

St Pius X Catholic Church, Norbiton

Parish Newsletter

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Baptism and Weddings by appointment. ***Parish Safeguarding:*** **norbitonsg1@safeguardrcaos.org.uk**

Sunday Mass times:
Saturday: 6:00pm *Sunday:* 10:00am 5:00pm
Weekday Mass times: Monday *to Wednesday and Friday* 9:15am *Saturday* 10:00am
Filipino Mass 12 Noon Last Sunday of every month
Sacrament of Reconciliation: *Saturday* 10:30am - 11:00am, 5:00pm - 5:45pm or on request contact Fr. Alfred
Blessed Sacrament Adoration: *Tuesday* 10:00am - 11:00am Fridays 7pm -8pm
Our Lady's Prayer Group: *Tuesday* 7:00pm - 8:45pm
Lectio Divina Every Wednesday after Mass. **Rosary** 9.30am Sunday before 10am Mass
Friday: Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Help following the 9.15am Mass
First Saturdays Devotion of Reparation (with Divine Mercy Chaplet) Facilitated by the WAF (World Apostolate of Fatima) in Southwark 16:45-17:45, first Saturdays of the month.

Mass time		Mass Intentions
Sat 14 Nov 10am	**Feria**	Christy Devine RIP
Sunday 15th Nov 2026	**Thirty-Third Sunday (A) World Day of the Poor**	
Sat 14th Vigil 6pm		Padraic Connolly RIP
Sun 15th Nov 10am		Caroline McColgon WB
Sun 15th Nov 5pm		People of the Parish
Mon 16th Nov 9.15am	**Feria**	Maria Aires WB
Tues 17th Nov 9.15am	**Feria**	Tom Kehoe RIP
Wed 18th Nov 9.15am	**Feria**	Maureen Bilton RIP
Thurs 19th Nov	**Feria**	**No Mass**
Fri 20th Nov 9.15am	**Feria**	Catherine & Johnson Wedding Anniversary
Sat 21st Nov 10am	**The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary**	Gabriella McC WB
Sunday 22nd Nov 2026	**Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe (A) Youth Day**	
2nd Collection	**Catholic Youth Services**	
Sat 21st Nov 6pm Vigil		Ignatius Thomas & Renna Matthew intentions
Sun 22nd Nov 10am		Maria Aires WB
Sun 22nd Nov 5pm		People of the Parish

Requesting Mass for a Particular Intention It is a long-established and laudable Catholic custom to ask that Mass be offered for a particular intention. Every Mass is offered for the glory of God and the salvation of the world; nevertheless, the priest may also offer the Mass for a specific intention. Mass intentions are published in the newsletter. Anyone may request that Mass be offered for a particular intention. Masses are commonly offered for the welfare of an individual or family, in thanksgiving, for a special need, or for the repose of the soul of someone who has died. When requesting a Mass, it is customary to make an offering as a sign of one's particular participation in the offering of the Mass and in support of the Church's ministry. This offering is not a payment for the Mass, and no one is obliged to make one. The suggested offering is £10; some give less, some give more, and some are unable to give anything. Please never feel that a Mass cannot be offered for your intention because of financial difficulty. The grace of the Mass is never bought or sold. Mass intention envelopes are available in the porch.

Donations
Please scan the QR code Or pay by phone use the codes on the pews.

Collection 8th November 2026	
Card/phone	£16.50
1st collection	£290.05
2nd Collection Archbishop Appeal	£159.43
Standing orders for the month of October	£1,485.00
With Thanks for your generosity	

Food Bank ***Donations are very much needed at this time***. The need is even greater. Help with donations when you can **Urgently need UHT milk**, toilet rolls, tinned fish, cereal and pasta. Thank you for making a difference. No Perishable items

Pope's intention November 2026

For the proper use of wealth.
Let us pray for the proper use of wealth, that not succumbing to the temptation of selfishness, it may always be put at the service the common good and solidarity of those who have less.

Our Parish Mission Statement

"As a vibrant, diverse, and multicultural Catholic community in Surrey, we strive to celebrate our unity, deepen our faith, and serve with compassion. Guided by our core values of hospitality, inclusivity, compassion, and stewardship, we aim to create a warm and welcoming environment where everyone feels valued and connected. Empowered by our faith, we commit to living out the teachings of Jesus Christ and the Catholic Church's traditions and building a spiritual community where all may encounter God's love and mercy".

Our sick parishioners: Ron Murphy, Jean Reynard, Genie Stack, Crissie Hutchins, Michael McLaren, Dolores Keegan, Aurea Gaza, Theresa Connolly, Barbara Hamer, Geoff Carroll, Niall Dowling, Farouk Pochee, Stuart Milligan, Zainab Khan, Maria Aires, Clarrissa Angeles, Pamela Tomassi, Karen Drydale and Conor Sheehan.

Parish Children's Liturgy: Our parish children's Liturgy this Sunday in the hall. Parents please take note.

First Holy Communion 2026. Children and parents meet for the first time after 10am Mass Sunday 29th November in the church.

The Parish International Mass is on **Sunday 22nd November**. We celebrate how cultural expressions enrich the liturgy. This is also a "Bring and share" event. I encourage the youth of the parish to play an active role in this regard.
Please sign up to say which food/ national dish you will bring to share.
If you signed up for a bidding prayer, please collect them from Fr Alfred for you to translate.

Bottle/Chocolate Tombola We will be holding a bottle/chocolate tombola on the international day. Please bring in donations of anything (wine/soft drinks/ condiments/toiletries) in a bottle or some chocolates and put in the porch, so we can make this a success.

Announcement **Rosary before 10 am Mass Every Sunday**.
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament every Friday, we shall begin a silent Adoration every Friday from 7pm - 8pm.

November Memorial Board Parishioners are encouraged to drop in pictures of their loved ones from this weekend in view of All Souls Day Celebrations so these can be displayed and prayed for. Please also take envelopes to book Masses for the Holy Souls and include the names of their loved ones. These are available in the porch.

World Youth Sunday 2026 Sunday 22 November is World Youth Sunday. The second collection will support the Southwark Catholic Youth Service, which helps young people encounter Christ, grow in authentic friendship, and be equipped for mission in the Church and the world.
To find out more about our activities for young people and young adults, visit www.scys.org.uk or scan the QR code.
Additional resources are available from the Catholic Youth Ministry Federation (CYMFed) at www.cymfed.org.uk/wys

OCIA Order of Christian Initiation of Adults of the parish held every Monday in the Hall.

Parish Advent Reflections, Meditations and Prayers: The parish annual Advent reflections led by Neil will take place for 3 Mondays7pm in Advent Nov 30th, Dec 7th & 14th. It is a special time to reflect on various themes about our Lord Jesus.

Advent Penitential Service In preparation for Christmas please join in this Parish Penitential Advent service. Tuesday 7th December 7pm.

Pizza Van The notice of hearing has been fixed for the 24th of November at 10 am. Richard Smith our parishioner will speak on behalf of the parish. If you would like to attend the hearing, kindly notify the Council by emailing democratic.services@kingston.gov.uk. Your presence will be highly appreciated.

Counters needed. The role involves cash counting on a Monday (or other day) of that past weekend's collections; it takes roughly 45 mins and is very simple and no computer skills are needed. Then it must be banked ideally on that day either at the local post office (triangle) or direct at a NatWest Bank. The counters are on a rota so it is usually once every 5 to 6 weeks depending on how many volunteers we receive. Please contact Micheline 07956317309

Young Readers We are still looking for some young readers (secondary school age) for the rota. If you would like to read, please let Fr Alfred know. There is a rota so it would only be every 4 to 6 weeks. Please take a form from the back of the church.