

Blessed Edward Oldcorne Catholic College

CATHOLIC LIFE CALENDAR

2023/2024

- ✓ Weekly reference to Evangelii Gaudium quotations and liturgical Cycle of Prayer
- ✓ Collective Worship Prayer Boards, prayer shelves and Prayer Intention Boxes in every tutor group room
- ✓ Rota of student led and prepared Masses for all RE classes
- ✓ Daily Year Group Liturgies led by the Senior Leadership Team
- ✓ Regular liturgical cycle of student led services
- ✓ Daily student led Collective Worship in all tutor groups
- ✓ Second daily prayer point
- ✓ Weekly Evangelii Gaudium quotations and liturgical Cycle of Prayer in the college diary
- ✓ Regular cycle of Catholic Life/RE/Collective Worship inset
- ✓ Mass every Friday in the chapel



AMDG - 'For the Greater Glory of God'

SEPTEMBER - 2023

- 4th Staff TED Liturgy
& Staff CPD Catholic Life/RE/Collective Worship
- 5th Staff TED Mass – 2.00 pm
- 15th Welcome Back Masses –
Year's 8&9 10.00 – Year's 10&11 11.35 - Sports Hall
- 19th Catholic Life Student Team Meeting (ST)
- 20th SVP Society Meeting (Every half-term – RE Dept.)
- 22nd Catholic Life Link Governors Visit
CL/RE/CW Report to Full Governing Body

OCTOBER

- 2nd RE Class Masses Begin
- 6th Harvest Fast Day
- 20th Year 7 Welcome Mass – 11.35 Main Hall

NOVEMBER

- 1st All Saints Day - During Half Term
- 2nd All Souls Day – Book of Remembrance placed in the Chapel
- 27th Advent Chapel Liturgies begin 8.30 a.m.
(Every Monday throughout Advent)
- 28th All RE Classes - Advent Prayer Services Begin
(Student Prepared and Led)

DECEMBER

- 1st Feast Day of Blessed Ralph Ashley (Tutor group A)
- 8th Personal Development Day (2) – Year's 7-11
- 13th Catholic Life Newsletter/Magazine Published
- 15th Reconciliation Services Years 7-11
- 20th Carol Service - 7.00 p.m.

JANUARY - 2024

- 6th Feast of the Epiphany - During Christmas Holidays
- 17th Catholic Life Student Council Meeting (ST)
- 19th Catholic Life Link Governors visit
CL/RE/CW Report to Full Governing Body
- 25th Student led prayer service at the Martyrs shrine on Redhill
- 26th Blessed Edward Oldcorne Feast Day Masses – KS3&KS4
- 27th Blessed Edward Oldcorne Feast Day
- 31st St. John Bosco Feast Day

FEBRUARY

- 14th Ash Wednesday - During Half Term
- 19th Lenten Chapel Liturgies begin 8.30 a.m.
(Every Monday throughout Lent)
- 19th Secret Saints Lenten Service Begins
- 20th All RE Classes - Stations of the Cross Services Begin
(Student prepared and Led)
- 23rd Lent Fast Day

MARCH

- 8th Day of Prayer for Vocations and Adoration before the
Blessed Sacrament
- 15th Reconciliation Services - Years 7-11
- 25th Feast Day of Saint Margaret Clitherow (Tutor Group C)
- 27th Feast Day of Saint Anne Line (Tutor Group L)
- 22nd Easter Services
Year's 7-9 Main Hall = 10&11 in Tutor Groups

APRIL

- 7th Death of Blessed Edward Oldcorne (1606)
- 18th Catholic Life Student Council Meeting (ST)
- 19th Year 8 Retreat (3 days)
- 19th Personal Development Day (2) – Year's 7-11

MAY

- 1st Blessed Virgin Mary Liturgies
(All RE classes throughout May - Student Prepared and Led)
- 9th Ascension Day - Mass
- 10th Year 11 Celebration Mass - Student led and prepared

JUNE

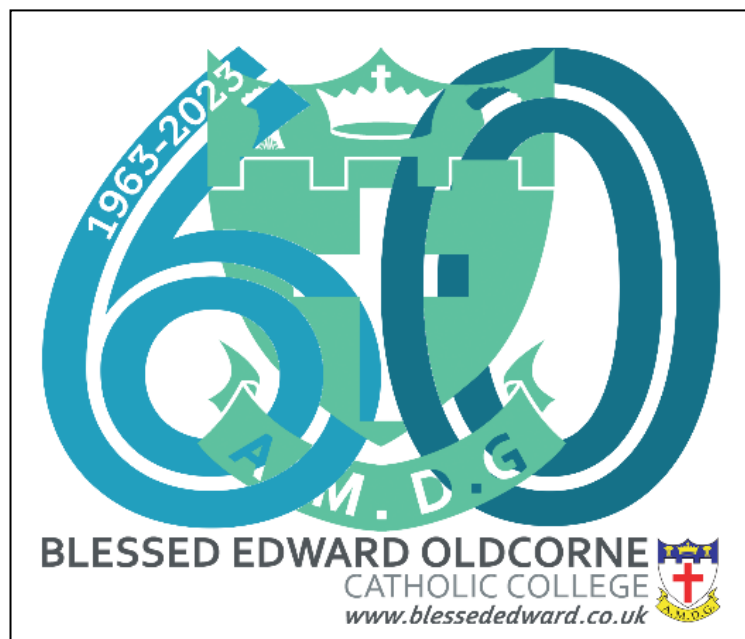
- 8th Alton Castle Retreat – Year 9 (3 days)
- 7th Good Shepherd Mass Organised by Blessed Edward Oldcorne
Catholic College at St. George's Church – 1.00 p.m.
- 28th Year 9 Vocations Week – RE lessons
- 28th Catholic Life Link Governors visit
Report to Full Governing Body
- 28th Staff Retreat Weekend begins

JULY

- 5th Feast Day of Blessed Humphrey Pritchard (Tutor Group P)
- 12th Personal Development Day (3) – Year's 7-10
- 12th Feast Day of Saint John Jones (Tutor Group J)
- 18th End of Year Celebration Mass – Whole college Sports Hall
- 19th End of Year Liturgies led by students and form tutors
- 27th Feast Day of Blessed Robert Sutton (Tutor Group S)

AUGUST

- 22nd Feast Day of Saint John Wall (Tutor Group W)



A.M.D.G. - 'For the Greater Glory of God'

COLLECTIVE WORSHIP MORNING LITURGIES

2023/2024

Each week of the year has a different assembly theme supported by one of our college virtues. Overarching themes also weave their way through the schedule, and we actively strive to highlight current issues within our world. Through our assembly programme we guide our students to be able to, 'walk in the footsteps of others' and inspire them to live their lives for the 'Greater Glory of God'.

WEEK BEGINNING	PERSON RESPONSIBLE	ASSEMBLY THEME	VIRTUE
11 th September	Mr McClarey	For the Greater Glory of God	Loving
18 th September	Mrs Thomas	Restorative Justice	Respectful
25 th September	Mr Tota	Pilgrimage	Prayerful
2 nd October	Mrs Corbin	Harvest and the Preferential Option for the Poor	Giving
9 th October	Miss Mason	Liberty and Free Will	Honest
16 th October	Mr McClarey	Miracles	Curious
23 rd October	Mr Edmunds	Becoming Saints	Hopeful
HALF-TERM			
6 th November	Mr Jessop	Remembrance	Grateful
13 th November	Miss Mason	Anti-Bullying Week – Kindness	Kind
20 th November	Ms Parsons	Christmas Appeal	Loving
27 th November	Mrs Thomas	The Season of Advent	Prayerful
4 th December	Mr Taylor	Diverse and Unique	Respectful
11 th December	Mr Edmunds	Laudato Si	Knowledgeable
18 th December	Mrs Lynn	O Holy Night	Grateful
CHRISTMAS			
8 th January	Mrs Corbin	Renewal	Honest
15 th January	Mr McClarey	B.E.O. & St. John Bosco	Giving
22 nd January	Miss Mason	The Holocaust	Respectful
29 th January	TBC	Mental Health	Resilient
5 th February	Mr Edmunds	E-Safety Awareness	Knowledgeable
HALF-TERM			
19 th February	Mrs Wright	The Season of Lent and Charity Launch	Giving
26 th February	Mrs Lynn	Democracy and Human Rights	Just
4 th March	Mr McClarey	Forgiveness	Honest
11 th March	Mrs Corbin	Fairtrade and the Common Good	Grateful
18 th March	Mrs Thomas	The Season of Easter	Prayerful
EASTER			
8 th April	Mrs Wright	Interfaith Harmony	Kind
15 th April	Mr McClarey	The Word	Curious
22 nd April	Mrs Corbin	Stewardship	Respectful
29 th April	Miss Mason	Peace	Loving
6 th May	Mrs Thomas	Filled with the Holy Spirit	Resilient
13 th May	Mr Edmunds	Vocation and Ambition	Knowledgeable
20 th May	Mrs Lynn	Imago Dei	Loving
HALF-TERM			
3 rd June	Miss Mason	Live Life to the Full	Kind
10 th June	Mr Edmunds	Water is Life	Respectful
17 th June	Mrs Corbin	Gifts and Talents	Resilient
24 th June	Mr Williams	Sports Day	Honest
1 st July	Heads of Year	Celebrate!	Just
8 th July	Mrs Thomas	British Values	Hopeful
15 th July	Mr McClarey	Grateful and Hopeful	Curious
SUMMER			