



St Peter the Apostle Catholic Church

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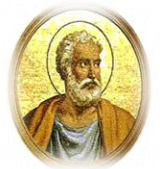
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PARISH TEAM

Parish Priest: Fr Michael Branch

Assistant Priest: 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

Tel: 020 8265 0028

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Acting Headteacher: Miss M Du Bruyn



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 FEBRUARY IS DEDICATED TO THE HOLY FAMILY

Week commencing 2nd February 2020 – The Presentation of the Lord (A)

Saturday 1st 6:00pm	Mass – Thanksgiving for Claire and John Fionaucan	‘Supporting European Londoners Through Brexit’ This information is important for all EU citizens and may be helpful to London based staff members, volunteers and parishioners. The deadline to apply for the EU Settlement Scheme is the 30th June 2021. This is to give EU citizens either settled or pre-settled status protection according to UK laws, after the UK leaves the EU. The type of status awarded will depend on how long the person has lived in the UK. For more information see gov.uk/settled-status-eu-citizens-families Advice and assistance with applications is also available at centres throughout London particularly for disadvantaged and vulnerable families. Go to http://www.eurights.uk/ for the local advice centre. Events run by the Royal Borough of Greenwich are taking place as follows: The Greenwich Centre, 12 Lombarde Square, SE10 9GB on the 1st February from 10am to 2pm (there is a charge of £14 at the Greenwich Centre) The Eltham Centre, 2 Archery Road, SE9 1HA on the 8th February from 10am to 2pm The Woolwich Centre, 35 Wellington Street, SE18 6HQ on the 15th February again from 10am to 2pm.
Sunday 2nd 8:30 am 10:00am 11:45am 6:00pm	THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD (A) Candlemas Mass – Paul Le Dinh Sau RIP Mass – Kenneth Windsor Dunkley RIP (3rd Anniversary) Mass – Thanksgiving for Evelyn Akinola Mass – People of the Parish	
Monday 3rd 9:30am 12:30pm	St Lawrence of Canterbury, Bishop Mass – Valentine, Rita, Angelo and Lena D’Souza RIP Mass – John Ebruke RIP	
Tuesday 4th 9:30am 12:30 pm	Feria Mass – Miroslav and Anna Krejcarovi RIP Mass – Patrick McCabe RIP	
Wednesday 5th 9:30am 12:00pm 6:15pm	St Agatha, Virgin and Martyr, Memorial Mass – Welfare of Jean Finlayson Requiem Mass – Rosie Nelson RIP DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS NO EVENING MASS	
Thursday 6th	NO MASSES TODAY NO PARISH SURGERY	
Friday 7th 9:30am 12:30pm	Feria First Friday Mass – Catherine C Ukah RIP Mass – For the Sick followed by the Anointing of the Sick	
Saturday 8th 12:00 noon 12:30pm 6:00pm	St Josephine Bakhita, Virgin Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Mass – Thomas Millward RIP Mass – Thanksgiving for Maria’s 1st Birthday	
Sunday 9th 8:30 am 10:00am 11:45am 6:00pm	FIFTH SUNDAY (A) 2nd Collection – Racial Justice Mass – Thanksgiving Anthony Tlmi Benedict (Birthday) Mass – Thanksgiving Chuk Wuzurum Mass – Welfare of Paddy McDonagh and John Bridget Mass – People of the Parish	



THE GOSPEL OF MATTHEW IS READ AT SUNDAY MASSES THROUGHOUT YEAR A.

PART III: The Kingdom of Heaven is preached; Narrated in 10 miracles

Matthew Chapter 8:1-34, 9:1-8

Day 1. Jesus cleanses a Leper (Matthew 8:1-4)

Day 2. Jesus heals a Centurion’s servant (Matthew 8:5-13)

Day 3. Jesus heals many at Peter’s house (Matthew 8:14-17)

Day 4. Would be followers of Jesus (Matthew 8:18-22)

Day 5. Jesus calms the storm at the sea (Matthew 8:23-27)

Day 6. Jesus heals the Gadarene Demoniacs (Matthew 8:28-34)

Day 7. Jesus heals a paralytic (Matthew 9:1-8)

Clergy Conference Wednesday 5th – Thursday 6th February 2020

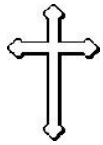
Fr Michael and Fr Matthew are attending a Conference with Archbishop John Wilson and other Clergy from the Deanery on Wednesday afternoon and Thursday. Consequently, there will be **NO evening Mass on Wednesday 5th February and Thursday 6th February Masses 9:30am and 12:30pm.** Apologies for any inconvenience.

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, 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, Sandy Bamotra, Jacqueline Demar Richards, Michael Corcoran, Antoine Libanje, Georgina Ferrier, Joyce James, Evelyn Martin, Cesil Ryan, Cecilia Egbujn, 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, Tumboma Nampuya Kamesa, Jo Earll, Janet Turner, Ray Renolds, Charmaine Cox, Mary Cowie, Sick Priests of the Diocese and please continue to keep Bishop Pat Lynch in your prayers.

OBITUARY



It is with great sadness one of our parishioners **Mona Pinto** died on **Saturday 25th January 2020**. Her Mortal Remains will be received into the church on **Monday 24th February at 4:00pm**. Her Requiem Mass will be on **Tuesday 25th February at 11:30am** followed by committal at **1:30pm at Woolwich New Cemetery**. We offer our prayers and spiritual support to her family and friends.

ANNIVERSARIES

This week once again marks the anniversaries of former parishioners and members of our family. We commend to God's Mercy the following – Venetia Yarde, Sheila Spooner, Arthur Betts, Brian Charles Mulligan, James Fitzgerald, Eugene Francis McCarthy, Lily Low, Joanna Roberts, Georgina Millward, Michael McCurdy, Sean O'Sullivan, Richard Callanan, Nicola Bevington, Herbert Lushington, Ethel Lushington, Lillian Meeks, Ellen Buckley, Elsie Hurley, Margaret Boniface, Nicholas Lacey, William Stack, Margaret Miller, Mary Gilet, Joseph Obemeaso, Nora Allen, Maureen Joy Ross, Kitty Edwards and George White.

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 **MARCH 2020**

should attend the following
Baptism Catechesis Programmes

Session 1 on Tuesday 11th February 2020

Session 2 on Tuesday 25th February 2020

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 8th March 2020 and 22nd March 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.

Children Liturgy News Corner.

This takes place every Sunday during the 10:00am Mass and 11:45am Mass.

Readers and

Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist

After the very successful retreat for **Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist** on **November 16th 2019 at Bishop Thomas Grant School**, Bishop Patrick Lynch has decided to ask Fr Victor Darlington to host a similar day at **Sacred Heart School, Camberwell** on **Saturday March 14th 2020** for the **Year of the Word**. Fr Victor is a renowned scripture professor and teaches at St John's Seminary in Womersley.

Please let the office know, by email, if you are interested in attending. Closing date: Friday 6th March 2020.

HEADTEACHER REQUIRED SEPTEMBER 2020.

The Governors of St Peter's Catholic Primary School, Crescent Road, Woolwich, London, SE18 3BN are looking to appoint a new Headteacher for September 2020. For more information regarding application and to arrange visits to the school please contact the School Senior Administration Officer Jacqueline Shepherd at the school.

Email; sao1@stpeters.greenwich.sch.uk or call 0208 295 0028.

Please feel free to view school website on; <http://www.stpeters.greenwich.sch.uk>

GODPARENTS/SPONSORS needed please. It would be greatly appreciated if you would consider becoming a Godparent (to an adult being baptised) or Sponsor (to an adult being confirmed) this Easter. We have around ten adults and some children who need members of our congregation to support them in this very special way. You would need to be a practicing Catholic and be prepared to take them under your spiritual wing as they journey into full communion with the Catholic Church.

The service will be at 7 p.m. on Easter Vigil, Saturday 11 April and you will need to be in attendance. However, we need to start getting volunteers on board now please. If you would like to help, please contact Abi Kehinde on 07796 444759. Thank you abundantly.

PARISH FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2020

First Holy Communion Programme every Saturday at 10.00am in Pugin Place.

Holy Communion candidates must have their attendance card signed by any of the Fathers after each Mass

CONFIRMATION 2020

Confirmation programme every Saturday at 10.00am in Pugin Place.

Last Week's Collection was £1,382.29

Gift Aid of £669.25

giving us a parish total of £2,051.54

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 6:30pm

LEGION OF MARY

EVERY FRIDAY 6:30pm in Pugin Place

IMMIGRATION AND OTHER MATTERS
Denis Tufour, Solicitor on the last Thursday of the month of February 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