

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

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CHURCH TIMETABLE 30th SEPTEMBER to 7th 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.

**Neighbourhood
MASSES**

Saturday - Holy Cross Chapel at 4.30pm - TN21 0TS
Sunday - St Peter's, Rotherfield at 8.45am - TN6 3LS
Sunday - St Thomas', Mayfield at 10.00am - TN20 6BU
Sunday - Heron's Ghyll at 11.30am - TN22 4BY
Sunday - Wadhurst at 10.30am - TN5 6DQ
Sunday - St Augustine's, Tunbridge Wells at 8.00am,
9.30am, 11.15am and 5.45pm - TN1 2LY

Fr Kevin

Will be away from the Parish from 18th September until 6th October, 2017.
During this time, please contact Anthony Moffatt for Pastoral Matters -
Tel: 653956 mob: 07836559110 and Peter Hamerton for Admin Matters and
access to the Parish Property [Church, Parish Room] - Tel: 655932
mob: 07786752440.

There will only be weekend MASSES during this period. Funerals will be covered by one of the Priests from the Deanery. A Kiltegan Father will be making the Annual Mission Appeal this weekend - 30th Sept/1st Oct and celebrating the MASSES.

Cardinal Cormac's Memorial MASS in this Diocese on 1st October at 3.00pm in Arundel Cathedral, led by Bishop Richard. All are welcome to attend.

Church Organist: Are there any organists in the area, who are willing to play at MASS once a month? Please contact Fr Kevin if you are able to help or Felix Ferns on 665164.

CAFOD Harvest Fast Day Collection here at St Mary's on weekend 7/8th October. Please use the CAFOD envelopes provided. Maggie Brain will speak at the end of each MASS.

New Rotas are available from the 2nd Sacristy/Confessional Room.

Deanery Plan Questionnaire: Any Questionnaires that have not been given in, should now be sent direct to Rev M Thoms, Harrock Barn, Buxted, East Sussex TN22 4BA. Please send them as soon as possible, don't wait for Father Kevin's return. Thank You.

Church open for Private Prayer [while Fr Kevin is away] Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday 8.30am to 4.00pm. Enquiries to Mark Donaghy Tel: 655114.

Date for your Diaries: Christmas event in the Church and Parish Room - 9th December.

Fr John Garry, a Kiltegan Father, will be making a Mission Appeal and say the MASSES for you this weekend - 30th September and 1st October. Please welcome him.

Confirmation Programme: Please could prospective candidates take your consent forms to Fr Kevin as soon as possible, contrary to the invitation letter.

Can You Help? If anyone found a wedding ring in or near Church after last Sunday's Mass, could you please call 01892 613146. Thank You!

Crowborough Women's Breakfast invites you to listen to Rev Steve Rees, Vicar of All Saints, talk about his journey "from coalminers to Crowborough" on Saturday, 14th October at 8.00am at Barnsgate Manor Vineyard. Tickets £9.50 from Maggie Brain - Tel: 01892 655226 by Sunday, 8th October.

Charity Walk - Ashdown Forest in aid of Crowborough based 'Ditch the Slippers' - a charity that provides fun activities such as skittles and bocchia for the elderly and vulnerable adults in the local community.

Sunday, 15th October. Leave at 12.30pm from Ashdown Centre - either [approx] 3km or 5km walk. £5 per adult - children and dogs free! Tea and cake for sale on return to the centre. For further information, please tel: Lynn on 01892 663882.

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.

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