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NEWSLETTER

7th September 2025, + Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS TIMES

WEEKEND MASSES: Saturday Vigil Mass 6pm & Sunday 9:30am & 11:30am.

WEEKDAY MASSES: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday: 9:30am. Friday abstinence.

CHURCH OPENING TIMES: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday: 8am - 5pm. Saturday 5:30pm-7pm. Sunday 8am-1pm.

PUBLIC ROSARY: Every Wednesday 10am. All are welcome.

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Saturday 10:30am – 11:15am followed by Benediction.

CONFESSION: Saturday 10:30am -11:15am (in the Sacristy) or by appointment

MASS BOOK THIS SUNDAY

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Order of Mass: pg.7
Hymns: see hymn board
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OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Thank you for your generous donations

Figures will be provided next week

Church Cleaning Team 6: J Rodrigues, C Lobo & A Vadakathara (Wednesday)

THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED

Please pray for our recently departed parishioners:

Margaret Tuck, James (Jim) Webb, William Ogle, Richard Chapman, Eileen Sargent, Derek Hook, Daniel Fitzgerald.

+ Eternal rest grant unto them O Lord, and let perpetual light shine upon them. Amen +

*Please Note: **Lavina** will not be available on Mondays and Tuesdays.*
*For bookkeeping enquiries, please email **Luciana**: sunburyonthamesbk@rcdow.org.uk*

PARISH NOTICES

Empowering Vulnerable Children (EVC) Uganda - Appeal TODAY: EVC Uganda is a charity dedicated to transforming the lives of some of the world's poorest children by giving them access to education and hope for a brighter future. Judi Fawcett, Founder and Trustee, will speak briefly at all Masses that weekend to share more about their vital work. To learn more, please visit: www.evcuganda.org

First Holy Communion 2025 – Younger Children: This course is for children in **Year 3 or 4.** Online registration will open soon via the Parish Website. Please do not worry, just keep an eye on the parish newsletter for the official launch date. Once registration opens, take your time to fill in all details carefully. Have your child's Baptism Certificate ready and follow the instructions on the online form. Details about the registration deadline, session dates, and the parents' first meeting will be shared soon.

First Holy Communion 2025 – Older Children: For children in **Year 5 and above**, a separate course will be offered. Registration details for this group will be announced shortly. Again, please don't worry, just keep reading the parish newsletter for updates.

Family Rosary and Fish & Chips on the first Friday of each month: The next one will be on Friday 3rd October – Come and say the Rosary at 6pm in the Church, followed by Fish & Chips. Please place your food order by Wednesday 1st October to Dan (07535 958 924).

Red Mission Boxes – Supporting Missio (APF): Our parish supports Missio and the Mill Hill Missionaries through the Red Box scheme, helping train future priests and support communities in need. If you have a Red Box, please return your donations using the envelope provided. If you need one or would like a box, contact Vince Grayson via the Parish Office. Direct Debit and legacy giving forms are available in the church porch. Thank you for your support and prayers.

March for Life UK 2025: Join March for Life UK on Saturday 6th Sept in London! The right to life underpins every other right we have and without it every other right is rendered meaningless. Abortion denies the most vulnerable in our society their most basic right, the right to life, which is why this year's theme is 'Human Rights for All Humans'. Find out more marchforlife.co.uk or email info@marchforlife.co.uk

Saturday Quiz Night – In Aid of Crohn's & Colitis UK: Saturday 20th September, 7:00pm at St Michael's Church, TW15 2QD. Join us for a fun and friendly adult quiz night to support Crohn's & Colitis UK. Make a team or join one on the night, all are welcome! Bring your own snacks and beverages. Teas and coffees will be available to buy. Come along, test your trivia skills, and help raise money for a great cause!