

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

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CHURCH TIMETABLE 5th to 12th AUGUST 2017

<u>Sunday</u>	Saturday Vigil MASS 6.00pm Sunday Morning MASS at 9.30am with Children's Liturgy for those able to sit and participate <u>during term time</u> .
<u>Neighbourhood MASSES</u>	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
<u>Weekday MASSES</u>	Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 9.00am. Morning Prayer at 8.45am.
<u>Reconciliation [Confession]</u>	Saturday 5.00pm to 5.30pm and on request.
<u>Baptism</u>	Sundays at 12 noon, unless during the MASS. By appointment with Fr Kevin.
<u>Marriage</u>	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 Note: The Vigil MASS on Saturday, 9th September will be at 4.00pm because of Crowborough Carnival.

Wednesday: St Teresa Benedicta [Edith Stein] died in Auschwitz Concentration Camp.

Friday: St Clare.

Saturday: Baptism 12 noon. We welcome Molly Patrick into the family of the Church.

First Communion 2018: Children in Primary School Year 3 and older are invited to join the Parish First Communion Preparation Programme. Please pick up a form from the alcove in the Church porch.

Confirmation 2018: Candidates wishing to enrol must be going into Year 10 only. Please contact Jane Ward tel: 652101 or Michael Cantwell tel: 664853 or pick up a form from the Church porch.

Our Parish SVP Group have been asked to fund a project for the SVP in St Mary's Parish, Kolakalur, Guntur Diocese, Andhra Pradesh. The project is to provide a milk buffalo to each of 5 poor landless Catholic families in an agricultural community. Grass and dry fodder are readily available and the milk from the buffaloes will provide curd, butter and butter milk for the families own use and a modest income from the sale of milk to a local co-operative.

Note: Donations can be put into the wall box under St Theresa's statue.

Grenfell Tower Fire: Donations can be made on line on the Diocese of Westminster website www.rcdow.org.uk

The Diocese and the Refugee Crisis: Bishop Richard's 3rd letter and news bulletin. Please pick up a copy today and motivate yourself.

July copy of A & B News is now available in the Church porch. Please help yourself.

Parish Accounts: Following last week's AGM, copies of the accounts are available from the alcove in the Church porch. Thank you for your continuing support.

Catechist Wanted to help with the First Communion Preparation Programme. If you are interested, please contact Rosemary Parmain or Fr Kevin for details.

Tyburn Convent [where Sister Tomisina (Bella) is part of the community] are seeking a barbecue for the community. Donations welcome. Please put them in an envelope in the Priest's Cottage letter box. Thank you.

Catholic ? Going to University this year? A new website has been set up to help young people find their Catholic chaplaincy when they arrive at college and university this autumn. Please see www.catholicsatuniversity.org.uk for more information and look out for your Catholic chaplaincy.

Weddings at St Mary's:

Thursday, 17th August, 2017 - 2.30pm: Vito Bello and Oksana Larionova. We wish them every happiness.

Saturday, 16th September, 2017 - 2.00pm: Stephen Brand and Viktoria Kohajdova. We wish them every happiness.

Saturday, 18th November, 2017 - 2.00pm: Adam Bartram and Nicola Brand. We wish them every happiness.

1st September: World Day of Prayer for the 'Care of Creation.'

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