

ST PATRICK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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26 September 2026 – 4 October 2026

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MASS TIMES/INTENTIONS

SATURDAY 26 September Weekday in Ordinary Time

Mass: 6.30pm

- (1) John Joseph Cunningham (RIP) Anniversary – Cunningham Family

SUNDAY 27 September TWENTY SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass: 8.30am

Mass: 10.00am

- (1) Joseph Kudelko – Geraldine & Pete Dewfall
(2) Heckki (RIP)

Brazilian Mass: 5.30pm

TUESDAY 29 September FEAST OF SAINTS MICHAEL, GABRIEL AND RAPHAEL, ARCHANGELS

Mass: 7.30pm

WEDNESDAY 30 September Memorial of Saint Jerome, Priest, Doctor of the Church

Mass: 9.15am

THURSDAY 1 October Memorial of Saint Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin, Doctor of the Church

Mass: 9.15am

FRIDAY 2 October Memorial of the Holy Guardian Angels

Mass: 12 noon

- (1) Stephen Jackson (RIP) First Anniversary – Brenda Jackson & Family

SATURDAY 3 October Weekday in Ordinary Time

Mass: 6.30pm

- (1) Sheila Wakeham (90th birthday intention) – Sheila's Family
(2) Tom Kavanagh (RIP) Birthday Memory – Kavanagh Family
(3) Robert Holland (RIP) First Anniversary – Rose Holland & Family

SUNDAY 4 October TWENTY SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass: 8.30am

- (1) Francis Simmonds (RIP) Anniversary – Maria & Edmond Beasley-Suffolk
(2) Andy Gray (RIP) – Maureen
(3) Will Howie (RIP) Birthday Memory – Christine Howie

Mass: 10.00am

- (1) Maureen and Mick Ryan (RIP) – Deacon Rob
(2) Mary and Peter (RIP) Anniversary – Alexander Family

Brazilian Mass: 5.30pm

CONFESSION: Before and after weekday Mass

PARISH WHATSAPP GROUP



Join the Parish WhatsApp group by scanning the code. This will be an additional platform to share updates, news, events and more.

Stay Connected. Stay informed.

COLLECTIONS – USING THE QR CODE



We understand that many people no longer carry cash. However, you can still take part in the Offertory by using the QR code. At the time of the Offertory during Mass, simply take out your smartphone and open the camera (or QR-scanning app). Point it at the QR code shown in the bulletin.

A link will appear on your screen—tap it to be taken securely to our parish giving page, where you can make your offering quietly and easily. You may also choose to scan the QR code before or after Mass if you prefer. All donations made via the QR code are processed through a secure and trusted giving system, and your personal and payment details are protected. Your participation in the Offertory remains a meaningful part of our worship, however you choose to give. Thank you for your continued generosity and support of our parish.

FATHER HENRY

Father Henry returns to Poland next Thursday. Please keep him in your prayers. We look forward to seeing him again at Christmas and thank him for his visit.

POSSIBLE SUBSIDENCE

The corner of the School is showing some possible subsidence and until it is investigated, please do not park next to the cordoned off area in the school playground.

TALKS ON THE FAITH

Talks on the Faith take place on Tuesdays at 6.30pm in the Shore Gallery. If you, or someone you know, is interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, you would be very welcome to attend these talks.

REST IN PEACE

Please pray for Janet Smart, who died last week. Janet lived in Dillon Court for over 30 years and was a faithful parishioner, volunteering in the Charity Shop for 25 years. Janet's funeral service will take place at **St Patrick's on Wednesday, 14th October 2026 at 11.15am**. May she Rest in Peace.

PRAYING FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:

*John Kelleher, Katie Cunningham, Philip Green,
John Olver, Phil Olver, Margoritz Krezalek, Terry Rooker,
Mark Kingston-James, Mark Harrington, Angie Cottuli,
Robert Moloney and Julie Walker.*

Please remember to keep the parish office updated with any changes.

BAPTISM

- (1) The next Baptismal talk will take place on Sunday 11th October **at 11.00am after the 10.00am Mass.** Parents must attend a talk before their child(ren) can be Baptised.
- (2) Proof of Catholic Baptism of one parent is required before your child can be Baptised. Also, one Godparent is required to be a Baptised Catholic.

Further information, if required, is available from the parish office.

TEA & COFFEE

Tea and Coffee will be served today and every week after the 10.00am Mass and on every first Sunday of the month after 8.30am Mass. Thank you to all those who serve us. On duty this week is the Polish Community. Next week, the Pan African Community will be on duty.

FAMILY FAST DAY

From Sunday, 27th September to Sunday, 4th October, we pray for the work of CAFOD (Catholic Aid for Overseas Development). The second collections on these two Sundays will be donations for CAFOD.

HARVEST CELEBRATION AND SCHOOL FOOD BANK

Our harvest celebration will take place at 10.00am Mass on Sunday 11th October. It is an opportunity for us to consider how we can gratefully share the abundance we have with those who may not be so fortunate. We would love to include some fresh produce as part of our display so, calling all gardeners and allotment keepers for contributions! These can be brought to the School or Parish Office by Thursday, 8th October.



Thank you for all your past contributions to the Food Bank. This can be an invaluable support to families who find themselves facing unexpected financial challenges. The school will be grateful to receive staples such as dried pasta, rice, tinned tomatoes, shower gel and feminine hygiene products. Please ensure all such donations are unopened, in date and of a reasonable quality. During October, November and December we will also be asking for donations of Christmas chocolates, such as Advent calendars and tree decorations. Treats such as these are the first things to go when families are under financial stress. Many thanks for your continuing support.

AFTERNOON TEA – THANK YOU!

The Afternoon Tea hosted jointly by our Women's Group and Brazilian Community on 19 September raised a fantastic **£900** for St Patrick's Parish. A huge thank you to everyone who organised this wonderful event and to all who came along and supported it. Your generosity and commitment are greatly appreciated.

PRESENTATION ON SYNODALITY

'Love one another as I have loved you'. Sarah Adams is coming to St Augustine's on Monday, 28 September for a presentation on Synodality. The evening is in St Augustine's hall from 7.00pm - 9.00pm, with refreshments from 6.30pm. This is open to all.

CARITAS CLIFTON ADMINISTRATION SUPPORT

We have had a Caritas initiative in the Diocese as part of the Catholic Social Action Network for many years. (www.csan.org.uk). The bishop is now keen that this is developed into a practical resource for parishes. We are looking for volunteers to assist in the setting up, and administration, of the initiative. This could be for a few hours per week or days. For more information, please contact Deacon Robert von Hawrylak on caritasclifton@cliftondiocese.com.

STARTING SCHOOL

If you have a child born between **1 September 2022 and 31 August 2023** now is the time to apply for a place at a primary school for admission from **September 2027** onwards. You must complete an application form that is available from the school admissions team at Bristol City Council. If your child has been baptised and you are applying for a Catholic school, you **must** also provide a copy of the baptism certificate to the school. Please ensure you apply by the closing date of **15 January 2027**.

VISITATION OF THE NATIONAL PILGRIM STATUE (NPVS) OF OUR LADY OF FATIMA – 26TH/27TH SEPTEMBER 2026

On Saturday/Sunday, 26th/27th September the National Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima and the relics of St Jacinta and St Francisco will be visiting Clifton Cathedral. Please see the poster on the noticeboard in the church porch for further details.

THE CLIFTON EVANGELIST

Find the latest edition here: Clifton Evangelist | Clifton Diocese.

ST FRANCIS PILGRIM WALK – 3 OCTOBER 2026

For details and registration, please see the link below
<https://www.pilgrimways.org.uk/a-franciscan-pilgrimage-in-the-diocese-of-clifton>

ROTA – This Week

Church Cleaning: 26 September – Team 4

Welcomers:

Sat 6.30pm – Volunteers x 2

Sun 8.30am – Eleanor Beasley-Suffolk

Sun 10.00am – Simon Peck/Lisa Peck

Readers:

Sat 6.30pm Readers – Colin Gale/Joanna Deasey

Sun 8.30am Readers – Edmond Beasley-Suffolk /Maria Beasley-Suffolk

Sun 10.00am Readers – Moline Nderemani/Teresa Smaka

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sat 6.30pm – Deacon Denis/Terry Coggins

Sun 8.30am – Paul Gaiger/ Rebecca Beasley-Suffolk

Sun 10.00am – Yetunde Ajakaiye/Jerome Ajakaiye