

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time (19th – 20th September 2026)



Responsorial psalm response:

“The Lord is close to all who call him.”



Saint Michael Archangel,
defend us in battle,
be our protection against the
wickedness and snares of the devil;
may God rebuke him,
we humbly pray;
and do thou, O Prince of the heavenly host,
by the power of God,
cast into hell Satan and all the evil spirits
who prowl through the world
seeking the ruin of souls. Amen.

POPE LEO'S SEPTEMBER PRAYER INTENTION



For the care of water.

Let us pray for a just and
sustainable management of water,
a vital resource, so that everyone
may have equal access to it.

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200 Club

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Quarterly renewals for the 200 Club for September to November are now due before the end of the month. If you support us with an annual contribution, please do check when your renewal date is. Several have lapsed and you are no longer in the draw.

Please, please could everyone renewing quarterly or annually use the reference <surname>200 AND send an email to the Parish Office to confirm this so that Carol can look out for the payment in the accounts.

Thank you for your continued support!

Second Collection



A second collection for the Catholic Evangelisation (formerly CASE)/ Home Mission will be taken at all Masses on 19th and 20th September.

Weekly Quiz

A question to share with the younger members of the congregation ... but do you know the answers?

What are the first and last books of the Bible?

- A. Genesis and Exodus
- B. Genesis and John
- C. Genesis and Revelation
- D. Genesis and Psalms



World Youth Day Seoul 2027

Next July 2027, World Youth Day in the Church will take place again, only this time in Seoul, South Korea.

The parish is intending on supporting two young adults 18+ to join the Diocesan group of thirty for these events. Two places have already been secured by the parish, with an initial deposit of £500. This means please, that with your help over the coming year, the parish is seeking to fundraise an additional £5,500 to support this.

World Youth Day (WYD) with Pope Leo XIV will be a life changing and faith filled encounter for our young people. We therefore ask to all members of the parish to take their part through encouragement, fundraising and prayer.”
Thank you.

Weekly income 12th – 13th Sept

Contactless:	£ 245.00
Loose plate	£ TBA
Building fund	£ 50.00
shop for August	£ 216.44

Weekly Standing Orders: £820.00

Flame 2027



On 6 March 2027, Wembley Arena in London will host a Catholic congress for young people aged 14 and over. The event will consist of a concert with inspiring speakers, incredible live music, prayer and adoration.

Catholics from all over the country head to Flame each year, and we have 10 places reserved for our parish. Tickets are £59 each plus the cost of coach transport provided by Kenelm Youth Trust.

If you are interested or would like to have further details, then please let Clare know by calling 07900 582247. Do also let us know if you would like to go but would struggle to pay the full amount as help may be available.

Youth Club



Youth Club takes place every first Sunday of the month from 5-7pm. All young people from year 7 to year 12 are very welcome.

Join us for the following activities:

4th Oct: Sports night

8th Nov: Bingo and board games

6th Dec: Taskmaster Christmas

Bereavement Support Group

The parish has a dedicated Bereavement Support Group, who are happy to assist any parishioners, who have recently suffered the loss of a loved one.

Please contact Julia Feeney at olsabsg@gmail.com, or consult the parish website for more details.



Exodus is the second book of the Bible; John is the shortest book and Psalms is the longest book.

Answer to the quiz:
Answer: C. Genesis and Revelation

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Mass intentions

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Year A

Saturday 19th Sept 4.30pm

Confession

5.30pm

People of the parish

Sunday 20th Sept 10.00am

Calogero Balistreri RIP

Monday 21st Sept No mass

Tuesday 22nd Sept 9.15am

Wednesday 23rd Sept 6.30pm

Thursday 24th Sept 9.15am

Maria Isabel Santos intentions

11.00am

Funeral service of the late Mr. George Coston RIP; Burial at Henley Road Cemetery at 12.45pm

Friday 25th Sept 9.15am

Robert Colehan intentions

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Year A

Saturday 26th Sept 4.30pm

Confession

5.30pm

John Kearns intentions

Sunday 27th Sept 10.00am

People of the parish

12 noon

Baptism of Emmanuel Perez Delgado

Note:

- Masses in this weekend are offered by Fr. Royston Price. Fr. Joe is officiating a wedding in Spain on Saturday.
- The parish office will be closed from Tuesday 22nd Sept. to Thursday 24th Sept., but will be open on Friday 25th Sept.



OUR LADY'S LAMP

No dedication for this week

Evening Prayer before
Saturday Mass,
approx. 4.45pm.
Everybody is welcome.



The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is **Sue Houghton**, and our Parish Safeguarding Advisor is **Julia Feeney**. They can be contacted at: sg.ol.stanne.caversham@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted on 0121 230 6240/ safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concern.