



St Peter the Apostle Catholic Church

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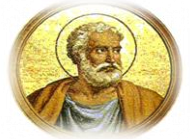
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PARISH TEAM

Parish Priest: Fr Michael Branch
Assistant Priests: Fr Anthony Uche OP
Fr Matthew Ndibe

Deacons: Rev Piotr Ziezio and Rev Errol Jadoc

PARISH SCHOOL

St Peter's Catholic Primary School
Crescent Road, Woolwich, London SE18 7BN
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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

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



ROSARY
Mon-Friday
Before
9:30am
& 12:30pm
Masses



SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

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

THE MONTH OF NOVEMBER IS DEDICATED TO THE HOLY SOULS IN PURGATORY

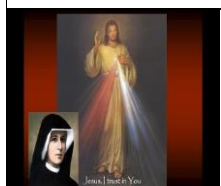
Week commencing 24th November 2019 (Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe- Cycle 1)

Saturday 23rd 6:00pm	Mass – Holy Souls
Sunday 24th 8:30 am 10:00am 11:45am 6:00pm	OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE (C) Youth Day Mass – Fr James Connell (Foundation) 2nd Collection Mass – Enrolment for the First Holy Communion Candidates and families Mass – People of the Parish Mass – Thanksgiving for Emmanuella Akande
Monday 25th 9:30am 12:30pm	Feria Mass – Sergei Pogorelouski RIP Mass – Holy Souls
Tuesday 26th 9:30am 12:30pm	Feria Mass – Siobain Mythen RIP Mass – Holy Souls
Wednesday 27th 9:30am 12:30pm 6:15pm 7:00pm	Feria Mass – Theresa O'Dowd RIP Mass – Holy Souls DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS Mass – In Honour of Divine Mercy
Thursday 28th 10:00am 12:30pm 5:00pm – 6:00pm	Feria Requiem Mass – Marie Daisy Augustin RIP Mass – Thanksgiving for Costa Sie PARISH SURGERY IN PUGIN PLACE
Friday 29th 9:30am 12:30pm	Feria Mass – Holy Souls Mass – Family Tree
Saturday 30th 12:00 noon 12:30pm 6:00pm	St Andrew, Apostle, Patron of Scotland Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Mass – Victoria and Thomas Brown RIP Mass – Holy Souls
Sunday 1st 8:30 am 10:00am 11:45am 6:00pm	FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT (A) Mass – Paul Le Dinh Sau RIP Mass – Rhys Dada RIP Mass – Thanksgiving for Catherine Ekemezie Mass – People of the Parish

SOLEMNITY OF CHRIST THE KING



Lord, I am amazed at Your love for me. You who are the God of the Universe come to me in my weakness and sin. You are attentive to me and offer the perfect care of a loving Father. Help me to always be in awe of the humility You manifest as You descend from Your throne of grace and enter my soul.
Jesus, I trust in You.



Divine Mercy weekly quote:

Meeting someone of great power can be the cause for excitement. The most important and “influential” person you will ever meet is your God. God is Omnipotent and Omniscient, that is, All-Powerful and All-Knowing. He is also All-Loving and, in that perfect love, descends from His throne of grace and majesty to converse with you, to care for you, and to fulfill every need that you have. He comes to fill you with the abundance of joy.
What is your interior experience when you go to Him in prayer?
Do you allow yourself to be comforted and consoled by the fact that the God of the Universe cares for you enough to step down from His throne of grace and converse with you in your weakness and sin? The Lord's perfect humility should delight and amaze you and give you courage to turn to Him with your whole heart. (See *Diary* #885).

Luke 23: 42-43

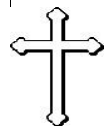
...Then he said, “Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.” He replied to him, “Amen, I say to you, today you will be with me in Paradise.”

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, Joe D'Souza, Francis Ayodele, Barry Newton, Catherine Garraway, Patrick Duffy, Adriene Kelleher, John Branch, Sheila Edwards, Sheila Lee, Nina Donovan, Joe and Theresa Devoy, Frater Jeneita, Marie-Anne Collins, Kate Dooley, Joseph Tommy Le, Jo O'Connell, Maureen Brazier, David Orell, Francis Matajo, Tomisin Iddrisu, Tomosina Gloria Watkins, Eli Ladislaus Otto Cox, Jayne Shoboiki, Helen Dickens, Noone Dunlevy, Margaret Dickens, Miroslav Krejcar, Sandy Bamotra, Jacqueline Demar Richards, Michael Corcoran, Antoine Libanje, Georgina Ferrier, Joyce James, Evelyn Martin, Cesil Ryan, Cecilia Egbujin, Hugh Rozario, Eileen Whyte, Collen Surin, Caitlin Connors, Lizzy Connors, Christopher Browne, Mary Angela McInerney, Theodora St Bernard, Dudley Simmonds, Ray Bat, Myriam Achille, Sadie Byrne, Ann Norton, Jo Earll, Mona Pinto, Janet Turner, Mary Cowie, Sister Annunciata, Sick Priests of the Diocese and please continue to keep Bishop Pat Lynch in your prayers.

OBITUARY



Let us pray for the following souls who died recently:

Marie Daisy Augustin RIP – Her Requiem Mass will take place on Thursday 28th November at 10:00am followed by committal at Plumstead Cemetery at 11:30am.

Janet Nora Scanlon RIP – Her Requiem Mass will take place on Monday 2nd December 2019 at 1:15pm followed by committal at Eltham Crematorium at 2:45pm.

Gozian Omezi RIP – His Requiem Mass will take place on Tuesday 3rd December 2019 at 12:30pm followed by a burial at 2pm at Woolwich New Cemetery.

We offer our prayers and spiritual support to her family and friends.

ANIVERSARIES

We commend to God's mercy the following whose anniversaries occur around this time. – Thomas Naulty, Anne Elizabeth Munday, Vera Smith, Alick Weller, Ann McDonnell, Teresa Galvin, George Halliday, Mary McConnell, Elizabeth Connolly, Isabel Pizarro, Thomas Coleman, Elsie Kirkham, John Curtin, Winifred Drew, Harry Parnell, Bernard McCabe, Catherine Jordan, James Jordan, Henrieta Muscall, Enid Wilson, Anthony Latapie, Mary Lord, Patrick Comesky, Jack McIntyre, John Kennelly, Francis Sanders, Helen Coles, Pat Murphy, Mary O'Grady, Elizabeth Smith, Margaret Winchester, Darren Grainger, Fabian David, Herbert Javis, Tony Curtis, Luke Dominic Maloney, Cecilia Veronica Graham and Martha Amiske.

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

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM



Parents wishing to have their baby baptised in
JANUARY 2020

should attend the following
Baptism Catechesis Programmes

Session 1 on Tuesday 3rd December 2019

Session 2 on Tuesday 17th December 2019

These programmes will start at 7pm and finish at 9pm and will be held in Pugin Place. You are reminded that you need to meet with one of the parish clergy before attending these Sessions. You will find them available on Thursday evenings during Parish Surgery.

Holy Baptism will be on Sunday 12th January 2020 and 26th January 2020 after the 11:45am Mass.

Learning from past experience, we request **ALL PARENTS**, who wish to get their child baptised in the future, to bring their own baptism certificates along with their request form as proof that they are Catholics when they attend Parish Surgery. **GODPARENTS** will need to get a letter from their parish priest to say they are practicing Catholics.

CONFIRMATION 2020

Confirmation programme will commence on Saturday 18th January 2020 at 10.00am in Pugin Place.



The Catholic Bishops Conference of England and Wales have asked St Peter's the Apostle Church to host 'The God Who Sings' during this Year of The God Who Speaks. A multi-cultural concert with The Central Choir and Trinity Choir will be held at St Peter's on Saturday 14th December at 7pm with our honoured guest Archbishop John Wilson.

Tickets will be on sale soon for £1 for which all proceeds will go to the Little Sisters of the Poor. We welcome all, to join us for inspiring scriptures and beautiful cultural songs.

Please note, unfortunately, there will be **NO EVENING CONFESSION OR VIGIL MASS ON SATURDAY 14TH DECEMBER 2019** due to the preparations in the church for the concert. Our sincere apologies for any inconvenience caused. Thank you for your co-operation.

Children's Christmas Party

In Aid of Pugin Community Hall Project

Saturday 7th December 2019 in Pugin Place

12:00 noon – 5:00pm - £10.00 per child

Purchase a ticket as soon as possible to avoid disappointment.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS MEETING

There will be a meeting for **ALL EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS** next Saturday 30th November 2019 at 3:00pm in the Church.

IT IS COMPULSORY that ALL EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS ATTEND THIS MEETING.

REPOSITORY

Please pay a visit to our shop as we have many new items available and also wonderful gifts for the festive season of Christmas.

Flowers

During the Advent Season we will not be displaying any flowers in the church in accordance with the church norm. If you would like to make a donation to decorate the church for Christmas, it will be greatly appreciated.

General Election 2019 Hustings on Wednesday 4th December 7:30pm for 8:00pm at Christ Church, East Greenwich in Trafalgar Road. All Welcome!

Wedding Banns

We offer our congratulations to Basil Okwudilichukwu Ike and Ifeoma Assumpta Obiagwu who intend to marry in Nigeria. If anyone has any cause why this Marriage should not be celebrated, please let the clergy know.

Last Week's Collection was £1,392.79

Gift Aid of £709.04

giving us a parish total of £2,101.83

May Our Lord reward you for your kind generosity

**Fellowship of
Young Adults
(FYA)**

**Every Monday
From 7:00pm
In Pugin Place**

**Bible Study
Group**

**Every
Tuesday
at 7:00pm
in Pugin Place**

**Prayer Group
Association of
The Sacred
Heart of Jesus &
Immaculate
Heart of Mary
Every Thursday
6:30pm**

**FRIENDS IN
THE HOLY
SPIRIT
(CHARISMATIC
RENEWAL
PRAYER GROUP)
Every Friday at
6:45pm**

**LEGION OF
MARY**

**EVERY FRIDAY
6:30pm
in Pugin Place**

**IMMIGRATION AND
OTHER MATTERS
Denis Tufour, Solicitor
on Thursday 28th
November 2019
in Pugin Place
5:30pm – 6:30pm
Contact him on
☎ 07900 626 000**

**RCIA FOR
ADULTS**

**Every Saturday
3:00pm–4:00pm
in Pugin Place**