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# THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER IS DEDICATED TO THE SEVEN SORROWS (OR *DOLOURS*) OF MARY

THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS (YEAR C)
WEEK COMMENCING 14<sup>th</sup> September 2025
ALL MASSES ARE STREAMED LIVE ON THE PARISH WEBSITE

# ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT 🝱

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



#### **SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

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



#### ROSARY

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

Saturday 11:30am



SATURDAY	11:00am – 12:15pm					
Saturday 13 <sup>th</sup>						
6:00pm	Holy Mass – Rita Oghenero Ebioke RIP					
Sunday 14 <sup>th</sup>	THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS (C) 2 <sup>ND</sup> COLLECTION					
8:30 am	Holy Mass – Michael Brady RIP Catholic Education Day					
10:00 am	Holy Mass – Thanksgiving for Annabel and Stephen Dowuona Wed Anni					
11:45 am	Holy Mass – People of the Parish					
3:00 pm	DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS (NO MASS)					
6:00pm	Holy Mass – 30th Birthday Thanksgiving for Olabode Anidugbe					
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup>	Our Lady of Sorrows, Memorial					
9:30am	Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Cathy and Faith					
12:30pm	Holy Mass – Welfare of Aunty Mary, Harriet and children					
Tuesday 16th	Cornelius, Pope, and St Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs, Memorial					
9:30am	Holy Mass – God's blessings and protection over Tim Ebuchi					
12:30pm	Holy Mass – Intentions of Mary and Family					
Wednesday 17 <sup>th</sup>	Feria					
9:30am	Holy Mass – Welfare of Marco Cipek					
12:30pm	Holy Mass – Muriel Nathan RIP					
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Feria					
9:30am	Holy Mass – David Mann RIP					
11:00am	Requiem Mass - Emmanuel Meshe RIP					
12:30pm	Holy Mass – Pat D'Arcy RIP					

#### Friday 19th 9:30am Holy Mass - 80th Birthday Thanksgiving for Roselle Cabanero 12:30pm Holy Mass - Welfare of Phyllis and Dorcas 7:00pm-8:30pm Friends in the Holy Spirit Catholic Charismatic Renewal Prayer Group Saturday 20th Saint Andrew Kim Tae-gon, Priest, and Paul Chong Ha-sang, and Companions, Martyrs, Memorial Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour 12 noon Holy Mass - Birthday Thanksgiving for Patricia Tueje 12:30pm Holy Mass - Vic and Family 6:00pm Sunday 21st TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY (C) 2<sup>nd</sup> Collection Catholic Agency for the Support of Evangelization 8:30 am Holy Mass - People of the Parish 10:00 am Holy Mass - Welfare of Angela and Martin 11:45 am Holy Mass - Alexander Ebele RIP 3:00 pm **DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS (NO MASS)** 6:00pm Holy Mass - Emmanuel Meshe RIP

#### **CONFIRMATION 2025/2026 - REGISTRATION**

Are you a young person in Year 8 or above and interested in receiving the **Sacrament of Confirmation in 2026?** We encourage you to register at one of the following dates in Pugin Place:

Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> September 2025

after 10:00am and 11:45am Masses

Sunday 21st September 2025 after 10:00am and 11:45am Masses

Please bring copies of your Baptism and First Holy Communion Certificates with you for enrolment. Parent to sign enrolment forms.

Programme will begin on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2025 from 1:30pm – 2:30pm in Pugin Place. Canon Victor Darlington will confer the Sacrament of Confirmation on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> July 2026 at 12 noon.





Who is God for you?' 'Have you experienced in your life that God exists?' 'What is the meaning of your life?' 'What do you live for?' 'What is the Church?' Answers to these questions will be given to you.

#### **YOU ARE INVITED!!!**

Come to attend St Peter the Apostle Catholic Church 'Great Mission' which starts on Sunday 21st of September 2025 at 3pm Venue: General Gordon Place (adjacent to the Woolwich Big TV Screen).

This 'Great Mission' is for you and to help people to have an encounter with Jesus Christ through the listening of the Good News: the Kerygma. A series of catechesis (talks) for adults will be given on Mondays & Thursdays at 7:30pm in Pugin Place throughout September. October and November 2025. 'Come to me, all you who are weary and are carrying heavy burdens, and I will give you rest'. (Matthew 11:28) Complimentary Creche will be offered on the site so parents can fully take part in the talks (please contact Thomas on 07958146119).

Second Collection this Sunday for the Catholic Education Service

Thank you for your support





Parishioners are invited to pop into Pugin Place after the 11.45am Mass for Tea & Coffee every Sunday. This is courtesy of the Catholic Women Organisation (CWO) of the

# CHILDREN'S LITURGY NOTICE BOARD

#### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION



Holy Communion Programme. Registration and Verification of IDs will take place on this Sunday 14th September in Pugin Place after the 10:00am Mass. IDs required for Registration: Certificate, Baptismal Certificate and Proof of Address. Registration Fee: £30.00

PLEASE NOTE: NO REGISTRATION WILL BE ACCEPTED AFTER THESE DATES. Catechism classes will commence on Saturday 20th September 2025 from 10:00am - 11:30am.



St Peter's Youth Club will take place every Sunday from 4:00pm to 6:00pm at Pugin Place. For ages 10 to 18 years old. Activities include music, board games, as well as a short time for prayers and reflection. It's a wonderful opportunity for our youth

to make friends, unwind, and deepen their spiritual journey in a fun and safe environment. We look forward to welcoming your children!

#### YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

There will be Adoration and Confession taking place in the Church on Monday 15th September 2025 from 7:00pm - 8:15pm for the Young Adults Group (aged 18-35). Please join them if you are free.



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.

#### 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 do not have access to food banks. Thank you for your kind generosity. WE HAVE READY TO COLLECT FOOD BAGS FOR THOSE WHO NEED IT.

## SERVICE FOR HOPE AND HEALING

Archbishop John Wilson and the Safeguarding team, invite all our parishioners to join us on the  $24^{th}$  September 2025 at 6.30pm, for the Service for Hope and Healing, for all those that have been harmed by abuse. The service is to express the archdiocese's commitment to all those that have been harmed, their family and friends and to come together as a community and demonstrate our solidarity for those harmed.

#### **BOOKING AN APPOINTMENT**

PARISHIONERS WISHING TO SPEAK TO A PRIEST. PLEASE PHONE THE OFFICE FOR AN APPOINTMENT

#### **CULTURAL DAY AT ST PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH**

Date: Sunday 12th October 2025 Time: 10 am and 11.45am Mass Venue: St Peter's Catholic Church

Come and celebrate the beauty of our diverse cultures! Dress in your traditional attire

Bring a sample of your traditional food for sharing and tasting. Let's unite in joy, love and fellowship as we embrace and showcase the richness of our heritage.

All are welcome!

# **READERS AND EUCHARIST MINISTERS**

Readers' Meeting

Saturday 18th October at 1:30pm - in the church

There will be a meeting for all current Readers and those who are interested in becoming a Reader.

We warmly encourage anyone who feels called to proclaim the Word of God to attend.

**Eucharistic Ministers Meeting – in the church** Saturday 18th October at 2:30pm

There will be a meeting for all current Eucharistic Ministers

#### **RITE OF CHRISTIAN INITIATION - FOR ADULTS** 2025-2026 SESSION

Want to become a Catholic?

The RCIA is a programme for adults who wish to be in full communion with the Catholic Church through the Sacraments of Baptism, Holy Communion and Confirmation.

The Programme will take place every Saturday from 3:00pm -5:00pm in Pugin Place.

#### SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM



Parents wishing to have their children baptised in OCTOBER 2025 should attend the Baptism Programme on TUESDAY 30th September 2025.

This programme will start at 7pm and end at 9pm and will be held in Pugin Place.

PLEASE NOTE: PARENTS MUST FIRST SUBMIT ALL RELEVANT PAPERWORK TO THE PARISH OFFICE

Those attending the above session will have their children baptised on the following dates:

Sunday 12th October and 26th October 2025 after the 11:45am Mass.

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** 

**OPTION 1** 

Online donations

**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.

### LAST WEEK'S OFFERTORY COLLECTION - £1.824.18 **GOD BLESS YOU AND YOUR FAMILY**

#### ICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Bridget Jordan	Mrs Elizabeth Akinde	Francis Ayodele	Mary Odih	Myriam Achille	Sick Priests of the Diocese
Ceclia D'Silva	Florence Meshe	Francis Matajo	Margaret Ollin	Sheila Lee	

## ORITHARY

We pray for the soul of Patricia Onakoya who died recently. Her Requiem Mass will take place on Tuesday 30th September at 11:00am. We offer our prayers and spiritual support to her family and friends.

#### **ANNIVERSARIES**

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

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Anne Phillips	David Stretton	Elizabeth Connolly	Ivis Leahy	Janette Fisher	Martin Kelly	Theresa Lloyd
Brendan Earl	Davis Gilbert	Ellen McNeils	James Diamond	Jeremiah Dennis	Mary Reilly	Vincent Isaac Oola

# MAY THEIR SOULS AND THE SOULS OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED REST IN PEACE!

#### COMMUNITY MEETING

Nigerian Community meets every 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place

**Bridget Brandy** 

Ugandan Community meets every 1st Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place (small hall)

Davis Hart

Filipino Community meets every 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of the month at 3:30pm for Holy Mass in the church thereafter in **Pugin Place** 

George Manks

Cameroon **Community meets** every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in

**Pugin Place** 

Igbo Community meets every 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in every 2 months after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place

James Houlihan | Marie Tooher

Catholic Women Organisation at St Peters (CWO) meets every 3rd Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in **Pugin Place** 

Ghanaian Community meets every last Sunday of the month after 10am Mass in Pugin Place

Ron Hatfield

St Peter the Apostle's Professionals & Trades Network (Spaptan) meets every last Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in **Pugin Place**