday – St Agatha**

*10am Exposition of The Blessed Sacrament*

**Friday – St Paul Miki & Companions**

**10am Mass** Fr Aaron's welfare *followed  
by Devotion to the Sacred Heart of Jesus*

**Saturday**

*10am Exposition of the Blessed  
Sacrament & the Rosary with  
Immaculate Heart of Mary Devotions*

***Confession (Reconciliation):***

*Saturday at 5.30pm or by appointment*

### Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> February

**Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Sat 6pm Mass – Tim Creagh Chapman RIP**

**9.15am Mass – Parishioners**

**11am Mass – Dannie, Colin, Valerie and  
Tracy O'Sullivan RIP**

*with Baptisms*

**3.30pm Syro Malabar Mass**

**RACIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY** is today, 1<sup>st</sup> February. The theme is: *"Whoever loves God must also love his brother"* (1 John 4:21): *Promoting Racial Justice in our Parishes*". To mark the day, there are some online video reflections: [www.cbcew.org.uk/racial-justice-sunday](http://www.cbcew.org.uk/racial-justice-sunday).

**MARIA MESSINA R.I.P.** Please pray for Maria and her family and friends. Funeral details to follow.

**SEÁN BURKE R.I.P.** Please pray for Seán and for his family and friends.

**MASS** at 10am on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> February will be followed with blessing of throats under the intercession of St Blaise.

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE UNWELL

John O'Connor, Patricia O'Shea, Jenny Pearce, John Machen, Gloria Bray, Mary Joyce, 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, Alban Pentony, Jenny Emrys-Roberts, Barney Barker, Lorraine Elworthy, 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 McMahan, Patricia Bygrave, Amy Macanlalay, Thomas Hazell, Margie Oliver, Mark Fitzpatric and Cathy Fahy.

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

**BAPTISM PREPARATION MEETING** for parents on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> February at 7.30pm in the St Thomas More room. If you have a child for Baptism, please see Father after Mass and complete the Baptism Enquiry Form prior to attending the meeting. The forms are in the church porch.

**THE SVP** are meeting at 7.30pm on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> February in the St Thomas More room. Our Parish SVP is part of an international lay organisation, the St Vincent de Paul Society, whose mission is to seek those in need to visit, befriend and offer support. If you or someone you know might benefit, or if you would like to find out more about joining, please email [PresidentA010207@svp.org.uk](mailto:PresidentA010207@svp.org.uk).

**SENIORS' LUNCH** - Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> February 2026. Put the date in your diary – Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> February, the first Seniors' lunch of 2026. The team are looking forward to catching up with everyone over lunch. Any enquiries please contact Gill Luff on 01932 343684 or 07710722056.

**LOURDES.** Applications for this summer's Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes (24-30 July by air or own transport, 23-31 July by coach / jumbulance) are now open. Details in the porch or on the website: <https://www.abdiocese.org.uk/lourdes/home>.

There will be a retiring collection after Masses next weekend in aid of the Lourdes Pilgrimage Fund. The gift aid envelopes are in the church porch.

**WEST BYFLEET CATENIANS.** There is no meeting in the month of February in the hall. The Circle members will be joining the Reigate Circle and having a joint meeting on Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> February at the Reigate Manor Hotel, where 80 members are expected to be present. The Catenians are an organisation for practising Catholic men. If you would like more information, with no obligation, please contact Vernon DeCruz 01932 343737 or [v.decruz@btinternet.com](mailto:v.decruz@btinternet.com).

**BLISTER PACK RECYCLING.** If you can please take this to be recycled at Boots in Woking or Cobham. Many thanks.

**CRIB OFFERINGS** will be donated to the Catholic Children's Society A&B Crisis Fund providing emergency grants to support children and their families in our diocese who are facing a crisis in their lives. Funds can be donated either via the wall box by the crib or [online](#) or via the gift aid envelopes in the porch. Every single penny donated will be given out via these grants. By tradition the crib remains in the church until Candlemas, 2<sup>nd</sup> February.

**PALM SUNDAY CROSSES.** Please return your palm crosses ready to be made into ash for Ash Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> Feb.

**THE CRAFT CLUB** is meeting on Wed 4<sup>th</sup> Feb in the STM Room from 10.30am. Newcomers welcome and drinks available. For queries, please contact Janet on 07917346287.

**ROSARY DEVOTIONS** for the first Saturday at 10am on 7<sup>th</sup> February.

**For Parish Centre Enquiries or Hall Bookings** - contact Chris Geary  
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**For St Thomas More Preschool Enquiries** email Rhoda  
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**WOKING FOODBANK COLLECTION** 7<sup>th</sup> - 8<sup>th</sup> February. Please donate tins, dried food/toiletries but NO perishable foods please! All donations must be within 'use by' & 'sell by' dates. The [Foodbank website](#) lists the items most needed and includes shampoo and adult toothpaste.

**WIDOWED AND SEPARATED LUNCH.** The next lunch will be on February 15<sup>th</sup> at the new Yarrow restaurant in Botanical Place, West Byfleet. If you would like to join us please contact Janet on 07917346287 or Pat on 07810340589.

**CONFIRMATION MEETING** on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> February for Confirmation candidates at 4pm (arrive 3.50pm for prompt start) in the church hall.

**NO COFFEE** after 9.15 Mass on 1<sup>st</sup> February due to the hall being prepared for the new parishioners' lunch. If you can help once a month with coffee after 9.15am Mass please contact Teresa Wort via the parish office. Many thanks.

Next weekend refreshments, sausage, and bacon paninis on sale, after 9.15am Mass, on Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> February. Fund raising event in aid of Red Shirts, A & B Lordes Pilgrimage, run by Parish young people on Confirmation Programme.

**WOKING STREET ANGELS.** Volunteers urgently needed. To find out more, or to arrange a taster night, please contact [wokingstreetangels@gmail.com](mailto:wokingstreetangels@gmail.com) or tel: 07827914714 or see the website <https://www.wokingstreetangels.org.uk/>.

**MASS INTENTIONS.** Envelopes are in the porch. Please complete with contact details if you wish to know the date / be notified of any change and return the envelope with a donation for Fr Aaron. Intentions may have to be rebooked if another service is arranged i.e. a funeral.

**WOKING IRISH ASSOCIATION DANCE** on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> February at 8pm at Hare Hill Social Club, Ledger Drive (between numbers 50/52), Addlestone KT15 1AT. Come along for a great night. Adm: £8 (at the door). Need more info: Kathy 0783525 8559.

**LOST PROPERTY.** There is box in the church porch containing glasses, pencil cases, coats, etc. Please check through and retrieve your items. Any items in the box for more than a couple of months will be disposed of.

**EXPLORING CATHOLICISM (RCIA):** meeting 7.30pm on Tue 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb in the STM room for anyone interested in learning more about the Catholic faith.

**LAST CALL** for online marriage programme. If your marriage need some TLC or help with communication and trust then Retrouvaille can help bring hope and healing. Next date: 12<sup>th</sup> Feb. [www.retrouvaille.org.uk](http://www.retrouvaille.org.uk). Tel: 07887 296983.

**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**

1 <sup>st</sup> Feb	New Parishioners Lunch, Hall, 12 noon
2 <sup>nd</sup> Feb	SVP meeting, St Thomas More room, 7.30pm
3 <sup>rd</sup> Feb	Exploring Catholicism: RCIA, St Thomas More room, 7.30pm
4 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Craft Club, St Thomas More room, 10.30am
<b>7<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>Seniors Friendship Lunch, Hall, 12.30 for 1pm</b>
7 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Confirmation Meeting for Candidates, Hall, 4pm
7-8 Feb	Woking Foodbank Collection
9 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Ecumenical Morning Prayer, Church, 9.30am
9 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Baptism Preparation Meeting, St Thomas More room, 7.30pm
<b>10<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>Art Club, St Thomas More room, 11am</b>
<b>10<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>Exploring Catholicism: RCIA, St Thomas More room, 7.30pm</b>
11 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Catenian Meeting, joint meeting in Reigate
<b>25<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>Hope Café, St Thomas More room, 10.45am</b>
<b>26<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>Parish Walk, meet outside the Church, 10am</b>
<b>28<sup>th</sup> Feb</b>	<b>Reconciliation/FHC Children's Meeting, from 3pm</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> Mar</b>	<b>Reconciliation/FHC Parent's Meeting, 7.30pm</b>
9 <sup>th</sup> Mar	Ecumenical Morning Prayer, St John's Church, 9.30am