

6. **Pilgrimage of Reparation & Prayer for the Sanctity of Life to Walsingham, Saturday 3rd August,**

to be led by Bishop David Oakley
A coach will take pilgrims from the Co-op Food Store, McLeod Road, Abbey Wood SE2 0BS.

There is little doubt that the new Parliament will see further attempts to introduce assisted dying and abortion up to birth. Pope Saint John Paul II urged everyone to join in the 'great prayer for life' in defence of the vulnerable.

A poster is displayed on noticeboards in the Church giving booking details for the coach, which will leave at 8.00am.

Places £35 Bring a packed lunch and drinks. to book contact Anna on 07947 765 401

For more information go to

www.prolifepilgrimage.org

Please consider joining this pilgrimage, if possible in person, or online at walsingham.org.uk/live-stream/



Our Lady of Walsingham:
Pray for us!
Our Lady of England:
Pray for us!

3. **+ J. M. J. + JESUS, + MARY, and + JOSEPH +**
Newsletter Supplement: Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)
28th July 2024

The Month of July is dedicated to The Precious Blood of Jesus.

August is dedicated to The Immaculate Heart of Mary.

**THE HOLY FATHER'S
INTENTION FOR
THE MONTH OF AUGUST**

"FOR POLITICAL LEADERS:

Let us pray that political Leaders be at the service of their own people, working for the integral human development and the common good, taking care of those who have lost their jobs and

giving priority to the poor."



Very Urgent Date for your Diary :

Saturday 7th September 2024:

THE MARCH FOR LIFE U.K.

(London)

**ABORTION IS NOT
HEALTHCARE**

For more information - please check

*The March For Life U.K.
Website - simply enter:*

info@marchforlife.co.uk

PLEASE NOTE:

We hope to keep the Church open, Monday to Friday from Thursday 1st August to Thursday 8th August 2024 from 7:00am until after Holy Mass and the Holy Rosary.

There will be NO ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT EXPOSED on the Altar, but The Lord is always present in the Tabernacle.

Please, Come, Adore Him, and Pray for Peace: The Holy Rosary and The Divine Mercy Chaplet 8:15am to 8:45am, Monday to Friday.

CONFESSIONS

will be heard ONLY

WHEN A PRIEST IS AVAILABLE & THE CHURCH IS OPEN, and ON REQUEST

from Saturday 27th July to Friday 9th August 2024.

DIOCESAN DAY FOR CATECHISTS:

SATURDAY 28TH SEPTEMBER 2024, 10:00AM,

in The Amigo Hall, St George's R. C. Cathedral, Southwark.

This will be our tenth annual Diocesan Day for Catechists and will feature a keynote address, workshops, resource stalls and opportunities to meet other catechists. It is always a great day, please save the date now.

FATIMA PILGRIMAGE

from St Anselm's, Dartford, and English Martyrs', Strood, led by Fr Stephen Boyle and Fr Tom Lynch. 21st - 24th October 2024. cost £ 399.

The cost includes return flights from Gatwick half board accommodation, and transfer from Lisbon to/from Fatima.

Places limited to 30 persons, with just 8 places left this weekend. £ 70 single supplement. For more details please contact Fr Stephen Boyle:

Dartford@rcaos.org.uk, or tel: 01322 220 075,

Insurance not included in the price.

4.
**ST ANSELM'S, WEST HILL,
 DARTFORD,
 HOLY MASS
 AT 7:00PM -
 MONDAY TO FRIDAY
 WITH DIVINE MERCY
 CHAPLET
 AND DEVOTIONS BEFORE
 THE MASS,
 AND THE HOLY ROSARY
 AFTER THE MASS.
 ALL WELCOME.
 PLEASE COME.**

**WORLD DAY FOR GRAND-PARENTS AND
 THE ELDERLY 2024: 28TH JULY 2024**

Pope Francis' message for the World Day for Grandparents and the Elderly 2024, reminds us that God never abandons his children, never. He chose the theme:

"Do not cast me off in my old age"

**THE
 WILTON
 DIPTYCH:**
 Richard II
 presented to
 the
 Virgin
 and
 Child
 by his
 patron
 Saint John
 the Baptist
 and Saints Edward and Edmund.



Does it portray King Richard II giving England to the Blessed Virgin Mary as her 'Dowry' during **The Peasants' Revolt (1381)**: also known as 'Wat Tyler's Rebellion' or 'the Great Rising', a major uprising across England?
 (National Gallery, Trafalgar Square, London)

*Please pray the prayer for
 THE CONVERSION OF ENGLAND
 by Cardinal Nicholas Wiseman
 (to be said every day
 and after each Benediction)*

**O BLESSED VIRGIN MARY,
 Mother of God and our
 most gentle Queen and
 Mother, look down in mer-
 cy upon England thy
 "Dowry" and upon us all
 who greatly hope and trust
 in thee.**

**By thee it was that Jesus
 our Saviour and our hope
 was given unto the world;
 and He has given thee to us
 that we might hope still
 more.**

**Plead for us thy children,
 whom thou didst receive
 and accept at the foot of the
 Cross, O sorrowful Mother.**

**Intercede for our separat-
 ed brethren, that with us in
 the one true fold they may
 be united to the chief Shep-
 herd, the Vicar of thy Son.**

**Pray for us all,
 dear Mother,
 that by faith fruitful
 in good works we may all
 deserve to see and praise
 God, together with thee,
 in our heavenly home.**

AMEN.

5.
**A Date for your Diary
 please:
 22nd September 2024:
PARISH DAY
 for
 St Mary of the Crays:
 An International
 Holy Mass at 10:30am
 with readings, prayers,
 and singing
 offered in our
 many languages,
 followed by
BRING AND SHARE
 celebration of foods
 from the countries
 we represent
 and come from
 in the Parish Hall.**

Will you / can you help:

- **Decorate the Church and the Hall,**
- **Arrange the tables and chairs in the Hall,**
- **Prepare food from 'back home',**
- **Help serve food and drink,**
- **Entertain with singing, and**
- **'Tidy-up' afterwards please?**



**Our Lady of Walsingham:
 Pray for us!
 Our Lady of England's
 Nazareth: Pray for us!**

**OUR LADY OF WALSINGHAM
 RAISED TO THE RANK OF FEAST**

The Vatican has granted permis-
 sion for

Our Lady of Walsingham
 to be celebrated as a new Feast in
 the Dioceses of England, starting
 this year on

24th September.

Please see the news section on
 the Catholic Bishops Conference
 England and Wales for further
 information:

www.cbcew.org.uk