



St Peter the Apostle Catholic Church

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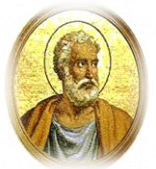
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PARISH TEAM

Parish Priest: Fr Michael Branch
 Assistant Priests: Fr Matthew Ndibe
 Fr Joseph Ekene Nnalue
 Also Resident: Fr Ethelbert Ukpabi
 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
 Email: sao1@stpeters.greenwich.sch.uk
 Head Teacher: Miss M Du Bruyn

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

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (YEAR B)

WEEK COMMENCING 26th SEPTEMBER 2021

ALL MASSES ARE STREAMED LIVE ON THE PARISH WEBSITE

www.stpeterswoolwich.church



ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

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



ROSARY

Saturday 11:30am
Sunday 8:00am
Mon-Friday - 9:00am



SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

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

Saturday 25th 6:00pm	Holy Mass – Thanksgiving for the Omezi Family
Sunday 26th 8:30am 10:00am 11:45am 3:00pm 6:00pm	TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B) Holy Mass – Joseph Ngayen Von Trong RIP Holy Mass – Ferdinand Aboh Ogbeche RIP Holy Mass – People of the Parish Holy Mass – Christopher Dunbar RIP Holy Mass – Tony Moffat RIP
Monday 27th 9:30am 12:30pm	St Vincent de Paul, Priest, Memorial Holy Mass – Intentions of Sheila Walsh Holy Mass – Lolita Gandeza Quinzon RIP
Tuesday 28th 9:30am 12:30pm	Feria Holy Mass – Welfare of Denise and Alexander Curtis Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Mrs L Taylor
Wednesday 29th 9:30am 12:30pm	Sts Michael, Gabriel and Raphael, Archangels Holy Mass – Thanksgiving for Luke Kalsi Holy Mass – Michael Crompton RIP
Thursday 30th 9:30am 12:30pm	St Jerome, Priest and Doctor of the Church, Memorial Holy Mass – Holy Souls in Purgatory Holy Mass – Danny Onn RIP - 2nd death Anniversary
Friday 1st 9:30am 12:30pm	St Therese of the Child Jesus, Virgin and Doctor of the Church, Memorial Holy Mass – Esther Joseph Assey RIP Holy Mass – Patrick Egboka RIP
Saturday 2nd 12:30pm 6:00pm	The Holy Guardian Angels, Memorial Holy Mass – Welfare of David Williams Holy Mass – Pauline Ruane Nee McGrath RIP
Sunday 3rd 8:30am 10:00am 11:45am 3:00pm 6:00pm	TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (B) ROSARY SUNDAY Holy Mass – Anne Donaldson RIP Holy Mass – Maureen Conway RIP Holy Mass – Nigerian Independence Day Holy Mass – People of the Parish Holy Mass – Mr and Mrs Taylor Intentions



MICHAEL, GABRIEL, RAPHAEL – THE ARCHANGELS

Angels—messengers from God—appear frequently in Scripture, but only MICHAEL, GABRIEL, and RAPHAEL are named.

Michael “Who is like God?” appears in Daniel’s vision as “the great prince” who defends Israel against its enemies; in the book of Revelation, he leads God’s armies to final victory over the forces of evil. Devotion to Michael is the oldest angelic devotion, rising in the East in the fourth century. The Church in the West began to observe a feast honouring Michael and the angels in the fifth century.

Gabriel “God is my Strength” also makes an appearance in Daniel’s visions, announcing Michael’s role in God’s plan. His best-known appearance is an encounter with a young Jewish girl named Mary, who consents to bear the Messiah – Annunciation. The angel’s salutation to our Lady, so simple and yet so full of meaning, Hail Mary, full of grace, has become the constant and familiar prayer of all Christian people.

Raphael’s “Healing of God” activity is related in the Book of Tobit. There he appears to guide Tobit’s son Tobias through a series of fantastic adventures which lead to a threefold happy ending: Tobias’s marriage to Sarah, the healing of Tobit’s blindness and the restoration of the family fortune. (Culled from I Breviary)

PARISH SURGERY

Parish Surgery will take place on Wednesday 6th October 2021 between 5:00pm – 7:00pm in Pugin Place.

School forms will be signed by Fr Michael during Parish Surgery.

Parents must bring a copy of their child’s baptism certificate and proof of address.

London Marathon next Sunday 3rd October 2021

PLEASE BE AWARE THERE WILL BE ROAD CLOSURES DUE TO THE LONDON MARATHON

CHECK THE WEBSITE www.virginmoneylondonmarathon.com/road-closures FOR FURTHER DETAILS

Bishop Patrick Lynch

We are privileged to have Bishop Patrick Lynch celebrating Holy Masses in our Parish during the following dates:

Friday 1st October at 12:30pm

Saturday 2nd October at 6:00pm

We welcome him and thank him for his Ministry.

WANT TO BECOME A CATHOLIC?

To all who feel called to join the Roman Catholic Church and to anyone who would like to learn more about the Catholic Faith, **come and join the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) Sessions of faith sharing, study and prayer.** We will explore and discuss the teachings of the Catholic Church and its Tradition.

The RCIA programme will commence on Saturday 6th November 2021 and Saturday 20th November 2021 from 3:00pm – 4:00pm followed by every 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month in Pugin Place. If you would like to join this programme, please contact the Parish Office or email us at woolwich@rcaos.org.uk

We are looking for 2 volunteers who will be willing to assist Fr Joseph. Please contact the parish office or see Fr Joseph if you are interested.

REPOSITORY

Please pop into our shop as we have many new items available for the Christmas Season.

VACANCY FOR HEADTEACHER

Applications are invited from practising Catholics for the post of **Headteacher at St Thomas More Catholic Primary School in Eltham**. Application Packs may be downloaded from the advert on the TES website or obtained by emailing headship@epm.co.uk. The closing date for completed application forms to be submitted is 4th October 2021.



ACT OF PERFECT CONTRITION

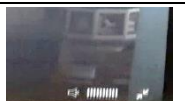
O my God, I am heartily sorry for having offended Thee, and I detest all my sins, because I dread the loss of Heaven and the pains of hell, but most of all because they offend Thee, my God, Who art all good and deserving of all my love. I firmly resolve with the help of Thy grace to confess my sins,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

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



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 1

Online donations

BANK DETAILS:

NatWest Bank: RCAS St Peter the Apostle Woolwich
Sort Code: 60 24 26 Account Number: 16163400

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

OPTION 2

Contactless Giving – these machines are situated in the church lobby.

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

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM



To baptise your child please see the priest or phone the Parish Office to arrange a date and time of baptism. We request **ALL PARENTS**, who wish to get their child baptised, to bring their own baptism certificates as proof that they are a Catholic, a copy of their child's birth certificate and proof of address along with the yellow Baptism Form. **GODPARENTS** will need to get a letter from their parish priest to say they are practicing Catholics.

ST PETER'S FAMILY BIBLE STUDY (Every Tuesday 7:00pm – 8:00pm)

Please join us in our Bible Study coordinated by the Priests of the Parish by clicking on the link

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83661570378?pwd=cTUxQ3F0OFM1SHd6VWVhZVYtQcE5LQT09>

or enter the Zoom Meeting ID: 836 6157 0378 Passcode: 084246



Friends in the Holy Spirit (FitHS) CCR prayer group encourage you to join our fellowship via Zoom on

Friday 1st October at 7pm (phone call, camera off) using link below. Let's support our parish community by thanking and praising our loving and merciful God together <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/87330332416> Meeting ID: 873 3033 2416

YOUTH MINISTRY

St Peter's Youth Ministry is having a **Youth Session this Sunday 26th September** for members of the Youth aged 11 – 17 and would like to welcome all those eligible and interested to attend, following the 11:45am Mass at 1:00pm at Pugin Place. Furthermore, the Youth Ministry sessions are every 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month and encourage all the youth of St Peter's Church to join our growing community.

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, Adriene Kelleher, John Branch, Sheila Edwards, Sheila Lee, Joe and Theresa Devoy, Frater Jeneita, Marie-Anne Collins, Kate Dooley, Jo O'Connell, Maureen

Brazier, Francis Matajo, Tomisin Iddrisu, Tomosina Gloria Watkins, Jayne Shoboiki, Noone Dunlevy, Sandy Bamotra, Jacqueline Demar Richards, Antoine Libanje, Evelyn Martin, Cesil Ryan, Cecilia Egbujin, Hugh Rozario, Caitlin Connors, Lizzy Connors, Christopher Browne, Mary Angela McNerney, Theodora St Bernard, Dudley Simmonds, Ray Bat, Sadie Byrne, Tumboma Nampuya Kamesa, Jo Earll, Ray Renolds, Christopher Browne, Thi Van Dang, Kathiravelu Nagarajah, Alex Morris, Marie Dick, Charity Nwalozie, Sick Priests of the Diocese and please continue to keep Bishop Pat Lynch in your prayers

ANNIVERSARIES

As always, we ask you to keep in your prayers those whose anniversaries occur at this time especially – Gladys Julie Appleby, Teresa Mulligan, Lucy Horgan, Robert Chivers, Flora Kelly, Eileen Bland, Mary Spruce, Laurence Varmar, William Parry, John Lucibello, Christine Bulgin, Bridged Berry, Jane Priscilla Sivyver, Catherine Izard, Patrick Toner, James Diamond, Maureen Vint, Thomas McNulty, Brendan Gerard Brille, Mary Christine Rumgay, Margaret Kathleen Nelson, Shaunagh Bentley, Thomas Murtagh, Ivy Westrope, Joseph John-Bapiste, Christian Okwu, Ernest Edwards, Maria Blakey, Maureen Franklin, Maureen McDonald, Josef Stanzig, William Meeks, Thomas McNerney, Martin Kelly, Norah Foley, Anna D'Souza, Dennis Quinlan, Harry Humphreys, Leocarida D'Souza, Gerard O'Reilly, Albert Shoelridge, Jane Priscilla Sivyver, John Henessy, Margaret Ivy, Jerry Dennis, John Nolan, Maureen Leahy, Fr John Mulligan, William O'Hare and Florence Hinds-Smith.
MAY THEIR SOULS REST IN PEACE!