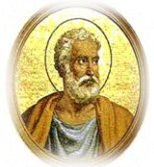




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 Assistant Priest: Fr Gerard Balinnya
 Deacons: Rev Piotr Ziezio and Rev Errol Jadoc

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The month of May is dedicated to the Blessed Mother
SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (YEAR C)
WEEK COMMENCING 25th May 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 24th 6:00pm	Holy Mass – Conceicao Manuel Antao RIP
Sunday 25th 8:30 am 10:00 am 11:45 am 3:00 pm 6:00pm	SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (C) Holy Mass – People of the Parish Holy Mass – Liberation for the people of Biafra & Remembrance for Biafra war heroes Holy Mass – Cletus Ikwuwunna RIP DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS (NO MASS) Holy Mass – Mr and Mrs Mataba in Thanksgiving – Wed Anniversary
Monday 26th 10:00am	Saint Philip Neri, Priest, Memorial BANK HOLIDAY Holy Mass – Carmen D'Souza in Thanksgiving
Tuesday 27th 9:30am 12:30pm	Saint Augustine of Canterbury, Bishop, Apostle of England Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Pat Dike Holy Mass – Joseph Thomas Gentleman RIP
Wednesday 28th 9:30am 12:30pm 5:00pm	Feria Holy Mass – Cathy Tavernier in Thanksgiving Holy Mass – Thanksgiving for Dominique and Pam De Mendonca Holy Mass – Matin Cemte RIP followed by Songs of Praise
Thursday 29th 9:30am 12:30pm 7:00pm	THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD (C) HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION Holy Mass – Margaret Reading RIP Requiem Mass – Matin Cemte RIP Holy Mass – Intentions of the Celebrant
Friday 30th 9:30am 12:30pm 7:00pm–8:30pm	Feria Holy Mass – Elwin and Cynthia Tavernier RIP Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Solomon Ebibola Friends in the Holy Spirit Catholic Charismatic Renewal Prayer Group
Saturday 31st 12:00 noon 6:00pm	The Visitation of the Blessed Virgin Mary First Holy Communion – Children of the Parish Holy Mass – Joseph Araneta RIP
Sunday 1st 8:30 am 10:00 am 11:45 am 3:00 pm 6:00pm	SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER (C) Holy Mass – People of the Parish Holy Mass – Mr and Mrs Chukwuemeka Wed Anni & Birthday Thanksgiving for Chukwumemerie Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Mary Agokei DIVINE MERCY DEVOTIONS (NO MASS) Holy Mass – Welfare of Mr and Mrs Taylor and Family

SOCIAL JUSTICE WORKSHOP

You're invited to a forum today, Sunday, 25th May, at Pugin Place, immediately after the 11:45am Mass for a thought-provoking talk by our Parish Priest, Father Roy Tablizo, exploring: *"Catholic Social Teaching: What It Means, Why It Matters, How We Can Get Involved"* and as Catholics what is Our Role in Society. Rooted in the Church's enduring call for justice, dignity, and the common good, this session is an opportunity to rediscover the principles of Catholic Social Teaching in light of today's challenges.

GIFT AID

All those currently in the Gift Aid Scheme, please note that your new boxes for the Year 2025/2026 are ready for collection after ALL WEEKEND MASSES. Please make sure you collect your box.

New members are most welcome to join.

- Are you employed or self employed?
- Is your annual income more than £12,500?

Then, you may be eligible to convert/treat your donations and offerings to the parish into gift aid. Do you know, for every £1 you donate/offer to the parish the taxman/hrmc tops up with an additional 25p, if you are registered under gift aid? Example, every £1000 donations/offerings received by the parish attracts an additional £250 free of charge to support the numerous activities of the parish.

That is why the parish is encouraging you to register your usual offerings through the **GIFT AID SCHEME**.

Registration is very simple, just pick a form today, (this is obtainable from the stand in the church porch) complete it and hand over to the lady in the shop you will not incur any cost. It is simple and very confidential.

Please join the gift aid scheme today.
Support the parish in any small way you can.

May God bless you abundantly for your support.

Archdiocesan Jubilee Celebration Day at The Friars, Aylesford - 7th June 2025.

Over two thousand people from around the Archdiocese of Southwark are expected at the Jubilee Celebration Day at The Friars, Aylesford on Saturday 7 June 2025.

We have booked a coach for the day itself. To reserve a place on the parish coach (53 seater), please write your name and contact number with your payment, in an envelope marked "AYLESFORD," this can be placed in the collection box at the front of the altar or handed to the lady in the shop. The cost is £15 per person (non-refundable). The coach will leave St Peter's on Saturday 7th June at 8:45am and the return journey departs Aylesford at 5:30pm.

Seats are still available for those wishing to book their place on the coach.

Individuals who have already booked are kindly requested to pick up a leaflet from the shop or parish office, which provides comprehensive information regarding the Jubilee Celebration.



FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Next Saturday 31st May 2025 at 12 noon we welcome our young friends from our Parish who will receive Jesus in Holy Communion for the very first time.

On Saturday 14th June 2025 at 10:00am we will welcome children from St Peter's Primary School who will receive Jesus in Holy Communion for the very first time.

This is a very special moment for them. Please keep them in your prayers.



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.



CHILDREN'S LITURGY NOTICE BOARD

Talent Show – 21st June 2025 2:00pm – 5:30pm
Parents should refer to children's notice board for information



Relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis visiting St George's Cathedral – 26th – 29th June.

St George's Cathedral will be visited by a relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis.

On Thursday 26th June, an evening of adoration and veneration of the relic for

young adults is taking place.

On Friday 27th June, Archbishop John will preside at the 6pm Solemn Mass of the Sacred Heart, which will include the veneration of the relic.

On Saturday 28th June, there will be a "morning with Carlo Acutis", which will include Mass, adoration, rosary and a talk on the relic.

An exhibition will also be on display at the Cathedral from 19th June to 7th July. Visit: stgeorgescathedral.org.uk for more information.



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!

MASS FOR NEW CATHOLICS

There will be a Mass of Thanksgiving to welcome all New Catholics who were received into the Church this Easter – along with their godparents, sponsors, relatives, catechists and friends. All are welcome to attend whichever location is convenient for them.

South-east: St John Fisher, Kidbrooke, Sunday 1 June at 5pm. Celebrant Bishop Paul Hendricks.

Kent: St Joseph's Chapel, The Friars, Aylesford Priory, Sunday 15 June at 4pm. Celebrant Bishop Paul Hendricks.

Refreshments will be provided after all the masses.

BOOKING AN APPOINTMENT

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



SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents wishing to have their children baptised in JUNE 2025 should attend the Pre-Baptism Programme on **TUESDAY 27th MAY 2025**. This programme will start at 7pm and end at 9pm and will be held in Pugin Place.

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

Those attending the above session will have their children baptised on the following dates:

Sunday 8th June and 22nd June 2025 after the 11:45am Mass.

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.**

Friends in the Holy Spirit



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:

OPTION 1

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).

OPTION 2

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



OPTION 3

You can also donate by scanning the QR code.

Last week's Offertory Collection - £1,653.01
GOD BLESS YOU AND YOUR FAMILY

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Bridget Jordan
Ceclia D'Silva

Emmanuel and Florence Meshe
Francis Ayodele

Francis Matajo
Juliet Townsend

Maggie Dempsey
Mary Odih

Myriam Achille
Sheila Lee

Sick Priests of the Diocese

ANNIVERSARIES

Let us remember our departed brothers and sisters who have gone to their rest in the hope of rising again:

Andrew Higgins
Audrey Rice

Bridget Nolan
Daniel Moonesamy

David Booth
Eileen Murian

Ibrahim White
Johan Whitehead

Martin D'Rozario
Pat Sullivan

Patrick McNabola
Rory Keane

Spiridiona Tong

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

COMMUNITY MEETINGS

Nigerian Community meets every 1st Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place

Filipino Community meets every 2nd Saturday of the month at 4:00pm for Holy Mass in the church thereafter in Pugin Place

Cameroon Community meets every 2nd Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place

Igbo Community meets every 2nd Sunday in every 2 months after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place

Catholic Women Organisation at St Peters (CWO) meets every 3rd Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place

Ghanaian Community meets every last Sunday of the month after 10am Mass in Pugin Place

St Peter the Apostle's Professionals & Trades Network (Spaptan) meets every last Sunday of the month after 11:45am Mass in Pugin Place