



# St Peter the Apostle Catholic Church

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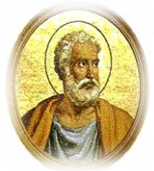
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Registered Incorporated Charity Number 1173050



## PARISH TEAM

**Parish Priest:** Fr Michael Branch  
**Assistant Priests:** Fr Matthew Ndibe  
 Fr Joseph Ekene Nnalue  
**Also Resident:** Fr Ethelbert Ukpabi  
**Deacons:** Rev Piotr Ziezio and Rev Errol Jadoc

## PARISH SCHOOL

**St Peter's Catholic Primary School**  
 Crescent Road, Woolwich, London SE18 7BN  
 Tel: 020 8265 0028  
 Email: [sao1@stpeters.greenwich.sch.uk](mailto:sao1@stpeters.greenwich.sch.uk)  
 Head Teacher: Miss M Du Bruyn

### Prayer to the Holy Spirit for the Synod Process

*We stand before You, Holy Spirit,  
 as we gather together in Your name.  
 With You alone to guide us,  
 make Yourself at home in our hearts;  
 Teach us the way we must go  
 and how we are to pursue it.  
 We are weak and sinful;  
 do not let us promote disorder.  
 Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path  
 nor partiality influence our actions.  
 Let us find in You our unity  
 so that we may journey together to eternal life  
 and not stray from the way of truth  
 and what is right.  
 All this we ask of You,  
 who are at work in every place and time,  
 in the communion of the Father and the Son,  
 forever and ever. Amen.*

## THE MONTH OF FEBRUARY IS DEDICATED TO THE HOLY FAMILY

### SEVENTH SUNDAY (YEAR C)

WEEK COMMENCING 20<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2022

ALL MASSES ARE STREAMED LIVE ON THE PARISH WEBSITE

[www.stpeterswoolwich.church](http://www.stpeterswoolwich.church)

### ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

**SUNDAY** 5:00pm – 5:45pm  
**MONDAY – FRIDAY** 10:15am – 12:15pm  
**SATURDAY** 11:00am – 12:15pm



### SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

**SATURDAY** 11:00am – 12noon  
 5:15pm – 5:45pm  
**SUNDAY** 5:15pm – 5:45pm



### ROSARY

**Saturday** 11:30am  
**Mon-Friday** 9:00am



<b>Saturday 19<sup>th</sup></b> 6:00pm	Holy Mass – Ann and Billy Black and Family
<b>Sunday 20<sup>th</sup></b> 8:30am 10:00am 11:45am 3:00pm 6:00pm	<b>SEVENTH SUNDAY (C)</b> Holy Mass – Thanksgiving for Elizabeth Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Chukwuzurum and Chukwubundum Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Myriam Achille Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Evelyn Akinola Holy Mass – People of the Parish
<b>Monday 21<sup>st</sup></b> 9:30am 12:30pm	<b>Feria</b> Holy Mass – Linus Agu-Ibe RIP Holy Mass - Protection for Victoria Aigbirhio
<b>Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup></b> 9:30am 12:30pm	<b>The Chair of St Peter the Apostles</b> Holy Mass – Louis and Jennifer Da Silva – 30 <sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary Holy Mass – Fr Seraph Fieu RIP (Foundation)
<b>Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup></b> 9:30am <b>12:00 noon</b>	<b>St Polycarp, Bishop and Martyr, Memorial</b> Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Caroline Adediran <b>Requiem Mass - Jeremiah Barnes RIP</b>
<b>Thursday 24<sup>th</sup></b> 9:30am 12:30pm	<b>Feria</b> Holy Mass – Marie Maher RIP Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Antonia and Anthony
<b>Friday 25<sup>th</sup></b> 9:30am 12:30pm	<b>Feria</b> Holy Mass – Welfare of Kerry Wyatt Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Udoka Mokweyen
<b>Saturday 26<sup>th</sup></b> <b>12 noon</b> 12:30pm 6:00pm	<b>The Blessed Virgin Mary</b> <b>Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour</b> Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Adrina Lovel Holy Mass – Jessica Laura Curtis 4th Birthday Thanksgiving
<b>Sunday 27<sup>th</sup></b>  8:30am 10:00am 11:45am 3:00pm 6:00pm	<b>EIGHTH SUNDAY (C)</b> <b>2<sup>nd</sup> Collection</b> <b>CLERGY SUPPORT FUND</b> Holy Mass – Maria Perkins RIP and Maria Davis RIP Holy Mass – Welfare of Philip Gomes Holy Mass – People of the Parish Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Mirjana Bernadette Quinzon Holy Mass – Patrick Brian Cliff RIP

**WSUP**

**We would like to offer our thanks to all those who have supported our WSUP project by donating various items which we listed a few weeks ago. Please do continue with your donations. It is very much appreciated.**

### CLERGY SUPPORT FUND

#### SECOND COLLECTION

#### NEXT SUNDAY

**27<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2022**

The Clergy Support Fund of the Archdiocese of Southwark provides care for priests in their old age and retirement, and in their time of ill health. A gift to this worthy fund will ensure a dignified retirement for our priests, after they have dedicated a lifetime of service to Christ, His Church and His People.

In 2021, the Clergy Support Fund provided care to 71 retired priests, at a cost of £1.25 million. With the number of priests over the age of 65 steadily increasing, so too will the financial obligation to the Archdiocese.

Please be generous with a gift to the Clergy Support Fund and continue to keep our priests in your prayers.

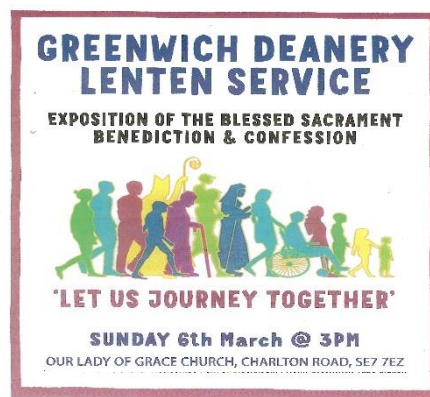
- Donate Online:  
<https://rcaos.org.uk/donate/csf>
- QR Code (see right)



- Cash / Cheque – please use the Clergy Support Fund envelopes at the back of church.

## A RETREAT FOR LENT

Since Lent will be approaching us next month we would like you to make some space to develop your relationship with God this coming Lent. Sign up for our Diocesan 'retreat at home' called "**Saving Grace**". Every week you will receive an email with links to a 25minute video in which our Archbishop John will introduce the theme and the reading, Chris Chapman will deliver the retreat, with others contributing. You will also receive materials to use in your own prayer and reflection. All you have to do is sign up and then set aside what space you can for Saving Grace! Please sign up to receive the materials directly via: [http://eepurl.com/hnK\\_Rz](http://eepurl.com/hnK_Rz)



The Nigerian Community are looking for **Nigerian volunteers** who worship at our parish to help clean the church every 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday morning of the month. If you have the time to dedicate a few hours to assist in God's work, then please contact the parish office with your name and contact details. Many thanks for your cooperation. The Nigerian Community meet every 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month after the 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place.

## VACANCY

We currently have a vacancy for a Priests' Welfare Officer. More details can be found on the Diocesan Website – [www.rcsouthwark.co.uk](http://www.rcsouthwark.co.uk)

## SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

To baptise your child please see the priest or phone the Parish Office to arrange a date and time of baptism.

We request **ALL PARENTS**, who wish to get their child baptised, to bring their own baptism certificates as proof that they are Catholics, a copy of their child's birth certificate and proof of address along with the yellow Baptism Form. **GODPARENTS** will need to get a letter from their parish priest to say they are practicing Catholics.



**Parish Surgery next Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> February from 5:00pm – 6:00pm**



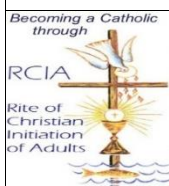
Little Church will take place every Sunday at the 10:00am Mass ONLY in Pugin Place.



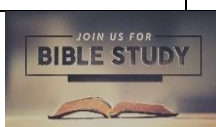
**Catholic Gift Shop**



Please pop into our shop as we have many new items.



The RCIA programme will take place every 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month in Pugin Place from 3:00pm – 4:00pm.



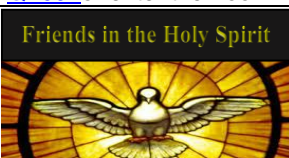
## ST PETER'S FAMILY BIBLE STUDY (Every Tuesday 7:00pm – 8:00pm)

Please join us in our Bible Study coordinated by the Priests of the Parish by clicking on the link

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83661570378?pwd=cTUxQ3FhOFM1SHd6VWhZVytQcE5LQT09> or enter the Zoom Meeting ID: 836 6157 0378 Passcode: 084246



The Youth of St Peter's Church aged 11 – 17 years of age are welcome to join the Youth Ministry sessions every 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the month.



**Friends in the Holy Spirit (FiHS) CCR prayer group** encourage you to join our fellowship by Zoom on Fridays at 7pm (camera off) using Link below <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87330332416> Meeting ID: 873 3033 2416. Let's support our parish community by thanking and praising our loving and merciful God together.

**WE MEET IN PERSON IN CHURCH ON THE FIRST FRIDAY OF EVERY MONTH**

**May we be encouraged to continue in our good spirit of Christian charity, to support the works of evangelisation through our Parish Ministries as we continue to make our donations as follows:**

## OPTION 1

### Online donations

### BANK DETAILS:

NatWest Bank: RCAS St Peter the Apostle Woolwich  
Sort Code: 60 24 26 Account Number: 16163400

*Please use your name as a reference (gift aiders can add their envelope number).*

## OPTION 2

**Contactless Giving – these machines are situated in the church lobby.**

**Thank you. Any donation you can make will be greatly appreciated during this time and always.**

## SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Please continue to keep in your daily prayers the sick of our parish family. We pray especially for the following: Annie D'Sa, Emmanuel Meshe, Margaret Jeffrey, Francis Ayodele, Barry Newton, Catherine Garraway, Adriene Kelleher, John Branch, Sheila Edwards, Sheila Lee, Joe and Theresa Devoy, Frater Jeneita, Marie-Anne Collins, Kate Dooley, Jo O'Connell, Maureen Brazier, Francis Matajo, Tomisin Iddrisu, Tomosina Gloria Watkins, Jayne Shoboiki, Noone Dunlevy, Sandy Bamotra, Jacqueline Demar Richards, Antoine Libanje, Evelyn Martin, Cesil Ryan, Cecilia Egbujin, Hugh Rozario, Caitlin Connors, Lizzy Connors, Christopher Browne, Mary Angela McInerney, Theodora St Bernard, Dudley Simmonds, Ray Bat, Sadie Byrne, Tumboma Nampuya Kamesa, Jo Earll, Ray Renolds, Christopher Browne, Thi Van Dang, Kathiravelu Nagarajah, Alex Morris, Kathy Stayne, Maggie Dempsey, Charity Nwalozie, Sick Priests of the Diocese and please continue to keep Bishop Pat Lynch in your prayers.



## OBITUARY

**Janet Mary Burchett RIP** – her Requiem Mass will take place on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2022 at 12 noon.

**Margaret Kennedy RIP** – her Requiem Mass will take place on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2022 at 10:00am.

**Jose Robert Joana Dias RIP** – his Requiem Mass will take place on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> March 2022 at 10:00am

We offer our prayers and spiritual support to their families and friends.

## ANNIVERSARIES

William Mongan, Eamon Simpson, Audrey Joyce Jefferies, Joan Oldham, Herbert Munden, Edward Tuke, Christopher Jordan, Desmond Derry, Natalia Fernandes, Remeolious DeSilva, Norah Champion, Catherine Plummer, Jason Mooney, Jose Victor Marques, Augusto Fernandes, Zita Parke, Norah Beckwith, John O'Halloran, Jack Kitching, Jimmy McShane, Eileen Dowsett, Patrick Walsh, Dorothy Roycroft, William Devine, Susan Jarvis, Tito Coutinho, Anthony Walsh, Eileen McManus, Mary Blatchford, Phyllis Devine, Severine Richards, John Michael Butler, Father Eric Nimmo, Gladys "Riley" McCabe and Jeanie Gallagher.

**MAY THEIR SOULS REST IN PEACE!**