The Sacred Heart Church, Wadhurst

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Sunday 20th August – Twentieth Sunday in OT

Confessions: After Mass on Wednesday's or by appointment with Fr Patrick

Exposition: First Friday, 9.00am - 10.00am

Mothers Prayers: Contact the Parish Office

Parish Office opening hours:

Wednesday & Friday 9.00 -1pm

REQUIEM MASS:

For Bryan Cassidy RIP, will take place on Tuesday 22nd August at 11am. Followed by burial in the graveyard. Bryan and his family were parishioners some years ago, before they moved away. We pray for the repose of his soul.

SAVE THE DATE: A DAY OF REFLECTION FOR GRANDPARENTS:

26 September, 11am-3.30pm at The St Philip Howard Centre, Crawley RH10 6RP. Fr Stephen Ortiger will explore how we can see the hand of God in our lives with our Youth Adviser, Lizzie Wakeling offering some hints and tips for communicating with young people.

SAVE THE DATE: MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARIES MASS:

30 September at 11.30am at Our Lady of Ransom in Eastbourne Celebrate a marriage anniversary that is special to you. Mass will be followed by a small drinks reception with Bishop Richard.

THE CATHOLIC SAFEGUARDING STANDARDS AGENCY (CSSA):

Has commissioned the services of the Social Care Institute for Excellence (Scie) to review the safeguarding policies and procedures of the Catholic Church, this work has now commenced.

To ensure that the review team, together with associated reference groups, take into consideration as many views as possible, it is requested that as many people from our Church community complete the survey. The CSSA want to hear from people across all areas and levels within dioceses, parishes, religious life groups (RLGs), the Religious Life Safeguarding Service (RLSS), and victims and survivors, about their experiences of using existing safeguarding policies and practice guidance.

This is an opportunity to help shape the future of safeguarding within the Catholic Church and make representations where it is evident - or perceived - that current policies and procedures: are outdated contain gaps i.e. there isn't policy for a given situation are difficult to work with or interpret or for other reasons.

Click <u>here</u> to take the survey - the closing date for completed surveys is Thursday 31 August 2023.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY DURINGTHE SCHOOL HOLIDAYS:

Will continue at Sacred Heart whenever Sunday morning Mass is held in Wadhurst. We look forward to welcoming children from our own churches, and also any visiting children who would like to join us.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Please remember in your prayers all who are sick in our parish, especially Claire Martin, who is in hospital.

ANNIVERSARIES:

Please remember all those whose anniversaries occur around this time.