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Monday 8th

9:30am

12:30pm

6:00pm

DIVINE MERCY SU

The month of April is dedicated both to devotion to the **Eucharist and devotion to the Holy Spirit SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (YEAR B)** WEEK COMMENCING 7th April 2024

ALL MASSES ARE STREAMED LIVE ON THE PARISH WEBSITE



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

SUNDAY 5:00pm - 5:45pm TUESDAY - FRIDAY 10:15am - 12:15pm SATURDAY 11:00am - 12:15pm



SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

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



ROSARY

Sunday 8:00am Monday-Friday 9:00am and 11:30am Saturday 11:30am



Saturday 6th Saturday within the Octave of Easter 6:00pm Holy Mass - Margaret Mendes RIP Sunday 7th SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER (B) Holy Mass - Thomas and Delia Kennedy RIP 8:30 am 10:00 am Holy Mass - Michael and Maria D'Souza RIP 11:45 am Holy Mass - Birthday Thanksgiving for Chukwuemeka Michael

Divine Mercy Devotions 2:00pm 2:00pm - 3:00pm Sacrament of Reconciliation 3:00pm **Holy Mass - Intentions of the Celebrant** 6:00pm

Holy Mass – People of the Parish

THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD Holy Mass - Stuart James Way RIP Holy Mass - Minda Marigsa RIP

7:30pm **Bible Study in the Presbytery** Tuesday 9th **Feria** 9:30am Holy Mass - The Akinola Family in Thanksgiving

12:30pm Holy Mass - Intentions of Innocent Onuorah Wednesday 10th

9:30am Holy Mass - Mary McCIntyre RIP 12:30pm Holy Mass - Baby Richard Coffey RIP Thursday 11th

St Stanislaus, Bishop and Martyr, Memorial Holy Mass - Gemma Bashford, Ken & Olive Bashford & all the Basford Family RIP 9:30am Holy Mass - Birthday Thanksgiving for Nonso Henry Aniaka 12:30pm

NO PARISH SURGERY - PHONE THE OFFICE FOR AN APPOINTMENT

Friday 12th **Feria** 9:30am

Holy Mass - Chukwuemeka Raymond Ohiri RIP Requiem Mass - Marie Gayler RIP 11:00am 12:30pm Holy Mass - Désirée Oliver RIP 7:00pm-8:30pm Friends in the Holy Spirit Catholic Charismatic Renewal Prayer Group

Saturday 13th

12:00 noon Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour 12:30pm Holy Mass - Catherine Nwanokuru in Thanksgiving

6:00pm Holy Mass - Zsolt Licsauer RIP

Sunday 14th THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER (B) 8:30 am Holy Mass - Maria Chinh and Peter Van Van RIP 10:00 am Holy Mass - Leslie Dowuona in Thanksgiving Holy Mass - People of the Parish 11:45 am 3:00 pm - 3:30pm **DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS (NO MASS)**

Southwark Archdiocese Life in the Spirit Seminars 2024 - OPEN for registration!

Holy Mass - Mr & Mrs Taylor in Thanksgiving

We are all encouraged by our Archbishop to participate and delve deeper into what it means to be filled with the Holy Spirit. Weekly talks and discussions, daily reflections, and an all-day retreat are planned for that purpose. The seminars will take place on Tuesday evenings at 8pm-9:30pm on 23 and 30 April and 7, 21 and 28 May (see poster/flyer in our parish lobby). You can attend in person at St George's Cathedral or online via Zoom (online places will be limited). In addition there will be an All-Day Retreat at St George's Cathedral Lambeth Rd, London SE1 6H on Saturday 18 May. To register please go to https://aec.rcaos.org.uk/liss

Why Divine Mercy Sunday? St Faustina tells us Why and at whose request

St. Faustina's Diary records 14 occasions when Jesus requested that a Feast of Mercy (Divine Mercy Sunday) be observed, for example:

My daughter, tell the whole world about My inconceivable mercy. I desire that the Feast of Mercy be a refuge and shelter for all souls. and especially for poor sinners. On that day the very depths of My tender mercy are open. I pour out a whole ocean of graces upon those souls who approach the Fount of My mercy. The soul that will go to Confession and receive Holy Communion shall obtain complete forgiveness of sins and punishment. ... Let no soul fear to draw near to Me. ... It is My desire that it be solemnly celebrated on the first Sunday after Easter. Mankind will not have peace until it turns to the Fount of My Mercy. (Diary, no. 699)

A BIG THANK YOU

Renewed gratitude to all those who helped at last week's Easter Triduum! It was a most moving and beautiful few days. It was lovely to see a large crowd for the Easter Triduum. We do hope you received a strengthening of faith as we are called to witness to the Jesus' power of Cross Resurrection.

In addition, we the clergy would like to say an extra big thank you to everyone for the very generous Easter Offerings and for the many cards and gifts. GOD BLESS YOU ALL

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR NEW CATHOLICS

We would like to officially welcome all those who were Baptised and Received into the Catholic Church at the Easter Vigil, last Saturday. We thank you for the time spent enquiring through the RCIA Programme and deciding to become Catholics. We would like you to become active members of the parish, and to make use of the different talents that God has given you for the good of the parish. We wish you all the best in your Journey of Faith. God bless you.



A meeting will be held on Sunday 21st April 2024 after the 10:00am Mass in the small hall Pugin Place, for Youth Leaders and for those aged between 13 years – 18 years old. Please join us if you are interested.

GHANAIAN COMMUNITY

We would like to thank the Ghanaian Community for their generous donation in the sum of £500.00. May our Lord shower them and their community with blessings from Heaven. God bless you all.

CATHOLIC WOMEN ORGANISATION) CWO

We would like to express our gratitude to the Catholic Women Organisation for their fundraising Cake Sale which took place on Mother's Day, 10th March 2024 in aid of the Church heating. May our Lord continue to bless them, their families and their community.

MASS OFFERINGS

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is very special and sacred; it may be offered for either thanksgiving, welfare or the repose of a soul. It is always important to remember that these special intentions are offered to God as prayers of intercession and thanksgiving, in and through Christ's perfect sacrifice made present to us in the Sacrifice of the Holy Mass.

We are happy to inform you that we no longer have a backlog of Masses and hopefully can accommodate those who wish to request for Mass providing it is not already booked. If you would like to offer a Mass for your family and friends, KINDLY FILL OUT an envelope available at the lobby of the church and hand it to the staff in the shop or put it in the collection.



Online donations

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents wishing to have their children baptised in MAY 2024 should attend the

Pre-Baptism Programme on Tuesday 30th April 2024. This programme will start at 7pm and end at 9pm and will be held in Pugin Place.

Please note: Parents should submit the Baptism Form and other relevant paperwork to the Parish Office before attending the programme.

Those attending the above Session will have their children baptised on the following dates: Sunday 12th May 2024 and Sunday 26th May 2024 after the 11:45am Mass.

PLEASE NOTE NO BAPTISMS DURING LENT



Catholic Gift Shop



Please pay a visit to our shop as we have many new items available.

SOCIAL WELFARE COMMITTEE

The Social Welfare Committee have agreed to make every 1st Sunday of the Month "A Food Charity Sunday".

Please can we ask you once again to donate NON PERISHABLE food for those who are struggling on a daily basis and who cannot have access to food banks. Thank you for your kind generosity. WE HAVE READY TO COLLECT FOOD BAGS FOR THOSE

WHO NEED IT.



Friends in the Holy Spirit (FitHS) Catholic Charismatic Renewal prayer group invite you to join our fellowship on Fridays at 7pm-8:30pm to support our parish community needs by prayer, thanksgiving, and praise to our loving and merciful God.

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 3**

BANK DETAILS:

NatWest Bank: RCAS Woolwich Sort Code: 60 24 26 Account Number: 16163400 Please use your name as a reference (gift aiders please add their envelope number)

Contactless Giving - these machines are situated in the church lobby.



You can also donate by scanning the QR code.

STUDENTS TAKING EXAMS

Please keep in your prayers all those who are sitting their exams this week and in the coming weeks. May the Lord bless and guide them in their studies.

PUGIN PLACE - HALL BOOKING

Please contact our caretaker Alex Sarte on 07342626054 if you wish to book the hall in Pugin Place

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Please continue to keep in your daily prayers the sick of our parish family.

Emmanuel and Florence Meshe Francis Matajo Maggie Dempsey Sheila Lee Myriam Achille Francis Ayodele Juliet Townsend Mary Odih Salo Andrew Roopnarine Sick Priests of the Diocese

ANNIVERSARIES

Let us remember our departed brothers and sisters who have gone to their rest in the hope of rising again:

Anne Bagenal	Emmanuel Ashun	Gillian Kalitsi	Kathleen Twoigg	Omolola Akinsowon
Barbara Clancy	Ernest Hilliard	Grace Scott	Kenneth Lee	Rosaline Enitan Odeneye
Eileen Ryan	Eufemio (John) D'Souza	Hannah Mulvihill	Kevin Logan	Salma Redgrave
Elizabeth Watts	Fr Michael Murphy	Jacinta Meade	Mary Collins	Stephen Bullen
Elizabeth Woodham	George Dunbar	Janet Usi	Mary Kavanagh	Thomas Wall
Ellen Gurtrude	George Edwin	Kathleen McDonald	Mrs Dyball	Thomas William Bagenal
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MAY THEIR SOULS AND THE SOULS OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED REST IN PEACE!

COMMUNITY MEETINGS								
Nigerian	Filipino Community	Cameroon	Catholic Women	Ghanaian	St Peter the Apostle's			
Community meets	meets every 2 nd	Community meets	Organisation at St	Community meets	Professionals & Trades			
every 1 st Sunday	Saturday of the month	every 2 nd Sunday of	Peters (CWO) meets	every last Sunday	Network (Spaptan) meets			
of the month after	at 4:00pm for Holy Mass	the month after	every 3 rd Sunday of the	of the month after	every last Sunday of the			
11:45am Mass in	in the church thereafter	11:45am Mass in	month after 11:45am	10am Mass in	month after 11:45am			
Pugin Place	in Pugin Place	Pugin Place	Mass in Pugin Place	Pugin Place	Mass in Pugin Place			