



ST. ELPHEGE'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

7TH JULY 2024

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PRAYER FOR THE WEEK. *Today, we celebrate the feast of Ss Peter and Paul. Let us pray to follow in their footsteps as apostles of Christ. May we be like the Saints, loving and supporting the most vulnerable in society, the poor, the helpless and the unborn. AMEN*

MASS INTENTIONS AND PRAYERS

Sun 7 14 th Sunday (B)	6.00 pm Vigil Mass	Mr & Mrs CROWLEY (RIP), For all souls around the world
	09.00 am	UCM
	10.30 am	Agnes Awotwi (Birthday Thanksgiving)
Next Week's 2 nd Collection Apostleship of the Sea	12.00 pm	Maria De FATIMA (RIP)
	8.30 am	Prayer for the Cleaners in the parish
Mon 8 Feria	10.00 am	Sr Mary IMMACCATA
	08.30 am	Brian O'GORMAN (RIP)
Tue 9 Feria	10.00 am	Prayer for Sacristans
	08.30 am	Prayer for FHC Catechists
Wed 10 Feria	10.00 am	Deceased Relatives of Claudia ROSINHA
	10.30 am to 7.00 pm	Exposition /Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	8.30 am	Prayer for Confirmation Catechists
Thu 11 St Benedict, Abbot, Patron of Europe	10.00 am	Prayer for 2024 FHC Candidates
	8.30 am	Holy Souls
Fri 12 Feria	10.00 am	Prayer for all July Born
	10.30 am-noon	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	10.00 am	John JOYCE (Anniversary of his Dissapearance in Fatima)
Sat 13 Feria	10.30 am to 11.45 am	Reconciliation
	5.15 pm to 5.45 pm	Reconciliation
	6.00 pm	Mr & Mrs KIRAN & Family, Mr & Mrs SCANLAN(Good Health)
Sun 14 15 th Sunday (B)	09.00 am	Repose of the Soul of Warclaw Poniak
	10.30 am	Mr Conrad LOBO (RIP)
	12.00 noon	Dr Surendrakumar (Good Health)

IN OUR THOUGHTS AND PRAYERS

PLEASE PRAY FOR OUR FELLOW PARISHIONERS ESPECIALLY

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

Jackie Van Elswick	Rosemary Day	Kosenat Tetteh	Luke DuCasse	Terry Harper	David Uzor
Theresa Mittcosbe	Margaret O'Flaherty	Frank Kinsella		John Strentz	Susie King
Pathmini Soosai	Diana Camilleri	Doreen Charlish	Alex Coffey	Mendonca	Monir Jacob
Cynthia Lobendhan	Eddie Hamilton	Anne Jagelman	Grace Quansah	Aubrey Jiggins	Catherine Torode

2. Those who died recently ... and those whose anniversaries occur now. May their souls rest in peace Amen.

JUNE 2024 COLLECTION

LOOSE CASH £ 3,408.95
 GIFT AID £ 1,176.35
 STANDING ORDER £ 4,602.39

REPOSITORY £ 141.70
 CAFOD £ 41

PARISH NOTICES

Join Us for Church Bingo this summer!

Date: Sunday, 14th July 2024

Time: 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM

Location: Ellis Hall

Whether you are a seasoned bingo pro or a first-timer, this event promises to be enjoyable for everyone.

- **Exciting Prizes:** Win gift cards, gift baskets, and other fantastic prizes!
- **Refreshments:** Complimentary snacks and beverages will be provided.

Proceeds from this event will support our church maintenance projects.

Don't miss out on this wonderful opportunity with friends, family, and fellow parishioners for a day of joy and excitement. Participate to win even more prizes. Come one, come all!!

JOHN JOYCE

The 11th of July marks 7 years since John Joyce disappeared at Fatima Pilgrim. May the good Lord guide and protect him wherever he is. Please remember to say a prayer for him. Thank you

MISSIO BOXES

Dear Parishioners as we approach the end of our collection period, we kindly remind you to return your Missio boxes.

Return Deadline: Sunday, 28th July, 2024

Drop-off Locations:

After Sunday Services: A designated collection point will be available at the back of the church

Please ensure your boxes are clearly labelled with your name.

If your box is full and you need a replacement, additional boxes are available at the same spot.

Archbishop John warmly invites you to join him as he leads the **Southwark Archdiocesan Lourdes Pilgrimage**, from **23rd to 30th August 2024**. Details of this can be found on the Archdiocesan website: rcaos.org.uk. Experience the unique spirituality of Lourdes, along with people from parishes around the Archdiocese.

Please click below for additional information: <https://rcaos.org.uk/news-events/news/archbishop-john-to-lead-pilgrimage-to-lourdes/>

GIFTAID ENVELOPES

Please be informed that the GiftAid envelopes for the year 2024 are available for collection. Envelopes for new signups are also available. Each box is assigned a name tag, so kindly check the exit foyer of the church to collect your respective envelopes. Thank you.

Mary's Meals wants to collect all your foreign currency and turn it into cash to feed hungry children in the 18 countries it works in. You will find envelopes at the entrances of the church, please take one when you leave and put all your foreign coins and notes* into it. Then bring your envelope back to church next weekend. Mary's Meals feeds children for only 10p per meal so a little goes a long way. Thank you for being so supportive. **We will also take UK coins/notes that aren't legal tender**

CARD PAYMENTS

Attention all parishioners, we would like to inform you that a contactless machine is available for all transactions at the entry and exit foyers of the church. In the event of a system failure, you can visit the parish website (stelpheges.co.uk) and click on the "Donate to the Parish" option to make a payment. Thank you

OTHER NOTICES

The Divine Mercy Apostolate, London is holding a Celebration of St Faustina at Aylesford Priory, Aylesford, Kent on Bank Holiday Monday 26 August 2024 from 10 am to 4:30 pm. The reflection day will include teachings on the Message of Divine Mercy, Holy Mass, Hour of Mercy with Stations of the Cross, Adoration and Benediction and Veneration of the Image of Merciful Jesus. All welcome. Call Millie on [07957594646](tel:07957594646) for more information. Coaches from Ealing Broadway and Victoria

Caritas Southwark and the UK Welcomes Refugees are hosting an evening at the Holy Family Sutton Green to meet the Hog Kong Community. Please check the notice board for details on the flyer. It would be brilliant if you could support this event. The event is about building community, making friends and enjoying some time with each other over food and music.

Pilgrimage of Reparation & Prayer for the Sanctity of Life to Walsingham, Saturday 3rd August, to be led by Bishop David Oakley of Northampton.

Please consider joining this pilgrimage, if possible in person, or online at walsingham.org.uk/live-stream/ The need for prayer to support life has been great since the passing of the 1967 Abortion Act. It is now increasingly needed as the pressures to allow abortion up to birth grow, along with a swelling campaign to introduce Assisted Suicide. Pope Saint John Paul II urged everyone to join in the 'great prayer for life'. A poster is displayed on noticeboards in the Church giving further information.

Marriage preparation at Holy Cross Church, Carshalton.

If you are getting married our specially designed, thought-provoking and fun marriage preparation courses will equip you with insights know-how, clarity and confidence to avoid the pitfalls and build the best possible future together in a way that is supported and embedded in our Catholic Faith.

We can offer marriage preparation days at Holy Cross Parish Hall through the charity Marriage Care. This is a one-day course held on Saturdays throughout the year. The course is very relaxed, friendly and welcoming.

If you need more information please get in touch with Tim Howlett: at tim.howlett@marriagecare.org

If you want to book go to:

<https://www.marriagecare.org.uk/marriage-preparation-2/>

once there click the active link to search for 'Preparing together (in person) courses'

now enter your postcode in the search box and a full list of currently available course dates and venues will be displayed with the option to **book now**.

(If you book with us at Holy Cross the Marriage Care central office will inform us and let us have your details.)

Please be aware that Canon Law normally requires a minimum of six months' notice for a marriage. Please visit Marriage Care: <https://www.marriagecare.org.uk> for further guidance.

Ignite 2024*All Nations Catholic Charismatic National Conference, youths and family residential weekend retreat, sports and social*. Venue: Windmill Farm, Main St, Clanfield, Bampton, OX18 2SN. Date: *16th (Friday) to 18th (Sunday) August 2024*. We will be departing on the 16th of August by 10 am prompt. So, be there on time.

Please check on the notice board for further details or pick up a flyer at the entrance of the parish. Thank you

An Evening with Refugee Tales: Since 2015 the Gatwick Detainees Welfare Group has been organising Refugee Tales walks in solidarity with refugees, people seeking asylum, migrants, and people held in immigration detention. This July we are walking from Edenbridge to Westminster and on **Monday 8 July** we will be arriving in Wallington. The walkers will stay at Holy Trinity Church, Maldon Road SM6 8BL and they invite you to come at 7. 0 p.m. and meet them and listen to tales and some great music. The evening is free and you can find out more from our website www.refugeetales.org

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FAITH SUMMER BREAK for 11-15-YEAR-OLDS [MON 12th - THU 15th August 2024]: Set in the beautiful grounds of St Mary's School, Ascot, the [Faith Summer Break](#) is an exciting four days for 11-15-year-olds combining both faith and fun activities in a relaxed holiday setting. The week is structured around getting to know God and each other and includes Holy Mass each day, talks about the Catholic Faith, discussions, prayer, quizzes, arts and crafts, games, sports and a visit to Thorpe Park. It costs £200 [£50 deposit, full amount due on arrival], however, subsidies can be applied for if you are unable to afford the full amount for your child. The event is run by Fr Matthew O'Gorman and his brother Fr Dermott will be there along with other clergy and helpers.

Booking Deadline - 26th July 2024! For the bookings please check the Notice Board for further information. Thank you