



CHURCHES TOGETHER IN ENGLAND

Parish Newsletter  
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for Sunday 16th July 2017  
Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

# SAINT MARGARET'S CARSHALTON BEECHES

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SUNDAY MASS: 9.30 am and 11.00 am. Also Saturday at 6.00 pm.

WEEKDAY MASS: Tuesday and Thursday at 9.00 am, other Weekdays at 10.00 am.

CONFESSIONS: Saturday: 10.30-11 am & 5.15-5.45 pm, and at call.

VARIATIONS: Please see the Weekly Diary for any changes to the above times.

MARRIAGES: Six months' notice is ordinarily required.

Father Patrick will be available for parish consultations after Mass on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays until 1.00 pm, and then from 4.00 pm until 8.00 pm. It is not necessary to make an appointment to see him at these times. The parish office is open from 9.00 am until 1.00 pm and from 2.00 pm until 5.00 pm on a Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.

## DEAR PARISHIONERS,

For the Glory of God, Father Patrick Udotai and the Parish Pastoral Council are glad to present to our parish community the Parish website:

[www.stmargaretcarshaltonb.uk](http://www.stmargaretcarshaltonb.uk) and the: **Parish Welcome Booklet**

These two important presentations are not only vital in our relationship with parishioners and the outside world, but are very critical tools in modern day evangelization as our world grows more and more internet friendly.

We do hope you will appreciate these efforts and make the best use of them. We are open to better suggestions that could improve upon our efforts in these directions.

**GOD BLESS YOU ALL,  
Father Patrick**

## Diary for the Week starting Sunday 16th July 2017 Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

- SUNDAY: 6.00 pm: Saturday (Vigil) Mass.  
9.30 am: Holy Mass with Children's Liturgy of the Word.  
11.00 am: Holy Mass.  
The monthly "Traidcraft" stall will be open between the morning Masses today.
- MONDAY: 9.00 am: Morning Prayer & Adoration.  
10.00 am: Holy Mass.
- TUESDAY: 9.00 am: Holy Mass.
- WEDNESDAY: 9.00 am: Morning Prayer & Adoration.  
10.00 am: Holy Mass, followed by Coffee Club.  
8.15 pm: Bible Study Home Group. Please contact the parish house for details.
- THURSDAY: NO Mass today.  
10.00 am: Saint Margaret's Mums'n'Toddlers.  
7.15 pm: Folk Group Rehearsal.
- FRIDAY: 9.00 am: Morning Prayer & Adoration.  
10.00 am: Holy Mass.
- SATURDAY: FEAST OF SAINT MARY MAGDALENE.  
10.00 am: Holy Mass.  
6.00 pm: First Mass of Sunday.
- NEXT SUNDAY: 16th Sunday in Ordinary Time.

### REPOSITORY CLOSED UNTIL SEPTEMBER

Catherine would like to express her sincere thanks to all parishioners for their support throughout the year.

All enquiries for repository items for the next two weeks should be addressed to the Parish Office.



**URGENTLY NEEDED  
MARRIAGE PREPARATION COURSE FACILITATORS**

Are you looking to volunteer in a friendly and supportive environment and to make a difference in one of the most foundational areas of society – marriage? Then Marriage Care has the opportunity you are looking for.

**‘I am delighted to be using my skills for something I truly believe in’ – Marriage Care Volunteer.**

Marriage Care is a faith-based organisation that draws on its Catholic Christian tradition and contemporary research to help couples in both good times and bad, providing marriage preparation and relationship counselling services for couples across England and Wales. Our Wimbledon centre which covers South West London is in urgent need of:

**A Head of Centre** to lead and support the team, **Marriage Preparation Facilitators** to present and facilitate marriage preparation days (training is provided); **Qualified Relationship Counsellors** with a recognised couples-counselling qualification and a **Parish Liaison Officer** to help promote services and volunteering. For more information or to apply, please visit: [www.marriagecare.org.uk](http://www.marriagecare.org.uk) or email [volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk](mailto:volunteer@marriagecare.org.uk)

**THE HEALING MINISTRY IN  
“THE FIELD HOSPITAL OF THE CHURCH”  
24 – 28TH JULY 2017: FATHER JIM McMANUS C.Ss.R.**

When Pope Francis speaks about our pastoral ministry he reminds us that the Church is like a “field hospital after battle” and that the first duty of ministers, clerical or lay, is “to heal the wounds”.

We are glad to inform you that Fr Jim McManus will teach this pastoral course on the Healing Ministry at St Mary’s Monastery, Perth. Father Jim has been lecturing on the Healing Ministry for the past thirty years and has published several well received books including The Healing Power of the Sacraments, Healing in the Spirit and, just published, Spiritual First Aid: Healing through the Sacraments.

Priests and lay ministers, especially those who bring Holy Communion to the sick and the house bound, will be encouraged as they reflect, during this week, on how the Church in our time is placing such an emphasis on the healing dimension of their pastoral ministry. As minister in “the field hospital of the Church” each of us is called to bring the experience of God’s healing love to the sick and the broken hearted. For further information visit:

<http://www.kinnoullmonastery.co.uk/article/healing-ministry/>

**JESUIT MISSION IN WIMBLEDON**

The Jesuit Mission in Wimbledon have placements available in 3 countries: one is a short term 3 week placement this summer in Kyrgyzstan and the other two are for six months in Tanzania and India. The programmes are open to people over 18 years old. Telephone 8946 0466, Email [volunteering@jesuitmissions.org.uk](mailto:volunteering@jesuitmissions.org.uk) or visit [www.jesuitmissions.org.uk](http://www.jesuitmissions.org.uk) for full details.

**YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:**

**Our Sick:** Laura Bannon (Mia’s mother), Patrick Dunne, Anne Pelham (Father Kevin’s sister-in-law), Gladwin Vaz, Shirley Marshall, Maria Bartholomew Ekere (burn victim), Stephen Martin, Terry Carroll, Joe Ryan, Juliana Amaral, Rita Mell, Rosa Maria Santos, Matthew Nelson (Ken’s son), Peter Bushell (Marian Thurley’s nephew), Jackie Sweeney & Ray Sweeney (Ita Haines’ sister-in-law’s sister-in law & son-in-law), Liz Beddoe (Lynn Pougher’s sister-in-law), Nina Greenoak & Lauren Horwood (Juliana Amaral’s granddaughters), Nora Chapman, Angela Kelly, Nora Keigher & Yvonne Patton (Joanna Connor’s aunt and cousin).

**Lately Dead:** Tony McKenna (Ita Johnson’s cousin).

**First Anniversary:** Corrie Armalas (Una Quigley’s mother)

**Other Anniversaries:** Fr Ernest Bonvini, Glenda Vickers, Herbert Balhetchet, Aleksander Saczkowski, Patrick Sheehan, Treasa Vagues (Barbara Fernandez’s mother), Rose Swales, Gerald Farthing (Margaret Moya’s brother), Margaret Hudson (Brendan’s mother), James Yeats, May Stephens, Tommy Tierney (Bride Stokes’ father), Alfred Loft, Gwendolen Hewson, Imelda Blake (Pat Blake’s sister-in-law), Bridget Fox (Jim’s mother), Ian Radburn (Richard Mundy’s friend) and Hilda Harvey.

**LAST SUNDAY:** Last Sunday’s attendance was 280 and the Offertory came to £530.93, shared between £201.23 in loose money and £344.70.00 in Gift Aid envelopes, compared with a total of £572.90 on the same Sunday last year. Many thanks.

**SAINT MARGARET’S ALMANAC**

2nd September: Eucharistic Ministers’ Day of Retreat

17th November: Saint Margaret’s Supper

13th December: Senior Citizens’ Christmas Lunch

Please note that the Summer Fête has been postponed until Autumn.

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:** Yesterday is gone. Tomorrow has not yet come. We have only today. Let us begin. (*Saint Teresa of Calcutta*)