



St Thomas à Becket Catholic Church

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NINETEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME & THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY

9 AUGUST 2026

"Command me to come to you on the water."

Mass Times

Sat 8	St Dominic, Priest Memorial 09:30 Holy Souls 12:30 Baptism Caspar Alexander Kosasih 17:30 Vigil Mass of Sunday Rita Bernice Lavelle RIP
Sun 9	Nineteenth Sunday 10:00 People of the Parish
Mon 10	St Lawrence, Deacon & Martyr Feast NO MASS
Tues 11	St Clare, Virgin Memorial 09:30 Dorothy Matsutani RIP & 'Bil' Alaric James Lawrence Cartright-Jepson RIP
Weds 12	Feria 09:30 Theresa McLaughlin RIP
Thurs 13	Feria 09:30 Fr Jon Bielawski RIP (Diocese of Plymouth)
Fri 14	St Maximilian Mary Kolbe, Priest & Martyr Memorial 09:30 Antonio Beirão Monteiro RIP Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Sunday Readings: Year A
Weekday Readings: Year 2

Confessions:
 Saturday 10.00-10.45

Baptisms:
 Please speak to Fr Jude after Mass

Marriages:
 Please speak to Mgr Matthew after Mass

16 AUGUST 2026

*"He who is mighty has done great things for me;
 he has exalted those of humble estate."*

Mass Times

Sat 15	The Blessed Virgin Mary 09:30 Audrey & John Charlton RIP 17:30 Vigil Mass of Sunday Canon Peter Turbitt RIP (Diocese of Plymouth)
Sun 16	The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Solemnity, Holiday of Obligation 10:00 People of the Parish 12:00 Baptism Sophia Rose Pigott
Mon 17	Feria NO MASS
Tues 18	Feria 09:30 Bridget Monahan RIP
Weds 19	Feria 09:30 Holy Souls
Thurs 20	St Bernard, Abbot & Doctor of the Church Memorial 09:30 Elizabeth Alice Smith RIP
Fri 21	St Pius X, Pope Memorial 09:30 Antonio Beirão Monteiro RIP Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Sat 22	The Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary Memorial 09:30 Holy Souls 12:00 Baptism Finn Michael Coulthard Perry 17:30 Vigil Mass of Sunday People of the Parish
Sun 23	Twenty-first Sunday 10:00 Jane Snowden RIP

SECOND COLLECTION

8- 9 AUGUST - FUND THE FLOCK

A collection to help fund our new Youth Group, The Flock. The group will commence in the Autumn and will be for children and teenagers ages 8 – 17 years. Please register your interest using the QR code below.

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS

15 –16 AUGUST – BUILDING FUND

The Building Fund covers ongoing organ repair costs along with other building-related repairs and expenses. Thank you for continuing your financial support of the parish.

22- 23 AUGUST – MC VESTMENTS

This fund contributes towards the purchase of new MC vestments. Vestments are a significant investment due to limited specialist suppliers, however, they are made to last for many years and represent a lasting gift to the parish. Thank you for your generosity.

The Flock

Youth group for ages 8-17

Friday night from 6:30-8:00pm
An evening of food, fun and faith

Scan the QR code to register your interest



ARE YOU INTERESTED IN BECOMING A CATHOLIC?

FIRST MEETING: Wednesday 7 October at 19:00. Please meet at the priest's house before a tour round the church.

Our RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) is open to adults who are not baptized, adults who have been baptized in another Christian tradition and who now wish to become members of the Catholic Church, or baptized Catholics who have not received the Sacraments of Eucharist and/or Confirmation. If you are interested to know more please introduce yourself to Mgr Matthew after mass or email Mgr Matthew on the parish email address wandsworthwesthill@RCAOS.org.uk



LITTLE PILGRIMS PLAY & PRAY

Break for the Summer - Next meeting September. Our group for parents and toddlers (0-4 years) **Meets every Monday during school term time** (except bank holidays) 10:00-11:30 in the parish hall.

PLEASE RETURN ANY MISSIO BOXES ASAP AS THEY ARE DUE FOR COUNTING. THANK YOU.

The **Grupo de Oración en Español** (Spanish Rosary & Devotions), which usually takes place on Wednesdays at 6pm, will pause for the summer from 1 July and **resume on Wednesday 9 September.**



KNIT & NATTER

TAKING A BREAK OVER AUGUST. MEET UPS RESUME IN SEPTEMBER.

Every Thursday after Mass (10am)
Rice Room



SERVICE FOR THOSE HARMED BY ABUSE WEDNESDAY 30 SEPTEMBER 2026 – 6.30PM ST GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL, SOUTHWARK

The Archdiocese of Southwark warmly invites you to an evening of hope and healing, led by Archbishop John Wilson, for all those affected by abuse. Further info: see posters at the back of the church.

NATIONAL EUCHARISTIC CONGRESS ADOREMUS | 2026 SATURDAY 10 OCTOBER 2026

Adoremus is the Bishops' invitation to renew our devotion to the Eucharistic Lord. Starting at **10.30am** at **St George's Cathedral** with presentations on Eucharistic Art and Life, **Adoremus Mass** follows at **12pm**, celebrated by Archbishop John Wilson, with a keynote address from Cardinal Timothy Radcliffe OP. At **3pm**, delegates process to **Westminster Cathedral** for Solemn Benediction at **5.00pm**. The evening continues with Mass, Holy Hours and an overnight Vigil. Places can be booked at www.westminstercathedral.org.uk/adoremus/. Further information: www.cbcew.org.uk/adoremus-2026/ or see the posters at the back of the church.



URSULINE HIGH SCHOOL OPEN EVENTS 2027+ ENTRY

Evening: WED 23/09/2026 6 – 8.30pm

Mornings: 28/09/26 – 02/10/26 9am OR 11am

Bookings Close 16/09. Sign up via school website.



COLLECTIONS 26/07 02/08

Parish Collection	£385	£392
Parish Dona	£335	£274
Standing Orders	£568	£568
Building Fund Coll.	£109	£73
Building Fund Dona	£44	£24



8 - 9 August

R **Readers: SAT:** S. Doney, S. Palmer
O **SUN:** L. Brown, S. & R. Jay

15 - 16 August

T **Readers: SAT:** E. Mends, S. Doney
A **SUN:** A. Burnett, T. Greetham

22 - 23 August

S **Readers: SAT:** E. Falcone, S. & R. Jay
SUN: L. Brown, L. Northeast

MAINTENANCE TEAM: Meet 11am-1pm, 2nd Saturday of the Month. **Next meet: 12 SEPTEMBER**

DIARY DATES AT-A-GLANCE:

9 Sep 6pm, Grupo de Oración en Español resumes
23 Sep 6pm, Ursuline Open Evening (booking req.)
28 Sep – 2 Oct 9am & 11am Ursuline Open Day
30 Sep 6:30pm Service for Victims of Abuse, St George's Cathedral, SE1 7HY