

ST PATRICK'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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5 September 2026 – 13 September 2026

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MASS TIMES/INTENTIONS

SATURDAY 5 September (Memorial of St Teresa of Calcutta)

Mass: 6.30pm

(1) *Patrick Francis Cunningham (RIP) – Mary Cunningham*

(2) *Julie Walker (Private Intention) – Terry Rooker*

SUNDAY 6 September TWENTY THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass: 8.30am

(1) *Andy Gray (RIP) – Maureen*

Mass: 10.00am

(1) *Ella/Nick – Private Intention – Ella*

(2) *Father Darius Z Mazur (RIP)*

(3) *Private Intentions - Agata*

Brazilian Mass: 5.30pm

MONDAY 7 September Weekday in Ordinary Time

Mass: 9.15am

TUESDAY 8 September (Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

Mass: 7.30pm

WEDNESDAY 9 September Weekday in Ordinary Time

Mass: 9.15am

(1) *School Mass for New School Year*

THURSDAY 10 September Weekday in Ordinary Time

Mass: 9.15am

FRIDAY 11 September Weekday in Ordinary Time

Mass: 12 noon

(1) *Hannah Curnow (RIP) Birthday Memory – Curnow Family*

SATURDAY 12 September Weekday in Ordinary Time

2.00pm Wedding of Ella Ubadigha and Nick Hancock

Mass 6.30pm

SUNDAY 13 September TWENTY FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Mass: 8.30am

Mass: 10.00am

(1) *Kath Easton (RIP) – Deacon Rob*

Polish Mass: 12.00 Noon

Brazilian Wedding: 3.00pm

Jessica Brasileiro de Oliveira dos Santos and Douglas Oliveira dos Santos.

Brazilian Mass: 5.30pm

CONFESSION: Before and after weekday Mass

ASSISTED SUICIDE BILL

Lauren Edwards MP has revived the Assisted Suicide Bill, which will have its second reading next Friday, 11 September. Cards opposing the bill are available in the Narthex. All you need to do is:

- (1) Fill in your MP's name.
- (2) Fill in your name and address.
- (3) Affix a stamp and post.

Please support the campaign to have the Bill rejected.

PARISH OFFICE

The office is now open Tuesday – Friday 10am – 1.00pm. The team are happy to help you with any questions you have. If you are leaving anything in the office out of hours, please ensure you leave a note clearly explaining what it is, your name and the date please. Over the summer items have been left with no notes or explanatory information with some information going back 10 years! Please ensure anything left in the office is noted accordingly – thank you.

UNCLAIMED RAFFLE PRIZES AND LOST PROPERTY

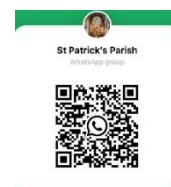
We are storing some unclaimed raffle prizes and would really like to unite them with their owners! Please call into the office if you are one of the owners.

There are a number of items being held in the parish office. If any belong to you, please collect them. We will hold them till the end of September then pass everything to a local charity shop.

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.



WELCOME FATHER HENRY

We are delighted that Father Henry has been able to visit us for the next six weeks. Father Henry thanks everyone for their prayers. We hope he enjoys his stay with us.

Father Henry will celebrate Mass each Monday at 9.15am during his visit. There will be a Polish Mass next Sunday, 13 September, at 12.00 noon followed by light refreshments in the Shore Gallery.

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.

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 say special prayers for our school caretaker Robert, who is extremely ill.

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

ANNUAL DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO GLASTONBURY TODAY, SUNDAY, 6 SEPTEMBER

This year's pilgrimage is "Mary – Mother of the Faithful." Full details can be accessed via this link and viewed on the parish noticeboard in the Narthex.

<https://cliftondioocese.com/pilgrimage/glastonbury-pilgrimage/>

ST PATRICK'S SCHOOL

We welcome the pupils and staff back to school for the autumn term this Friday, 4 September. We hope they all enjoyed their holiday and return refreshed.

REST IN PEACE

Janice Franklin is fondly remembered by the St Patrick's School community for her passion for teaching and gift for music which she shared with generations of pupils. Janice was an excellent junior teacher under headteacher Mr Begley. An enthusiastic pianist, she encouraged so many children to sing in the school choir, play musical instruments, perform and participate in assemblies, Masses, fabulous Christmas and Easter plays. St Patrick's Day Concerts were a joy under her direction. Proudly Welsh, her faith in God and love of family shone through. We offer our sympathy and prayers for Janice's husband Duncan, a Pastor, Children David and Joanna and grandchildren Michael and Tommy. May she Rest in Peace.

SCHOOL CARETAKER

We continue to pray for Robert, the School Caretaker, who is very seriously ill.

AFTERNOON TEA – SATURDAY, 19 SEPTEMBER AT 3.00PM

The Brazilian Community and The Woman's Group are holding an afternoon tea on Saturday, 19 September at 3.00pm in the Shore Gallery. We hope to welcome people from all communities to join us for this lovely event. Tickets are £12 per adult, £6 per child. All proceeds to our church. Tickets on sale after Masses.

CAKE SALE – 16 AUGUST

The total raised at the cake sale in August was £716.30. We thank all the ladies and gentlemen who baked the cakes and to all parishioners for their support.

AWAKENING EVENT – FRIDAY, 11 SEPTEMBER 2026

An evening of Prayer, Praise, Worship, Word of God, Rosary and Holy Adoration is once again taking place at St Patrick's Church in Redfield from 6.00 pm – 9.00 pm on Friday, 11 September 2026. The previous event in June was very well attended. There are flyers in the narthex; please take one.

WEDDING CONGRATULATIONS

- Emmanuel and Beatrice had their marriage convalidated on Saturday, 29 August.
- Nick and Ella will be married here at St Patrick's on Saturday, 12 September at 2.00pm.
- Jessica and Douglas will have their marriage convalidated on Sunday, 13 September at 3.00pm.

We offer our congratulations to all the couples and wish them many happy years together.

300 CLUB WINNERS FOR AUGUST 2026

Congratulations to our August 300 Club winners:

Maureen Speed £100, Jim McCormick £50, CC Cleaning - Neil £25.

BAPTISM

- (1) Today Penelope and Pearl Button will be Baptised. We congratulate their parents and Godparents and welcome them into the family of God.
- (2) The next Baptismal talk will take place on **Sunday, 13 September at 11.00am after the 10.00am Mass**. Parents must attend a talk before their child(ren) can be Baptised.
- (3) 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 RESUMES TODAY

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 are the Pan African Community. Next week the Indian Community will be on duty.

TALKS ON THE FAITH

Talks on the Faith will commence at 6.30pm on Tuesday, 22 September 2026. If you, or someone you know, is interested in learning more about the Catholic Faith, you would be very welcome to attend these talks.

NEW FIRE SYSTEM

Last week the Fire System recently installed throughout the building at a cost of £45,000 was inspected. The Fire Officer was very complimentary about the work achieved and the high new safety standard of the building. Our thanks go to our parish voluntary Health and Safety Officer, Aidan Best, who has been working on these improvements and upgrades for almost two years. It is thanks to Aidan that St Patrick's now has such a dramatically improved system.

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.

ST BERNADETTE CATHOLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL – OPEN EVENTS

St Bernadette Catholic Secondary School's Open Events for September 2027 entry are detailed below.

These Open Events provide an excellent opportunity for prospective students and their families to visit the school, meet staff and students, tour the facilities, and learn more about life at St Bernadette's.

Open Evening

Thursday 17th September 2026, 5.00pm – 8.00pm
Head's Talks: 5.45pm and 6.45pm

Open Mornings

Wednesday 30th September 2026, 9.15am – 10.45am
Thursday 15th October 2026, 9.15am – 10.45am

ROTA – This Week

Church Cleaning: 12 September – Team 2

Welcomers:

Sat 6.30pm – Volunteers x 2

Sun 8.30am – Eleanor Beasley-Suffolk

Sun 10.00am – Diana Casinto / Volunteer

Readers:

Sat 6.30pm Reader 1 – Colin Gale/ Molline Nderemani

Sun 8.30am Reader 1 – Rebecca Beasley-Suffolk / Helen Jones

Sun 10.00am Reader 1 and 2 – Teresa Smaka

Eucharistic Ministers:

Sat 6.30pm – Elizabeth Magorimbo /Terry Coggins

Sun 8.00am – Daniel Beasley-Suffolk/ Maria Beasley Suffolk

Sun 10.00am – Deacon Rob/ Fiona Bradley

St Bernadette
Catholic Secondary School





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9.15-10.45am

Thursday 15th October
9.15-10.45am

We offer :

A Successful Learning Community
Academic Success - Strong Pastoral Care
Traditional Values - High Expectations
Inclusive Ethos - Excellent Behaviour

*Pupils feel welcome and included at this school.
The school has high expectations of pupils' achievement.
The school provides a wealth of opportunities including trips,
visits and public speaking.*

Ofsted January 2025



ST. PATRICK'S
CATHOLIC CHURCH

Afternoon Tea

19th September, Saturday | 3pm

Join us for a special afternoon of fellowship,
sharing and delicious treats, bringing our
communities closer together!



Date:
19th September,
Saturday



Time:
3pm



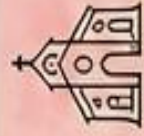
Location:
Shore Gallery
St. Patrick's Catholic Church,
Dillon Court, Netham Road,
Redfield, Bristol BS5 9PF



We will have
a raffle with
various prizes
to be drawn on
the day of
the event!



Ticket:
£12 per adult
£6 per child



All proceeds will go
towards our church,
St. Patrick's.