

St Chad's Annual Summer Party

Thank you all who have started donating. We are very grateful and ask that you pray for this event to be a success. God Bless You.

St Chad's annual summer party is taking place after the 10:30 mass today. Please come join in and help raise funds for the church. All are welcome and we guarantee a day of fun and festivity.

400 Club Winners names:

The draw was on Sunday 14th July.

1st Prize—£100 ticket number, 183 Margaret Allotey—Babington

2nd Prize—£50 ticket number, 41 Eucelle Cato

3rd Prize—£25 ticket number, 172 Shirley Gyan

CLUB 400 is still taking members. £22 for the year. Come and join in the fun. Win some cash while helping the parish.

TRANSFER

The mission of the Spiritans in UK keeps on expanding and reaching new frontiers. We are not only engaged in Parishes but in Schools, Airports, Prisons, Refugees and Asylum Seekers' programmes, Hospitals, Retreat Programmes etc, but to fit missionaries in such enterprises the hard decision is always made to make transfers—always with a view to putting round pegs in round holes. Consequently many of our missions, including St Chad's have been affected. Father Martin has been selected for the dual role of School Chaplain and working in St Gabriel's Parish, Archway (Westminster Archdiocese). It will be sad to see him go but our loss is somebody else's gain. Fr will be with us for a few more weeks before resuming in his new mission. Consequently we will begin from next week to raise funds primarily through second collections and the box at the back of the church for his farewell.

USING OUR CARD READERS: In order to protect your privacy when donating by card, please always shield the details on the back of your card.

THANKS TO ALL PARISHIONERS FOR YOUR UNDERSTANDING WHEN, AS ADVERTISED IN THE BULLETIN, WEEKDAY MASSES ON SOME DAYS WAS 9AM — INSTEAD OF 9:30AM (TO MAKE WAY FOR AN EARLY FUNERAL MASS) OR INSTEAD OF 10:00AM (IN THE CASE OF SATURDAY BECAUSE OF THE FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MASSES THAT TOOK PLACE SHORTLY AFTER THE MORNING MASS). HENCEFORTH WE WILL MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO KEEP TO NORMAL TIMES. GOD BLESS YOU ABUNDANTLY.

LOST PROPERTY— KINDLY COME TO THE PRESBYTERY IF YOU HAVE MISPLACED OR LEFT AN ITEM IN CHURCH.

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH



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Or call the Presbytery **DURING OFFICE HOURS**



WEEKLY PROGRAMMES (21ST JULY 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; Roy Alleyne; Uley Headlam; Daniele Arthurine Massamba; Ray Lobo, Chijioke Jude Ochiagha.

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 Dornfeh, Bernard Akubueze, Deborah Ohene, Enayi Ohene, Virginia Ike, Fr David Standley, Peter Kelly, Annie Maloney, Moya McCarthy, Pamela Ifeanyi Nwonah, Yinka Olomjobi, Fr Francis Hammond CSSp, Fr Cyril Anene CSSp, Matthew Davis, Jonathan Gyasi, Albert-Abblorh Adjei, Kenneth Barber, Okey Nwandu, Fidelis Onyealisi, William Curran, Shirley Samuel, Joy Rebeiro, Victoria Nakabira, Basua Otokito.

SIXTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR B (21/07/24)

<u>Vigil Mass on Saturday</u>		6:30PM	Private Intentions: Karen Lobo		
		8:30AM	Healing & Health Intentions: John Paul Pollock		
		10:30AM	RIP: Jonathan Gyasi		
		4:30PM	90 minutes with Jesus		
		6:00PM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH		
<u>MONDAY, 22ND JULY ST MARY MAGDALENE</u>		9:30AM	-Special Intentions & Thanksgiving: Mary Magdalene Agyepong -Thanksgiving to St Mary Magdalene from the Luu Family		
<u>TUESDAY, 23RD JULY ST BRIDGET</u> <u>ADORATION & BENEDICTION</u>		9:30AM 10:15–12PM	Birthday: Jacqueline North Personal Intentions: Pius Ezeh		
<u>WEDNESDAY, 24TH JULY</u> <u>EVENING MASS & ADORATION</u>		9:30AM 7:30PM	Birthday: Veronica Amoo-Mensah Special Intentions: Fr Ambrose Ohene		
<u>THURSDAY, 25TH JULY ST JAMES</u> <u>FUNERAL</u>		9:30AM 12:30PM	Thanksgiving to St Christopher, patron of Christopher Luu Pamela Joy Rebeiro		
<u>FRIDAY, 26TH JULY STs JOACHIM & ANNE</u> <u>EVENING MASS</u>		9:30AM 7:30PM	RIP: Fidelis Onyealisi Special Intentions: Fr Martin Goba		
<u>SATURDAY, 27TH JULY THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY</u> <u>VIGIL MASS</u>		10:00AM 6:30PM	-Holy Souls from the Luu Family -RIP: Sandana Mary & Pramila Jeyaray RIP: Tom & Rita Lobo		
1st collection	Gift Aid	<u>Dona/Online</u>	<u>Total</u>	<u>Tithe</u>	MANY THANKS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.
£407.18	£722.50	£ 482.96	£ 1,612.64	£150	

Collection next weekend: Father Martin's Leaving collection

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.



GIFT AID – Please sign up to have your donation gift aided. This means your already taxed money is not taxed again and the church gets 25% of your donation back. E.G. for every £1 you give and you are gift aided, the church gets 25p back.

UP COMING EVENTS

Fundraiser for Bishop John Mbinda C.S.Sp. has ended. Thank you all very much for your kind donations. Updates on this later.

SVP Fundraising sales on Sunday, 11th August 2024. Please come and help raise funds for the poor, needy and destitute.

Parish Sponsored Walk on 24 August— further details to follow. Watch this space and start training to raise money for the maintenance of the church.

A Day with Mary at St Chad's— 'Jesus wishes to establish in the world devotion to my Immaculate Heart' - this event comes St Chad's on **31st August**.

Ordination of Dan Turner to the permanent Diaconate will be held on **Saturday, 27th July at 12:30pm**. The Ordination will be conducted by Archbishop John Wilson at **St George's Cathedral**.

Parish Summer Dance: 21st September, 2024.

WHO IS CALLED TO BE A SAINT?

Carlo Acutis, the London-born Italian teenager who died in 2006 will be **raised to the altars** in 2025 after God confirmed his sanctity with a series of miracles. This may make some people to wonder whether only certain people are called to be saints or whether the call to holiness is meant for each person, all of us. Of course God desires us all to be holy, sanctified, loving and compassionate. In the lives of all the canonized saints we see these same characteristics. Pope Benedict XVI spoke on the Universal Call to Holiness during his General Audience of Wednesday, 13 April 2011, saying: *"...The saints expressed in various ways the powerful and transforming presence of the Risen One. They let Jesus so totally overwhelm their life that they could say with St Paul "it is no longer I who live, but Christ who lives in me" (Gal 2:20).* And this same challenge comes out very well in the documents of the second Vatican Council especially the Dogmatic Constitution of the Church LUMEN GENTIUM. Whether we become saints one day is a personal journey that each person must walk.

FUNERALS

Thursday, 25 July @ 12:30pm

Funeral of Pamela Joy Rebeiro

Let us pray for the family of our dear deceased parishioner particularly at this difficult time.

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, relatives, etc: 7 ³⁰ PM