



# SAINT JOHN FISHER KIDBROOKE

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Daily Mass will continue to be live streamed at 9.30am Monday-Saturday and at 10am on Sunday until further notice. If you wish to receive the link, please contact Fr Anton by email.

## TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:YEAR A : 4 OCT 2020: Rosary Sunday Third National Mass count

*Birthday Prayers and Blessings for all those celebrating their birthdays this week.*

**PLEASE NOTE: THE ROSARY WILL BE SAID BEFORE EACH MASS DURING THE MONTH OF OCTOBER.**

	6pm	<b>Simpson &amp; McGrath family</b> (Veronica, Ben and Annabelle)	
<b>Sunday, 4 Oct</b>	10am	<b>Hanaan Salifu RIP</b> (Amina Salifu)	
	5pm	<b>Thanksgiving</b> (Eileen Usher)	
<b>Monday, 5 Oct</b>	9.30am	<b>Anthony Fernandes RIP</b> (Laurence & Celia Hayward)	<i>Feria</i>
<b>Tuesday, 6 Oct</b>	9.30am	<b>Mary Goodwin RIP – anniversary</b> (The Greenfield family)	<i>Feria</i>
<b>Wednesday, 7 Oct</b>	9.30am	<b>Ena Herron RIP</b> (Mary Savage)	
		<i>Our Lady of the Rosary, Memorial</i>	
<b>Thursday, 8 Oct</b>	<b>9.15am</b>	<b>Chaplet of the Divine Mercy</b>	
	9.30am	<b>Very Rev Msgr Greg Adibe RIP</b> (Eugenia Ogbah)	<i>Feria</i>
<b>Friday, 9 Oct</b>	9.30am	<b>Win &amp; Peter Daly &amp; family</b> (Siobhan Daly)	
		<i>Feast of Saint John Henry Newman, Priest</i>	
	<b>7.00pm - 8pm</b>	<b>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction</b>	
<b>Saturday, 10 Oct</b>	<b>9.00am</b>	<b>Rosary and Benediction</b>	
	9.30am	<b>Rex Philips RIP</b> (His family)	<i>Feria</i>

## TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:YEAR A : 11 OCT 2020: Day of Prayer for Prisoners and their Dependants; Fourth and final National Mass count

	6pm	<b>Maria Fernandes RIP</b> (Laurence & Celia Hayward)	
<b>Sunday, 4 Oct</b>	10am	<b>Sheila Mary Bathurst RIP</b>	
	5pm	<b>Eileen Mary Murphy RIP &amp; Jean Maria Murphy RIP</b> (Kevin Murphy)	

**Please Remember to Pray for the Sick and the Housebound:** Karon Phillips-Allen, Monica Whitaker, Rachel Camozzi-Jones, Jackie Rennie, Joe Grandy, Agnes Parker, Alan Fitzsimons, Trixie Durey, Sandra Newman, Margaret Bondareko, Lucas Lekule, Mike Harris, Catherine Leeper, Joanna Connors, Annette Bain, Angelita (Lili) Mendoza, Camillo Atampugre, Joseph Many, Doreen Grandon, Anthony O'Doherty, Thelma Harnett, Anna Mellon, Maria Mottau, Danielle Papie, Mary Grace Cruz, Tina Borland, Sadie Felton, Barbara Hills, Sean Needham, Olympia Balugay, Lewis Usher, George Mihalda, Luigi Rispoli, Winston Countinho, Sr Francis, Celia Hayward, Andrew Ronayne, Javier Carpentier, Colman Joyce, Kate, Iris Chase, Brian Kieran, Andrew Nkunika, Bejatin Noble Mesmin, Danny Connelly and all those not listed here.

**We remember** all those who have died recently, and those whose anniversaries of death occur about this time. May their souls rest in peace.

**Pope Francis Twitter message:** "Let us not go back to the "normality" sick with with injustice, inequality and environmental degradation. The normality to which we are called is that of the Kingdom of God, where there is bread for all and the social organisation is based on contributing, sharing and distributing ."

**Message from Fr Anton.** As I mentioned last week, in light of the recent changes in the Government guidelines, we have had to change our plans for the forthcoming arrangements for **First Holy Communion**. I have discussed and agreed these plans with the parents concerned. The children will be split into 3 groups and the Sacrament will be celebrated on 3 consecutive Saturdays: **17th, 24th and 31st October 2020 at 9.30am.**

**Church toilets** - I must again remind you that **in accordance with government guidelines the toilets in the Church are not open for use.**

**Confirmation Programme 2020/21:** we aim to start the Programme for 2020/21 in January. More details will be announced towards the end of the year.

**Rosary:** as you will be aware, the month of **October** each year is **dedicated** to the **Most Holy Rosary**. It was instituted to honour the Blessed Virgin Mary in gratitude for the protection that she gives the Church in answer to the praying of the **Rosary** by the faithful. Next Sunday is Rosary Sunday and we celebrate the memorial of Our Lady of the Rosary. Given the difficult times the whole world is facing with Covid 19, let us turn to our Lady and pray for help. We shall be praying the rosary around 15 minutes before the start of each Mass throughout October. I do hope that you will all join in.

**Mass intentions:** If you wish to offer a mass for a deceased friend or relative, for your own or another's intentions or indeed in thanksgiving, please drop your request and your donation through the Presbytery letter box or email the Parish on [kidbrooke@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:kidbrooke@rcaos.org.uk). We will do our best to meet the date requested or to give you the earliest available date.

**Parish Finances:** Our total weekly collection for the w/e 27 Sept = **£533.06 including standing orders and Gift Aid**. Thank you very much for your generosity. If you haven't already done so please consider setting up a standing order (bank details below) as it is the easiest way to make your weekly donation and again if you are a UK taxpayer, please remember to **gift aid it**. If you need the relevant form please contact the office. For those who have already signed up, **New Gift Aid envelopes** are available for collection from the Sacristy after all masses.

**Bank details:** Stipends (donations for mass intentions) weekly offerings or donations towards the Church refurbishment Project, may be made via bank transfer or standing order. Please specify on the transfer the nature of your donation.

**Bank : NatWest. Branch: Blackheath and Westcombe Park**  
**Account name: RCAS Re: Kidbrooke Catholic Church**  
**Account number: 34 19 58 58                      Sort Code: 60-23-27**

**Church Building and Refurbishment Fund:** the total raised thus far, now stands at **£11,686.03**. Keep up the good work and help us reach our target. And if you gift aid your donation, HMRC will give us 25p for every £1 you donate.



Donations **may be made in whichever way that suits you best**. There is a basket clearly marked "Refurbishment" on entry and exit from the Church near the baskets for your weekly offering. Or you may prefer, to send a cheque made payable to St John Fisher, Kidbrooke (please make it clear that it is for the refurb) or arrange a bank transfer. Or go to the JustGiving page at <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stjohnfisherkidbrooke>. I would appreciate it if you could promote this online fundraising, which is an effective way to fundraise during lockdown. **Please circulate this as widely as you can and, if you are a UK tax payer, remember to gift aid it!**

**Book of Remembrance:** If you wish to include a deceased loved one or friend in this Book, please send their name and the relevant day (Printed in BLOCK capitals) to the office together with a donation of around £5 for every name. **All funds raised will go towards the refurbishment fund.**

**MSEPlay Childcare:** The **Pre School**, which runs in the Church Hall, from 8.45am - 3pm during term times, accepts children aged 2 to 5 years. The **After School Club runs from 3.30pm to 6.30pm** during term times for children aged 3 - 11 years and they collect from Wingfield Primary School. They accept both government and childcare vouchers.

Please **contact MSE Play for further details** (Tel: 020 8265 1031/07932 391 798 or email: [info@mseplay.com](mailto:info@mseplay.com) ).