## Saint Anne's Chertsey - Parish Newsletter

#### Eastertide Fifth Week

28th April 2024

#### A Christian community inspired by the Salesian ideals of Saint John Bosco

Sunday Masses 8.30am and 11:30am

Saturday Masses 10am: confessions after mass

Fifth Sunday of Eastertime and Celebration of Confirmation in St George's Chapel

### Thank you

Offertory Collection 14<sup>th</sup> April was £393-07 including Gift Aid, plus our usual Standing Orders.
Offertory Collection 21<sup>st</sup> April was £527-60 including Gift Aid plus our usual Standing Orders.
Vocations Collection £47-75.
Thank you.

#### **Fifth Sunday of Easter**

8.30 & 11.30am Masses

James and Shaun will speak at the

Masses about our Alpha course.

## 5.00pm Afternoon Mass Celebration of Confirmation in St George's College Chapel

The Alpha course starts at 7:30 pm in the Savio Centre this coming Tuesday, 30<sup>th</sup> April. Alpha has proved to be effective in bringing to faith people with little or no belief but also in renewing the faith of existing Christians. It is a great opportunity for you to bring along relations or friends who you would love to come to faith and boost your own. Each session consists of a light meal, a 30 minute video and a time to chat and ask questions. For information contact James jameslwilkinson@aol.com

# Our First Holy Communion Programme:

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April 6.00pm (Fr Graham's group) Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May 6.30pm (Theresa's group) <u>then</u> because of Bank Holiday Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> May 10.30am (**Pauline's group)** 

### Mass Intentions 28<sup>th</sup>April- 5<sup>th</sup> May

Sun 8.30am Teresa McKeown RIP

Sun 11.30am People of the Parish

Sun 5.00pm Confirmation Mass: St George's

Mon 9.30am Shaun Growney's Intention

Tue 9.30am Nora Ryan RIP

Thu 9.30am Maria Fatima Mitchell RIP

Fri 9.30am Alizah Lewis RIP

Fri 7.00pm Confirmation Mass Weybridge

Sat 10.00am Diana and Basil Guy RIP anniv.

Sun 8.30am For Vocations

Sun 11.30am People of the Parish

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### The First Holy Communion Masses:

For Thursday Group A:
3.00pm **Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June**For Saturday Group B:
10.00am **Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> June**For Monday Group C:
3.00pm **Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> June** 

## This coming week: Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April

St Catherine of Siena Virgin and

Doctor: Patron of Europe

9.30am Mass

6.00pm First Holy Communion Grp.

### Tuesday 30th April

9.30am Mass

7.30pm Alpha Course begins in the

Savio Centre

## Wednesday 1st May St Joseph the Worker

No parish Mass.

7.30pm Legion of Mary meet in Savio Centre.

## Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May

St Athanasius Bishop

9.30am Mass

6.30pm First Holy Communion Grp.

## Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May

## St Philip and St James Apostles

Feast Day

9.30am Mass

## 7.00pm Evening Celebration of Confirmation in Christ the Prince of

**Peace** Fr Graham and catechists attending with two candidates and families. Your prayers please.

## Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> May The English Martyrs

10am Mass.

## Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May: Sixth Sunday of Eastertide

Masses 8.30am & 11.30am with refreshments after the masses.

1.15pm Booked Baptism

#### **CAFOD's Sudan Crisis Appeal**

Millions of families in Sudan, forced to flee their homes amid conflict, now face yet another urgent crisis – extreme hunger. Please give to CAFOD's Sudan Crisis Appeal in church or at cafod.org.uk/sudanappeal. Your donation will help CAFOD's partners to support more families with food packages and emergency cash payments as well as rebuilding water pipelines so clean water can reach communities who need it. Thank you for your generosity and prayers.

**Thank you-** to all who supported the **Quiz Night** and thanks especially to Andy and Ken Greaney for organising the event and for raising funds for the St. Giles Trust for young people.

#### Parish Events: Please remember!

Parish Pilgrimage 8<sup>th</sup> June to Aylesford. Please sign up to join our pilgrimage on clipboard at back of church. Pentecost Celebration: Savio Centre

#### **Prayers Please:**

For Ingrid Cooper RIP: for Peter and the Cooper and Woodruff families in their loss. May she rest in peace.

The New Lectionary, which is to be used in all churches and all masses from the First Sunday of Advent 2024, is being prepared for our use. The Bishops' Conference have approved the translation of the English Standard Version for reading and proclamation in church, and agreed in November 2018 that this text should be the basis for the new edition of the Lectionary in Church.

**'A Handbag?'** I've become the humble custodian of a silver butterfly handbag left in the pews in church. I hope the owner has noticed it is missing?! Please reclaim from the parish priest. Thanks so much.