



# Our Lady of Lourdes and Saint Michael, Uxbridge

Summer Newsletter 2 (B), 18th August 2024

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## Parish Diary

**Saturday 17th August** Our Lady on Sat

**10am** Sonali Desilva (int)

*10.30am-11am Confessions/Adoration*

*11.30am Baptism (Miles Gomes)*

5pm See-moy Tan McLarney (1st Ann)

**Sunday 18th August**

**20th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8am Ann Small (RIP)

**9.30am** Sonali Desilva (int)

11am Pro Populo

**Monday 19th August** St John Eudes

**9am** Bartholomew O'Shea (RIP)

**Tuesday 20th August** St Bernard

**9.30am** Perpetina D'Souza (b'day int)

**Wednesday 21st August** St Pius X

**9.30am** Lopes family (RIP)

**Thursday 22nd August**

Our Lady, Queen & Mother

NO MASS

**Friday 23rd August** St Rose of Lima

**6pm** Maggie Roberts (RIP)

*6.45pm Parish Rosary (YouTube)*

**Saturday 24th August** St Bartholomew

**10am** Shamal Miranda (b'day int)

*10.30am-11am Confessions/Adoration*

*3pm Baptism (Kayson Luis)*

5pm Sylvester Martins (RIP)

**Sunday 25th August**

**21st Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8am Edwina Brown (RIP)

**9.30am** Manuel, Teresa & Marcelino Jardim (RIP)

11am Daylinda Luyao (b'day tx)

**Monday 26th August**

Bl Dominic Barberi/Bank Holiday

NO MASS

**Tuesday 27th August** St Monica

**9.30am** Ilya & Harry (int)

**Wednesday 28th August** St Augustine

**9.30am** James & Val Conroy (RIP)

**Thursday 29th August**

Beheading of St John the Baptist

NO MASS

**Friday 30th August**

SS Margaret Clitherow, Anne Line & Margaret Ward

**6pm** Private intention

*6.45pm Parish Rosary (YouTube)*

**Saturday 31st August**

Our Lady on Saturday

**10am** Mary Lavelle (RIP)

*10.30am-11am Confessions/Adoration*

*11.30am Baptism (Tyree)*

5pm Kenny Hawkins (RIP)

**Sunday 1st September**

**22nd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8am Lucie Sweeney (RIP)

**9.30am** Gilbert Rodrigues (RIP)

11am Danilo Pauig Snr, Dominador Pauig & Raymond Povey (Ann)

**Monday 2nd September** Feria

**9am** Private intention

**Tuesday 3rd September**

**St Gregory the Great**

**9.30am** Clive Pratt (20th Ann)

*6pm Ignatian Prayer (Zoom)*

**Wednesday 4th September** Feria

**9.30am** Fr Harrington (RIP)

**Thursday 5th September** Feria

NO MASS

**Friday 6th September** Feria

**6pm** Holy Souls

*6.45pm Parish Rosary (YouTube)*

**Saturday 7th September**

Our Lady on Saturday

**10am** Andy O'Brien (12th Ann)

*10.30am-11am Confessions/Adoration*

*11.30am Baptism (Aleena)*

*2.30pm Baptism Preparation (Zoom)*

5pm Thachil family (tx)

**Sunday 8th September**

**23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time**

8am Pro Populo

**9.30am** Matthew Parsons (int)

*with Children's Liturgy*

11am Private intention

**Sanctuary Lamps**

*From 17th August:* Holy Souls (Bl Sac); Pearl & Paul D'Souza, int (Our Lady)

**Summer Rest** There will be no singing at the 9.30am and 11am Masses during the month of August and no Children's Liturgy (until 9.30am Mass on 8th September). The Ignatian Prayer Group will also be taking a break until Tuesday 3rd September. Parish Rosary will be at the earlier time of 6.45pm on Fridays. The regular parish WhatsApp messages will only be sent on Sundays (unless there is a matter of urgency). We hope everyone has a wonderful and restful summer break!

**Parish Foodbank** The following items are currently needed: long-life milk; tinned fruit, fish, meals, soups; baked beans; breakfast cereals; sugar, tea and coffee; pasta & rice. No fresh food, please. Thank you.

**Secondary School CCP Signing** will take place on 4th October (4pm-5.30pm) and 12th October (3.30pm-4.30pm) - sheets with interview slots will be available soon.

**First Holy Communion 2025** If your child will be in Year 3 or above from September 2024 and if you live within our parish boundaries and/or regularly attend our church, then we invite you to consider applying to make their First

Holy Communion next year. **Forms are now available** and need to be completed and brought in at enrolment appointments on **14th-15th September 2024**. We also ask you to make sure your Mass Attendance Card is being signed regularly (please collect one from us ASAP). The programme for parents begins in September 2024, in person, and for children, in person in the parish hall, from October. The children's sessions are on Saturday afternoons at 3.30-4.45pm. The children are then encouraged to join the Saturday 5pm Mass. There are 10 children's sessions in total and three parents' sessions. The First Holy Communion Masses will be in June 2025.

**First Holy Communion Books** from this year's course can still be found on the table at the back of the church for you to collect. Please make sure you have the correct book!

**Teas and Coffee** (after the 11am Mass) are on a summer rest until 8th September but the new rota is up in the hall—please do sign up. Volunteers are asked to serve teas and coffee, bring milk and a cake/biscuits, and help clean up at the end. Thank you!

**We are now on TikTok!** Join our parish community to keep in touch and be inspired @uxbridgecatholic

**Parish WhatsApp Group** To join, please send your number to 07949717769.

**School Admissions** For enquiries please contact the school office directly. Details about St Mary's can be found on the school website: <https://www.st-marys.hillingdon.sch.uk/>

**Sunday Parking** Please remember to avoid blocking the BT gates (which are in use 24/7) or parking near the roundabout (alongside the railings). Please also park sensibly in front of the presbytery, maximising the space.

**Post-COVID** We ask that, if you feel unwell, you stay at home. So that everyone feels safe, Holy Communion is normally received on the hand and under one kind.

**Most services are livestreamed on our YouTube channel (Uxbridge Parish).** If you sit in the front two pews by the Sacred Heart or come up for Communion, you may appear: please let us know if you have concerns.

**7th September & 26th October**  
Baptism Prep Sessions (2.30pm)

**14th-15th September** First  
Communion Enrolment Interviews

**6th October** Pet Blessing (12 noon)

**20th January & 3rd February**  
Marriage Preparation Course  
(6.30pm-9pm)

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