

SAINT CHAD'S CHURCH - SOUTH NORWOOD

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20TH SEPTEMBER 2020

TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (A)

Saturday: 19th September Our Lady	10.00am:	Deceased relatives and friends of the Ogbebor Family
	5.30pm:	Devotion to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour
FIRST NATIONAL MASS COUNT	6.30pm:	Holy Souls
Sunday: 20th September	8.30am:	Joao & Filipina Leitao RIP
	10.00am:	Deceased friends of Henry & Juliet Brobbey.
	11.30am:	Chief Vincent Ngozi Rapu RIP
	6.00pm:	People of the Parish
Monday: 21 st September St Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist	9.30am:	David Reddiar RIP (12 th Ann)
Tuesday: 22 nd September	9.30am:	Holy Souls
Wednesday: 23 rd September St Pius of Pietrelcina [Padre Pio]	9.30am:	Rev Henry Rhodes Prince (F) Bartholomew Cawley RIP (60 th Ann)
Thursday: 24 th September Our Lady of Walsingham	9.30am:	Holy Souls
Friday: 25 th September	9.30am:	Holy Souls
Saturday: 26th September SS Cosmoas & Damian	10.00am:	Thanksgiving Mass for the Ogbebor Family & Friends
SECOND NATIONAL MASS COUNT	6.30pm:	Holy Souls

MASSES: Saturday 26th September: 6.30pm: Holy Souls; **Sunday 27th September: 8.30am:** Thanksgiving Mass for Fiona Reddiar; **10.00am:** People of the Parish; **11.30am:** Holy Souls; **6.00pm:** Holy Souls

Please pray for those who have died recently and those who mourn their loss especially: Kathleen Crabb; Vincent Ngozi Rapu; Canon John McNamara; Fr Charles Briggs; Fr Protus Nyatorley; Elaine Campbell; Lawrence Chebeze Magbo Chinegwundoh; Ian Dowsett; Rose Lobo; Brian Green; +Peter Smith; Obima Nganori; Mrs Christiana Obi Nkpolukwu; Rita Lobo; Ugochukwu Dike; Penelope Berkoh; Sheila Collins; Margaret Rowland; Oscar John Charles; Ugochukwu Ugwujioku; Madame Lucky Otokito; Benvinda Morais; Leroy Serrette; Catherine Ruby Martin; Eugenia Okpala; Archbishop Michael Bowen; and all our deceased relatives and friends. May they rest in peace: ***(If you would like to include names of your deceased relatives please let us know.)***

Please pray for all who are sick in the parish: Henry Aboagye-Brobbey; Matthew Nyame; Martin Gardner; Rose Lobo; Michael Hayland; Agnes Harris; Beautilyn Awe; Janet Moore; Lourdes Leitao; Kings Family; Stella Blake; Alice Berkoh; Cecilia Boakye-Agyeman; Nigel Blake; Mary Clerkins; Bridie Carter; Mina Pobe; Julie Hayfron; Esme Brewer; Chevanese Philip; Tom Finnerty; Cori-Matthew Blanc-Phillips; Theresa Mongan; Matthew Mendes; Beth Simon; Emmanuel Yakubu; Shelley Bunter; Adele Dewluish; Maria Stokoe; Annette Smith; Fredericka Nettey; Kusuma Munavira; Moira Edinburgh; Patricia Mellor; Vernon Sharland; Pat Mostyn; Tim Belgrave; Ted Stevens; Charlie Cowe; Isabella O'Brien. ***(It***

would be greatly appreciated if the parish office could be notified of the recovery of those on this sick list.)

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Mass Cards are available from the Presbytery during office hours.
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OFFERINGS: £523.61 Thank you; Today's Second Collection is for Home Mission Sunday

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QUOTE: Scripture is to be proclaimed, heard, read, received and experienced as the word of God. (Pope Benedict XVI, *Verbum Domini*, 7)
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BAPTISM: Parents who are intending to baptise their children in October are expected to submit the completed baptism forms by the end of September.

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WE PRAY WITH POPE FRANCIS *"We pray that the planet's resources will not be plundered, but shared in a just and respectful manner."* The Heart of the Church's Mission is Prayer

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SEASON OF CREATION: A Catholic Season of Creation – Sundays of September (Year A, 2020) <https://www.columban.org.au/media-and-publications/educational-resources/a-catholic-season-of-creation-sundays-of-september-year-a> The

Columbans have produced this resource in order to help us explore Sunday scripture readings (from 6th September, 23rd Sunday of Ordinary Time, onwards). The aim is to help us explore the voice of the earth as the voice of the Holy Spirit, in which to God's plan of Salvation is seen by linking the natural world with Scripture.

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PRAYER FOR SCHOOLCHILDREN: This weekend, we pray for our youth and all the school children who have started a new academic year. May God continue to bless them and protect them from every harm.

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CAFOD - NOVENA TO ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI <https://cafod.org.uk/Pray/Prayer-resources/Novena-to-St-Francis> The Novena consists of nine brief reflections asking St Francis of Assisi to pray for us and our world, based on his beautiful Canticle of the Sun. The Diocese will share this Novena on social media to coincide with the Feast of St Francis of Assisi on 4th October.

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GIFT AID BOXES 2020-2021: Gift Aid boxes are available for collection from the Presbytery during office hours or after Mass. Parishioners are reminded to produce their GAD number upon collection. Thank you.

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WELCOME: We welcome Fr Uchenna Odenigbo to our parish community. He will stay with us until the end of December. Let us offer him our usual community support and encouragement.

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LALEHAM LEA SCHOOL OPEN WEEK 21ST – 25TH September 9.30AM-11.30AM: Parishioners are to contact Mrs Edwards in the school office to book a tour. Tel: 0208 660 3351

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LALEHAM LEE SCHOOL VACANCY - CARETAKER (PART TIME OVER 5 DAYS)

REQUIRED ASAP: The successful candidate must be able to work with the school to ensure the smooth maintenance of the school site, including repairs along with health and safety compliance. We would love to hear from you if you are an experienced School Caretaker and have the required skills to work in our school. We will provide the relevant safety equipment and ongoing training as required. **Please contact sbm@lalehamlea.co.uk for an application pack Tel: 0208 660 3351 Closing date Friday September 25th 12 noon 020 8660 3351**

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LONDON JESUIT CENTRE: Just as the prospect of being able to run some of our new programme was looking up we are faced with new Covid restrictions. However, the LJC is hosting some events and retreats online and planning in-person courses for later in the year.

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Theology and Covid – a series of three online panel discussions from the Catholic Theological Association, with audience participation, on the impact of Covid on the life and practice of the Church.
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Retreat in Daily Life – each month we are offering an online retreat over the course of a week. These retreats are individually guided with optional workshops on prayer.
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Theology and Poetry – an online course with Kate Banks on the ways in which theology is expressed in poetry, with practical examples and exploration.
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LJC Book Club – continues with a new book and discussion session each month.
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You will find information on these and other LJC courses and events, regularly updated, on our website: www.londonjesuitcentre.org.
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