

ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC COMMUNITY CROWBOROUGH

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CHURCH TIMETABLE 10th to 17th SEPTEMBER 2016

Sunday

Saturday Vigil MASS 6.00pm

Sunday Morning MASS at 9.30am with Children's Liturgy for those able to sit and participate during term time.

Neighbourhood MASSES

Saturday - Holy Cross Chapel at 4.30pm

Sunday - St Peter's, Rotherfield at 8.45am

Sunday - St Thomas', Mayfield at 10.00am

Sunday - Heron's Ghyll at 11.30am

Sunday - Wadhurst at 10.30am

Sunday - St Augustine's, Tunbridge Wells at 8.00am, 9.30am, 11.15am and 5.45pm

Weekday MASSES

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday MASS 9.00am.

No MASS on Tuesday and Saturday Mornings.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 8.15am to 9.00am before 9.00am MASS.

Baptisms and Marriages

By appointment. Preparation programme required for both Sacraments.

Diocesan regulation for Marriage - at least 6 months' notice required.

The Sacrament of Reconciliation [Confession]

Saturdays 5.00pm to 5.30pm and on request.

The Book of Prayer Requests is near the side altar near the Parish Room door.

Today:

- Baptism Service 12 noon. We welcome baby Leonardo Di-Palma-Soli into the family of the Church.
- A special collection for the Catholic Education Service, which is the chief negotiating and advisory body on all matters affecting Catholic education.

CAFOD Harvest Fast Day: 7th October. Gift Aid envelopes must be used.

New Rotas are available under St Theresa's statue for MASS Readers and Communion Ministers if you have not received a copy by email.

Please Note: The funeral of Maurice MacDonnell will be on Thursday, 15th September at 11.00am in Church, followed by a cremation. Please keep the family in your prayers.

Next Weekend Bishop Richard will be making a pastoral visit to our Parish.

Outline Programme for the Bishop's Visit

Saturday, 17th September

14.00 Arrival

14.30/16.00 Meeting with the Parish Pastoral Team/Parish Administration Committee

16.30 Parish Pastoral Audit

18.00 1st MASS of Sunday

19.00/20.30 Cheese and Wine event in Parish room to meet Parishioners

Sunday, 18th September

9.30 MASS

10.30/12.00 International themed event in Parish room to meet Parishioners*

The Bishop is anxious to meet as many Parishioners as possible, so please come along either Saturday evening or Sunday morning.

There will be no children's liturgy at the Bishop's MASS.

Naturally this timetable is subject to change.

***An Appeal** for international savoury snacks for the Bishop's Coffee Morning after 9.30am MASS on Sunday, 18th September. Please contact Anthony Moffatt, the co-ordinator for this event, - tel: 653956 or 07836559110.

Charity Concert at All Saints Church - 17th September, featuring Kevin Kay-Bradley [see him on YouTube] in aid of The Chapsinja School, Malawi. The proceeds will go to the Nursery Feeding Programme. Tickets £10 from W.E. Cro - 661543.

St Vincent de Paul Sunday - 25th September. There is a special collection and a St Vincent de Paul Coffee Morning after 9.30am MASS. An SVP member will speak at both MASSES.

Fr Kevin is away from the Parish from 26th September to 14th October. Note weekend MASSES only during this period. Funerals will be served from St Philip's, Uckfield.

St Mary's First Communion Preparation Programme will not begin until the week beginning 17th October. There will be an Information Meeting for Parents before that date. The date for First Communions for 2017 - the Feast of Corpus Christi - 18th June.

Feast Days for this week:

Monday 12th September

The Most Holy Name of Mary

Tuesday 13th September

St John Chrysostom

Wednesday 14th September

The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Thursday 15th September

Our Lady of Sorrows

Friday 16th September

St Cornelius, Pope & St Cyprian, Martyrs

Saturday 17th September

St Robert Bellarmine

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