



THE HOLY FAMILY

The Holy Family Church

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10th / 11th October 2026 – The Twenty Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time



The Wedding Feast for all peoples

New Bishop-Elect – Fr. Stephen Wang Mass

Our new Bishop will celebrate Mass at Worth Abbey at 11.30am on Saturday 24 October. Each Deanery has limited invites of 50 seats; we are including coach transport to and from the venue. Please see the church porch notice board for further information or visit our website and view newsletter additions on the homepage. (Link at top of this page)

Opening Prayer

May your grace, O Lord, we pray, at all times go before us and follow after and make us always determined to carry out good works. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever. Amen.

Reflection on the Sunday Scriptures

The symbol of the Wedding Feast is used by Jesus to indicate God finally taking possession of his people. The presence of Jesus in our lives, and living the message He brings us, is when He takes possession of the people in God's name. What are our excuses going to be for not being close to Christ Jesus and the truth of the Gospel? For being chosen does not necessarily lead to the acceptance of the one who chose you. The grubby guest who turns up at the wedding, symbolises a Life that has not undergone Change- not even for the wedding. This guest does not even respond to his host who calls him my friend. On the journey of life we have to respond to the constant call in order to become recognisable to Christ, the host when the Wedding Feast will show us God has come for us.

Prisoner Sunday Collection

There will be a collection this weekend for the above.

Gift Aid - Could you Gift Aid your donations?

If you are a UK taxpayer, Gift Aid allows our parish to claim an additional 25p for every £1 you donate at no extra cost to you. If you already make a regular donation to the parish by standing order, are you currently Gift Aiding your donations? If not, it is a simple process to set this up and it can make a valuable difference to our parish. By Gift Aiding your donations, you are helping us to maximise the income we receive from the offerings and donations already being made, without asking our parishioners to give more. If you would like to set up a Gift Aid declaration, please contact Catherine Cassin, our Gift Aid Organiser, via the parish office telephone number or e-mail address.

Thank you for your continued generosity and for everything you do to support our parish.

MISSIO Boxes

Please note that the MISSIO boxes have now been emptied raising £99.61. A huge thank you to everyone who took a box, including those who have not had one before. Please add your name to the box so we know who has donated and please indicate whether you are eligible to Gift Aid. Your generosity and continued support are very much appreciated.

CAFOD Family Fast Day Appeal - A better world needs all of us

We raised a wonderful £433.80, that's enough to feed 21 children school meals for a year OR buy 4 solar panels to power water pumps, heartfelt thanks to everyone who donated to the appeal.

Office Communication

Please remember to use the office phone and e-mail address for all correspondence going forward.

First Holy Communion Programme 2027 for children NOT attending Holy Family School

Holy Family families who are resident in our two parishes with children (in year 3 and above and not attending Holy Family school) wishing to make their FHC in Summer 27 will need to attend one of the parent registration evenings in October, this will be in addition to the online form to be completed. The dates of the registration sessions

are Tuesday 6th, 13th, 20th and 27th October at 7.00 p.m. in St Anne's Church, one or both parents need to attend one of the sessions. During the session there will be details of the commitment you as a family will be making by registering for this programme. Parents will be asked to volunteer to lead the sessions. Without volunteers the church will have to limit the number of candidates for 2027. When you register your child for the programme, please bring your child's Baptism Certificate to the registration evening. Once you have made the commitment to the Holy Family Worshipping Community you will be invited to the parents' information evening in November 26 when you will be given full details. Any questions regarding the programme, please email FHC.chertsey@abdiocese.org.uk or call Theresa Rudley 07742 649580. Application forms and information can be found at the back of church or on the Holy Family website under Sacraments.

SIF Forms for Secondary School

Please leave SIF forms for secondary school in the tray in Our Lady's Chapel after Mass. Please note, you must be known to Fr. Graham and be

worshipping in the parish (attending Mass regularly) for forms to be signed. Closing date is 31st October. Forms can be collected after Mass from the same area once signed and stamped.

Sacrament of Confession and Reconciliation

Weekly on Saturdays 5.15pm – 5.45pm

Weekday Masses

On Wednesdays at 9.30am at Holy Family. Every weekday (except Wed.) at 9.30am at St. Anne's Church, Chertsey & 10am on Saturdays.

Mass Intentions now full for 2026

The mass intention requests are now full for the Holy Family parish mass diary for 2026. Parishioners are welcome to fill in an envelope request if they wish an intention to be celebrated within Salesian Community when a date becomes available. Thank you for your offerings and your prayer requests for your loved ones.

Offertory for last weekend £974.00 Thank you.

Safeguarding Officer Mrs Catherine Cassin – Please contact Catherine should you have a concern.
sgl.addlestone@abdiocese.org.uk

Parish Centre To hire please view our website or contact the office, for further information.

Hearing Aid Loop An induction loop is provided for Hearing Aid users. Please switch your hearing aid to 'T'.

Facebook Page Please follow our Facebook page for updates on parish activities, newsletters and more.
<https://www.facebook.com/holyfamilychurchaddlestone>

Contactless Machine Please feel free to make your donation via the contactless machine before mass or during the offertory whilst the basket is being passed round. Your donation can also be Gift Aided.

Standing Order Please support our parish by setting up a standing order.
Acc. Name: RCD A&B The Holy Family Addlestone
HSBC plc, 69 Pall Mall, London SW1Y 5EY
Account No: 21126415 Sort code: 40-05-20



Mass Intentions

Date	Intention	Liturgical Day
Saturday 10 th October 18.00	Anne Wroxley RIP	Twenty- Eighth Sunday in OT
Sunday 11 th October 10:00	People of the Parish	Twenty- Eighth Sunday in OT
Wednesday 14 th October 09:30	Cecelia Boyle RIP	Wednesday of week 28 in OT
Saturday 17 th October 18:00	People of the Parish	St Ignatius of Antioch, Bishop, Martyr
Sunday 18 th October 10:00	John McCormack RIP	Twenty-Ninth Sunday in OT

Masses to be said at Salesian Community Chapel

On Monday 12th October at 7am a Mass intention will be said for Bridgid & Peter Kearney Int.