



St. Raphael's Church

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Sunday 14th August - The Assumption of Our Blessed Lady (C)

9.30am Stan Conley RIP

11.30am Gracia Meta Wetou RIP

5.00pm Missa Pro Populo

No Rosary & Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament today

Monday 15th August Feria in Ordinary Time

10.00am Olga Delgado de Villena RIP

Tuesday 16th August St. Stephen of Hungary

10.00am Chris Mooney RIP

Wednesday 17th August Feria in Ordinary Time

12.00 noon Bill Woolliscroft RIP

Thursday 18th August Feria in Ordinary Time

10.00am Zuleika Bohrer RIP

Friday 19th August Feria in Ordinary Time

10.00am Denis Curtin RIP

Saturday 20th August St. Bernard

10.00am Don and Teresa Donaldson RIP

Sunday 21st August - 21st Sunday in Ordinary time (C)

9.30am Missa Pro Populo

11.30am Una Annett RIP

5.00pm Angela Woolliscroft RIP

MASS INTENTIONS - We have a few spare slots for Mass intentions in September.

If you would like to have a Mass offered for yourself or your loved ones, please complete one of the Mass offering envelopes at the back of the church and either hand it in to the sacristy or parish office.

Our full newsletter will resume in September.

In the meantime, any important announcements will be made after Mass and posted on our website - straphaelsurbiton.org.uk

Sunday and Thursday exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Children's Liturgy and Sunday teas and coffee will resume in September. There will still be tea and coffee on a Wednesday after the midday Mass.

CONFIRMATION 2023 –

If you are aged twelve or above and wish to be Confirmed next summer then you need to join the Faith Formation Group which will be meeting next on Sunday 25th September after the 9.30am Mass in the Hall. The meetings will be held roughly once a month and the Confirmation Mass will be celebrated some time in May or June next year.

1ST HOLY COMMUNION 2023 –

If your child will be in Year Three or above in the Autumn term, they are eligible to join the First Holy Communion course which starts in late September/October. The course runs on Saturday mornings during term time and the First Holy Communion Mass will be on 21st May 2023. Application forms are available in the Sacristy and may also be downloaded from our Parish website. There will be an introductory meeting for parents in September - please keep an eye on the newsletter for the time and date. Application forms must be returned by the 11th September. Please note if the course is oversubscribed, priority will be given to parishioners. If you have any queries, please speak to the catechists - Ginette Howell and Kate Freeman.

MARCH FOR LIFE UK LONDON -

Saturday 3 September. Morning events at The Emmanuel Centre, Marsham Street, SW1P 3DW, 10.30am – 1.30pm. The March: 2pm from The Emmanuel Centre and ends at Parliament Square at 4.30pm. For over 50 years women in the UK have been sold the lie that their problem pregnancy can be fixed though abortion, resulting in 10 million babies being aborted. Human life is not disposable. Once a new human life has started, our response should be to love and care for it, particularly at its most vulnerable stages. Join us in saying: '10 million too many!'

UK TOUR OF THE RELICS OF ST BERNADETTE –

During September and October, the relics of St. Bernadette will be touring this country. They will be at our cathedral of St. George's from the 19th – 21st September and they will be at Aylesford from the 24th - 28th October. For more information go to <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/st-bernadette-relic-tour-2022/> In addition, the relics will be at St Mary's University, Twickenham on the 6th September. For this event you need to book a place, to do so go to <https://www.stmarys.ac.uk/events/2022/09/a-day-in-lourdes-uk-tour-of-the-relics-of-st-bernadette>

PETITIONS FOR WALSINGHAM –

A parishioner is going on a pilgrimage to Our Lady's Shrine at Walsingham. If you have any petitions or prayer Intentions for Our Blessed Lady, please place them in the container at the back of the Church.

A DAY WITH MARY –

There will be a day with Mary on Saturday 27th August at St. George's Cathedral. The day begins at 10.15am and concludes at 4.00pm