



27th June 2021

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MASS INTENTIONS AND PRAYERS

Sun 27 th June 2021 <i>Thirteenth Sunday (B)</i>	6.00pm	Vigil Mass	Peggy Rambhajunsing
	09.00 am		U.C.M
<i>Next week's 2nd Collection: Peter Pence</i>	10.30 am		Alan Hodgins (RIP)
	12.00 noon		Mr Paddy & Mrs Ann Scanlan (God's strength)
	5.30 pm		No Mass
Mon 28 th June 2021 <i>St Irenaeus, Bishop & Martyr, memorial 1st Vespers & proper Vigil Mass of Solemnity</i>	10.00am		Peter Rodrigues (RIP)
	8 pm	Vigil Mass	People of the Parish
Tues 29 th June 2021 <i>Sts Peter & Paul (Holyday of Obligation)</i>	10.00am		Joseph & Margaret Musgrave (RIP)
	8pm		FHC Candidates (God's guidance & protection)
Wed 30 th June 2021 <i>Feria</i>	10.00 am		Lady Joan Osunde (birthday thanksgiving)
	10.30am-12noon		Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Thurs 1 st July 2021 <i>Feria</i>	10.00am		Dr Sarah Walker (Good Estate)
Fri 2 nd July 2021 <i>Feria</i>	10.00am		Teresa & Joe Joseph
	10.30am-12noon		Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
Sat 3 rd July 2021 <i>St Thomas, Apostle, Feast Gloria</i>	10.00am		Dr Hannah Bryant (Good Health)
	1030am-11.15am & 5.15pm- 6pm		Confession
	6.00pm		Ginsella Family

PRAYER FOR THE WEEK



We pray for our Government, that their willingness and ability to support pregnant women would increase and that they would anchor themselves in the desire to protect all human life.

Amen

IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

Please pray for our fellow parishioners especially



those who have recently died and those whose anniversaries occur at this time and all who mourn the loss of loved ones including Mrs May their Souls rest in peace.



the sick, the isolated and their carers, especially those within our own Parish Community:

Jackie Van Elswick	Brenda Kavanagh	Rosemary Day	David Uzor	Monir Jacob
Doreen Charlish	Eddie Hamilton	Anne Jagelman	Susie King	Frank Kinsella
Maggie Deleaney	Theresa Mittcosbe	Kosenat Tetteh	Mary Scott	Alex Coffey
Margaret O'Flaherty	Cynthia Lobendhan	Luke DuCasse	B.Novicki	Guy Saide

PARISH NOTICES

STs Peter & Paul

There will be evening Masses on Monday 28th June & Tuesday 29th June at 8 pm

CONFESSION (FHC)

This is to notify parents and carers that the First Confession will commence on Thursdays in July - thus 1st, 8th & 15th at 5:30 pm in the church. The selected dates for each group would be communicated to you by your catechist.

First Holy Communion 2021

The time table for the FHC is as follows; (1ST GROUP) Friday 2nd July – Mass 6pm; Saturday 3rd July - Mass 10 am & 6 pm; (2ND GROUP) Friday 9th July - Mass 6 pm; Saturday 10th July- Mass 10 am & 6 pm; (3RD GROUP) Friday 16th July- Mass 6 pm

SIGNING OF HIGH SCHOOL FORM

This is to notify parents and carer that currently the Parish Priest (Fr Patrick) has not set out a date for the signing of High School Reference Forms. It would be therefore communicated to you as soon as a date has been finalised. Thank you.

Parish Registration

The link for the Parish Registration will be back in operation on the 1st week in July. **Each individual member of a household is required to register.** Please visit the Parish Office if you face any challenges.

Mr Anton Fernando should please contact the Parish Office.

BAPTISM

Application Forms are now available online -this can be found under Sacrament. Please read the Baptism guide before completing the form. Thank you

GIFT AID BOXES

Gift Aid Boxes for the period June 2021 to May 2022 is now available for collection from the porch at the exit of the Church.

If you wish to join our Gift Aid scheme (and increase your contribution by agreeing to us claiming back the tax you have paid on your contribution), please complete the **DONATION DECLARATION** form available on the table at the back of the church and drop the completed form in the box that is immediately to the right of the exit to the church.

While Gift Aid boxes are available to those who require it, we encourage parishioners to donate using standing order (a regular transaction directly between your bank and the Church's account).

If you would like to make your donations using standing order (whether as part of the Gift Aid scheme or not), please complete the **DONATION DECLARATION** form available on the table at the back of the church and drop the completed form in the box that is immediately to the right of the exit to the church (this will let us know that you will be donating via Standing order and whether we should consider the donation for Gift Aid purposes or not). Additionally, please take a **STANDING ORDER INSTRUCTION** and either arrange the Standing Order via online banking (using the details in the Standing order Instruction) or complete the Standing order Instruction and hand it in to your Bank who will set it up for you.

Thank you for your generosity.

MISSIO

Red boxes are available at the exit foyer of the church. Thank you

HELPING OUR COMMUNITY

Any parishioner who needs food supply or knows someone who is in such need should contact the Parish Office or visit The Parish Hall on Monday & Friday 10:30 am – 12:30 pm & Sunday 10:30 am – 12:30 pm for support.

Parishioners who are willing to support this effort by donating food should contact the Parish Office or donate into the Parish Account: NATWEST St Elphege's Church **Sort Code 60-22-20 A/C No. 25072528.**

WORSHIPING WITHIN COVID RESTRICTIONS

NHS TRACK & TRACE

All those attending Church need to complete an NHS Track and Trace Form

Please scan the QR Code at the entrance of the Church or on the pews to sign in. iPhone users can scan the code with their camera and select the link shown. Android users may need to download a QR Code reader from the Google Play Store.

Alternatively, download the NHS Test Form from the parish website (stelphegesonline.co.uk), complete at home and bring to Church. Copies of the paper form can also be collected when entering the Church (before taking a seat), complete and when leaving the Church, drop it into the "All Purpose Box" located on the right of the exit to the Church.

Due to COVID, Altar Servers are not able to share Albs. Please contact the Parish Office to arrange collection of an Alb for your child's sole use while they are Altar Servers. The Alb should be thoroughly washed (and ironed) before they are used.

FACE MASK

In accordance with the Prime Minister's 31st July 2020 announcement, all Parishioners are requested to wear a face mask when entering the Church and while in the Church.

HAND SANITISER

To control to the spread of COVID, please sanitise your hands before entering and leaving the Church and avoid touching surfaces while in the Church. Hand sanitisers are available at the Church premises.

OTHER NOTICES

EU Settlement Scheme

EU citizens who intend to continue living in the UK need to apply for settlement before **30 June 2021**. If you, or anyone you know, is in this situation, you can get help from:

Refugee and Migrant Network Sutton Tel: 07725 549411

Citizens Advice Sutton Tel: 020 8405 3552

The advice worker at RMNS will call you back if necessary and can arrange for an interpreter for your call if you need one.

The Agency for Evangelisation and Catechesis Team

Archbishop John is calling the Archdiocese of Southwark to be an 'evangelising and missionary archdiocese.' As part of an answer to this call the Agency for Evangelisation and Catechesis (AEC) is developing a missionary volunteer network consisting of prayer, people and parish plans – *Some Definite Service*. What might be your particular part to play in this, some definite service? For more information, visit: aec.rcaos.org.uk/sds.

Catholic History Walks

For some years I have arranged Catholic History Walks in and around London. This is one of the world's greatest cities – and for me this is also home. I have been walking along by the Thames since I was a girl, and there is always more to discover and enjoy. Our current series of walks cover Chelsea, City/Monument, Richmond, Islington and Westminster. We delve into historical events, famous people, heroes and heroines, Kings and Queens, saints and sinners. We are the only historical walking group who weave ecclesiastic culture and tradition into our tales. Come along and discover something new and different.

The last Walk is as follow;

Tuesday June 29th meet 6.30pm (after 5.30pm Mass) steps of Westminster Cathedral London SW1 (nearest tube: Victoria). We'll walk to Whitehall and Trafalgar Square.

There is a charge of £5 cash per person please. If there are any questions, please contact me, Joanna Bogle, on chwalkslondon@gmail.com

Faith & Reason: A Catholic Integration

A short, residential summer course exploring the relationship of faith with philosophy, science and culture. **Particularly helpful for catechists and teachers** fielding commonly-asked questions around Catholicism, besides anyone wanting to deepen their understanding of the Faith. Runs 5– 8 August. For more info and registration,

<https://christianheritagecentre.com/events/faith-and-reason/>

Right To Life UK

The Northern Ireland Health Committee is now undertaking a consultation on the Bill and is seeking submissions from the public. It is important that as many people as possible submit to the consultation in support of the Bill to clearly show that there is widespread support for this important change. Right To Life UK has set up an easy-to-use tool on their website that makes it simple to complete your submission. You can do so by following the link below. It only takes 30 seconds!

www.righttolife.org.uk/nidisabilityconsultation

ANNUAL CATHEDRAL MARRIAGE MASS

Are you celebrating your 1st, 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or any later wedding anniversary this year? Or did you last year? If so, Archbishop John invites you to join him in celebrating a Mass for married couples at 3pm on Saturday October 9 at St George's Cathedral. You need to book in advance and by doing so you will then receive a personal written invitation from Archbishop John. To book or for more details email mflsw@rcaos.org.uk

DEAR HUSBAND & WIFE...

You are invited to give each other a gift by spending July 10 online between 9am and 1pm exploring and improving your relationship. The event, entitled 'Building A Better Marriage', will provide you with valuable insights into your communication skills and the call of the Church to the married. There is no group sharing. This is not marriage counselling but a chance to make average-to-good marriages a bit better – whether you married five years ago or 50. Booking is essential: telephone 07983 524 727 or email mflkent@rcaos.org.uk Recent online 'Building a Better Marriage' courses attracted the following comments from couples: 'The topics were chosen well and we could really relate to them... The personal stories you shared were very insightful and helped us to reflect on our own relationships more deeply... It was relaxed and you put us at ease, being friendly and personable... We thoroughly enjoyed attending the course.'

FOUND ITEM

- A mobile phone.
The owner should contact the Parish Office with identification and collection.

ADVERTISEMENT

As a practising catholic, have you considered being Foundation Governor for a local Catholic School?

The John Fisher school in Purley, is recruiting volunteers for the post of Foundation Governor. Would you like to give a few hours a month as part of the strategic team that helps develop the school, drive education and achieve positive outcomes for local children? If you have financial, educational, strategic or HR/Legal skills, that you are willing to use for a fulling and sometimes challenging role, please contact Mrs Lindsay Redding, clerk to the Governor via email on l.redding@johnfisherschool.org by 16th July 2021. Thank you

St George's Cathedral

A vacancy has arisen for one Tenor Lay Clerk, and one Low Bass Clerk, to sing at Sunday morning Solemn Mass during term time, as well as on other major liturgical occasions, diocesan events and special services, such as weddings throughout the year in St George's Cathedral.

Candidates should be excellent singers with extensive experience in ensemble and liturgical singing. They should be fluent sight-readers and familiar with Gregorian Chant. Both positions are subject to a successful enhanced DBS check.

Applicants should send their CV to the Director of Music, Jonathan Schranz, including contact details for two referees. Email: music@stgeorges.org.uk. The closing date is Friday 2nd July 2021.

Further information: <https://www.stgeorgescathedral.org.uk/news/cathedral-choir-tenor-and-low-bass-lay-clerk-vacancy>

The Prison Advice and Care Trust (PACT) are currently seeking a Volunteering Manager. Through the new Faith in Action programme 'Just People', they are seeking to provide opportunities for Catholics, Christians and whole parish communities to explore and deepen their faith and sense of lived discipleship by connecting people with opportunities to serve as volunteers. Their aim is to provide practical support and accompaniment for people who are often marginalised and excluded.

The charity is seeking a person of faith who understands the Church alongside a strong commitment to Catholic Social Teaching. They should also be a good communicator with project planning and implementation experience. Working across a number of dioceses, the successful candidate will liaise closely with volunteering and management colleagues across the London and South East region, specifically in the dioceses of Westminster, Southwark and Arundel and Brighton.

Hours: 37.5 hours per week, Monday to Friday (weekend and evening work may be required occasionally) Salary: £28,000 per annum. Closing date for applications: 17th June, 2021. Interview date: 29th June 2021. For further information kindly click the link below

<https://www.prisonadvice.org.uk/current-vacancies>

St Joseph's Roman Catholic Primary School Kingston

From September 2021 are seeking an exceptional Headteacher to make our Good school Outstanding Full details available from the school's website

<https://www.stjosephs.kingston.sch.uk/vacancies>