

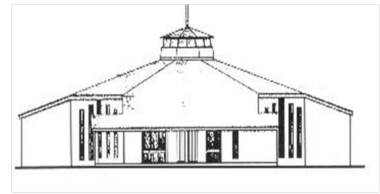
Holy Cross Catholic Community

'A family for all cultures to nurture disciples of all ages'

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6th August 2023 The Transfiguration of the Lord
Reading Cycles: Sundays Year A Psalter Week 2

'This is My Beloved Son: Listen to Him'

Day and Date	Mas Time	Intention
Saturday 5th August First Mass of Sunday	6.00 pm	Joe Moruzzi RIP
Sunday 6th August Transfiguration of the Lord	10.00 am	Arthur Colin Pilot RIP
Monday 7th August Weekday Ordinary Time	9.30am	M D Michael RIP
Wednesday 9th August St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross	7.00 pm	Marykuty Mathew RIP
Thursday 10th August St Lawrence	9.30am	Was Cagi 13th B Blessings
Friday 11th August St Clare	9.30 am	Dorothy Jones RIP June Cooney RIP
Saturday 12th August Dedication Basilica St Mary Major	12 noon	Michelle Forrester RIP
Saturday 12th August First Mass of Sunday	6.00 pm	Helena Hughes Sp Intention

Recently Died

All Souls whose names are entered in our Book of Remembrance and all victims of war & violence
 Our family & friends whose anniversaries occur around this week

*Eternal rest grant unto them
 O Lord
 R. And let perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in Peace. Amen*

Pray for the Sick of the Parish
 Heavenly Father, look with mercy on the sick of our parish community and help them in this time of sickness, Restore them to health, we pray, Through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament for personal prayer and silent Adoration on week days 30 minutes before the Mass. Confessions on Saturdays from 11 to 11.50 am.

Vocations Prayer

Lord, make me a better person, More considerate towards others, More honest with myself, more faithful to you.
 Make me generous enough to want sincerely to do your will whatever it may be. Help me find my true vocation in life and grant that through it I may find happiness in myself and bring happiness to others. Grant, Lord, that those whom you call to enter the priesthood, diaconate, or religious life, may have the generosity to answer your call, so that those who need your help may find it. We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen

"Keep your face towards the sunshine and shadows will fall behind you."

Rest is not idleness, and to lie sometimes on the grass under a tree on a summer's day, listening to the murmur of the water, or watching the clouds float across the sky, is by no means a waste of time.

John Lubbock

"When we read the Word of God, questions always arise — let us ask ourselves: what is the centre, what is the beating heart of the Word of God? In short, what is it that gives solidity to life, and will never end? Saint Paul tells us. The very centre, the beating heart, what gives solidity, is love: "Love never ends" (1 Cor 13:8), says Saint Paul: love."

Pope Francis

Parish Bank Details for your Offering

Name : Gendros Parish

A/C NO: 90264630

Sort Code 55 -61 -20

Last weekend Offering £407

Many Thanks

Parish Hall available for hire.

Please contact on 01792586454

His face shone like the sun.

O Christ,
give us a glimpse.
Let us
find you shining like the sun,
like a sliver of the moon,
like a hummingbird,
or evening sky,
or spider's web;
in labourers, coffee growers,
in crossing guards,
in unhoused people.

Let no part of your creation be ever hidden
from the glow of your earthly,
Godly presence.
Let us find you in all things.



**Ministers of the Word
Weekend 12th / 13th August**

Saturday 6.00 pm

First Reading

Mark

Second Reading

Christine

Bidding Prayers

Shalini

Sunday

First Reading

Anjelica

Second Reading

Aloys

Bidding Prayers

Maria de B

Church Cleaning

Week beginning :

7th August

No clean

14th August

Shini & Aisel

21st August

No clean

**Ministers—if you cannot attend or need to
change your rota, please let us know by
contacting Donna (07745947773)**

Travelling Prayer

**May the God who called our Father Abraham
to journey into the unknown
and guarded him and blessed him
protect me too and bless my journey.
May his confidence support me as I set out.
May His Spirit be with me on the way and
may He lead me back to my home in peace.**



I was called to become Bishop of Rome when I reached, so to speak, retirement age and thought I would not be doing anything new. The Lord is always—always- close to us. He is close to us with new possibilities, new ideas, new consolations, but always close to us. You know that the Lord is eternal; He never, ever goes into retirement. So it makes no difference how old you are, whether you still work or not, whether you are alone or have a family, whether you become a grandfather or grandmother at a young age or later, whether you are still independent or need assistance. Because there is no retirement age from the work of proclaiming the Gospel and handing down traditions to your grandchildren. Pope Francis

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1. GIFT AIDED DONATIONS

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2. STANDING ORDERS

@ GIVING THIS WAY CUTS DOWN ADMINISTRATION COSTS

@ GIVING THIS WAY FACILITATES BETTER LONG-TERM PLANNING

This is the ONE and ONLY time that BISHOP MARK will make this essential Appeal