# ST. ANSELM

## Proclaiming Christ in Hayes

## Holy Bikers,

the 59 Club is coming.

As I'm sure you all know by now I am a keen motorbiker. I've travelled all over the world on two wheels and I love the freedom and joy it brings.

Some people are surprised that bikers are often Christian. But for me it comes as no surprise at all... I think I've prayed my hardest as I've come around a corner on the motorbike just a little too fast and I'm battling to get the front wheel to go where I want it!

Over the last year or so I've been involved with a London biker club called The 59 Club.

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Please let us know of illness or other need as soon as possible. We are available on the above numbers 24/7.

The club was started as a youth project by Fr. Bill Sherwood in 1959.

He was concerned that these rough lads racing around the North Circular at 100mph had nowhere to go, they were excluded from everywhere.

He very nervously turned up at The Ace Cafe one evening and handed out leaflets for his youth group. The rest is history.

The club has had a few years in the wilderness but is being revitalised by some of the old boys and an injection of new young blood.

They've also been daft enough to make me their Chairman.



In the coming months you'll see The 59 Club coming to St. Anselm for monthly meets in the evenings - including a BBQ and the new coffee bike.

We'll be inviting the members to come to our services and will arrange special events for them over the summer.

This is a great opportunity for us to reach out to people who would not normally come to St.

Anselm and I know you'll welcome them with as much warmth as I do.

Fr. Matthew

## **Prayer focus**

For those who are not welcome. For those who are turned away. For those who are marginalised and pushed away.

## Worship focus

The Ascension of the Lord is on Thursday.

There will be a high sung mass to celebrate this very important solemnity.

#### This Sunday

## Sunday 14th May

6th Sunday of Easter

10am - Parish Mass

Divine Office Psalter Week 1, Year A(I)

## Keep in Touch



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#### Notices

Due to an administrative error the collation of Fr. Matthew as Vicar on the 21st May has to be postponed to the 21st September at 10am. The Bishop's office are incredibly sorry, but the right paperwork wasn't in the right place at the right time and so we can't go ahead. Mass on the 21st May will be at the usual time of 10am with the APCM at 11:15am.

We are launching a new Sunday School after mass on Sundays from this week. Fr. Josiah will be working with the children as they prepare to lead our Pentecost Sunday service. Please speak to Fr. Josiah for more details.

Please sign up for Parish Giving (which is a wonderful way to support St. Anselm and helps us claim more money from the government) Go to <a href="https://www.stanselm.co.uk/giving">www.stanselm.co.uk/giving</a> or call the Parish Giving Team directly on 0333 002 1271 quoting our parish number, which is: 230 623 503.

Over the coming weeks we will be arranging various dates for our little coffee bike to be visiting events in the parish as well as opening one evening a month for 59 Club motorbike meets. We plan to offer basic food at these meets and if you'd like to volunteer to help we'd like to give you Food Hygiene training (at our cost). This training is valuable elsewhere and is recognised across the catering and hospitality industry. Contact Fr. Matthew for details.

#### Years Mind

15th - Caleb William Bunce

16th - Phil Creasey, Florence Rose Katherine Johnson

18th - Mary Browning, George McKenna

19th - Bob Thompson

20th - Elizabeth Jones, Nellie Honey, Richard Warnett

## Pray This Week For

Wayne Campbell, Kevin Riley & family, Norma Piggott, Gemma, Mark, Deborah Ann Potts, Chantal & baby Wynter-Rose Calliste-Jimu, Adrian Calliste, Mavis & Daniel Sibley, Rene Holman, Desmond DeGale, Fr. Robert Church & his family, Oliver Joseph, Desmond, Gloria Gibbons, Gloria Carr, Gee and her family.

#### Monday 15th May

Monday of the 6th week of Eastertide

9:45 - Morning Prayer | 10am - Mass

6pm - Evening Prayer

Prayer focus: Our online family

#### Tuesday 16th May

Tuesday of the 6th week of Eastertide

9:45 - Morning Prayer | 10am - Mass

6pm - Evening Prayer

Prayer focus: The evangelisation of England

#### Wednesday 17th May

Wednesday of the 6th week of Eastertide

6pm - Evening Prayer & Mass

Prayer focus: Priests & Bishops of the Society

#### Thursday 18th May

The Ascension of the Lord - Solemnity

9:45 - Morning Prayer

10am - High Sung Mass

6pm - Evening Prayer

Prayer focus: New Christians

## Friday 19th May

St. Dunstan - Feast

9:45 - Morning Prayer | 10am - Mass Prayer focus: Struggling Mothers & Fathers

## Saturday 20th May

Saturday of the 6th week of Eastertide 

[Offices said privately]

Prayer focus: HM King Charles III

## Sunday 21st May

7th Sunday of Easter

10am - Parish Mass

11:15am - APCM

Divine Office Psalter Week 2, Year A(I)