



St. Raphael's Church

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Sunday 7th August - 19th Sunday in Ordinary time (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 8th August

St. Dominic

10.00am

Fred Stevenson RIP

Tuesday 9th August

St. Teresa Benedicta of the Cross - Edith Stein

10.00am

Private Intention

Wednesday 10th August

St. Lawrence

12.00 noon

Michael Dwyer RIP

Thursday 11th August

St. Clare

10.00am

Aloysius de Menezes

Friday 12th August

Feria in Ordinary Time

10.00am

The Holy Souls

Saturday 13th August

Our Lady

10.00am

Mary Bevan RIP

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

Congratulations to Caiden who was Baptised here at St. Raphael's recently

MASS INTENTIONS - We have a few spare slots for Mass intention over the next few weeks. 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.

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.

LOV VERBUM DEI MINISTRY

Lov Verbum Dei Ministry in collaboration with Clifton Diocese is releasing weekly on Fridays a 10 Part theme series on LOVE that tries to unravel how various vocations live out love in the Catholic community and outside of it with engaging speakers giving concrete examples on how Love is lived as we imitate the Love of God to our neighbours.

Please visit <https://cliftondiocese.com/love/> or

<https://www.youtube.com/c/LOVVerbumDei> to listen to the video series.

https://linktr.ee/lov_verbumdei (Ministry Introduction Links Page)

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