



**ST WILFRID'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**  
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**THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER IS DEDICATED TO OUR LADY OF SORROWS**

**WEEK COMMENCING 7<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025 - YEAR C**

<b>Saturday 6th</b> 10.am 5.00pm	<b>SUNDAY VIGIL</b> <i>Holy Mass – Javis Maingi RIP</i> <i>Holy Mass -William Fitzgerald RIP 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary</i>
<b>Sunday 7th</b> 8.30am 10.00am 11.00am 12.00pm	<b>TWENTY -THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)</b> <i>Holy Mass – Mary Maingi- Healing and family intentions</i> <i>Holy Mass – Maria Josephine Lyons RIP- birthday</i> <b>Coffee and Tea – Church Hall</b> <i>Holy Mass- Alexander Grzesiak -15<sup>th</sup> birthday blessings</i>
<b>Monday 8th</b>	<b>FERIA - NO MASS</b>
<b>Tuesday 9th</b> 9.30 am 10.00am	<b>FERIA</b> <i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Holy Rosary</i> <i>Holy Mass – Jeremiah Nolan- RIP Months mind mass</i>
<b>Wednesday 10th</b> 9.30 am 10.00am	<b>Saint Peter Claver</b> <i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Holy Rosary</i> <i>Holy Mass – Tom Smith -RIP</i>
<b>Thursday 11th</b> 9.30 am 10.00am	<b>FERIA</b> <i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Holy Rosary</i> <i>Holy Mass – Pat Clarke -RIP</i>
<b>Friday 12th</b> 9.30 am 10.00am	<b>The Most Holy Name of Mary</b> <i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Holy Rosary</i> <i>Holy Mass – Jeffery -Peace of mind</i>
<b>Saturday 13th</b> 9.30am 10.00am 5.00pm	<b>Saint John Chrysostom</b> <i>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and the Holy Rosary</i> <i>Holy Mass – Emmanuel Maingi-Study intention</i> <i>Holy Mass – Margaret Bygrave – RIP</i>
<b>Sunday 14th</b> 8:30 am 10.00am 11.00am 12.00pm	<b>The Exaltation of the Holy Cross (C)</b> <i>Holy Mass – Cicia Pauline – for God’s mission and deceased member of the family</i> <i>Holy Mass – Margaret Bygrave- RIP</i> <b>Coffee and Tea – Church Hall</b> <i>Holy Mass – Allison Furtado -Personal intentions</i>

**THE SANCTUARY LAMP**

Burning this week for: Patrick McKenna(birthday) and Catherine McKenna Anniversary (37 years)  
 Requests via the sacristy, recommended donation £10



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**With grateful thanks for the generosity of our Parishioners and Visitors our collection for last Sunday**

1<sup>ST</sup> Collection: £397.55  
 Maintenance: £ 73.30  
**TOTAL: £452.85**

*May Our Lord reward you for your kind generosity*

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**CONFESSION**

Tuesday – Friday – After 10am Holy Mass  
 Saturday – After 10am Holy Mass and 4.30pm-4.50pm  
 Sunday – 8.00-8.20am; 9.30-9.50am; 11.30-11.50am

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**First Communion:** (For Year 3 +) If you plan for your child to join this year's program and **Confirmation** for Year 9 and above (age 14+), please prepare prayerfully. Please see Father Sebastian by October 31<sup>st</sup> 2025.

**RCIA Program:** If you are over 18 and not yet confirmed, or if you would like to learn more about our faith, please join this year's RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) program. Please contact Deacon Saleem or Father Sebastian for more information.

Archbishop John Wilson and the Safeguarding team, invite all parishioners to join on the 24th September 2025 6.30pm, for the Service for Hope and Healing, for all those that have been harmed by abuse. The service is to express the archdiocese’s commitment to all those that have been harmed, their family and friends and to come together as a community and demonstrate our solidarity for those harmed

Building Maintenance Update, you may have noticed that our gutter cleaning and repair work has begun please pray for the completion of the work.

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**A Word from Father Sebastian**

Today's gospel reminds us that following Jesus is a demanding commitment, requiring us to prioritise our spiritual life above all else. Jesus's shocking words about rejecting family teach us that nothing should stand in the way of our relationship with God. The Church is also celebrating this idea with the canonisation of two young men, Carlo Acutis and Pier Giorgio Frassati, this weekend. Carlo Acutis, who was born in London and died at age 15, demonstrated his devotion to the Eucharist and used his computer skills to spread the faith. His life is a modern example of what it means to be a true disciple. He teaches us that nothing is more important than serving God. As Jesus said, if we put God first, we will find eternal life.

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**NOTICE:** The funeral for **Margaret Joan Bygrave** will be held at St. Wilfrid's. Reception of the Body Tuesday October 7th at 4:30 pm. Funeral Mass Wednesday October 8th at 11:00 am. The cremation will follow at 1:00 pm at South London Crematorium.