

NOTICES:

Church Restoration Update: The work is progressing well in the church, however, as some of you may know we were not able to do the works to the lighting as we have not collected enough funds. We will continue to fundraise and would encourage you to please contribute towards this. Envelopes are available at the back of the marquee. Thank you to those who have generously supported this project and continue to do so.

Changes to Mass times: From Sunday 30th August there will no longer be an early morning mass of 7am but instead continue with the three usual Sunday services, 9am, 11am and 6.30pm.

World Youth Day : Korea 2027

Those who have put their names down to travel to Korea for World Youth Day are asked to come to a meeting on Saturday 29th August after 10am mass. There is an important update to be provided.

Pope Leo XIV's Prayer Intention For August - For evangelisation in the city: Let us pray that in large cities often marked by anonymity and loneliness we find new ways to proclaim the Gospel, discovering creative paths to build community.

First Holy Communion & Confirmation 2027: Forms are now available at the back of the marquee to enroll children who wish to receive First Holy Communion or Confirmation. Baptism certificates are required for both applications and for Confirmation and additional essay is required from the child stating why they would like to receive this sacrament. For First Holy Communion the minimum age is 7. For Confirmation the minimum age is 13.

RCIA: Those who wish to become a Catholic should fill in an RCIA form and return it to the Presbytery by Sunday, 20th September. Forms are available at the back of the marquee.



Parish Registration –If you have not already done so, please register as a parishioner of St

Ethelbert's. Our new computer system helps us manage our parish better. This allows us to make sure that we have up to date contact information for all of our parishioners. We would be grateful if you could complete the registration form by using this QR code or by typing the link into your browser.

www.caspar.church/me?ID=56086



QR CODE:

During the registration you will also have the opportunity to sign up for the parish newsletter to keep up-to-date with the latest parish news. Please do sign up for this.

Retrouvaille: MARRIAGE IN A RUT? Or need help with deeper issues?

Retrouvaille has helped thousands of couples find hope and healing in their marriage.

Next dates: 2nd - 4th Oct. www.retrouvaille.org.uk/info Tel: 0788 7296983

Car Park: Please ensure that when you visit the church you put your car registration into the parking tablet at the back of the church.