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1954-2024



70th Anniversary

"Come and See" John 1:39



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MASS INTENTIONS

SUNDAY 10th MAY — SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

9.00am Holy Mass—People of the Parish

Readers: Simon and Millie

10.30am - 10.45am Confessions

11.00am Holy Mass – In Reparation of the Immaculate Heart of Mary

Readers: John and Anne

6.00pm Holy Mass—Linda Lyons RIP

TEA AND COFFEE AFTER MASS TODAY

Monday 11th May—Feria

9.00am Adoration of the Lord Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament

9.30am Holy Mass—Elizabeth Mary (Buffy) Maisey wellbeing

Tuesday 12th May—Ss Nereus and Achilleus, Martyrs

9.00am Adoration of the Lord Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament

9.30am Holy Mass

Followed by Reflections in the Presbytery

Wednesday 13th May—Our Lady of Fatima

9.00am Adoration of the Lord Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament

9.30am Holy Mass

Thursday 14th May—ASCENSION OF THE LORD—Holyday of Obligation

9.00am Adoration of the Lord Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament

9.30am Holy Mass

6.30pm Adoration of the Lord Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament

7.00pm Holy Mass

Friday 15th May—St John Stone, Priest and Martyr

11.30am Adoration of the Lord Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament

12.00 Midday Holy Mass

Saturday 16th May—St Simon Stock

9.30am Adoration of the Lord Jesus in the Blessed Sacrament

10.00am Holy Mass—John and Linda Lyons RIP

SUNDAY 17th MAY — SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

9.00am Holy Mass

Readers: Serah and Sudah

10.30am - 10.45am Confessions

11.00am Holy Mass

Readers: Akuchi and Ekeoma

6.00pm Holy Mass

2ND COLLECTION—CATHOLIC COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK

COLLECTION: 3rd May 2026

GA Envelopes: £52.00, Loose: £309.24

DONA: GA £103.23, Non GA £34.42, D/D: £435.50

Total weekly income: £934.39

Thank you

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WORLD COMMUNICATIONS DAY COLLECTION—this collection supports the work of the Catholic Communications Network (CCN), the media office of the Bishops' Conference of England and Wales.

The CCN seeks to be of service both to the Church and the world in offering professional channels of communication, and pro-

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from 8:30am to 7.00pm.



vides support for the Bishops of England and Wales and the wider Church in promoting the Gospel through the media on current issues. Its office is the focus for media enquiries on national matters, and seeks to develop the public profile of the Church and its teaching. The CCN provides up to date news releases, features and podcasts, information from the Bishops' Conference of England and Wales, and trains spokesmen and spokeswomen.

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ROSARY FOR LIFE Archbishop John Wilson is calling on all of us to join him in praying the **Rosary for Life this May (Month of Mary)**. Together, we will pray through the Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious and Luminous Mysteries, each one offered for the most vulnerable facing growing threats to life: unborn



children at risk of abortion, victims of war and persecution, people with disabilities, and the elderly and vulnerable. For video, audio and written versions of the Rosary for Life, visit rcaos.org.uk/rosaryforlife. **Pray the Rosary. Encounter Christ. Defend life.**

The Rosary will be prayed during Adoration in the weekday Masses.

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BISHOP PAUL HENDRICKS will be making a presentation regarding the Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes in August. The presentation will be at **7pm on Saturday 16th May following the Vigil Mass at 6pm at English Martyrs RC Church in Strood**. The venue is the Parish Hall. There is plenty of parking in the school playground adjacent to the church and Parish Hall. Tea and coffee will be available. If you are at all interested in this pilgrimage do not miss this opportunity to learn more.



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ARCHDIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM – 27TH JUNE 2026

Archbishop John will lead the Archdiocesan pilgrimage to the National Catholic Shrine of Our Lady at Walsingham on the Feast of Our Lady of Perpetual Help (Saturday 27 June). **Programme:** Private prayer in the Slipper Chapel (10.30am); Adoration and Confessions in the Basilica (11am); Mass with Archbishop John (12pm); Lunch in the gardens; Procession to the Abbey Grounds for Benediction (2.15pm); Departure (4.30pm).

Please see the sign up sheet in the Porch – if there is enough interest we can organise a coach.

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THE LIFE OF CHRIST 16 - 20 JUNE 2026—THE STORY OF JESUS, BROUGHT TO LIFE

Discover the wonder of Jesus' life with an unforgettable event for all the family. The Life of Christ is a play like no other, placing you in the middle of an immersive theatre experience. Join over a hundred actors in the stunning grounds of Wintershall Estate as this magnificent story is movingly recreated with authentic detail in an epic open-air production. Watch the Wedding in Cana, the Feeding of the 5000 and the Last Supper unfold before your eyes. It's the perfect day out for families, faith groups, theatre lovers and schools. Tickets can be booked at <https://www.wintershall.org.uk/event/life-of-christ/>. Please note that **16th and 17th June are school days only**. There is limited availability on Thursday 18th and Friday 19th June. At present there is availability on Saturday 20th June—please book **asap** to avoid disappointment—see the poster in the porch.