



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)

Confessions

Saturday 10.30-11.00am, - 5.00 - 5.45pm

Eucharistic Adoration

Sunday 4:30 - 5:30pm

Friday 7:30 - 8:30pm.

Every First Friday of the month
after 9.00am mass - till dawn

Morning Prayer

Monday - Friday 8:45am

Saturday 9:45am

Rosary

after weekday Masses

Prayer Groups

Sacred Heart Association:

Friday 6.00pm

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

Union of Catholic Mothers.

1st Sunday of every Month. 1.00pm

St. John Bosco Youth club

Junior Altar servers

Tuesdays 5.30pm

Bible Study group

Mondays 7.30pm

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS 6th- 13th March, 2016.

Mothersing Sunday

Sunday 6th

(Sat. 6.00pm)

8.30am

10.00am

11.30am

6.00pm

4.30pm

Monday 7th

9.00am

12.45pm

Tuesday 8th

9.00am

12.45pm

Wednesday 9th

9.00am

12.45pm

Thursday 10th

9.00am

12.45pm

Friday 11th

9.00am

12.45pm

7.00pm

Saturday 12th

10.00am

Sunday 13th

(Sat. 6.00pm)

8.30am

10.00am

11.30am

6.00pm

4.30pm

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary time. (Year C).

Margaret Wood. R.I.P

Joseph Van Tuat Pham.

Annie O'Flynn. sick

Union of Catholic Mothers.

Agnes Ogbona B'day. thanks & special blessing

People of the Parish.

Station of the Cross.

Lenten Weekday.

Bernadette.

Clarence Lewis. B'day

Lenten Weekday.

Rose Samson.

Martha Baptiste. B'day

Lenten Weekday.

not yet booked

not yet booked..

Lenten Weekday.

not yet booked

not yet booked.

Lenten Weekday.

Not yet booked

not yet booked

not yet booked

Lenten Weekday.

Christopher Obianwu. R.I.P

Fifth Sunday in Ordinary time. (Year C).

Canon Murname. R.I.P

James Ogunleye. Thanks.

People of the Parish.

not yet booked.

not yet booked..

Station of the Cross.



Mission statement

We, the Parish community of Sacred Heart, Camberwell celebrate 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 .

Parish finance.

Collection: First collection for the Needs of the Parish amounted to £927.59
 Gift aid amounted to 547.21 not including standing orders
 Second collection for the "Needs of the Parish" amounted to £266.72
 This week-end second collection is for "Parish Needs."
 Thank you for your generosity.

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.

Mass spaces during this coming week. Please see the newsletter and speak to any of the priest to book.

First preparation class of **Infant Baptism** is today at 2.30pm in the Church.

Finance Council meeting on Tuesday 8th March at 7.00pm. All members are encouraged to attend this important meeting.

Sale of Year of Mercy Candles:

We welcome the Children from Our Lady of the Rosary parish Brixton this week to sell candles for the Year of Mercy candles made by them. Towards their fundraising drive to enable them to attend the World youth day in Poland at the end of July. They will sell the candles at the 10.00am & 11.30am Masses for £3.00 each but are happy to accept any offer. Kindly support these children.

Parish Pilgrimage:

In this Year of Mercy our parish pilgrimage will take us to **Rome, San Giovanni and Assisi from Oct 2 4th- 31st October, 2016.** Due to the great number of pilgrims going to Rome for the Holy Year, and because our pilgrimage is during the half term, it is considered a peak period and we have been informed that this pilgrimage can only accommodate 35 pilgrims strictly on first come first serve basis for a total cost of £820.00. Pilgrims are now encouraged to register with a non refundable deposit of £200.00 per person.

Rite of Election: Second Scrutiny for those preparing to be received into the Church at Easter will take place this weekend at the 10.00am Mass.

Consultation with Fr. Victor will be on Tuesday 8th March from 10.00am - 12.00 noon.

St. Patrick's day celebration St. Patrick's Day this year will be celebrated on Saturday 19th March. Tickets are available for sale in the repository after all the Masses. Price Adults £5.00 Child £2.00. Family ticket £10.00 (two adults, two children) Ticket price includes Irish stew and soda bread.

Raffle tickets £1.00 strip
 We are appealing for gifts donations for Raffle prizes.
 Entertainment by our young Irish dancers and loads of Irish music.

Sympathy: *The parish sympathises with Isatta Tarawley and family on the death of her brother. Abu Mansaray. R.I.P who died in St. Thomas's Hospital recently. May his gentle soul rest in peace. Amen.*

Parish Forum meeting today Sunday after the 11.30am Mass all are warmly welcome to attend.

Easter

Stations of the Cross will take place every Friday at 7.30pm & every Sunday at 4.30pm in place of the Holy hour. Everyone is encouraged to be part of our Lenten activities in preparation for Easter. **Please pick up Easter cards for your family and friends at the porches.**

The wisdom of a child.

A child asked his father: "What is a Man"? The father replied, "A person who takes responsibility for his family and his house and takes care of them". Then the child said: "I hope I will be a man like mum one day".

Thanksgiving Mass. Monday 14th March. 2.00pm

The Sacred Heart community invite you to join us in thanking Rev. Michael Gould for his dedicated twenty-five years(25) years service as Chair of Governors at Sacred Heart school and for his dedicated years of Diaconal Ministry as the first deacon of our parish.

Development of the Stations of the Cross. Part 2.

The Stations of the Cross became standardized over time, encompassing at last the fourteen stops we have today (fifteen if the Resurrection is included). Originally, the franchise of the stations belonged to the Franciscan order, who were the guardians of the Holy Land.
 At Franciscan parishes and retreat centres, anyone unable to make an pilgrimage to the Holy Land was invited to symbolically journey through those fateful stops and make the same reparations and intercessions that other pilgrims made. Today almost every Catholic parish has a specially installed group of stations, and many retreat centers will have outdoor stations as well. By walking the stations one can literally "move" towards spiritual wholeness.
 We can understand our spiritual lives as a journey toward greater integrity through accompanying the passion of Jesus by this wholly engaging prayer.
 We can use one of the many books of mediations on the stations that have been written by spiritual masters to accompany us along the way, or we can simply offer our own prayers as we go.

Happy Mothers day to all Mums living & deceased.

Wonderful Mother

God made a wonderful mother,
 A mother who never grows old;
 He made her smile of the sunshine,
 And he moulded her heart of pure gold;
 In her eyes He placed bright shining stars,
 In her cheeks fair roses you see;
 God made a wonderful mother,
 And he gave that dear mother to me.

Pat O'Reilly.

And Grandma's too

While we honour all our mothers, With words of love and praise
 While we tell about their goodness and their kind and loving ways.
 We should also think of Grandma, She's a mother too, you see...
 For she mothered my dear mother, as my mother mothers me.

Author unknown.

In honour of my mum

Who sat and watched my infant head when sleeping on my cradle bed, and tears of sweet affection shed? My Mother
 When pain and sickness made me cry who gazed upon my heavy eye. My mother.

Ann Taylor.

Please pray for :
- for the Holy Father's Universal Intention for this month, *'that families in need may receive the necessary support and that children may grow up in healthy and peaceful environments.*

- for Evangelisation: *that those Christians who are discriminated against or are being persecuted, on account of their faith, may remain strong and faithful to the Gospel, thanks to the incessant prayer of the whole Church.*

- For the faithful departed, *Abu Mansaray, 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. Carmel Tertullien, Sue McCarthy, Peter Kellegher, Eileen Hartnett, Jessie Vincent, Emeka Okoye, Birdie Heffernan, Angela Smith, Margaret Lynch, Rita Greenaway, Ashley Isochukwu Igwebike, Janet George, Eileen Nimmo, Joan Bastin, Johanna Sims, Ursula Lubrano, Andra Martin, Troy Benjamin, Lucy Toussaint, 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, Cían Dinsmore, Ewen Aitchison, Rasheeda, Beatrice & Gabriel Owumi, Grace Izegebu, James McDonald, Fr. Chris Dooley, Velda, Mary Regan, Elsie Devereaux, Eileen Moore, Doreen Barnett, Marie Perla. Barbara Kendall, Shaun Smith. Agnes Omeike. Adelaide Peters, Roseline Lewis, Heather Burke.

