

# The Sacred Heart Church, Wadhurst

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## Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> July – Seventeenth Sunday in OT

Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> 6pm – Thomas F Cullinan R.I.P

Sun 24<sup>th</sup> 10am St Thomas, Mayfield

Sat 30<sup>th</sup> 6pm – Gladys & Geoff Boyd R.I.P

Sun 31<sup>st</sup> 10am St Thomas, Mayfield

### Graveyard: Gates are open weekends 9am - 1pm.

Confessions: Not available at present

Exposition: First Friday, 9.00am – 10.00am

(Not available at present)

Mothers Prayers: Contact the Parish Office

Parish Office opening hours:

Monday 10am -12 midday

Wednesday and Friday 9am -1pm

Deadline for newsletter Wednesday 12.00 midday

### MASS:

We thank Fr Patrick for celebrating Mass for us last Sunday. It was lovely for our parish family to be together again and enjoying a catch up and the refreshments served afterwards.

### GIFT AID ENVELOPES:

Your gift aid envelopes can be added to the collection as usual at either Wadhurst or Mayfield Churches. They will then be distributed to the appropriate church.

### IN FATHER'S ABSENCE:

If you need a Priest urgently, please contact Fr Patrick (St Thomas Mayfield) Tel 01435 872381 or Fr Brian (Holy Cross) 01435 862191.

### Fr MARTIN UPDATE:

Fr Martin is continuing to make steady progress and is staying at Nazareth House, for a while longer. They have requested no visitors to ensure Father gets total rest. If you want to send a card the address is, Nazareth House, 169-175 Hammersmith Road, London, W6 8DB.

### WORTH ABBEY:

Finding Stillness: 20-23 September Cost £330 per person

'Be still and know that I am God' (Psalm 46).

Come to Worth Abbey and encounter this refreshing and empowering stillness. Through the Benedictine tradition, discover how stillness can be part of your everyday life and how transformative it can be. The retreat will include: teachings in lectio Divina and stilling the mind, as well as an opportunity to have a 1:1 meeting with a member of the monastic community.

For more information and to book and pay for your place visit W: [www.worth.co.uk](http://www.worth.co.uk) or email E: [retreats@worth.org.uk](mailto:retreats@worth.org.uk) or call T: 01342 710318.

### 'SHARING THE CHURCH'S STORY'

Conference – Saturday 17 September 2022 10am - 6pm. Catholic Voices and Word on Fire are hosting a one-day conference at Friends House, Euston Road, London called 'Sharing the Church's Story'. Come and join 1000 Catholics who are passionate about the renewal of the Church in the UK and a host of dynamic speakers including the internationally renowned speaker and author, Bishop Robert Barron. So, whether you are a volunteer, parent, catechist, clergy, religious, or just want a boost for your faith life, then this conference is for you. Register/find out more? W: [www.sharingthechurchsstory.com](http://www.sharingthechurchsstory.com)

### PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Please remember in your prayers all who are sick in our parish and amongst our family and friends. Please pray especially for Fr Martin, Richard Hungerford, Rowena Bennett and Anne O'Rorke.

### ANNIVERSARIES:

Please remember in your prayers all those whose anniversaries occur around this time, Aileen Boyd-Graham.

### THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK:

*"Entrust your works to the LORD, and your plans will succeed."* Proverbs 16:3.