

ST CATHERINE OF SIENA CATHOLIC CHURCH

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WEEKLY PARISH NEWSLETTER SUNDAY 06 SEPTEMBER 2026

SUNDAY 06 SEPTEMBER 23rd SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (Year A/Cy II) Parish Mass Book Page 125 SACRAMENT OF THE EUCHARIST - MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

8.00 am Mass: *Marriage of Katy and Tom*
Confessions – 9.30 am to 9.50 am
10.00 am Mass: *Millih Coloma - Thanksgiving (Birthday)*
6.00 pm Mass: *For the People of the Parish*

Mon 7th **Feria**
11.30 am Rosary
12.00 pm Mass: *Keith*

Tue 8th **The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary**
11.30 am Rosary
12.00 pm Mass: *Giacomo-Gabriella Lombardo*

Wed 9th **Feria**
11.30 am Rosary
12.00 pm Mass: *Wellbeing of Eamon McCluskey*

Thurs 10th **NO MASS TODAY**

Fri 11th **Feria**
9.00 am Rosary
9.30 am Mass: *Ryan - Thanksgiving*

Sat 12th **The Most Holy Name of Mary**
9.00 am Mass: *Holy Souls*
9.30 am Adoration, Benediction
Confessions – 9.45 am to 10.15 am

SUNDAY 13 SEPTEMBER 24th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

8.00 am Mass: *Joel and Arijel Coloma - Thanksgiving*
Confessions – 9.30 am to 9.50 am
10.00 am Mass: *For the People of the Parish*
6.00 pm Mass: *Jackie Woolliscroft RIP – Anniversary*



Weekly Offertory 30 AUGUST 2026

£928.90 (£240.49 Gift Aided envelopes, £180 Gift Aided standing orders, £120 Gift Aided Contactless, £50 non-Gift Aided Contactless and £338.41 cash).

NEXT SUNDAY is Education Day. There will be a collection for the Catholic Education Service.

The Parish Office is open for enquiries on **Mon, Tues and Fri from 10am until 12 noon**. All Hall bookings should be made during these times.

Mass Intentions Complete a brown Mass Intention Envelope (please do write clearly). For anniversaries please book early to avoid disappointment as there is a long waiting list.

Kingston Hospital It is your responsibility to inform the ward staff if you would like to see the Catholic Chaplain if admitted to hospital. If you are calling on behalf of a patient, then please call the Hospital Switchboard 0208 5467711 and ask them to contact the Catholic Chaplain.

TO RECEIVE HOLY COMMUNION WE MUST LIVE THE SACRAMENTAL LIFE AND PRACTICE OUR FAITH

Sacrament of Baptism – please speak to Fr Peter before fixing a baptismal date and reception venue.

Sacrament of the Eucharist – see above, Mass times. For First Holy Communion, speak to Fr Peter.

Sacrament of Reconciliation and Penance

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays 9.45am–10.15am and Sundays 9.15 am - 9.45am and after weekday Mass.

Also by appointment by ringing Fr Peter 07921667679

Sacrament of Confirmation – course for baptised young Catholics – please apply to Fr Peter

Sacrament of Marriage – speak to Fr Peter at least six months before the proposed wedding date if possible.

Sacrament of Healing – It is our duty to call a priest to anoint family members in failing health. Don't leave it to the last minute. It brings consolation to the dying as well as healing to the sick, including those suffering from mental illness and dementia. It can be administered at church, in hospital, care home, at home, indeed anywhere. Also, make sure you are anointed before an operation under a general anaesthetic.

Sacrament of Ordination and consecration to the sacred Priesthood and Religious life – speak to Fr Peter.

LECTIO DIVINA BIBLE STUDY EVERY WEDNESDAY 8PM

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

Adele Badrick, Sally Baker, Maureen Barney, Patrick Beglane, Tyler Curniffe, Renita D'Silva, Louise Dovey, Delia Gallagher, Eileen Gathercole, Marie Gilbert & Family, Paul Jarvis, David Jordan, Solomon Justin, Georgia Kelly, Paul Kwan, Adrian McDermott, Teresa McDonald, Sally McKenna, Pauline Murphy, Ryan O'Loughlin, Mark Peace, Jean Penycate, Zenaid Richards, Kathy Richardson, Jack and Maureen Sanders, Debbie Ruberg-Smith, Chloe Sheead, Mary Sheehan, Dharmatee Soodin, Anne Srivastava, Coby Thomas, and residents of Amy Woodgate Residential Home



"Proclaim the truth as if you have a million voices. It is silence that kills the world."

From St Catherine's writings

DONATE TO THE WEEKLY SUNDAY COLLECTION BY PHONE & CARD FROM HERE

POINT YOUR PHONE CAMERA AT THIS QR CODE ON THE RIGHT. YOU WILL FIND THE LINK TO THE DONA/CARD MENU. CLICK.



CHOOSE OFFERTORY COLLECTION. GIFT AID IF YOU WISH. NO NEED TO QUEUE AT THE MACHINE IN THE ENTRANCE HALL.

RECRUITMENT AND TRAINING OF ALTAR SERVERS – ANYONE OVER THE AGE OF 7 YEARS
We are recruiting more altar servers. Please contact Fr Peter who will give you an application form

DO YOU WANT TO LEARN MORE ABOUT THE CATHOLIC FAITH?

ARE YOU THINKING OF BECOMING A CATHOLIC OR RETURNING TO YOUR CATHOLIC FAITH?

We are working on the next course for those who would like to know more about the Catholic faith. This (RCIA) course is for: non-Christians who have not been baptised; non-Catholics who have been baptised but may wish to be received into the Catholic Church; Catholics who are over 18 and have not yet made their First Holy Communion or received the Sacrament of Confirmation. Please contact Fr Peter and come to have a chat.

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CONFIRMATION APPLICATIONS

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CHECK WEBSITE TOMORROW:
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NEW MONTHLY CLUB FOR ALL 8 – 12 Year Olds

I am pleased to say that we are forming a CLUB for all children aged 8 to 12. This Club will be run by several responsible adults with safeguarding clearance and supported by me. The idea is for our children to get to know each other socially and have fun together, develop skills, learn more about our faith, and all in the context of our love for our Lord Jesus. All children in this age group are welcome. The Club will meet every first Saturday of the month starting on 3 October, 3:00 - 5:00 pm. **Parents / adults who would like to help, please contact Aurea through the WhatsApp “St Catherine Chat” Group using: 07713149269/ by e-mail aureakate19@gmail.com**

WHAT AM I WORKING ON RIGHT NOW?

- Liturgies and Rites – Mass, Funerals, Baptisms, Anointing the sick, Confessions, Marriage preparation,
- Evangelisation plan & Holy Spirit Group
- Spiritual Direction for individuals
- Confirmation preparation
- Course for new Catholics preparation
- First Holy Communion organisation
- Children's liturgy set-up at 10 am Mass
- Recruitment and training of altar servers
- Maintenance of the parish estate
- Fundraising with everybody here
- Retirement of our very dedicated Parish Secretary and recruitment of new staff
- Memorial Garden implementation
- New wall at property frontage
- New signs at property frontage
- Attending Archbishop John's Diocesan conference in France in October
- Attending a week long retreat at the St John Vianney Centre, France
- Vital repairs to the Presbytery and Hall
- Car park management plan
- Garden maintenance

VERY MANY THANKS TO THE MANY WHO ARE HELPING ME

COURAGE AND FAITH – TRUTH AND LOVE LOVINGLY WARNING YOUR BROTHER AND SISTER

Dear Brothers and Sisters – a hallmark of our British society is that we know how to mind our own business. But we do this to excess, because it is very uncomfortable to advise or warn a friend or relative or indeed anyone that they are on a path that puts their soul at risk or that they are simply doing something wrong which hurts others. That is such an unfashionable notion today. We will be ridiculed and mocked. Even worse, we risk being arrested and convicted of hate crime. But this is exactly what God is saying to us in all the Bible readings placed before us today by our Catholic and Apostolic Church. If someone has wronged you or if you see that someone is taking a course that is against the teaching of our Lord, we are called to intervene in some loving way to warn our brother or sister that they are making a bad choice and risking their immortal soul. **If we fail to act, we may be risking our souls too.**

NEXT SUNDAY: SECOND COLLECTION FOR THE CATHOLIC EDUCATION SERVICE (CES)

The CES acts on behalf Catholic Bishops of England and Wales. It is the chief negotiating and advisory body on matters affecting all aspects of Catholic education. Catholic schools make up 10% of the national total of maintained schools. There are over 2,000 Catholic schools, academies and colleges in England and Wales educating over 800,000 students. This is an important service and needs our support.

CONGRATULATIONS TO FABIO – OUR AUGUST WINNER
Encourage family and friends to join our Monthly Draw!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES

Fundraising Meeting - Sunday 13 September at 11.15 am
 Savoury Sunday - 20 September after all Masses
 Rita's Social Club for over 60's – Friday 2 October 2-4pm
 Cake Sale – Sunday 4 October
 International Food Fair – Sunday 11 October
 MacMillan Cake Sale – Sunday 25 October
 All Saints Children's Party– Saturday 31 October (TBC)
 All Saints Day – Sunday 1 November
 All Souls Day – Monday 2 November
ALEXA UNIT – HAS ANYONE FOUND AN ALEXA UNIT LEFT IN THE STOREROOM CUPBOARD! PLEASE CONTACT AUDRY OR VERA

MONTHLY PRIZE DRAW TODAY
Currently £150 to be won every month.



St Catherine's
Monthly Prize Draw

£10.00

Recurring payment

MONTHLY PRIZE DRAW – UPTO £200 TWO WAYS TO SIGN UP:

- (1) **ONLINE** by Direct Debit through the secure financial website **GoCardless**. Point your phone at the QR code on the left or follow the link below to our website. Website *St Catherine's Monthly Prize*
- (2) **CASH OR CHEQUE** for a 3, 6 or 12 month period. Details and envelopes in church lobby.

Readers 6th Sep 8am: Mark Murphy
Readers 13th Sep 8am: Stephanie Ferro
Counters 7th Sep Vera and Valentino

10am: Rovena Gocllari
 10am: Kate Moir
Cleaners w/c 7th Sep

6pm: Aurea Coloma
 6pm: Marcel Gilly Bruno
 Concie, Rovena and Inoka