



Archdiocese of Southwark
SACRED HEART of JESUS CAMBERWELL
PARISH NEWSLETTER

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SUNDAY MASSES

6:00pm (Sat) 8:30am
10:00am 11:30am* 6:00pm
* with Children's Liturgy

3:00pm (KCH chapel)

Confession:

Eucharistic Adoration:

Sunday 4:30 - 5:30pm
Friday 7:30 - 8:30pm

Morning Prayer

Monday - Friday 8:45am
Saturday 9:45am

Rosary

after weekday Masses

Prayer Groups

Sacred Heart Association:
Wednesday: 6.00pm
1st Friday 7:30pm

Our Lady & Divine Mercy:
Thursday 5:30 pm

Legion of Mary Seniors:
Thursday 7pm

Catholic Charismatic Renewal
Saturday 7pm

Legion of Mary Juniors
Sunday 1pm

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

Sunday 1st May

(Sat) 6.00pm
8.30am
10.00am
11.30am

6.00pm
4.30pm

Monday 2nd

10.00am

Tuesday 3rd

9.00am
12.45pm

Wednesday 4th

9.00am
12.45pm

Thursday 5th

9.00am
12.45pm

Friday 6th

9.00am
12.00 noon
7.00pm

Saturday 7th

10.00am

Sunday 8th

(Sat) 6.00pm
8.30am
10.00am
11.30am
6.00pm
4.30pm

Sixth Sunday of Easter.

Dr.Onyebuchi Achara & Princess Adaeze Iwuchuku Achara. R.I.P
Marie Wolani. R.I.P. Ucilla Mary Angol. R.I.P
Alf Smith. R.I.P
Josephine Obi. (Thanks: Perpetua Saba-Mgba.B'day,
Daniel & Henry Njele. R.I.P, Richest Adebayo & Bernado
Sanchie, Grace Okpaloafe, Jome Umukoro, Ansong Family.
People of the Parish.

Eucharistic Adoration

St.Athanasius. Bishop & Doctor of the church.

John & Martha Rayne. R.I.P.

St. Philip & St. James. Apostles.

Doreen Barnett.

Michael, Margaret & Edward Solon. R.I.P

Easter weekday.

Eileen & Edward Marten. R.I.P

Sebastiano & Vincenza Cuomo. R.I.P.

Easter Weekday.

Chinedu Ani.

Hasan Siddiqui. 21st B'day

Easter Weekday. (First Friday).

Paulina Darlington. R.I.P.

Josephine Popp. R.I.P

Norman Popp. R.I.P

Easter Weekday. (Annual Rosary Procession)

Paul Esirorie & Mr. & Mrs Muteta. Special Intention.

The Ascension of the Lord..

Ellen Hassel. R.I.P

People of the Parish.

Patrick Joseph Daly. R.I.P

Jane Wolani. R.I.P. Thanks: Grace Olorunnibe.

Kathleen Taylor. R.I.P.

Eucharistic Adoration

Mission statement

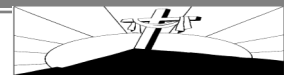
We, the Parish community of Sacred Heart, Camberwell celebrates the presence of Christ in our lives. Central and true to our name, we celebrate, we stand, and we dedicate our lives, witnessing to the unfailing love and friendship of God, through His beloved Son, in whose Heart of love we find daily strength for our journey.

We are a catholic community, diverse and multicultural. Everyone has a voice and everyone is welcome. We strive to make visible, God's love and care for the world in word, sacrament, and service to all. Nourished by the sacraments and in our diversity, we strive to create a supportive parish family that fosters communication. We use our talents as responsible stewards-accountable to God, to our neighbour, to our community and to the world at large.

Rev Fr Victor Darlington .



NOTICES FOR THE WEEK



Parish finance.
Collection:
First collection amounted to £914.10.
Gift Aid amounted to £656.70.
Second collection for the "Maintenance of St. George's Cathedral "amounted to £251.69
This weekend's second collection is for " Pope Francis's appeal for the suffering people of the Ukraine."

Thank you for your generosity.

Cathedral Mass in celebration of marriage: All married couples celebrating special anniversaries, 1st, 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th 60th plus of their marriage will take place at St. George's Cathedral on the 18th June at 3.00pm. Please submit your names to the Parish Office.

Novena to the Holy Spirit for the reunion of Christendom, begins on the 6th - 14th May. The novena will be said after the 9.00am and 12.45pm Masses. All are welcome to participate.

Consultation with Fr. Victor on Tuesday 3rd May from 10.00am - 12.00noon.

New Carpet , New kneeler cover / painting of the Church: The Parish is embarking on a project to replace our Church floor carpet and to paint the Church and replace the kneeler covers, the estimated cost is over £5000.00. Parishioners are encouraged to contribute towards these specific projects if they can. May God bless and reward all our donors.

Ecumenical Vespers for the Year of Mercy on Wednesday 4th of May at 7.00pm, with the St. John the divine Church in Vasall Road. The St. John Chamber Youth Choir will sing. Preacher Fr. Victor Darlington of Sacred Heart Church PP. Celebrant Canon Mark Williams PP St. John the Divine All are invited to join in this Solemn Celebration for the Year of Mercy.

Mass at St. George's Cathedral for all those who were Baptised at Easter, please pick up your invitation letter from the Sacristy.

Parish Pilgrimage There are still a number of places left on this special pilgrim for the Year of Mercy. Please call the Parish office or see one of the priest for booking. More information on the notice board.

Eucharistic Ministers Annual Retreat. Eucharistic Ministers Annual retreat & Renewal of Commitment will take place on Saturday 28th May from 10.00am -1.00pm in the Church. All are expected to attend, Renewal will be after all the Masses of the weekend 28th / 29th May. (Corpus Christi Sunday).

Sympathy: We express our sympathy to Mr. Moses Saaka (Parish Forum Secretary) and family on the death of his mother Madam Musu Sheriff. R.I.P
We express our sympathy also to Madaleine Onochie on the death of her mother Mrs. Clara Onochie. R.I.P
May their gentle souls rest in peace.Amen.

Congratulations to all our newly wedded couples who had their Marriage blessed yesterday. May God continue to bless you and your families

Confirmation 13th May 2016.

On Friday 13th May at 7.00pm Bishop Patrick Lynch will be at our Parish to administer the Sacrament of Confirmation. All are invited to come and support our Confirmandi.
Choir please take note.

Books in honour of Fr. Victor's Silver Jubilee.

Two books in honour of Fr. Victor's Silver Jubilee are now available in the repository. Kindly purchase your copies and support this charity fund for poor children and brilliant children whose parents cannot afford their university education.

Pastoral Placement

The Archbishop's council has assigned David Hunter, a Seminarian to our parish for his pastoral placement from 21st May - 14th June. David is originally from Ashford he is a Civil Engineer by profession. Before he entered the Seminary, he worked on the railway as a track Engineer. We wish David a fruitful time with us and please join me to welcome him next month in our usual Camberwell unique style.

Reflection: Five ways to prepare for Mass. Pt 4

Here are five simple things you can do to prepare for Mass. They are guaranteed to help you enter more deeply into the celebration of the Mass and achieve a more intimate union with Christ and the other members of the worshipping community.

4. Think about your offering:
Your experience of the Mass begins the moment you arrive at church. Plan to get there a little early. Outside of the church, smile and speak to the other people who are arriving, keeping in mind that everyone in the parish community is part of the Body of Christ. You might take a moment in the parking lot or vestibule to introduce yourself to someone you don't know. A friendly hello makes everyone feel wanted and welcome.
As you enter the church, bless yourself with holy water. Making the sign of the Cross with the Holy water is a reminder of your Baptism, which made you a part of the Body of Christ. It is through your Baptism that you can participate in the fullness of the Eucharistic celebration.
You might try sitting in a different pew every once in a while. It will give you a new view of the altar and a chance to interact with different people. Be sure to genuflect or bow before entering your pew. We do this act as an acknowledgement of God's presence.

In the Eucharist the sacrifice of Christ becomes the sacrifice of the members of His Body. The lives of the faithful, their praise, sufferings, prayer and work are united with those of Christ and with his total offering, and so acquire a new value.

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To be continued.....

The Month of May:

May is the month of Mary let us reflect on her life and pray the rosary daily.

Monday 2nd of May is the Annual May-day Bank holiday. Please note there is only one Mass at 10.00am **no 12.45pm Mass on that day.**

Friday 6th May is First Friday our Monthly Eucharistic devotion after the Mass at 9.00am throughout the day ending with all night vigil till dawn.
Why not spend some time with our Eucharistic Lord during this special "Year of Mercy."

Gift Aid. Do you pay Income tax? Please consider joining the Gift Aid Scheme by donating your weekly offering , it doesn't cost you any more than you already give. By using the envelopes you help the parish claim back 28p in every £1.00 you give from the Inland Revenue. We thank those who already give through the Gift Aid Scheme. Gift Aid organisers will be available in the porches during the weekend of 29th May & 4th June.

Please pray for:
- for the Holy Father's Universal Intention for this month, 'That in every country of the world, women may be honored and respected and that their essential contribution to society may be highly esteemed..

- for Evangelisation: that families communities, and groups may pray the Holy rosary for evangelization and peace.

- For the faithful departed, Clara Onochie, Madam Musu Sheriff. R.I.P and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

-For the housebound and our sick brothers and sisters: Donaldson Opoku, Lucy Monrose, Sue McCarthy, Peter Kellegher, Eileen Hartnett, Jessie Vincent, Emeka Okoye, Adelaide Peters, Margaret Lynch, Birdie Heffernan, Angela Smith, Heather Burke. Joan Bastin, Roseline Lewis Janet George, Eileen Nimmo, Timothy Angol Rita Greenaway, Andra Martin, Ashley Isochukwu Igwebike, Anthony Okoh, Nicos Panayides Jnr, Johanna Sims, Ursula Lubrano, Troy Benjamin, Lucy Tousseint, Basil Pereira, Rocky Fernandes, Kathleen Lennon, Marie Cody, Minnian Davies, Marie August, John Barron, Aldrick Leonce, Rueben Jameson, Michael Donlan, Pascal Ocloo, Philomena Ocloo, Kathleen Gray, Timothy Ryan. Robert & Eileen O'Dempsey, Indria Singh, Nicola Hermanstine, Ulina Pierre, Arielle Miambanzila, Paulin Ngang, Cian Dinsmore, Ewen Aitchison, Rasheeda, Agnes Omeike Beatrice & Gabriel Owumi, Grace Izegbu, James McDonald, Fr. Chris Dooley, Velda, Mary Regan, Elsie Devereaux, Eileen Moore, Doreen Barnett, Marie Perla. Barbara Kendall, Shaun Smith,