

THE CATHOLIC PARISHES  
OF MOLESEY & HERSHAM  
St Barnabas Vine Road Molesey  
All Saints Queens Road Hersham

**19 SEPTEMBER 2021**

**TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN  
ORDINARY TIME**

*I am the salvation of the people, says the Lord.  
Should they cry to me in any distress,  
I will hear them, and I will be their Lord for ever.*

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**Confessions:** *By appointment and before and after the  
Saturday Masses at Molesey & Hersham*

*My dear Parishioners,*

This Tuesday the funeral rites of Fr Mario Sanderson, a priest of our diocese and sometime parish priest of Mayfield, are celebrated in the church of St Thomas of Canterbury Mayfield. Our own Molesey Mass will be at 9am on that day. Mayfield provided a palace and synod hall for archbishops of Canterbury. Dunstan famously staged there at the end of the Tenth century. Within 40 years of his death, he was canonised and widely venerated.

One hundred and fifty years later an archbishop of Canterbury was to die a martyr's death. The 'turbulent priest', Thomas Becket, was savagely killed in his cathedral by impetuous knights who thought they would please the king. Careless talk really does cost lives and Henry II lived to rue the day. Thomas of Canterbury's cult spread quicker than Dunstan's and many miracles were quickly attributed to his heavenly intercession. He was declared saint within three years of his death and a beautiful shrine was erected in Canterbury Cathedral.

**The Parish Office** Tuesday – Friday 9.15 am-12.15pm  
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At the Protestant reformation in the 1530s King Henry VIII ordered that the shrine be desecrated. Having previously honoured the martyr bishop he now despised him and his own careless talk and fickle faith meant the virtual destruction of English Catholic life and culture in the great places of pilgrimage in our land. Only the sainted King Edward at Westminster survived these vicious acts of sacrilegious vandalism.

Dunstan's dining room survives in Mayfield as the very beautiful chapel for the Catholic girls school of St Leonard's Mayfield. The Holy Child sisters, whose foundation this was, ensure that the chapel is well kept and the Blessed Sacrament is reserved there.

Fr Mario loved being parish priest of Mayfield. A convert to the Faith, he had all that sense of the Catholic history of the place and an infectious enthusiasm for the love of Jesus Christ and His Holy Church. Please say a pray for the repose his dear soul. My affectionate good wishes and my prayers for you all.

*Fr Richard*

*THIS WEEK BISHOP RICHARD SENDS A PASTRAL LETTER, TO BE READ AT ALL MASSES, ON THE SUBJECT OF ASSISTED SUICIDE.*

### **THIS WEEK'S SCHEDULE OF SUNDAY MASSES**

**AT MOLESEY: All Live streamed**

Monday at 9.30am, Tuesday 9am, Thursday at 9.30am & Saturday at 10am.

**AT HERSHAM: All live streamed**

Wednesday at 9.30am, Friday at 9.30am, Saturday 5.30pm & Sunday 9am.

*To access the live stream Molesey & Hersham go to [www.stbarnabasmolesey.org](http://www.stbarnabasmolesey.org) and click on the picture of the appropriate church.*

### **I AM FOR CHRIST**

-Please take a blank card with my name and address.

-I invite you to use this card to consider offering one or two things you might do in the life of the parish.

-Use the card for your suggestions and remember that your comments and ideas will be shared by the family of the parish.

-Return the card to me at Masses over the next couple of weeks. You can email your response (my email address and phone number is on the card) if that's easier.

-Use the e mail and phone number to be in touch whenever you like.

-With help, I will draw up a profile of tasks and priorities and we can then take things further as we, please God, emerge from a life of restrictions and learn to live again more normally.

-Remember that the life of the Church is not just about the maintenance of things

(jobs around the building and tasks centred on the liturgy) it is also about the mission of the Church and how we reach out to the lapsed and the searching.

-I have left the card blank and without suggestion so as to make it as free and creative a response as possible but hope for specific suggestions as to what you could offer rather than what somebody else should be doing.

### **OUR CHURCHES AFTER 19 JULY**

The churches are open for private prayer during the day and are also open for Mass. All Saints is open every day from 9am to 4pm.

We need to be attentive to the lessons of safety and consideration we have lived with over the last 18 months. Things are now changing, but this needs to be a gentle process. Be assured that the churches are regularly cleaned and always well ventilated as we return to capacity and are no longer required to socially distance.

### **PLEASE NOTE**

- The obligation to be at Sunday Mass continues to be suspended until further notice.
- Every effort will be made to avoid any possible transmission of the virus and to this end those who have any concerns about their own health and contacts should stay at home.
- Sanitisers will continue to be provided but the system of stewarding will cease.
- Be assured that the celebrant's hands will be thoroughly cleansed before the distribution of Holy Communion.

- Please continue to come to Holy Communion in an orderly manner.
- The wearing of face coverings continues to be encouraged.

**FOLLOW US ON FACEBOOK**

**Holy Ones of Encouragement**

*For regular updates, news and devotions*

Access the page by going to

[www.stbarnabasmolesey.org](http://www.stbarnabasmolesey.org)

and click on the Facebook icon.

***You do not have to join Facebook to see this.***

**PRAYERS & DEVOTIONS**

Soul of Christ, sanctify me;  
 Body of Christ, save me;  
 Blood of Christ, inebriate me;  
 Water from the side of Christ, wash me;  
 Passion of Christ, strengthen me;  
 O good Jesus hear me;  
 Within your wounds hide me;  
 Suffer me not to be separated from you,  
 From the evil one protect me;  
 At the hour of my death, call me;  
 And bid me come to thee; That with thy  
 saints I may be praise thee  
 For all eternity. Amen.

**Act of Spiritual Communion**

*This prayer is said when it is not possible for us to receive Holy Communion. If you are watching a live stream Mass you might like to say the prayer as the priest receives Holy Communion.*

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
 I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You in my soul.  
 Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,  
 come at least spiritually into my heart.  
 I embrace You and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen

**For those who are suffering**

O God, who willed that our infirmities be borne by your Only Begotten Son to show the value of human suffering, listen in kindness to our prayers for our brothers and sisters who are sick; grant that all who are oppressed by pain, distress or other afflictions may know that they are chosen among those proclaimed blessed and are united to Christ in his suffering for the salvation of the world. Through Christ Our Lord. Amen

Merciful God, come to the help of your people. Be our shelter in this time of peril and strengthen the bonds of our community. Bring healing to all who suffer the ravages of disease and assist those whose skill and art can put an end to this affliction. Through Christ our Lord. Amen

**LET US PRAY FOR:** *For those who are sick in our parishes:* Lucian, John O'Reilly, Kevin O'Connor, Eptisam Yusef, Peter Weeks, Eileen Firth, Patrick Russell, Ann Griffin, Andy Hanges, Patricia Malcolm, Rose Collins, Maureen Lloyd, Therese Ayres, Ann Livingston, Dina Yates, Sheila Day, Nicoletta Lanzisera, Richard D'Alton, Nedra Gilson, the Superville and McComb family, Mark.

*Please advise the parish offices of those names and intentions you would like added to our list for our prayers.*

*Those who have died:* Geoffrey Hayes, Wally Grey, Tim Lamb, Nick Harvey, Tim Hipperson, Geoffrey Maud, Esther Inskipp, Fr Kevin Alban, Julie Benton-MacLeod, Jose Odackal Joseph, Ben Adderley, Eileen Creed, Sandrine Atkins, Charles Alexander, Nellie Widdup, Bette Reed, Bobbetie McColl, Beatrice Hammond, Desmond Alphonso, Dennis Lackey, Gilly Becker, Mgr Barry Wymes, Fr Richard Lear CJ, Sue Bolton, Patrick Duggan, Kathleen Bell, Peggy Fitzgerald, Edward Quigley, Carl Zalman, Carmen Szkwirko, Harry O'Sullivan, William Ritchie, Teresa Redmond, Rosanna Hilling, Helena Wallis, John Knowles, Kathleen Kelly (Lambert), Gerry Firth, Glen Adderley, Salvator Messini, Rui Da Silva, Maria Camara.

*Those who anniversaries fall this week:*

Fr Francis Dorman, Fr Henry Lewis, Fr Gerald Fothergill, Canon Peter Giffin, Fr Kevin Steen, Fr Peter Boulding.

### **An On Line Link for Mass Prayers**

The readings from daily Mass:

<http://universalis.com/mass.h>

PLEASE PRAY for the young people of Weybridge Deanery of whom some will receive the Sacrament of Confirmation from Bishop Richard Moth on Saturday 18 September at the Chapel at St. George's College. Please pray for their families, clergy, catechists, and parish communities who have supported them on their preparation journey.

May our young people continue to receive strength and guidance in their lives from this faith journey and have a fuller relationship with God within the Trinity. May God bless and keep them safe.

Our newly baptised - please continue to pray in thanksgiving for all our families who are welcoming new babies. Several have been baptised over recent months. We welcome these new members and we pray for their families. May God bless them, keep them safe and let them all grow in the love of the teachings of Jesus Christ.

**PARISHIONERS LOOKING AFTER EACH OTHER** from the parishes have joined together to provide mutual help and support during these days of lockdown and isolation by means of telephone calls, email and social media groups.

**THINKING OF BECOMING A CATHOLIC?** We have two groups running in our parishes at All Saints and St Barnabas. Please contact Fr Richard or Yvonne Foster through the parish office.

### **ST BARNABAS YOUTH CLUB FOR YEAR 3 & UPWARDS**

New rules -

1. Children must be registered.
2. Cost £1 per session
3. Times 6pm to 7.30pm

### **4. Parents are NOT to come into the hall in order to be COVID compliant.**

**Registration:** If your child would like to attend you must text Jean Casha 07960-654-813 with the following information – Name, surname, School Year, phone number, address and permission to add your number to the closed Whatsapp group.

**ISN'T THE ROSARY BORING AND PASSE?** A retreat day at the House of Prayer, East Molesey, led by Fr. Lawrence Lew, O.P on Saturday 16 October 2021. The Rosary is a devotion that comes highly recommended by popes and saints and even by Our Lady herself. But what am I supposed to do? What if my mind is distracted? Isn't it all very repetitive and boring? In this retreat Fr Lawrence Lew OP speak on the origins of the Rosary, its spiritual riches and beauty, and he will suggest ways to reinvigorate your praying of the Rosary. Starts at 10am and ends at 4pm. Please bring a packed lunch. Cost £30.

### **PARISH FINANCES**

*With the suspension of Sunday Masses and the lack of a Sunday collection, please consider the financial needs of the parishes. Whilst it might be possible to set aside your Sunday contribution why not think about a standing order to the parishes?*

#### **FOR HERSHAM**

*Account Name:*

**ALL SAINTS HERSHAM**

*Account Number 21077295*

#### **FOR MOLESEY**

*Account Name:*

**MOLESEY ST BARNABAS**

*Account Number 71077252*

*The Sort Code for both accounts is 40-05-20*

*Many parishioners already support the parishes by direct giving through their bank. You will understand that we need to support our parishes even though we may not be at church as regularly.*

**FIRST COMMUNION PREPARATION  
ENROLMENT FORMS FOR THE  
PARISHES  
OF  
HERSHAM & MOLESEY**

are available from the back of the parishes and to download from the parish website. Please return to the parish office at Molesey by **Friday 15 October 2021**. Children are generally prepared for the sacraments of confession and Holy Communion in School Year 3.

**ASK YOUR MP to sign a Parliamentary motion to stop 'DIY' abortion**

Carla Lockhart MP has launched a parliamentary motion calling on the Government to end 'DIY' home abortion. It is therefore vital that as many MPs as possible sign Carla Lockhart's motion to send a clear message to the Government that they must end dangerous 'DIY' home abortion services as soon as possible. Right To Life UK has launched an easy-to-use tool which makes it simple for you to send an email to your MP asking them to sign the motion. Please see the link below to contact your MP now. It only takes 30 seconds!

[www.righttolife.org.uk/DIYmotion](http://www.righttolife.org.uk/DIYmotion)

**FOODBANK DONATIONS AT ALL SAINTS HERSHAM & ST BARNABAS MOLESEY  
FOOD BANK DONATIONS.**

Items urgently required:

1. Tinned meat
2. Fray Bentos pies
3. Tinned potatoes
4. Tinned vegetables
5. Tinned spaghetti / spaghetti hoops
6. Long life sponge puddings
7. Tinned custard

8. Tinned rice pudding

9. Long life milk.

NO FRESH FOOD, PLEASE.

**Collection points:**

1. At the back of All Saints and St. Barnabas churches.

2. The Food Bank Warehouse, Faulkners Road, Hershams - opposite Lilliput's Nursery. Open on Wednesday 10.00-12.00 noon.

OR PLEASE CONSIDER GIVING A FINANCIAL DONATION, which will be used to buy fresh fruit, vegetables and eggs on the day of the distribution of the food parcels.

A financial donation can be made either online at [waltonhershams.foodbank.org.uk](http://waltonhershams.foodbank.org.uk) or, at All Saints, in the form of a cheque, made payable to 'Walton and Hershams Foodbank' and put into an envelope labelled Food Bank. This may be placed into the weekly offertory collection plate and it will then be forwarded.

**HERE TO HELP -ELMBRIDGE**

One of our parishioners, David Bone, has set up a Facebook site called Here to Help – Elmbridge. This initiative is to offer help to people in our local community who are in need in terms of food, gifts, clothes and furniture. **If you are in need or would like to help** or are able to offer your time to collect and deliver items, please get in contact with David on **07714 683090** or via **Facebook** via the following link: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/732010290666981/>

**CAFOD** - Are you aged 18-30? CAFOD offers a gap year programme called Step into the Gap. As part of the 10-month programme, you will be based in either a youth retreat centre, university chaplaincy or a secondary school chaplaincy team gaining new skills, developing as a leader and gaining work experience. Accommodation and travel expenses are included. Full time placements include stipends. Find out more information

including how to apply at [www.cafod.org.uk/gapyear](http://www.cafod.org.uk/gapyear)

### **CAFOD – Climate Change Petition:**

This year, the UK will host the largest gathering of world leaders ever to take place on British soil: the ‘COP26’ climate talks in Glasgow in November. As Prime Minister, Boris Johnson must push world leaders to show the ambition we need to keep temperature rises below the disastrous 1.5-degree threshold. This means that all countries must play their part. With the eyes of the world on the UK, we must urge the Prime Minister to make sure communities hardest hit by the climate emergency are listened to at COP26. Please sign our petition at [//cafod.org.uk/reclaim](http://cafod.org.uk/reclaim)

For those without internet access, petition cards can be ordered from the CAFOD Shop: 0300 011 5680. Thank you.

### **BISHOP RICHARD CELEBRATES MASS FOR WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES**

at St Joseph’s Guildford, on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> October, at 11.30 am, with Bishop Richard. This is for couples and their families celebrating a landmark or significant anniversary. Numbers limited to 150. Parking off site. To sign up please contact Katherine Bergin, Marriage & Family Life Adviser at [katherine.bergin@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:katherine.bergin@abdiocese.org.uk)

### **NEW GROUP FOR CATHOLIC Young Adults**

Please anyone between the ages of 18-35 years old get in touch with [lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:lizzie.wakeling@abdiocese.org.uk) to find out more.

**CCRS** - The Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies (CCRS) is beginning again in our Diocese this September. The course is designed for teachers in Catholic schools, for Catechists and for anyone who would like to grow in understanding as they live their Catholic faith. The CCRS offers a very flexible and accessible way of learning, it includes some online content and is made up of eight modules: six core and two

specialist modules. Each module involves ten hours of course time and an assignment.

For more information or to register your place please contact our Formation Adviser Email: [jon.harman@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:jon.harman@abdiocese.org.uk)

### **THE GATWICK DETAINEES Welfare Group in Crawley**

have issued the following request.

We would be grateful to receive good quality second-hand clothes as follows:

- Jeans, waist 30”, 32”, 33”, 34”
  - Joggers in all sizes
  - T-shirts in all sizes but especially Medium
  - Summer jackets in all sizes
  - Shoes in all sizes (apart from 45)
- People can bring clothes to the office (The Orchard, 1-2 Gleneagles Court, Brighton Road, Crawley, RH10 6AD) during office hours, but it is best to email Josie first to fix a time in case the staff member has to go out: [josie@gdwg.org.uk](mailto:josie@gdwg.org.uk)

### **REDUNDANT IPADS AND LAPTOPS**

are desperately needed by the Gatwick Detainees’ Welfare Group. An IT company has agreed to ‘clean’ devices to remove any data. These devices can enable a person whether in detention or after release, to help themselves; to access classes for speakers of other languages, to communicate with friends, family, our staff, their volunteer visitor and to access resources such as Food Banks and to join our post detention services. Contact Josie at: [josiewade@gdwg.org.uk](mailto:josiewade@gdwg.org.uk). Thank you.

### **DIVINE MERCY DAY OF PRAYER**

Westminster Cathedral Saturday 25 September 2021, 12.30pm – 4.30pm. Divine Mercy for the salvation of souls & conversion of nations.

For more info please contact Antonia Email: [antonia@walsingham.org.uk](mailto:antonia@walsingham.org.uk)

### **FIGHTING MODERN SLAVERY**

The latest edition of the diocesan newsletter is now available. Parish modern slavery awareness ambassadors are still needed. Information on the role is contained in the newsletter or contact [tessa.ricketts@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:tessa.ricketts@abdiocese.org.uk) for more details.

## **MISSIO APPEAL 2021 Today, Tomorrow, Together.**

Missio. UK charity number: 1056651

Missio ignites God's love by helping missionaries to work alongside communities globally that are poor in need, regardless of their background or belief. It is Pope Francis's charity for world mission.

RED BOX – please consider having a red box in your home. We hope to start collecting the boxes twice a year. Donations are always welcomed. Please put your donation in a marked envelope stating MISSIO as you leave Mass in the offertory basket.

At ALL SAINTS parish Angie Hudson and her team will be in contact with red box holders after 12 September.

If you would like a red box, please contact Angie.

Other methods of donation -

1. Direct by online payment to [missio.org.uk/redbox](http://missio.org.uk/redbox)
2. Send a cheque (please put parish details on back of cheque) and post to Red Box, 23 Eccleston Square, SW1V 1NU
3. Contact Angie Hudson, 01932 882717 or 07970 860394

## **POPE FRANCIS'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR SEPTEMBER**

In September, we invite you to pray with Pope Francis that we might make courageous choices for a simple and environmentally sustainable lifestyle, rejoicing in those young people who are resolutely committed to protecting God's creation.

***“Let us hear both the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor.”*** (Source: Missio)

## **THE SEASON OF CREATION**

**September also marks the ecumenical season of Season of Creation from 1 September to 4 October** (The feast of St Francis of Assisi).

This season is dedicated to prayer and action for the protection of creation. It is time to renew our relationships with God, our Creator and with all creation, as we join together in prayer.

***“We give thanks for all that God has made, repeat for the damage that we have caused and commit ourselves to take action to protect the earth our common home”*** (Source: CAFOD)

***A novena – is a commitment to say a prayer or several prayers every day for nine days. Could you say a prayer every day to help repair the effects of climate change in our world?***

*CAFOD has written a version of The Joyful Mysteries of the Rosary for the care of Creation. It contains the story behind each decade of joyful mysteries, together with the prayers of the rosary and a short reflection of how decade is relevant to today's world. A fresh way to begin or return to prayer using the Rosary.*

More resources about The Season of Creation are on the websites- [Missio.org.uk](http://Missio.org.uk); [cafod.org.uk](http://cafod.org.uk)

## **CAFOD UPDATE TO RECENT EMERGENCIES** - a huge thank you for your support.

CAFOD is responding to significant crises across the world this month. Please remember all the people affected I your prayers. Thank you.

**The annual Harvest Day Fast Day is Friday 1 October. If you feel you can only support one appeal – the emergency fund or Harvest Fast Day, please choose the one you want to help. Thank you for your generosity.**

**Haiti** We are working with local Church organizations in Haiti to deliver emergency aid to people affected by the recent catastrophic earthquake and tropical storm.

**Update:** Estimated loss of 10,000 buildings, over 6,000 injured and over 1,200 died. Over 4.4. million

people need basic aid – food, clean water, shelter for their daily survival.

**Afghanistan** In the tragic situation in Afghanistan, we are working to ensure the safety of our local partners and their communities.

**Update:** The UN estimated that 80% of Afghans are women and children now in desperate need of humanitarian aid. CAFOD started working in Afghanistan in 1980's and a core part of their work was to work with local organizations committed to improving the lives of vulnerable and marginalized people, supporting them to earn a living.

**Our local councils, including Elmbridge are accepting refugees from Afghanistan. We wish our new residents a happy life.**

**Other parts of the world** CAFOD continues to support local aid workers to deliver urgent food and water supplies to hundreds of thousands of people facing extreme hunger in **Tigray in Ethiopia, South Sudan and north-east Nigeria.** Please remember **YEMEN.** **UPDATE:** £500,000 has already been committed. *This emergency is the direct result of the combination of Covid, climate change and protracted conflict.*

**Please contact our MP – Rt Hon. Dominic Raab (Foreign Secretary) to request more overseas aid to each of these and other emergencies – also financial and other help to all our refugees.**

[dominic.raab.mp@parliament.uk](mailto:dominic.raab.mp@parliament.uk)

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You can read more about how we can all express solidarity with our sisters and brothers affected by these emergencies on the CAFOD website: <https://cafod.org.uk/News/Emergencies-news>.

Your compassion, generosity and prayers have helped us to stand together and enable us to continue to support communities in these difficult times.

## **MISSIO AND CAFOD - PARISH REPRESENTATIVES**

The representatives at All Saints Hersham are **Marion Dawes (CAFOD) 01932 231317 [marion.dawes@gmail.com](mailto:marion.dawes@gmail.com) and Angie Hudson (MISSIO).** 01932 882717 or 07970 860 394 after 06 September.

If anyone at St Barnabas parish is interested in becoming a parish representative, please contact Marion or Angie.

CAFOD has a deanery meeting on Monday 13 September at 7.30pm. if you would like to attend and find out more information, please contact Marion.

**CARDINAL NEWMAN SCHOOL** has been selected by Tesco for a grant of £1.5K to go towards the IT computer room project. Up until 30th September 2021, when you shop in local Tesco stores, please take a moment to vote for our school and put your blue token into the Cardinal Newman box. Please ask your friends and families to do this too, every little helps!

The following stores are supporting this:

Tesco Express, Hersham Rd

Tesco Express, Molesey Rd

Tesco Express, Queens Rd Weybridge

Tesco Extra Addlestone

Tesco Express, Esher High Street

Tesco Express, Chertsey

Tesco Metro, East Molesey

Tesco Superstore, Hurst Park

## **URGENT REFUGEE RENTAL PROPERTY APPEAL IN ELMBRIDGE**

For 2 of our Syrian refugee families & interpreters from Afghanistan needing urgent resettlement. It takes one person, to act on this one notice, to make the most enormous difference to one or more people in great need. Could this be you? Whether you are, or know any landlords in Elmbridge or you are willing to ask around, or ask your estate agent, your help is much appreciated.

For more information visit the website [www.elmbridgecan.org.uk/let-your-property.html](http://www.elmbridgecan.org.uk/let-your-property.html) or [housingpolicy@elmbridge.gov.uk](mailto:housingpolicy@elmbridge.gov.uk) or 01372 474 632

**CARDINAL NEWMAN PRIMARY SCHOOL CURRENTLY HAVE VACANCIES** for a Graduate Teaching Assistant and a Learning Support Assistant (part-time) for more information please visit <https://www.cardinal-newman.surrey.sch.uk/>

**DAY FOR CATECHISTS** Saturday 25 September, Worth Abbey. A gathering of Catechists from around the Diocese, to share our experiences and offer support and resources. The day ends with mass with Bishop Richard. To book contact [ruth.gerun@abdiocese.org.uk](mailto:ruth.gerun@abdiocese.org.uk)

**CARDINAL NEWMAN school Open Mornings. Please email the school office at [office@cardinalnewmanschool.co.uk](mailto:office@cardinalnewmanschool.co.uk) stating what session you would like to book in for. Please give your phone number also. The presentation/tour will take approx 1 - 1.5 hours. Numbers are limited.**

Wednesday 29th September 10.30 am

Wednesday 6th October 10.30 am

Wednesday 13th October 10.30 am

Friday 5th November 10.30 am

Friday 19th November 10.30 am

For more information on applying for a place for your child in 2022/2023 please visit <https://www.cardinal-newman.surrey.sch.uk/>

### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY –**

**CAFOD Family Fast Day - Friday 1 October 2021.**

For full details of below events, please see the website for the Diocese of Arundel and Brighton.

**9-10 October 2021** Rome – Pope Francis will open the first sessions of the Synodal process – The theme – For a Synodal Church: Communion, Participation,

Mission. It will run until October 2023. Every Catholic is invited to speak. Every bishop will open the Synod in their diocese on 17 October.

**Tuesday 09 November** 7.30 pm Our Lady of Lourdes, Thames Ditton – Bishop Richard will be celebrating a Station Mass in each deanery during November for loved ones and friends who have died since February 2020.

**AND FINALLY,** If you know of anybody in difficulty, or anybody who is not receiving news or anybody who is anxious, please, please contact the parish priest who will be only too pleased to do what he can. May the good Lord continue to bless us all.

*Fr Richard Biggerstaff,  
Parish Priest of All Saints Hersham with St Barnabas Molesey.*

