

**THE PARISH
OFFICE IS OPEN
9.15am-13.00pm
Monday, Tuesday,
Thursday & Friday**

**Catholic Parish of
St John the Evangelist Tadworth
Weekly Newsletter**



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DAY	DATE	TIME	CELEBRATION	MASS INTENTION
Saturday	31 Aug	6.00pm	Mass: 22 nd . Sunday Ordinary Time	Jack Tugwell RIP
Sunday	1 Sept	8.30am 10.30am	Mass: 22 nd . Sunday Ordinary Time Mass: 22 nd . Sunday Ordinary Time	People of the Parish Marian O'Sullivan Intention
Monday	2 Sept	9.15am	Mass:	
Tuesday	3 Sept	9.15am 10.30-11.00am	Mass: St. Gregory the Great Prayer Group in Lady Chapel	People of the Parish
Wednesday	4 Sept	9.15am 6.00-7.00pm	Mass: Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament	Cecilia Poole RIP
Thursday	5 Sept	9.15am	Mass:	Private Intention
Friday	6 Sept	9.15am	Mass:	David Lloyd RIP
Saturday	7 Sept	10.00-10.30am 6.00pm	Reconciliation/Confessions Mass: 23 rd . Sunday Ordinary Time	Fr. Richard Madders Intention
Sunday	8 Sept	8.30am 10.30am	Mass: 23 rd . Sunday Ordinary Time Mass: 23 rd . Sunday Ordinary Time	People of the Parish Sylvia Batho RIP

LITURGICAL SEASON: ORDINARY TIME		WEEK 22
SUNDAY READINGS: Cycle C		MAIN COLLECTION LAST WEEK: £647.06
WEEKDAY READINGS: Cycle 1		RETIRING COLLECTION <u>NEXT</u> WEEK: CATHOLIC EDUCATION SERVICE
MORNING PRAYER: Week: 2		

PARISH DIARY – THIS WEEK		PARISH DIARY – COMING UP	
Tuesday:	NO COFFEE CLUB	18 Sept:	Liturgy Group meet
Wednesday:	7.30pm Pastoral Outreach Team meet in the Hall	22 Sept:	5.00pm 'Parish Songs of Praise' - music event
		2 Oct:	7.00pm Mass of Induction – Fr. Stanislaw
Friday:	12.15pm SIMPLE LUNCH	18 Oct:	Launch of Bereavement Group
		26 Oct:	Parish Ceile-Barn Dance with Fish & Chip Supper

From the Parish Priest

One of the responsibilities and joys of being a parish priest is on each Sunday to celebrate a Mass for the *People of the Parish* (Pro Pop). In a sense this sums up what he is there to do – to pray for everybody and to care for each and every parishioner - not just on Sunday but every day. As I take my leave of St. John's this week my thoughts and prayers will remain with this wonderful parish. I am very grateful for the support, friendship and active cooperation of parishioners and I will miss you all very much.

Fr. Stanislaw arrives on Tuesday and will take over the reins of the community at midday. No parish can stand still and both he and I hope very much that with God's help, St. John's will forge ahead in its life, growth and development. From the south coast and perhaps occasionally supplying, I will continue to root for 'the people of the parish'.

God bless you always.

Fr. Richard

School Signing

Fr. Stanislaw will be available in the hall after the 10.30 Mass on Sundays 6th and 13th. October to sign School Application Forms.

Simple Lunch - Friday

All are welcome to come to the monthly Simple Lunch this Friday, starting about 12.15. Coffee/tea, cheese, baguettes, salad and excellent company. Donations to a good cause.

Pastoral Outreach Team - Wednesday

The Pastoral Outreach Team (POT) meets this Wednesday at 7.30pm in the Hall. Members of the group visit local housebound and nursing homes. New members are always welcome. Just come along. There will be a warm welcome.

KSC – Sponsored Walk 21 September

The Knights of St. Columba will again be holding their annual sponsored walk in Nonsuch Park in Cheam on 21st September 2019 starting at 2.00pm. Could you please sponsor our Bro. Steve Lobo who will be doing the walk. You may also use the web page to donate which is: www.justgiving.com/KSC328Walk2019.

Please Pray

For Martin Patmore who has died. His funeral will take place at 11.00am on Tuesday 17th September.

MUSIC IN THE PARISH

An Organist/Pianist workshop - Saturday 21st September 2.00 - 3.45pm

A workshop for keyboard players and organists. Learn about the practical side of setting up the piano, when to play during Mass and selecting suitable hymns. Only want to play one or two hymns to gain confidence? Come along and learn how to get started.

Singers' Workshop Sunday 22nd September 2.00 -3.45pm

Current members of the Parish Music Group and **NEWCOMERS** welcome. We badly need more singers and instrumentalists. This is an introduction to the music we sing, including new material from our new hymn book **LAUDATE** in use from 22nd September.

For everybody: Afternoon Tea followed by 'PARISH SONGS OF PRAISE' Sunday 22nd September 4.00pm

Sacramental Programmes 2020

First Holy Communion 2020. Parents of children entering **YEAR 3** this September should complete the form by **THIS TUESDAY**.

Young people entering **YEAR 10** in September are eligible to be confirmed and are asked to think very hard about signing up for the Confirmation programme 2020. Forms now available; **deadline 10th October**

The parish also offers a special course for adults thinking of becoming a Catholic. The course is called RCIA – Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults. Forms are available for the 2019-2020 course.

Tuesday

Fr. Stanislaw will be arriving in the parish at about 11.30am on Tuesday having said his farewell Mass in Bognor. Fr. Richard will celebrate the regular 9.15am Mass at St. John's, call on the Dean at St. Ann's, and then depart the parish following a brief handover meeting. Please put Wednesday 2nd October in your diaries; Bishop Richard will be inducting Fr. Stanislaw at a special Mass that evening (7.00pm).