

# ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC COMMUNITY CROWBOROUGH

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## CHURCH TIMETABLE 3rd to 10th 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

Monday, Thursday and Friday MASS 9.00am.

Wednesday MASS 8.00am this week.

### MASSES

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 Remembrance is on the side altar near the Parish room door.

**Today** after 9.30am MASS - Michael Stevens' monument in Crowborough Cemetery will be blessed after coffee. Blessing around 11.30am. Parishioners are welcome. Enquiries to Betty - 'phone 661868.

**St Mary's School** re-opens on Wednesday 7th September.

**Please Note:** MASS on Wednesday at 8.00am as Fr Kevin has to attend 'safeguarding' training for priests at DABCEC, Crawley from 10.30am to 3.30pm.

**Next Sunday:** The annual collection for the Catholic Education Service, which is the chief negotiating and advisory body on all matters affecting Catholic education.

**CAFOD Harvest Fast Day** - 1st Friday in October. Collection on 9th October. Gift Aid - you must use their envelopes.

### **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.

*Naturally this timetable is subject to change.*

**St Vincent de Paul Sunday** - 25th September. There is a special collection and a St Vincent de Paul Coffee Morning after 9.30am MASS.

**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.

**Feast Day of the Week:** Thursday, 8th September 'Our Lady's Birthday.'

\***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.

**Please Note:** Saturday Vigil MASS on 10th September will be at 4.00pm due to Crowborough Carnival procession.

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

**The Funeral MASS** of Miss Pat Stitt is at St Pancras Church, Lewes on 13th September at 12 noon. Everyone is welcome. The family also wish to thank St Mary's Parish for all their support and kindness to Pat.

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