



OUR LADY OF REPARATION RC CHURCH (ST MARY'S)

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PARISH NEWSLETTER

THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST (C) 19TH JUNE 2022

PASTORAL TEAM

Fr Patrick Feyisetan (Parish Priest)
Fr Celestine Ekwueme (Assistant Priest)
Revd. Vincent Morrison (Deacon)
Mr Frazer Bellfield (Seminarist)
Shirley Nash (Parish Secretary)
Robert Haddad (Lead Catechist)

PARISH SCHEDULE

SUNDAY MASS TIMES: 7:00pm (Saturday);
8am, 9:15am; 10:45am; 12:15pm, 3:00pm & 6:00pm

WEEKDAY MASS TIMES: 10am; 12:10pm & 6.45pm

Saturday: 10am

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: Wednesday 12:45pm – 6:00pm; Sat. 10:45am – 12noon; Sun. 4pm – 5.45pm

CONFESSION: Saturdays 10:30-11:30am; 6pm – 6:45pm and at call.

ROSARY: 9.30am (Monday—Friday)

INFANT BAPTISM: Second & Fourth Saturdays of the month

PARISH SURGERY: Every Tuesday and Friday: 9:00am to 12:30pm and 2:00pm to 4:30pm

PARISH CATECHETICAL PROGRAMME

FIRST COMMUNION: Every Saturday at 10:15am.

CONFIRMATION: Every Friday at 6:00pm

RCIA: Every Wednesday @ 7:30pm to 9:00pm

INFANT BAPTISM COURSE FOR PARENTS: First Thursday of the month at 7:30pm.

POST-CONFIRMATION LIFE: Post-Confirmation Group meets on Tuesdays in the Parish Centre from 6pm to 7:30pm. The group is for young people who have received the Sacrament of Confirmation and are under the age of 18.

PLANNING TO GET MARRIED? If you are thinking of getting married at St Mary's it would be a good idea first to meet with one of the priests of the parish and discuss your requirements and the arrangements to be made. You need to give 6 months notice for your marriage so that all documentation and marriage preparation courses can be arranged. Look up for Parish Surgery days to discuss your plans with a priest.

INFANT BAPTISM: This is for infants as the designation goes. And parents of such babies must be practising parishioners, hence the need to show evidence of Catholic faith

practice at the point of arranging the baby's baptism. Meet with a priest to obtain the application form during parish surgery times.

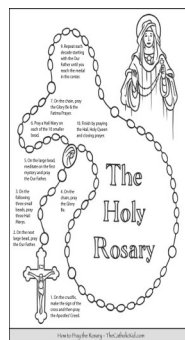
LEGION OF MARY: Meeting takes place on Saturdays at 5:00pm in the Parish Room. New members are welcome.

ST ANTHONY OF PADUA PRAYER GROUP: Prayer meeting is held every Tuesday after the 10:00am Mass.

OUR LADY OF REPARATION CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL GROUP: Charismatic Prayer meeting is held every Friday after the evening Mass. Fr Celestine Ekwueme will be giving a talk this week on the topic: 'Keeping Vows we make to God.' Come and be blessed.

ST MARY'S UNITY GROUP (18-35s)

CHOSEN Course will be run from Sunday (12th June) at 4pm-5:45pm in the Parish Hall. This is an opportunity for young adults, over 18 years, to learn more about their Catholic faith through video and discussions. Sessions will run every other week at 4pm.



CHILDREN ROSARY APOSTOLATE: PRAY THE ROSARY DAILY AND BE DEDICATED TO OUR BLESSED MOTHER, THE IMMACULATE VIRGIN MARY.

We implore parents to bring their children to Our Lady every First Saturday of the month for the Children's Rosary Apostolate beginning with Mass at 10am.

CAR PARKING: If you park your car on our premises while visiting the church or the parish office Monday to Friday, you **MUST** register your car registration details in the electronic pad to avoid getting a parking penalty ticket.

PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED:

Michael O'Reilly, Maria de Fatima, Francesco Orlando and Grace Onyekweli. May they rest in peace and rise with Christ in glory. Amen

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gifts of our priests; help them to be strong in their vocation and become instruments of your love and grace.

Send your Holy Spirit to give courage and guidance to all those you are calling to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life in our Archdiocese. May those called hear your voice and respond wholeheartedly to become the person you created them to be.

Heavenly Father, form us all in the likeness of your Son, Jesus Christ the Good Shepherd, so that we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully. We ask this through Christ, Your son, the Eternal High Priest. **Amen**

CROYDON DROP IN is an established, award-winning provider of mental health services to the community of Croydon committed to improving the welfare of local children, young people and families in our borough. They offer **free**, confidential counselling and advice to the young people of Croydon, regardless of identity and the nature of their personal struggles. See parish notice board for more information and contact details.

"The Society of Friends of Westminster Cathedral is seeking a part-time Co-ordinator to assume responsibility for the day-to-day running of the charity. If you have strong interpersonal and organisational skills, coupled with the ability to work on your own initiative to implement the plans and actions determined by the charity's governing Council and its subcommittees, this role may be of interest. You will be a good communicator, able to sustain engagement with our members through personal contact, written and digital channels. In addition to being able to plan and execute a range of fundraising events, you will have a keen eye for detail, enabling you to deliver the exacting level of administrative support needed for a successful membership organisation. Full details at <https://westminstercathedral.org.uk/the-friends-see-an-organising-secretary/>"

FIRST COMMUNION PARTY: The new communicants will have their party today, Sunday 19th of June after the 12:15pm Mass and Corpus Christi procession.

CORPUS CHRISTI PROCESSION: This shall take place today at the end of 12:15pm Mass. We shall have a procession around the church this year. There will be no 4pm adoration on that day.

SONNY D'SOUZA: We felicitate with our former parish sacristan, Mr Sonny D'Souza on his Centenary Birthday tomorrow 20th of June 2022. Birthday Thanksgiving Mass shall be offered for him at 12:10pm tomorrow.

CANON JIM'S DIAMOND JUBILEE OF ORDINATION: This weekend marks the Diamond Jubilee of Canon Jim's Priestly Ordination. He will be celebrating our 12:10pm Mass next Sunday 26th June and we shall hold a reception in his honour after that Mass.

FRAZER BELLFIELD: Our beloved seminarian, Frazer will be leaving our parish on Sunday 17th July. The 12:15pm Mass that Sunday shall be a special thanksgiving Mass for his apostolate among us.

MASS INTENTIONS/CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK

Twelfth Week in Ordinary Time

Sunday 19th June. THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST

8.00am Raymond Ozogolu: wellbeing.
9:15am David & Uche Agbim: wellbeing & thanks giving.
10:45am Candita Fernandes (RIP).
12:15pm Michael Smith & Clarence E. Gomes (RIP).
3:00pm Pro Populo
6.00pm All priests in Southwark Diocese

Monday 20th June. SAINT ALBAN (Memorial)

10.00am Therese Valapinee (RIP)
12:10pm Sonny D'Souza, 100th birthday thanksgiving.
6:45pm Holy Souls

Tuesday 21st June. SAINT ALOYSIUS GONZAGA (Memorial)

10:00am Ephraim Bululu; healing and wellbeing.
12:10pm Paddy Lydon (RIP).
6:45pm Angela D'Souza; in thanksgiving.

Wednesday 22nd June. SS. JOHN FISHER & THOMAS MORE, Martyrs (Feast)

10.00am Sonny D'Souza, thanksgiving and wellbeing.
12:10pm Alfred Obi and family; wellbeing.
6:45pm Owen and June Simon (RIP).

Thursday 23rd June. THE NATIVITY OF SAINT JOHN THE BAPTIST (Solemnity)

10:00 am Star Hobson (RIP)
12:10 pm Alphonsus Onyebuchi; in thanksgiving.
6:45 pm Elaine Rodricks (RIP)

Friday 24th June. THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS (Solemnity)

10:00am Funeral of Francesco Orlando (RIP).
12:10pm Funeral Grace Onyekweli(RIP)
6:45 pm Caryll Simon (RIP).

Saturday 25th June. THE IMMACULATE HEART OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY (Memorial)

10:00 am Mrs Ida Gomes (RIP)
7:00 pm Dominic Mosconi (RIP).

WEDNESDAY ADORATION: We are extending adoration period on Wednesdays to 6:30pm to extend the grace of watching with Our Lord to those returning from work. We shall then have Benediction at 6:30 and Mass at the usual time.

FIRST FRIDAY MASS OF THE SICK: Our usual first Friday devotion shall commence in July. So, on Friday 1st of July there will be adoration of the Blessed Sacrament after the 10am Mass with Rosary and Confessions till 12noon. Special Mass of the Sick with anointing shall start at 12:10pm, and there will be refreshments after the Mass.

UPCOMING SECOND COLLECTIONS:

Day for LIFE: 19th June 2022

Peter's Pence: Sunday 26th June: SS Peter & Paul Apostleship of the Sea: 10th July