

**ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC COMMUNITY
CROWBOROUGH**

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CHURCH TIMETABLE 21st to 28th OCTOBER 2017

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.

Weekday MASSES

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 9.00am.
Morning Prayer 8.45am.

Reconciliation

Saturday 5.00pm to 5.30pm and on request.

[Confession]

Baptism

Sundays at 12 noon, unless during the MASS. By appointment with Fr Kevin.

Marriage

By appointment with Fr Kevin. In this Diocese one year's notice is required in normal circumstances. A Marriage Preparation Course is also required.

Please see notice board for neighbourhood MASSES.

Shoe Box Appeal runs until 5th November. Leaflets and some boxes are available in the Church porch. Please adhere to the required customs regulations. Thank you for your support of this worthwhile cause. Brenda 665421/Monique 662688.

All Saints Church: There is a preparation meeting on Friday, 27th October, 2017, probably from 10.30am to 3.00pm with a break for lunch, to prepare for next year's Women's World Day of Prayer in March. If you would like to join myself and the ladies of the other churches in the area for this Ecumenical Day, you would be most welcome. Please contact Mary Lelliott 01892 662603.

All Saints and All Souls at St Mary's:

On the eve of All Saints [Tuesday, 31st October] there will be a Vigil MASS at 7.30pm for All Saints.

On All Saints day [Wednesday, 1st November] MASS at 9.30am in Church with the school.

On All Souls Day [Thursday, 2nd November] the Bereavement Group, together with the help of the St Vincent de Paul Group, have organised a MASS at 11.00am, followed by prayers in the garden where ashes are buried. There will then be a light lunch in the Parish Room afterwards. All are welcome. Those needing transport, please contact Barbara Fee 01892 661850 or Monique Ronan 01892 662688 .

Thursday [2nd November] evening MASS at 7.30pm.

Thank You from the St Vincent de Paul Group for the very generous collections for both the Annual collection and the Buffalo Project in India.

Bishop Richard and Stage 1 in the forward plan for the Mayfield Deanery: There will be a joint meeting with the Bishop , together with Parish Priests and Chairs of Parish Pastoral Teams at 7.00pm on Friday, 3rd November in Holy Cross Church Hall. This is to be followed by Parish Meetings at a later date.

Special Collection - 28/29th October for the Diocesan Retired Priests' Fund [Gift Aid].

New Church Cleaners' Rotas: A new rota has been sent by email. Printed copies are available on request from the Parish Office. A big thank you to all who continue to support the Church in this way.

Crowborough and Rotherfield Churches Together: Ecumenical prayer meetings are held at 'The Oasis' [The Community Church] near Crowborough Cross on the 2nd Saturday of every month from 9am to 9.40am. Prayers are said for all aspects of our local community. Everybody is welcome.

CAFOD: As part of the DEC Rohingya Crisis Appeal, you can donate directly to CAFOD at cafod.org.uk/RohingyaCrisis or by calling 08085 858 885.

Month to pray for the Holy Souls - November: Envelopes for your request to pray and offer MASS are available under St Theresa's statue. These MASSES are offered each day during November. The Morning Prayer on non feastdays will be from the Office for the Dead.

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