



St Peter the Apostle Catholic Church

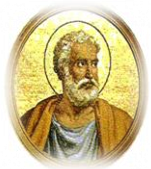
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Registered Incorporated Charity Number 1173050



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
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Head Teacher: Miss M Du Bruyn

THE MONTH OF AUGUST IS DEDICATED TO THE IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

Week commencing 16th August 2020 – THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (A)

ALL MASSES AND SERVICES ARE STREAMED LIVE ON THE PARISH WEBSITE www.stpeterswoolwich.church

	ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT SUNDAY 5:00pm – 5:45pm SATURDAY 11:00am – 12:15pm		SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION SATURDAY 11:00am – 12noon 5:15pm – 5:45pm SUNDAY 5:15pm – 5:45pm
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Saturday 15th 6:00pm	Holy Mass - Mary Cowie RIP	THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY 
Sunday 16th 8:30am 10:00am 11:45am 3:00pm 6:00pm	THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (A) Holy Mass – Thanksgiving for Fr Michael Branch Holy Mass – Thanksgiving for Dan Culli Holy Mass - People of the Parish Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Michael & Rafaela Etuka Holy Mass – Welfare of Tommy Dawes Cummings	
Monday 17th 9:30am	Feria Mass – Anne Donaldson in Thanksgiving	
Tuesday 18th 9:30am	Feria Mass – Welfare of Stephen Ndibe	
Wednesday 19th 9:30am	Feria Mass – Marilyn Salako RIP	
Thursday 20th 9:30am	St Bernard, Abbot and Doctor of the Church, Memorial Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Michael Tayler	Congratulations to our new Catholic's Last Thursday evening 9 Catechumens were baptised, confirmed, and received First Holy Communion, the other 3 Candidates were confirmed and were received into the church. 4 children were also baptised as well. We wish them every grace and blessing. There are still a few remaining Catechumens to be received into the Church. Due to Government regulations only 30 people were permitted to attend.
Friday 21st 9:30am	St Pius X, Pope, Memorial Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Tope Meshe	
Saturday 22nd 12:00 noon 12:30pm 6:00pm	Queenship of the Blessed Virgin Mary, Memorial Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Surinder Bhambrah and Carlian Thomas Mass – Thanksgiving for Theresa Tueje and Anne-Marie Tueje	
Sunday 23rd 8:30am 10:00am 11:45am 3:00pm 6:00pm	TWENTY-FIRST SUNDAY (A) Holy Mass – Patrick and Kathleen Brady RIP Holy Mass – Phyllis Iwowo in Thanksgiving Holy Mass - People of the Parish Holy Mass – Roselyn Assiffan in Thanksgiving Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Trinidad Blaya (81 st)	

OFFERING MASS INTENTIONS

If you would like to book a Mass, please call directly on 020 8854 0359 or email at woolwich@rcaos.org.uk with your mass intentions. Please include name, date, Mass Intentions, and your telephone number (in case of any queries if required.)

Any donation that you wish to offer for the booked Mass can be paid by bank transfer directly into the parish account: (see overleaf for bank details.)

Thank you

1st Holy Communion and Confirmation

Due to COVID-19, our young children who were supposed to receive the Sacrament of 1st Holy Communion and Confirmation were unable to receive these Holy Sacraments as scheduled. However, in the next few months we are hoping to get them to receive these Sacraments in small groups preferably in the evenings during the week.

Further details will be announced in due course.

We are delighted to see some of our parishioners attending Holy Mass once again. Although there is still no obligation to attend Mass, those who come must comply with the following mandatory requirements:

- Everyone is to wear a face covering at Mass.
- Everyone is to sanitize their hands on entering and leaving the church.
- Entrance to the church is by the main doors and Exit by the side doors (maintaining social distancing of at least one meter at all times).
- There will be no singing.
- The homily will be brief.
- There will be no offertory procession. Gift offerings to be left with the stewards or donated to the food bank.
- There will be no collection. Please place your offering in one of the two large boxes at the entrance to the church (or the smaller one on the sanctuary).
- Everyone is required to give their name and either a mobile or landline number or email address or postal address which will be kept for 21 days to facilitate track and trace.
- The two side aisles are for couples and families. In the main aisles, please observe distancing by only sitting on a spot marked by the cross sticker.
- The priest will give Holy Communion in the hand maintaining a distance of at least 1 meter.
- There is a maximum capacity of 100 people in the church. When the church is full people can go into Pugin Place to watch the Mass on screen. A priest or deacon will administer Holy Communion at the appropriate time.
- The small 'cry room' is set aside for anyone who takes ill during Mass.
- Mass times are Saturday evening at 6 pm; Sunday at 08.30 am, 10.00 am, 11.45 am, 3 pm, (for elderly and vulnerable) and 6 pm.
- Everyone must remain seated after the final blessing so that the stewards can lead people out row by row.
- Everyone must leave the church immediately after Mass to allow cleaning to take place.
- If anyone objects to either wearing a face covering or giving their details to the steward they will be invited to leave.
- There are no toilets in use either in the church or in Pugin Place.
- Candles are permitted to be lit.
- Confession will take place at St Joseph's altar or outside or at the request of the priest.

ACT OF PERFECT CONTRITION

O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended Thee, and I detest all my sins, because I dread the loss of Heaven and the pains of hell, but most of all because they offend Thee, my God, Who art all good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve with the help of Thy grace to confess my sins, to do penance, and to amend my life. Amen.

An Act of Spiritual Communion

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.

OFFERTORY DONATIONS

Thank you for whatever you were able to give during our lockdown. Now that the church is open for normal services, please place your offering in one of the two large boxes at the entrance to the church or the smaller one on the sanctuary. You can also post your donation in a sealed envelope through the presbytery letterbox, make an online donation as a "one-off" payment or to set up a standing order to make regular donations. Our bank details are as follows:

Bank details:

NatWest Bank: RCAS St Peter the Apostle Woolwich

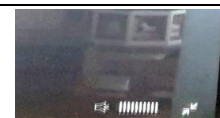
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Account Number: 16163400

Please use your name as a reference (gift aiders can add their envelope number).

Thank you. Any donation you can make will be greatly appreciated during this time.

For parishioners who still wish to view the Mass online via live streaming please click on the link, www.stpeterswoolwich.church scroll down to **see live cam** to watch the Mass on the webcam. In order for you to hear the sound go to the bottom right hand side of the screen (LOUDSPEAKER SYMBOL AND CLICK ON THE X) see picture



THE PARISH OFFICE IS NOW OPEN

Please note: ALL SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMMES AND MEETINGS ARE SUSPENDED.

Thank you for your co-operation.



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, Adrienne Kelleher, John Branch, Sheila Edwards, Sheila Lee, 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 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, Tumboma Nampuya Kamesa, Jo Earll, Janet Turner, Ray Renolds, Charmaine Cox, Christopher Browne, Charity Nwaloze, Sick Priests of the Diocese and please continue to keep Bishop Pat Lynch in your prayers.

OBITUARY

We pray for the soul of Winston Flavien Vital who died recently. His funeral service will take place on Monday 24th August at 11:30am. We offer our prayers and spiritual support to his family and friends.

ANNIVERSARIES

*This coming week, sees the anniversaries of a great number who worshipped the Lord Our God here in our midst. We continue to remember them and bless their souls with our prayers and our Masses – **Bernadette McGuane, John Martin, Mary Gould, Gilbert Fernandes, Frederick Peskett, Kathleen Brady, Patrick Brady, Edith Jones, Bernadette Charles, Joseph Montford, Deacon Yves Ferriere, Charmaine Glenn, Genny Cleary and Michael Micallef.***