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SUNDAY 13TH JUNE 2021

11TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

THIS WEEK'S MASS SCHEDULE AND INTENTIONS

SATURDAY	12TH	10:00	Immaculate Heart of the BVM	Memorial	Our Lady Of Sorrows & St Lucy
SATURDAY	12TH	18:00	Eleventh Sunday	Solemnity	Sr Janina
SUNDAY	13TH	08:30	Eleventh Sunday	Solemnity	Cornelius Fleming RIP
	13TH	10:00	Eleventh Sunday	Solemnity	PRO POPULO
	13TH	12:00	Eleventh Sunday	Solemnity	Mary Kavangh RIP
MONDAY	14TH		NO MASS		
TUESDAY	15TH	10:00	Feria		Mai, John & Michael Howley
WEDNESDAY	16TH	10.00	St Richard of Chichester	Memorial	Patrick Greevy RIP
THURSDAY	17TH	10.00	Feria		Cornelius Fleming RIP
FRIDAY	18TH	10:00	Feria		Manuel dos Santos
SATURDAY	22ND	10:00	St Rita of Cascia	Memorial	Fr Matthew & CC Parishioners

CONFESSIONS: SATURDAY: 5PM - 5:40PM [HALL]

CHURCH OPEN FOR PRAYER: WEDS: 12-2 SAT: 4-6



We pray for Patrick Greevy and all those who have died recently. May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. We pray for Francoise Atta who is unwell and remember all who are sick at this time. We pray for all of those whose businesses and jobs are affected by the current uncertainty surrounding the return to normal. We pray especially for those involved in the travel and tourism sector asking the Father that they be comforted and soon be granted reassurance about their income.

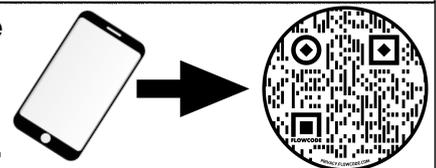
Fr Richard Fawcett was my chaplain at The John Fisher School in Purley and I have fond memories of him. He taught boys French until retiring to only serve as Chaplain and I would serve his Mass each morning before registration. I think of him as we anticipate the forthcoming memorial of St Richard of Chichester which we will celebrate this Wednesday. He shared his name with St Richard and maybe that's the reason he had a devotion to him but he would repeatedly ask us to make it a habit to pray the prayer attributed to him: it was his favourite which he prayed every day and very often led us in during sermons. As we prepare - please God - for our country to return to some semblance of normality and as we begin to socialise and engage in former activities again why don't we - as a parish - make this prayer our own? Why don't we - every day as we anticipate the return of our former freedom - stop and sincerely say these words so we return refreshed by the charity and generosity of Christ? Let us pray! "Thanks be to thee, my Lord Jesus Christ, for all the benefits thou hast given me, for all the pains and insults thou hast borne for me. O most merciful redeemer, friend and brother, may I know thee more clearly, love thee more dearly, and follow thee more nearly, day by day. Amen."

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PARISH NEWS

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME 2021 - 2022: It is now possible to register your child to be prepared for the Sacrament of Confirmation in our parish. Preparation is for children who will be in Year 8 of Secondary School or above and will begin from October 2021 and last until February 2022. Catechetical sessions will take place on Friday evenings in the Hall. There will be three preparatory sessions for parents in the Autumn and programme dates will be provided before the end of the Summer Term. Please [click here](#) to register.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME 2021 - 2022: Registration is now open for our First Holy Communion programme for children entering year 3 of primary school this September. Pupils of Corpus Christi Primary School will - as before - be prepared in mid-week after school sessions immediately after school while pupils from other schools will be prepared at the weekend. There will be three preparatory sessions for parents in the Autumn. The dates and timings of all the sessions will be provided to parents before the end of the Summer Term. Please [click here](#) to register.

ALTAR SERVERS' REHEARSALS: Our altar servers will receive training on **Saturday 12th and Saturday 19th June from 3:30pm - 4:30pm** to prepare them for their return to the Sanctuary for Mass on the weekend of the 26th / 27th June. Please [click here](#) to register your child in order for them to be able to attend the rehearsal sessions.

ARCHBISHOP JOHN'S VISIT TO US ON SUNDAY 11TH JULY FOR THE 10AM MASS: A reminder that Archbishop John Wilson - the leader of our own Archdiocese of Southwark - will be visiting us to celebrate Mass on this day. We hope to have a reception in the Hall. Details to follow!

WOULD YOU LIKE TO BECOME A CATHOLIC?: We are busily preparing to provide our full preparatory programmes for the sacraments from September. If you - or someone you know - is interested in exploring the Catholic faith with a view to being received into full communion, please fill in [this form](#) online. If you have already done so there is no need to do so again. Our programme will begin in the Autumn preparing candidates to be received into the Catholic Church next Easter. As with all the other sacramental programmes we are planning at present, notice of how they are to proceed will be published in this Newsletter.

OUR CHURCH IS NOW OPEN DURING DAYLIGHT HOURS: We have been informed by the Archbishop that - in light of the relaxing of restrictions - it is now possible for our Church to be open throughout the day without the need for Stewards to be present. All are asked to sanitise their hands upon entry and exit, wear masks and maintain social distancing. I am pleased to be able to invite you to visit Our Lord Jesus Christ in the Blessed Sacrament whenever you wish during the day!

COMMUNION ON THE TONGUE: It is now possible for those who wish to receive communion on the tongue to do so. If you wish to receive in this way please remain in your bench until all others have received communion and then approach the priest who - after sanitising his hands - will distribute communion to you in this way. The priest's hands will be sanitised after each communicant receives.