

CATHOLIC LIFE & MISSION CALENDAR



2025/2026



- ✓ Mass every Friday lunchtime in the chapel
- ✓ Daily student led Prayer and Liturgy in all tutor groups
- ✓ Second daily prayer point determined by the liturgical season
- ✓ Prayer and Liturgy Prayer Boards, prayer shelves and Prayer Intention Boxes in every tutor group room
- ✓ Rota of student prepared Masses for every RE class
- ✓ Daily Year Group Liturgies led by the Senior Leadership Team
- ✓ Regular liturgical cycle of student prepared & led services
- ✓ Weekly Scripture based quotation and liturgical Cycle of Prayer in the college diary
- ✓ Regular cycle of Catholic Life & Mission/RE/Prayer & Liturgy inset
- ✓ Joint Sunday Mass Celebrations with Feeder Parishes

SEPTEMBER – 2025

2025 Jubilee Year - 'Pilgrims of Hope'

- 1st Staff Teacher Education Mass
- 2nd Staff CPD Catholic Life & Mission/RE/Prayer & Liturgy
- 5th First Friday Mass of the academic Year Every Friday 1.40
- 12th Welcome Back Masses Year's 8&9 10.00 - Year's 10&11 11.35 - Sports Hall
- 14th Pope Leo XIV Birthday
- 16th Catholic Life Student Team Meeting (ST)
- 17th SVP Society Meeting (Every half-term GA)
- 19th Catholic Life & Mission Link Governors Visit Report to Full Governing Body
- 19th Staff Pilgrimage/Retreat to St. Winefride's Shrine, Holywell
- 23rd Chaplaincy Commissioning Mass St. Chad's Cathedral
- 29th RE Class Masses Begin Student led and prepared

OCTOBER

- 3rd Harvest Fast Day
- 17th Year 7 Welcome Mass 11.35 Main Hall

NOVEMBER

- 1^{st} All Saints Day During Half Term
- 2nd All Souls Day
- 3rd Book of Remembrance placed in the Chapel
- 5th Personal Development Day (1) Year's 7-11

DECEMBER

1st Feast Day of Blessed Ralph Ashley (Tutor group A)



- 1st Advent Chapel Liturgies begin 8.35 a.m. (Every Monday throughout Advent)
- 2nd All RE Classes Advent Prayer Services Begin (Student Prepared and Led)
- 12th Advent Reconciliation Services Years 7-11
- 17th Termly Catholic Life & Mission Newsletter and Magazine Published
- 18th Carol Service 7.00 p.m.

JANUARY – 2026

- 6th Feast of the Epiphany Mass Jubilee Year of Hope concludes
- 14th Catholic Life Student Council Meeting (ST)
- 15th Personal Development Day (2) Year's 7-11
- 16th Catholic Life & Mission Link Governors visit Report to Full Governing Body
- 23rd Blessed Edward Oldcorne Feast Day Masses KS3&KS4
- 27th Blessed Edward Oldcorne Feast Day Student led prayer service at the Martyrs shrine on Redhill
- 31st St. John Bosco Feast Day

FEBRUARY

- 18th Ash Wednesday
- 23rd Lenten Chapel Liturgies begin 8.35 a.m. (Every Monday throughout Lent)
- 24th 'Secret Saints' Lenten Service begins
- 27th Lent Fast Day Soup lunch option available every Friday – Lenten Fasting

MARCH

2nd All RE Classes - Stations of the Cross 'Walk of Witness' begin (Student prepared and led)

- 6th Day of Prayer for Vocations and Adoration before the Blessed Sacrament
- 20th Lenten Reconciliation Services Years 7-11
- 27th Easter Services Year's 7-9 Main Hall = 10&11 in Tutor Groups

APRIL

- 5th Easter Day
- 7th Death of Blessed Edward Oldcorne (1606)
- 23rd Catholic Life Student Council Meeting (ST)
- 25th Feast Day of Saint Margaret Clitherow (Tutor Group C)
- 27th Feast Day of Saint Anne Line (Tutor Group L)

MAY

- 1st Year 11 Celebration Mass
- 5th Blessed Virgin Mary Liturgies
 (All RE classes throughout May Student Prepared and Led)
- 13th Year 9 Retreat Soli- House Retreat (3 days)
- 14th Ascension Day Mass

JUNE

- 5th Good Shepherd Mass Organised by Blessed Edward Oldcorne Catholic College at St. George's Church 1.00 p.m.
- 12th Catholic Life & Mission Link Governors visit Report to Full Governing Body
- 26th Staff Pilgrimage and Retreat Weekend
- 30th Personal Development Day (3) Year's 7-10

JULY

- 3rd Fr. Hudson's Caritas Fundraising Walk Malvern Hills
- 5th Feast Day of Blessed Humphrey Pritchard (Tutor Group P)
- 10th Penultimate Friday Mass of the school year Outside on the field
- 12th Feast Day of Saint John Jones (Tutor Group J)
- 15th Termly Catholic Life & Mission Newsletter and Magazine Published
- 16th End of Year Celebration Mass Whole college Sports Hall
- 17th 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' PRAYER AND LITURGY MORNING ASSEMBLIES 2025/2026

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
as we actively strive to highlight current issues within our world.

Through our Prayer and liturgy 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	PERSON	ASSEMBLY	VIRTUE			
BEGINNING	RESPONSIBLE	THEME	VIKTUE			
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						

LITURGICAL CYCLE OF PRAYER

ORDINARY TIME – AUTUMN

CYCLE OF PRAYER

Please pray for the following intentions:

Students and Teachers, The spread of the Gospel, The Harvest,
The Fruits of human work, The reverent use of Creation,
Justice and Peace in the world, All victims of war, Young People,
Prisoners and their families.

THE SEASONS OF ADVENT/CHRISTMAS

CYCLE OF PRAYER

Please pray for the following intentions:

Openness to the Word of God, Migrants and Refugees, and Expectant Mothers.

ORDINARY TIME – WINTER

CYCLE OF PRAYER - Up to Lent

Please pray for the following intentions:

Peace on Earth, Christian Unity, The Sick and those who care for them, victims of Trafficking and those who work to combat it and the unemployed.

THE SEASON OF LENT

CYCLE OF PRAYER

Please pray for the following intentions:

Candidates for the Sacraments, Women, The needy and hungry of the world, Penitents and Wanderers.

THE SEASON OF EASTER

CYCLE OF PRAYER

Please pray for the following intentions:

New Members of the Church, Vocations, The right use of the Media, The Church and human work.

ORDINARY TIME - SUMMER

CYCLE OF PRAYER

Please pray for the following intentions:

A deeper understanding between Christians and Jews, Those who suffer persecution, oppression and denial of Human Rights, Europe, Human Life and Seafarers