# MASS INTENTIONS

## ALL MASSES ARE AT ST THOMAS'S CHURCH UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

## Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> May SIXTH SUNDAY of EASTER

6:00pm Patricia Rimmer RIP

8:00am Timothy & Cleta Andradi RIP

9:15am Niall Hickey RIP 11:15am People of the Parish

6:00pm Holy Souls

9:30am Otford P.J. Kelly (Anniversary)

9:30am *Borough Green* John Groves 11:00am *West Kingsdown* Holy Souls

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> Feria

8:00am James José Martin Walker RIP

Tuesday 11th Feria

9:30am John Rodrigues RIP

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> Feria

8:00am Paul (Robert Hugh) Edwards RIP

(2<sup>nd</sup> Anniversary)

10:00am *Otford* Margaret Griffiths RIP (Anniversary)

## Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> The ASCENSION of the LORD

8:00am People of the Parish

12:00 noon In thanks for the providence received

8:00pm Holy Souls
10:00am Otford Holy Souls
11:00am West Kingsdown
6:00pm Borough Green John Groves

Friday 14<sup>th</sup> S MATTHIAS, Ap

8:00am Douglas, Mona and Anne Jenkins RIP

10:00am West Kingsdown Holy Souls

Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> Feria

9:30am Holy Souls

# Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> May SEVENTH SUNDAY of EASTER

6:00pm Holy Souls 8:00am Holy Souls

9:15am In thanks for the providence received 11:15am In thanksgiving from Mercado Family

6:00pm People of the Parish

9:30am *Otford* Maria & the comfort of her family

9:30am *Borough Green* Holy Souls 11:00am *West Kingsdown* Holy Souls

#### **COVID** stewards

To retain public Masses we are very dependent on (and very grateful to) a small number of stewards in each church. We need some more stewards to spread the work load: if you can do this - some Sundays, not always - please volunteer; don't wait to be asked.

### **Prayers for the Sick**

Our list is somewhat out of date. Please contact Magda in the Parish Office with names of the sick and housebound for inclusion in our regular Prayer List.

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## Please pray

- for God's help to end the pandemic;
- for the reunion of Christendom (from Friday onwards);
- for Mgr Matthew Dickens as he prepares for his new apostolate.

St Roch, pray for us. St Joseph, pray for us.

St Thomas of Canterbury, pray for us.

St Bernadette, pray for us. St Edith of Kemsing, pray for us.

#### Seminarian placement

The Archbishop has arranged for a Seminarian, Matthew Donnelly, to come to the parish for a short Diaconate Placement, between Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> May and Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> June. I am sure you will make him welcome.

#### Bereavement support

We were unable to hold our usual meetings during 2020 but we feel that the time is now right to resume our informal meetings on the third Monday of each month. Therefore on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> May, you can find us in the Parish Room from 10:30am until midday. In many ways, we have all been bereaved over the last year and sadly many of us have lost loved ones. You can be assured of a warm friendly welcome, a cup of coffee and biscuits, and time to quietly talk through your losses. We look forward to welcoming you. Please use the front entrance to the Parish Room rather than coming through the Church.

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