

ST ERCONWALD'S NEWSLETTER

16TH OCTOBER 2022

29TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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Parish Office hours Tuesday-Friday 10am-1.30pm

Parish News

Farewell mass to Sisters on Sunday 30th October. There will be just one mass at 10.30. There will be a reception in the hall afterwards. Please bring some food to share. There will be a list in the back of the Church so you can add your name and what you are bringing (crisps, quiches, sandwiches, sausages rolls, etc)

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME 2023

The Confirmation programme for 2023 will start in December for those in Year 10 and above. You can download the registration from sterconwalds.org.uk/confirmation
The application form should be there. The deadline to return the completed forms is **Sunday 20 November**

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME 2023

Our First Holy Communion Program is now ready!!!! Please follow the link sterconwalds.org.uk/fhc to download the application form (any problems, please let the office know as we could always give you a hard copy). The application forms should be returned no later than Sunday 6th of November. Any forms received after that date will not be considered. However, without Catechists the program cannot be run and at the moment, we do not have enough Catechists. Last year we had a fantastic group of parents that step up to deliver the program. The more the better as that means you will not have to lead every week. So please get in touch with the office if you are interested in helping.
We will be extremely grateful. Thank you

RED BOX HOLDERS

It is time for the second and final collection of the year of the contents of your Red boxes. Please would donors take an envelope from the porch, empty the contents of your box into the envelope and return it to the sacristy after Mass by Sunday 30th of October at the latest.

If you prefer to return your box, please ensure that your name is on the label, place it in the sacristy and take a new box from the porch.

If you would like to start collecting for overseas missions, please contact Dominic Ennis on 0208 2246114. Thank you.

Tuesday 18th of October, Fr Ruslan will be officiating the late Patrick Wixted's Funeral in the Church at 1pm. RIP

Saturday 22nd of October, Fr Ruslan will be celebrating 1 Baptisms in the parish, at 10.30. Please welcome this child and his family into our community.

BAPTISMAL CLOTHING AND PHOTOGRAPHY

Everything you need for your child's Baptism. Ukrainian clothing and textile manufacturer is now available in England. Using only natural fabrics (linen, velour) and hand decorated.

We provide baby clothes, head scarves for mothers and godmothers, christening shawl and other accessories. Contact Galya for more details.

Christening is the first big event for your baby.

Every second of this ceremony is a part of one great miracle. Make sure you don't miss any moment of it. I have more than 13 years of experience in special events photography such as christening. With my photos, I would make these wonderful memories last forever.

Contact me to book your christening photo shoot to make this event even more miraculous. I can also offer you any other type of a photo shoot you might need, e.g. family, studio, wedding, portrait, pregnancy and creative, among others. Let's make your ideas alive! Contact Galya for more details

Phone 07384 007245

Instagram: baptism_shop and gala_photographer_uk

Christening Photography!



**A child's baptism is a very special moment
in the life of every family!**

**Save each moment of this special day and keep your
best memories alive on the photos!**

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PLEASE SAVE THE DATE!

Friday, 21st October Della will come to the parish to speak to us at 7.30 pm at our church about potential upcoming pilgrimages. Please click the link for more

info: <https://www.5gr.org/>

OCTOBER IS THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY

The Rosary will be recited on Mondays, Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Fridays after 9.30 mass. Please stay and take part in this important time of prayer. An aid to pray the Rosary can be found on the Church notice board

PURIFICATORS

We need some more volunteers to help washing and ironing the purificators and finger towels. Please contact the office if you would like to help.

The Parish office is also looking for someone to help with the Parishioners Database. If you have some spare time and would like to help Susana compiling the Parishioners details, please contact the office on 01932 22 11 01

Diocesan run events

Anti-Slavery week runs from the 17-23 October this year with specific focus on Anti-Slavery day on Tuesday 18 October 2022.

The Catholic and Anglican churches in Sussex and Surrey have formed an Ecumenical coalition to help to raise awareness of this prevalent but almost hidden criminal activity and are holding Slavery on our Doorsteps awareness evenings in Sussex at St Peters Church, West Street, Shoreham at 7.30pm on Tuesday 18 October and in Surrey at St Dunstan's Church, Shaftsbury Rd, Woking at 7.45pm on Monday 17 October. No need to book. If you have any questions or are interested in becoming an Anti-Slavery Ambassador

Mental Health Awareness courses - Saturday 29 October 2022, 10-3pm St Philip Howard Centre, Crawley RH10 6RP or Sat 5 Nov, 10-3pm St Martha's Hall, Little Common, Bexhill on Sea TN39 4SL

This mental health awareness course is for anyone involved in ministry in their Parish.

Ideal for catechists, ministers of bereavement, those involved with the ministry of welcome - in fact any role that requires you to work with people.

If you wish to discuss your engagement with this course before booking please contact Lizzie Wakeling, Diocesan Advisor E: Lizzie.Wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk.

Catechists' Day – Saturday 19 November 11-4pm – Worth School

A day of formation, reflection and conversation for current catechists and those interested in exploring this ministry. If you are involved or interested in working with Children's Liturgy, Baptism, First Holy Communion and Reconciliation, Confirmation or RCIA, you are very welcome to come along. Please sign up at: [Catechists' Day \(19-Nov-2022\) · ChurchSuite Events](#) E: Jon.Harman@abdiocese.org.uk for more information.

Mass Intentions and Mass Times: Week commencing 17th October

Date	Time	Mass Intention
Sat 15 Oct	9.30am	In thanksgiving for the good health of Samantha Fielding
	4.45pm	Italian Mass
	6.00pm	Parishioners
Sun 16 Oct	9.15am	Victims of Modern Slavery
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Mond 17 Oct	9.30am	Good Health of Maureen Dodds
Tues 18 Oct	9.30am	Anti-Slavery Day
	1.00pm	Patrick Wixted's Funeral
Wed 19 Oct	9.30am Rosary	Intentions of Sophie & John Sawbridge
Thurs 20 Oct	NO MASS	NO MASS
Frid 21 Oct	9.30am	Good health of Ruth Sawbridge
Sat 22 Oct	9.30am	Trevor Pegley RIP
	4.45pm	Italian Mass
	6.00pm	Parishioners
Sun 23 Oct	9.15am	Ken & Marjorie Robertson RIP (Anniversary)
	11.15am	In Thanksgiving for Venita Goes

Rosary

We will be praying the Rosary every Wednesday after mass. Please join us after 9.30 mass.

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers:

Margaret (Maggie) Hawkes, Anna Sartori, Nicoletta Lanzisera, Rose Collins, Carmen Galanty, Patrick Russell, Ann Griffin, Ann Lane, Dina Yates, Manuel and Jackie Faraldo, Andres Gomez, Christian Misuraca, Christopher Clifford and Catherine Browle. Jerry Riordan, Pia Nelson, June Ellis, Shirley Rhodes, John Lydon, James De Leons-Hopkins, Sheila Tickner, Paul Bahoshy. Teresa Azouz, Yasmine Hodkinson, Simonne Ellis

Dear Parishioners,

as you know we keep a section of our Newsletter specifically for those in need of our prayers, whether they are sick, housebound or just in need of extra prayer. If you would like your name or someone you know to be added to the list, then please let the office know. If you are submitting on behalf of someone else, please get their permission first. If you are sick or unwell and would like only Fr Ruslan to know but not have your name in the newsletter just let us know and this can be accommodated.

Fr Ruslan is very aware that we have a number of parishioners that are too poorly to come to Church. He would like to meet these parishioners at different times throughout the year in their homes. He can offer the Sacraments of Reconciliation, Communion and anointing of the sick or just say hello. Everyone is important to us in this Church. If you have not been able to get to church because you are too poorly or a vulnerable person, please reach out to either Susana in the office, Fr Ruslan himself in confidence or Ann Meehan. Susana and Ann will work with Fr Ruslan to try to schedule visits. Feel free to contact us. God Bless.

Collection

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ thank you very much for your generosity and support to the parish. I greatly appreciate all your help and financial contribution. May God bless you all!!!

Offertory Collection 16.10.22: £380.89

Standing Orders contributions for September: £3711

Contributions via DONA for September: £137

If you would like to donate online, please see the parish bank details. Parish Account: Sort code 40 05 20 Account No 01126393, payable to RCD A&B St Erconwalds Walton on Thames.

You can also donate in the Church using our DONA device.

And please remember to make your donation Gift Aided if you can. Thank you

Sacramental Life

Baptism	First Communion	Reconciliation
Next Baptismal Preparation session will be Tuesday 8th of November at 7pm in the Hall. If you would like to attend, please contact the office to book a space.	Following the teachings of the Church, children are introduced to Reconciliation during the year in which they make their first Holy Communion and are invited to celebrate this sacrament of God's healing thereafter.	In the sacrament of Reconciliation, we encounter God's love for us through the gift of forgiveness, pardon and peace. The sacrament of Reconciliation is regularly available in church on Saturdays after 9.30 Mass or on request.

Catholic Education

Parish Primary School	Parish Secondary School
Cardinal Newman School Arch Road Hersham Surrey KT12 4QT TEL: 01932 222536 Email: office@cardinalnewmanschool.co.uk	Salesian School Guildford Road Chertsey Surrey KT16 9LU TEL 01932 582520 Email: info@salesian.surrey.sch.uk