

ST ANN'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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A Warm Welcome to all Parishioners and Visitors

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Sundays: Cycle C Weekdays: Year II Sunday 17th July 2022



We can easily be confused with the words of Jesus in today's gospel where he seems to be saying that Mary, who sits at the Lord's feet, listening to what he is saying is more important than all the everyday necessary work of living and caring for others. No, the point he is trying to get across to Martha is that she must **get her priorities right and first and foremost keep the whole reason for her being here in her mind, that of following the Lord**, after which she will be able to get all that she needs to do, all the 101 other things we need to do to live life. St. Augustine once said: **Show me what you do on Sunday, and I will know how important your God is to you.**

God bless you all,

Fr John

RECENTLY DECEASED

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Bob Graham who died recently. Please keep his wife Eileen, his son Peter and daughters Susan and Cathi in your prayers also.

REQUIEM MASS JANET WILLIAMS RIP



The requiem Mass for Janet Williams will be on **Tuesday 19th July at 12.30pm** here at St Ann's, Banstead.

This is the link below for the livestreaming of Janet's requiem Mass

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b_zU6v5Ghek

MASS FOR ANOINTING OF THE SICK

There will be a Mass on **Saturday 23rd July at 11.00am** where there will be anointing of the sick.

The SVP will be hosting a tea in the hall annexe after the service.

The sign-up list is now in the Church porch.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

We will be taking a break from Adoration of the Blessed sacrament during the summer holidays. The last day of Adoration will be Thursday 21st July. We will resume as normal on Wednesday 7th September.

REQUEST FOR SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL ACTION



Please can we ask parishioners to sign a form, to support our request to increase the single white line outside the Church Exit driveway by 20 meters in a southerly direction. This will help parishioners and visitors exiting the Church have a safer view of the slip road on exiting the driveway as it will discourage cars from parking there.

The form is now in the Church porch to sign.

WORLD DAY FOR GRANDPARENTS AND THE ELDERLY 24 JULY 2022

The second World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly is on Sunday 24 July 2022 with the theme: "In old age they will still bear fruit" (Psalm 92:15). Pope Francis has requested that we use this day to honour those who have further steps on their life journey and particularly Grandparents.

He says "Along with old age and white hairs, God continues to give us the gift of life and to keep us from being overcome by evil. If we trust in him, we will find the strength to praise him still (cf. vv. 14-20). We will come to see that growing old is more than the natural decline of the body or the inevitable passage of time, but the gift of a long life. Aging is not a condemnation, but a blessing!" you can read his inspiring message here:

[Message of His Holiness Pope Francis for the Second World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly, 2022 \[24 July 2022\] - Activities of the Holy Father Pope Francis | Vatican.va](https://www.abdiocese.org.uk/diocese/events) To find out about events hosted by the Diocese please visit our website events calendar W: <https://www.abdiocese.org.uk/diocese/events>

SVP FOOD COLLECTION FOR THE LOCAL FOODBANK

For the Food List: Go to our website at <http://www.stannsbanstead.com> for an updated list, or visit

<https://epsomewell.foodbank.org.uk/give-help/donate-food/>

THANK YOU!

A big Thank to all those who helped last Sunday at the parish BBQ, planning, buying food, setting up, cooking, cleaning, clearing away and all the jobs involved in making the day an enormous success.

The sun shone and the food was plentiful.

Thank you and God bless

Fr John

BEREAVEMENT CAFÉ

Date Change for the August Café only.

"The Bereavement Café will be open on **Tuesday 9th August from 2-3 pm.** We meet in the Annexe. Why not come along, or bring a friend/family member, and meet us at our regular monthly bereavement café. All welcome.

Are you struggling with bereavement or loss? Would it help to have someone to talk to? We have bereavement supporters trained to listen, support, and accompany people experiencing grief. Call Joanna Stewart on 01737 355523 or Paula Thomas on 07710 099682"

SECOND COLLECTIONS

This Sunday 17th July – St Ann's SVP

Sunday 24th July – None.



Congratulations to our 12 candidates who were confirmed last Saturday by Bishop Richard at St Joseph's, Epsom.

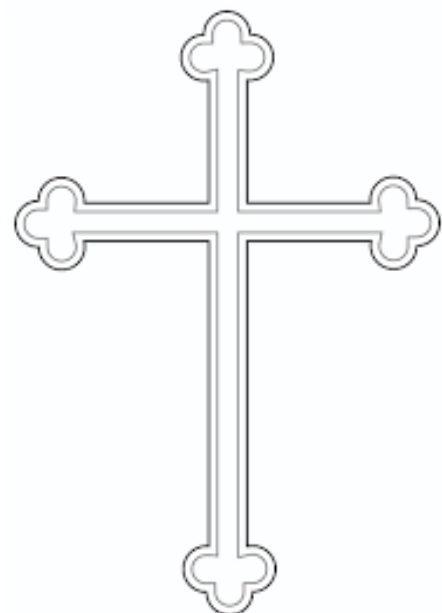
Aine Treacy
Aurora Terminiello
Daniel Davies
Emily Bullen
Hannah James
Isabel O'Brien
Isabella Graham
Joseph Watson-Smith
Luke Prasad
Rosanna Ball
Samuel Kapourta
Sinead Derrane

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE IN OUR PARISH WHO ARE SICK

Helen Guinness	Freda Griffiths
Karen Murray	Maureen Reilly
Donato Marchese	Eileen Graham
Indira Louis	Ashlee Rodgers
Christian Requena	Gillian Doherty
Wendy Counsell	Joshua Anderson
Damian Poole	Guilherme Guedes
Michael Monaco	Allan Norman
Josie Monaco	Edmund Louis
Helen Kershaw	Michael Ashman
Jane Scargill	Jake Brauer
Jonathan Lewis	Susan Smith
Cyrus Pascoe	Peter Baikie
David Ibbs	Arthur Harding
Amy Grey	Cathy Paxton
Angela MacDonald	Sean Gilligan
Gillian Wooldridge	Spencer Thorpe
Catherine Roberts	James Joseph
Trish Nathan	

CHILDREN'S RIDDLES

- 1.If horses wear shoes what do camels wear?
- 2.How many animals did Moses put in the ark?
- 3.What can go as fast as a racehorse?



Mass Intentions			
Saturday	16 Jul	6.00pm	Christian Wong Intentions
Sunday	17 Jul	8.30am	People of the Parish
		10.00am	Tommy Caulfield RIP
Monday	18 Jul	No Mass	No Mass
Tuesday	19 Jul	<u>12.30pm</u>	Requiem Mass For Janet Williams RIP
Wednesday	20 Jul	9.30am	Fr Stephen Dingley 25 th Anniversary of Ordination
		10am to 12pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Thursday	21 Jul	9.30am	Anna & Mark and Their Families
		10am to 12pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday Feast <i>St Mary Magdalene</i>	22 Jul	9.30am	Nancy Clinnick RIP
Saturday	23 Jul	6.00pm	Keith Sorrill RIP
Sunday	24 Jul	8.30am	People of the Parish
		10.00am	Deceased Members of the Geraghty Family

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION
Confession Saturday 16th July 10.00am to 10.45am



CONTACT DETAILS

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