



Church of the Most Sacred Heart

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Mass times

Sunday-9.00am, 10.30am
12.00noon, 6.00pm

Monday-Thursdays
10.00am

Fridays – 10.00am and
8.00pm

Saturdays – 10.00am,
6.00pm (Vigil Masses)

Saturday: Sacrament of
Reconciliation:
10.30-11.00am

Collections

Envelopes	£	728.00
Loose	£	<u>475.87</u>
Total	£	<u>1203.87</u>

Livestream Webcam

Masses are now live
streamed from our church
on

<https://www.churchservices.tv/ruislipsacredheart>

Registering for Mass

Please follow this link to
register for the Sunday Mass
of your choice.

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/most-sacred-heart-parish-mass-tickets-111947782832>

If you are unable to register
online, please call Fr
Sebastian on **01895 632739**
between **11am – 6pm** for
help.

If your arrangements
change and you cannot
come to the Mass you have
selected, please cancel your
booking, log into your
Eventbrite account to edit
your booking.

Parish Priest: **Fr. Duncan M. Adamson**

Assistant Priest: **Fr. Sebastian Joseph**

Parish Administrator: **Anne O'Connor**

Catechetical Co-ordinator: **Jo Marsh**

Pastoral Youth Worker: **Siobhan Denny**

Parish Website: parish.rcdow.org.uk/ruislip

The parish office is closed to visitors until further notice.

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23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fr. Duncan writes: After a very busy month of August, September is becoming rather busy as the new academic year gets under way in our parish. We are celebrating baptisms and weddings, many of which have been postponed from last year. In a couple of weeks, we will celebrate our Parish First Holy Communion. These Masses are by invitation only, because of limited space in the church. Please pray for the children and their families. Next month, we will celebrate the Parish Confirmations. Again, these Masses will be by invitation only. As always there is a lot going on.

After the removal of certain restrictions to combat the spread of Covid 19, we need to bear in mind that the virus is still spreading. In the church we are doing our best to create a safe environment to welcome all who come to Mass. This means that many of the measures we have put in place will remain, and we will keep to the ways we have become accustomed to when we come into the church. We have been advised to move slowly and with caution. The key actions we have been doing significantly reduce the spread of infection. At present, please continue to wear facemasks in the church and sanitise your hands as you enter the church. If you are comfortable doing so, you may join your family and friends in the same bench. We will maintain the social distanced seating until we are advised otherwise.

Arrangements for coming to Mass

The arrangements for coming to Mass have not changed. You will not need to register for weekday Mass, unless it is a Feast Day. You can register for track and trace as you enter the church using either the QR code on the door or the list on the table. **You will still need to register for Sunday Masses (Saturday 6.00pm, Sunday 9.00am, 10.30am, 12.00 noon and 6.00pm) as before.** This is to ensure we keep within the Covid secure capacity of our church.

Sunday – it is our day

This phrase came from the Bishop's meeting last April as they reflected on the effects of the pandemic and how it has affected our Catholic worship. The Bishops now state; *'It is hoped that it will be possible for all Catholics in England and Wales to fulfil this most important Church precept, that of the Sunday Obligation, by the First Sunday in Advent 2021. In the meantime, all Catholics are asked to do their best to participate in the celebration of the weekly Sunday Mass and to reflect deeply on the centrality of Sunday worship in the life of the Church.'*

Dona: Contactless Donations

A digital collection plate was installed in the church porch during the summer. It is an easy to use self-service device that collects donations via contactless or Chip & Pin.

Stewarding

We have been supported by a great team of stewards for many months. These generous men and women have helped to ensure that the church is a place of welcome and safety during this time of pandemic in our country. I am very grateful to all those who help regularly each week. But, we are in need of more stewards to help with the weekend Masses. Please come and join our team and help us and your fellow parishioners in this way.

Walsingham Shrine

Next weekend some members of the Walsingham Association from our parish will be selling raffle tickets to support the National Shrine of Our Lady at Walsingham. Please buy some.

Education Sunday

Next Sunday is Education Sunday when we pray for all those who work in Catholic Education.

Baptism Congratulations

Congratulations to Rory Cain, Nevaeh Sinclair, Serena Ferraro-Mastromano & Gabriel Galas who will all be baptized in our Church this weekend.

Can you help?

Our youth clubs are in need of adult volunteers. The youth clubs are on: **Thursday's 5-7pm** for school years 4&5. **Friday's 6-9pm** for school years 6-9. As a volunteer your role would include engaging with the young people, helping with activities, faith sharing, preparing food and general supervision. If you have any skills, talents or interests you would be encouraged to share this as much as possible. You can help weekly, fortnightly or monthly and depending on your availability a rota will be drawn up. If you feel that you would be able to help please contact Siobhan on **07908111796**.

Friday Morning Coffee

Friday morning coffee will resume next **Friday 10th September** after the **10am** Mass in the Bec Suite.

Retrouvaille

Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Most don't know how to change the situation or even communicate with their spouse about it. This programme has helped 6,000 couples who were experiencing difficulties in their marriage in the past year. For confidential information about 'Retrouvaille' or to register for the programme commencing with a 'Virtual Weekend on 21st- 24th Oct. Call or text **07887 296983** or **07973 380443** or visit www.retrouvaille.org.uk

Children & Family Mass - Hesdin Hall

Our Children & Family Mass will resume this **Sunday 5th September** at **10.30am** in Hesdin Hall. Please continue to register for the time being: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/most-sacred-heart-family-mass-tickets-120968017597> although there is often space on the day.

First Holy Communion 2021 Children's Preparation

Our final children's preparation session for those children celebrating their First Holy Communion on **18th & 19th September 2021** will take place this **Tuesday** evening **7th September at 5pm** and **6:15pm** respectively in Hesdin Hall. Please see email from Jo or get in touch if you have any questions.

First Holy Communion 2021 Parents' Meeting

There will be a meeting for parents of children celebrating their First Holy Communion on **18th & 19th September 2021** this **Wednesday 8th September 7:30pm** in Hesdin Hall. We look forward to seeing you there.

First Holy Communion Preparation 2022 - Registration of Interest

There will be a meeting for parents of children who are interested in preparing for First Holy Communion and Reconciliation in 2022 on **Wednesday 22nd September 2021 8pm**. If you are interested in attending, please register your details here: <https://forms.office.com/r/8LhmNzBqCm>.

Confirmation Preparation 2022 - Registration of Interest

There will be a meeting for parents and young people who are interested in preparing for **Confirmation in 2022** on **Tuesday 12th October 2021 7.30pm**. If you are interested in attending, please register your details here: <https://forms.office.com/r/h18AvAMTML>.

Mass Intentions for the week: 4th – 12th September 2021

Saturday 4 th September <i>St. Cuthbert</i>	10.00 Alan Davies, R.I.P. (Ann.) 18.00 Ozzie & Zacarina DeCruz, R.I.P. (Ann.)
Sunday 5 th September <i>23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	09.00 Rosemary Singh, R.I.P. 10.30 Serena Kerrigan, R.I.P. (Ann.) 10.30 For You the People (Children's Mass in the Hall) 12.00 Lily Doody, R.I.P. 16.00 Ray Bannard Intentions (Malayalam Mass) 18.00 Paul Devine, R.I.P. (Ann.)
Monday 6 th September	10.00 Jeganathan, Boniface & Christina Fernando, R.I.P.
Tuesday 7 th September	10.00 Reg Turner, R.I.P.
Wednesday 8 th September <i>The Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary</i>	10.00 Sandy & Eddie Vivier Intentions
Thursday 9 th September <i>St. Peter Claver</i>	10.00 John Ryan, R.I.P.
Friday 10 th September	10.00 Antao & Mascarenhas Deceased Family Members, R.I.P. 20.00 Rose Singh, R.I.P.
Saturday 11 th September	10.00 Anita Ramelli, R.I.P. (Ann.) 18.00 Josie Berand, R.I.P. (Ann.)
Sunday 12 th September <i>24th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	09.00 Loughman, Barrett & Brosnan Deceased Family Members, R.I.P. 10.30 Winifred Rossiter, R.I.P. (Ann.) 10.30 For You the People (Children's Mass in the Hall) 12.00 James Yeates Intentions 18.00 Kevin Emery, R.I.P. (Ann.)

(Please note the Rosary is recited every week day morning in the Church at 9.30am)

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:

Marjorie Shaw, Bernadette Campbell, Susan Acton, Bernadeta Herrera, Simon Mott, Richard Verrall, Livia Emmanuel, Pauline Walsh, Claire Wilmshurst, Edward Vivier, Janet Smith, Sheila Morrison, Andrew Wilson, Barbara Steadman, Theresa Jefferson, Kevin Horner, Eileen O'Higgins, Rosetta Roach, Edward Barrett, Gerry Jarrett, Barbara Elliott, Tom de Souza, Ron Leonard, Emily Cross, Sarah Vincent, Deborah McGauran, Joyce Turner, Charles Castle and Lily McCarrick.

AND FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME:

Alan Davies, Ozzie & Zacarina DeCruz, Serena Kerrigan and Paul Devine,

God Bless
Fr. Duncan & Fr. Sebastian