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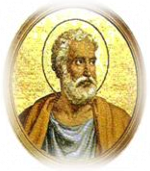

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PARISH TEAM

Parish Priest:	**Fr Roy Tablizo**
Assistant Priest:	**Fr Jonas Opoku-Gyamfi**
Assistant Priest:	**Fr Michael Eze (awaiting arrival)**
Deacons:	**Rev Piotr Ziezio and Rev Errol Jadoc**

PARISH SCHOOL

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Head Teacher: Miss M Du Bruyn

THE MONTH OF OCTOBER IS DEDICATED TO THE HOLY ROSARY

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR C)

WEEK COMMENCING 19th October 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 18th	
6:00pm	Holy Mass – Jimmy Sullivan RIP
Sunday 19th	**TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)** **2nd Collection World Mission Day**
8:30 am	Holy Mass – Intentions of Mr and Mrs Da Silva and Family
10:00 am	Holy Mass – Frankie Desai RIP
11:45 am	Holy Mass – Nigerian Catholic Community in Thanksgiving
3:00 pm	**DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS (NO MASS)**
6:00pm	Holy Mass – People of the Parish
Monday 20th	**Feria**
9:30am	Holy Mass – Welfare of Nicholas Ohiaeri
12:30pm	Holy Mass – Welfare of Asebi and Jehaan
7:30pm	**Good News Programme – Pugin Place**
Tuesday 21st	**Saint Margaret Clitherow, Martyr**
9:30am	Holy Mass – Deceased Teachers and children of St Peter's School (Foundation)
12:30pm	Holy Mass – Daisy Augustin and Mike Oliver RIP
Wednesday 22nd	**Saint John Paul II, Pope**
9:30am	Holy Mass – Philip Render RiP
12:30pm	Holy Mass – Adeola Ebeyemi RIP
Thursday 23rd	**Feria**
9:30am	Holy Mass – Bernadette Ogochukwu Ukah RIP
10:15am – 11:15am	**Prayer Group - Association of the Sacred Heart and Immaculate Heart of Mary**
12:30pm	Holy Mass – Thanksgiving to Our Lady and St Joseph
7:30pm	**Good News Programme – Pugin Place**
Friday 24th	**Feria**
9:30am	Holy Mass – Intentions of Patricia
12:30pm	Holy Mass – 30th Birthday Thanksgiving for Daniel McDonald
7:00pm–8:30pm	**Friends in the Holy Spirit Catholic Charismatic Renewal Prayer Group**
Saturday 25th	**The Blessed Virgin Mary**
12 noon	**Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour**
12:30pm	**Holy Mass – Fr Roy Tablizo in Thanksgiving – 30th Priestly Ordination and Julie and Jonathan Ballesteros Wedding Anniversary**
6:00pm	Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for David Obike
Sunday 26th	**THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (C)** **2nd Collection Fr Roy's 30th Priestly Anniversary**
8:30 am	Holy Mass – 33rd Birthday Thanksgiving for Jamie McDonald
10:00 am	Holy Mass – Shelia Gopal RIP
11:45 am	**Holy Mass – Fr Roy Tablizo's 30th Priestly Celebration**
3:00 pm	**DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS (NO MASS)**
6:00pm	Holy Mass – People of the Parish

FR ROY'S 30th PRIESTLY ORDINATION ANNIVERSARY

Fr Roy's 30th Anniversary of Priestly Ordination will be celebrated at the 11:45am Mass on Sunday 26th October 2025. There will be a special 2nd Collection at all Masses in his honour.

A reception will follow in Pugin Place, with a marquee set up at the back of the car park (please note the car park will be closed). All are warmly invited to join in prayer, gratitude, and fellowship as we celebrate Fr Roy's faithful ministry.

Those who would prefer to offer monetary support may place their donation in an envelope clearly marked "Fr Roy's Ordination Party" and put it in the box in front of the Altar or hand it in the shop.

A list is available in the church lobby for those who wish to contribute food or drink items. Thank you for your support.

CULTURAL DAY AND FAMILY FUNFAIR

We would like to thank all the organisers who generously dedicated their time in the planning of the Cultural Day and Family FunFair last Sunday. It was a tremendous success, and everyone thoroughly enjoyed themselves. The money collected was £1,000.00.

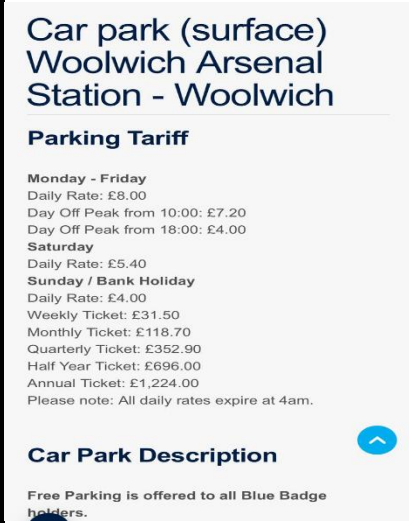
We now look forward to our next celebration: Fr Roy's 30th Priestly Ordination Anniversary, which will take place next Sunday, 26th October 2025.

CAR PARK ON 26th OCTOBER 2025

Please be advised that the car park will not be available for use on Sunday 26th October 2025. Should you choose to park at Tesco, kindly note that free parking is limited to three hours.

For those requiring parking beyond three hours, please refer to the poster displayed on the noticeboard for further information.

Please see below if you wish to park at Woolwich Arsenal Station.



BOOKING AN APPOINTMENT

PARISHIONERS WISHING TO SPEAK TO A PRIEST, PLEASE PHONE THE OFFICE TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT

PARISH NEWS

NEW ASSISTANT PRIEST

We are pleased to announce that Fr Michael Eze, from the Diocese of Aba in Nigeria, will be joining us at the end of October 2025. as our new Assistant Priest.

TEA AND COFFEE MORNING

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 parish.

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!

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.**

THE GREENWICH FILIPINO COMMUNITY

Our grateful thanks to the Greenwich Filipino Community for their fundraising efforts last month. **They raised £1,000.00, which will go towards the church redecoration project—specifically, the painting.** We hope to begin as soon as we have sufficient funds.

Pray the Rosary with Archbishop John and The Mark 10 Mission this October. The Rosary Challenge invites you to pray a decade of the Rosary each weekday in October. The Mark 10 Mission has created beautiful online videos for each mystery of the Holy Rosary, led by Archbishop John. To watch the videos and learn more, please visit themark10mission.co.uk or The Mark 10 Mission YouTube channel @themark10mission.

SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMMES

GOOD NEWS

You are invited to a series of Catechesis (Talks) for Adults every Monday and Thursday at 7:30pm in Pugin Hall Please come and join us!

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents wishing to have their children baptised in NOVEMBER 2025 should attend the Baptism Programme on **TUESDAY 28th October 2025.**

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

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

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Those attending the above session will have their children baptised on the following dates:
Sunday 9th November and 23rd November 2025 after the 11:45am Mass.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY NOTICE BOARD

LITTLE CHURCH

This will take place every Sunday at the 10:00am and 11:45am Masses.

There will be no Children's Liturgy at both Masses at 10:00am and 11:45am on Sunday 26th October due to the half term. Little Church will resume on Sunday 2nd November.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The First Holy Communion Programme will take place every Saturday from 10:00am to 11.30am.

The First Holy Communion Catechism classes will not be held on 25th October due to half term. Classes will resume on Saturday 1st November.

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 at 10:00am in the Presbytery

Sacrament of Confirmation 2026

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

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:

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).

ntactless giving – these machines are situated in the church lobby. You can also donate by scanning the QR code.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTRIBUTIONS

LAST WEEK'S TOTAL COLLECTIONS: £2,730.14

BAG COLLECTION: £1,845.16 ONLINE DONATIONS: £360.00 CONTACTLESS DONATIONS: £524.98

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

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

ANNIVERSARIES

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

Alice Wills	Christopher Collins	Grances Harvey	Jonathan Christopher Collins	Margaret Cooper	Patrick Bryne
Andrew Kelly	Daniel Dolan	Ivy Harrison	Joseph Bradley	Margaret Lunde	Patrick Drislane
Bridget "Bridie" Lukiewski	Eileen Gournay	Jackie McAllister	Josie D'Souza	Margaret Phelan	Paul Mkpayah
Bridget Grant	Ellen Geraghty	James Bull	Kath Nolan	Margaret Smyth	Peggy Abrahart
Bula-Bula Mambu	Ethel Moore	Jeffrey Taylor	Lily Cornsky	Mary Chandler	Roque Barreto
Carol-Ann Francis	Florence Tatton	Joanne Faulkner	Marcellina Ibiyemi Kajero Blessed	Mary Smith	Sarah Healy
Catherine Martin	Frances Brown	John Budd	Malachy Gaffney	Michael McGreough	Tom Brown
Cecilia Togwell	George Graham McNamara	John McDermott	Margaret Bell	Michael Stanbury	Vincent Mills
Charles Frederick Jeffrey	George Pethers	John Wilkins	Margaret Campbell	Norah Maloney	Walter Todd

COMMUNITY MEETINGS

Nigerian Community	Ugandan Community	Filipino Community	Cameroon Community	Igbo Community	Catholic Women Organisation (CWO)	Ghanaian Community	St Peter the Apostle's Professionals & Trades Network (Spaptan)
1st Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place	1st Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place (small hall)	2nd Saturday of the month at 3:30pm for Holy Mass in the church thereafter in Pugin Place	2nd Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place	2nd Sunday in every 2 months after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place	3rd Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place	last Sunday of the month after 10am Mass in Pugin Place	last Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place