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Parish Newsletter

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for Sunday 20th August 2017

Twentieth 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.

**WEBSITE:** [www.stmargaretcarshaltonb.uk](http://www.stmargaretcarshaltonb.uk)

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.



## ALTAR SERVERS

On 1st August Fr Patrick held a successful training session attended by eight current altar servers. The repeat session, which was planned for 25th August, will no longer take place because Fr Patrick will be away in Nigeria, instead this session will be held at 11.00 am on Monday 4th September.

All altar servers who were unable to make the 1st August session are asked to attend on 4th September if they possibly can. Please note that this session is intended for both experienced and recently recruited servers.

## Diary for the Week starting Sunday 20th August 2017 Twentieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

**SUNDAY:** 6.00 pm: Saturday (Vigil) Mass  
9.30 am: Summer Time Family Mass.  
11.00 am: Holy Mass.  
The monthly "Traidcraft" stall will be open between the morning Masses today.

**MONDAY:** Saint Pius X.  
9.00 am: Morning Prayer & Adoration.  
10.00 am: Holy Mass.

**TUESDAY:** The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary.  
9.00 am: Holy Mass.

**WEDNESDAY:** 9.00 am: Morning Prayer & Adoration.  
10.00 am: Holy Mass, followed by Coffee Club.

**THURSDAY:** FEAST OF SAINT BARTHOLOMEW.  
NO Mass today.

**FRIDAY:** NO Morning Prayer & Adoration.  
NO Mass today.

**SATURDAY:** NO Morning Mass.  
6.00 pm: First Mass of Sunday.

**NEXT SUNDAY:** 21st Sunday in Ordinary Time.

No Mums'n'Toddlers, Bible Study, Prayer or Folk Group during the summer holidays.

## SAINT MARGARET'S ALMANAC

2nd September: Eucharistic Ministers' Day of Retreat  
3rd September: Saint Margaret's Family Picnic  
4th September: Summer training session for Altar Servers #2  
23rd September: Annual Diocesan Day for Catechists  
17th November: Saint Margaret's Supper  
13th December: Senior Citizens' Christmas Lunch

**CONGRATULATIONS TO:** Nicolas Keith Miles Roman and Sophie Karina Miles Roman of Cadogan Court, Sutton, who were baptized at Saint Margaret's on 2nd August, and Jasmine Elizabeth Christoph of Salisbury Road who was baptized here on 5th August. Also to Josephine Grace Monschau of Park Lane, Maisey Grace Monschau and Holly Nicola Joy Rae of Alcester Court, who were baptized at Saint Margaret's on 6th August. Congratulations to all their parents and godparents.

## CHANGE THE WORLD WITH CAFOD

You are invited to find out more about how you can share your time to help our poorer sisters and brothers at one of our workshops this Autumn:

### CAFOD Essentials:

**Saturday 9th September 9.30 am–3.15 pm**  
**Romero House, Waterloo**

Opportunities to hear about CAFOD's work in Latin America, the upcoming Harvest Appeal, receive the latest updates about campaigning and our Live Simply Award, meet others and find out more about different ways of volunteering through CAFOD.

### CAFOD Fast Day briefings:

**Thursday 14th September 8.00 pm, St Clement's, Ewell or**  
**Monday 18th September 7.30 pm Sacred Heart, Cobham**

Find out about CAFOD's work in El Salvador, meet CAFOD volunteers from your area, and discover how you can make a difference this Harvest and beyond. For more info and to book contact [southwark@cafod.org.uk](mailto:southwark@cafod.org.uk) or 8466 9901.

## ST. MARGARET'S YOUNG CHURCH RESOURCE TEAM

Would like to invite you and your family to a

**FAMILY/YOUNG PEOPLE'S PICNIC on**

**Sunday 3rd September from 12.30 pm - 4.00 pm**

Venue: Oaks Park (meet in the car park at 12.30 pm, event to be held in scout's area).  
Games: Rounders and football.  
Music in the Park: Guitars etc...  
Refreshments: Please bring your own picnic, but please take your rubbish home.  
Facilities: Oaks Park Cafe and toilets.

For further information please contact  
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**THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTIONS FOR AUGUST:** That artists of our time may help everyone discover the beauty of creation.

## YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

**Our Sick:** Deckleena Keeley (Ita Johnston's cousin), Mike Nolan, 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:** Alex Palmier of Beddington Gardens.

**First Anniversary:** Mario Guargualini.

**Anniversaries:** Father Joseph Gill, PP at St Teresa's, Morden, Father Peter Farmer, Rixa Stowell, Tess Ellis (Theresa Fox's mother), Heber Clare, Brian MacHugh, Kit Mountain, Shirley Scott, Edith Simmonds, Victor Martin-Verdinos, Genevieve Wilson, Esther Locke (Marie Wilkes' mother) and Anne Meikle (Joan Patry's twin sister).

**Long Term Sick and Housebound:** Father Kevin, Father Gordon Thompson, Father Francis Rosario, Father Joseph Etim, Mike & Dagmar Sun, Arthur Hopkins, Nan Waldron, Connie Harrington, (Lynn Pougher's mother), Wilma Everard, Annie Bradley, Robert Fry (Jenny's nephew), Roger Stokes (Peter's brother), Luke Badrick, Carla Doran (Rosanna Mason's Mother), Jean Goodwin (Ian Weightman's mother), Pam & Ted Druce (John's parents), Tony Pinto, Anne Parkinson (Monica Bewick's friend), Daniel Davies (Sheila Sharp's cousin), Lizzie Guntrip, Joan Carlton, Mary Geraghty, Wanda Juchniewicz, Esmé Gay (Louise Chmielinski's mother), Valerie Somerset, Mary Kerrigan, and Rosanna Connolly & family.

**Epsom & District Irish Association** are holding their next dance on 25th August at the Rhodrons Club, Rhodrons Avenue, Chessington KT9 1BA 'phone 8397 2683. Dancing from 8.30pm until 11.30pm, featuring Finbarr and Bernie. Local parking, a raffle and licensed bar, tickets £5.00 on the door.

**LAST SUNDAY:** Last Sunday's attendance was 205 and the Offertory came to £372.08, shared between £108.98 in loose money and 263.10 in Gift Aid envelopes, compared with a total of £447.55 on the same Sunday last year. Last month's Standing Order total came to £1891.00. Many thanks.

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:** Why do people say 'Oh you just want to have your cake and eat it too'? Yes! What good is cake if you can't eat it?