

# NEWSLETTER

## Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> to Friday 26<sup>th</sup> June 2026

### Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time

#### **HOLY REDEEMER CATHOLIC CHURCH**

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#### **HOLY REDEEMER HIGHCLIFFE**

**Sun 21<sup>st</sup>** 11am Mass

**Mon 22<sup>nd</sup>** 10am-2pm Adoration

**Wed 24<sup>th</sup>** 6pm-7pm Adoration  
**Thur 25<sup>th</sup>** 10am Mass  
People of the Parish

**Fri 26<sup>th</sup>** 9.45am Rosary  
10am Mass  
followed by refreshments  
11.15am Bible Study

**Sat 20<sup>th</sup>** 5pm Mass confession from 4pm  
People of the Parish

**Sun 21<sup>st</sup>** 9am Mass  
Emma Evans and Family  
Maira Thompson RIP

**Mon 22<sup>nd</sup>** 11am Rosary  
**Tues 23<sup>rd</sup>** 9.30am-10.30am Holy Hour  
with morning prayer at 10.15am  
6pm Rosary  
6.30pm Mass  
Tom Perry RIP Marie Whelan RIP

**Wed 24<sup>th</sup>** 11am Requiem Mass  
Veronica Purchase RIP

**Thur 25<sup>th</sup>** 6pm-7pm Adoration

#### **PRIVATE PRAYER**

**HOLY REDEEMER DAILY 10am-2pm**

**ST JOSEPH'S Tues-Friday 9.30am-4pm**

**PSALM** *In your great mercy, answer me, O Lord.*

**ANNIVERSARIES** Kathleen Harradence, Timothy McGrath, Ronald Lockwood, Annie Ellwood, Rose Carlo-Bailey, Thomas Nolan, Mary Mason and Tom Perry.

**SECOND COLLECTION TODAY** There will be a second collection today for Day for Life. Please support this if you can. Thank you.

**BAPTISM** Please keep in our prayers the Bruce family baptism which takes place later today.

**GOOD COUNSEL NETWORK** On Tuesday 23rd June, please pray and fast for the end of abortion and euthanasia in this country. Your prayer and fasting is urgently needed. For information on the days of Prayer and Fasting contact The Good Counsel Network on 020 7723 1740, or via [www.goodcounselnetwork.com](http://www.goodcounselnetwork.com). "And the people of Ninevah believed in God; they proclaimed a fast and put on sackcloth, from the greatest to the least...God saw their efforts to renounce their evil ways. And God relented about the disaster which He had threatened to bring on them, and He did not bring it." (Jonah 3:5,10)

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**MISSIO RED BOX** Alice will be collecting the Red Boxes during June so please bring them to church when you can. Thank you for continuing to support this mission.

**DIOCESAN MISSION MASS with Missio & the Mill Hill Missionaries** Red Box holders and the wider parish community are invited to a special Mission Mass on Saturday 4th July at 11am, to celebrate 90 years of the Red Box at Wokingham in the Corpus Christi Catholic Church Sturge Road, RG40 2HE.

There will be a shared lunch after mass. RSVP by email to [redbox@missio.org.uk](mailto:redbox@missio.org.uk) or phone 07593 544 622.

**ADORE MEETING** Saturday 27th June 10.00-13.00 please join us on Zoom for the next session in our ADoRE programme, when we focus on the theme LOVE ONE ANOTHER. We are called to emulate Jesus and to pass on to others his "Agape" (selfless, unconditional) love that we have received. By the power of the Holy Spirit working through us, we can be bearers of light to an ever-darkening world. Our guest speaker will be Jenny Baker, National Leader of Celebrate Trust and Conferences. To register visit the ADoRE Website: [www.altonrenewal.com](http://www.altonrenewal.com)

**NEW PASTORAL AREA WEBSITE** We now have a website for our new Pastoral Area to collate and share information about the 8 parishes. It is still in the early stages of development, so please continue to visit over the coming weeks and months. The web address is: [www.bccatholics.uk](http://www.bccatholics.uk)

**PARISH CENSUS** Thank you to all those who have promptly completed the Parish Census form. If you have not already done so, please complete the parish Census form which is available in the porch and return it to the parish office. Many thanks.

**SUMMER FAIR SATURDAY 18th JULY 2-4pm** This, our second biggest fundraising event of the year, is only weeks away, so please will you start looking out donations for our various stalls i.e: suitable good items for gifts, tombola prizes (including bottles!), good condition books (paperbacks a preference) toys, games and raffle prizes. The lists requesting helpers and cake pledges, are now in the porch, together with boxes in the porch for your kind donations. Let's make this yet another enjoyable and successful event. Thank you.

**FRIENDSHIP GROUPS - HELD IN THE ANNEX Knit and Natter.** Wednesdays Knit and Natter 2pm-4pm.

**PARISH GIVING & COUNTING** Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> giving: envelopes £177 loose £270.10. Thank you for your generosity. Online donations can also be made by bank transfer, Standing Order or Direct Debit to account number 00879968, sort code 30 93 04, CDP Highcliffe.

**CHRISTCHURCH FOODBANK+** This summer, we would love for you to join us at one of our "Your Town, Your Stories" tour events. One of these events is being hosted by our team at Christchurch Foodbank+, after our Community Supper at 6.45pm on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July.

**THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK** "The Church's Social Doctrine brings us to the very heart of our faith: the mystery of the living God, revealed in Jesus Christ, who, as a communion of Persons — Father, Son and Holy Spirit — is love itself in relationship, expressed in the mutual gift of self and in sharing with the world." (Pope Leo: Magnifica Humanitas 48)