

ANNOUNCEMENTS

SAFEGUARDING/DBS: Thanks to all volunteers who were able to complete their DBS process. Your work as volunteers helps the parish to run very well. At the same time, we wish to remind all volunteers who don't yet have their DBS, especially those who work with children/vulnerable adults, to try to speed up the process. This is mandatory diocesan policy and we need to adhere to it. All volunteers who have not done their check are encouraged to do so before the end of June. Thanks for your co-operation.

Launching the '400 Club'. You will be able to join the Club with the opportunity of winning a pay out every month for three lucky winners. It costs £24 per person/family a year to join. Hurry as the first monthly draw will be in June.

St Chad's Nigerian community (SCNC) will holding various talks on Mental health within our community beginning on Sunday 26th May 2024.

The Divine Mercy Apostolate, London is holding a First Saturday Divine Mercy Recollection Day at the Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham, on Saturday 1st June 2024 from 11 am to 4:30 pm. The Recollection Day will include teachings on the Message of Mercy, Holy Mass, Stations of the Cross, Hour of Mercy with Adoration and Benediction and Veneration of the Image of Merciful Jesus. All welcome. Pls call millie on [07957594646](tel:07957594646) for more information. Coaches from Ealing Broadway and Victoria

INDUCTION OF PARISH PRIEST: Fr Anthony Saffa at St Andrew's Church, Thornton Heath, 16th May, 7pm. This will be followed by a reception in the Hall.

Invitation to all for the celebration of the **GOLDEN JUBILEE ANNIVERSARY OF PRIESTLY ORDINATION** of Rtd. Archbishop Kevin MacDonald in St George's Cathedral on the 31st of May at 12:30pm.

The Altar Servers will be resuming their hot food sales after 8.30am and 10.30am masses on some Sundays. Dates to be confirmed very shortly.

UP-COMING FUNERALS AT ST CHAD'S

Wednesday, 15 May	Funeral of Virginia Ike at 11:00am
Wednesday, 22 May	Funeral of Annie Maloney at 12 noon
Friday, 24 May	Funeral of Matthew Davis at 1:45 pm
Tuesday, 28 May	Funeral of Moya McCarthy at 1:30pm

Let us pray for the families of our dear deceased parishioners and their families particularly at this difficult time.

BIBLE STUDIES TO RESUME SOON

Our Bible Studies will resume on Thursday the 30th of May in the Guild Room. Please come and let's dig more into God's word. Let the scriptures come alive for us.

MAY DEVOTIONS

May is the month of Our Lady. Rosary. On the 26th of May we shall have a special ceremony to crown our Lady after the 8:30am and 10:30am masses

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Or call the Presbytery DURING OFFICE HOURS



WEEKLY PROGRAMMES (12TH MAY 2024)

SUNDAY MASSES: VIGIL—6:30PM, 8:30AM, 10:30AM & 6:00PM

DAILY MORNING MASSES: 9:30AM (MONDAY TO FRIDAY); 10AM (SATURDAY)

WEEKLY EVENING MASSES: WEDNESDAY MASS FOR THE SICK

& ADORATION: 7:30PM; FRIDAY EVENING MASS: 7:30PM

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: TUESDAY: 10AM—12NOON,

WEDNESDAY: AFTER EVENING MASS, SUNDAY: 4:30PM— 6:00PM

CONFESSIONS: BEFORE OR AFTER DAILY MASSES; 6PM-6:25PM (SATURDAYS)

ROSARY: EVERYDAY AFTER MORNING MASS (EXCEPT TUESDAY & SATURDAY)

BIBLE STUDIES: THURSDAY @ 7:30PM (GUILD ROOM)

DEVOTIONAL GROUPS

MONDAY— CHARISMATICS (7:30 PM); WEDNESDAY—LEGION OF MARY (6:30 PM);

TUESDAY—DIVINE MERCY (7:30PM); THURSDAY—Padre Pio Prayer Group & Bible Study Group

SATURDAY (FORTNIGHTLY)—SVP (7:30PM ON ZOOM).

Contact: presidentA190305@svp.org.uk 07305119836.

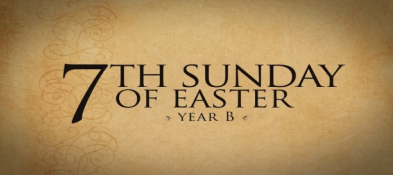
PLEASE SEE THE NOTICE BOARD FOR FURTHER INFORMATION



Sick and Housebound: Cherlez Philip; Lucy Martin; Henry Aboagye-Brobbe; Beautilyn Awe; Alice Berkoh; William Curran, Roy Alleyne, Uley Headlam, Daniele Arthurine Massamba.

Recently Deceased: Fr Gabriel Luseni CSSp, Immaculate Isietu, Frank Nana Sarpong, Margaret Glasgow, Anthony Curtis Dabor, Evelyn Ihuoma, Robert O'Grady, Sean Harrington, Jude Ozoemenam Offordimnwa, Rosemary McLuskey, Peter Kwadwo Domfeh, Bernard Akubueze, Deborah Ohene, Enayi Ohene, Virginia Ike, Fr David Standley, Peter Kelly, Annie Maloney, Moya McCarthy, Pamela Ifeanyi Nwonah, Yinka Olomojobi, Fr Francis Hammond CSSp, Fr Cyril Anene CSSp, Matthew Davis, Jonathan Gyasi, Albert-Abblorh Adjei, Kenneth Barber.

SEVENTH SUNDAY OF EASTER, YEAR B (12/04/24)

	<u>Vigil Mass on Saturday</u>	6:30PM	RIP: Albert-Abblorh Adjei
		8:30AM	RIP: Annie Maloney
		10:30AM	RIP: Appolonia Banseka; Francis Achiri & Susanna Achiri
		4:30PM	90 minutes with the Lord
		6:00PM	People of the Parish
<u>MONDAY, 13TH MAY OUR LADY of FATIMA</u>		9:30AM	-Thanksgiving to Our Lady of Fatima from the Luu Family -Daniel & Joshua & all children writing their Exams
<u>TUESDAY, 14TH MAY ST MATTHIAS ADORATION & BENEDICTION</u>		9:30AM 10:15-12PM	RIP: Moya McCarthy RIP: Bui Xuan Son (Bue Son Son)
<u>WEDNESDAY, 15TH MAY ST JOHN STONE</u>		9:30am	-Healing Protection: Mrs Jane O. Enejedu; Onos, Ivie & their Children -RIP: Christopher Akai Nettey (1st Anniversary)
<u>FUNERAL EVENING MASS & ADORATION</u>		11:00AM 7:30PM	Virginia Ike Healing for all Parishioners
<u>THURSDAY, 16TH MAY ST SIMON STOCK EVENING MASS</u>		9:30AM 7:30PM	RIP: Tom Lobo (1st Anniversary) For all Volunteers & Carers of the Parish
<u>FRIDAY, 17TH MAY EVENING MASS</u>		9:30AM 7:30PM	RIP: Luduvine Menezes Unity in the Parish
<u>SATURDAY, 18TH MAY ST JOHN I VIGIL MASS</u>		10:00AM 6:30PM	- RIP: Michael Dougan (1st Anniversary) RIP: Tom Corduff

1st collection	Gift Aid	Dona/Online	Total	Tithe
£347.61	£371.00	£692.39	£1,411.00	£--

2nd Collection this weekend: World Communications Day
2nd Collection Pentecost Day: Spiritans

THANK YOU TO ALL PARISHIONERS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY. MAY GOD ABUNDANTLY BLESS YOU

STANDING ORDERS AND ONLINE DONATIONS

Please would you seriously consider the option of setting up Standing Orders for your weekly donations to the parish. If you need help in setting this up, consult the Parish Office or your bank. Thanks so much for your understanding.



UP COMING EVENTS

FUNDRAISING DANCE with BINGO BONANZA in aid of Bishop John Mbinda CSSp in Lodwar, Kenya. This takes place on **Sunday, 19 May from 1:00pm to 5:00pm**. Tickets £5. This is a poor area needing urgent help. License Bar and food on sale. Recently Kenya experienced a lot of flood and his diocese was really hit hard. Lots of death and displacements of people. And the diocese has to make provision for many of these people. They really need our support. A donation box is at the back of the church. Please help.

SUMMER FAYRE: 21st July. Anybody who would like to join the Planning Committee should feel free to contact either Ukachi or Fr Ambrose.

Parish Summer Dance on Saturday, 8 June 2024 from 7:30pm to 11:30pm. Tickets £10. Food on sale and licensed bar and TnT Band playing.

Kindly note that there is a **Parish Bingo every Friday** from 10am till 2pm. Come and be part of this team. It's only £2 to enter, including tea and coffee. *All proceeds goes towards the parish. Please come and socialize and enjoy yourselves for a good cause.*

CENSUS AND PARISH REGISTRATION/REFERENCES: *Some parishioners have asked the Parish Priest to act as referees for them in their application but had not registered as parishioners so as to enable the Parish priest to accurately answer the reference forms. Please contact Fr Ambrose ASAP.*

Volunteers desperately needed urgently for church cleaning, flower arrangements & handy work. Please contact the Presbytery

**PENTECOST SUNDAY—19 May;
THE MOST HOLY~ TRINITY—26 May;**

CORPUS CHRISTI—2 June We shall process through some of our streets. Details will be out soon.

EVENING MASSES AT ST CHAD'S

1st Wednesday	Mass for the sick through the intercession of Padre Pio—7 ³⁰ PM
2nd Wednesday	Mass for all those suffering from Cancer—7 ³⁰ PM
3rd Wednesday	Mass for the sick and Blessing of Holy Water—7 ³⁰ PM
4th Wednesday	Healing Mass & Anointing - 7 ³⁰ PM
Every Friday	7 ³⁰ PM Mass, Special intention: For the dead
Last Friday of the Month	Requiem Mass for deceased Parishioners, etc: 7 ³⁰ PM

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH

