



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:
Sat: 10.30am - 10.45am
5.00pm - 5.45pm

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:
Friday: 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

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time. Yr C. 16th - 23rd October 2016.

Sunday 16th
(Sat) 6.00pm
8.30am
10.00am
11.30am

6.00pm

Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary time. Yr. C
Rose Ryan. R.I.P
People of the Parish.
Sarah Grealish R.I.P. / Michelle Balloux. R.I.P
Eamon & Alan Intention.
Philip & Christopher sp. Intention. Cynthia Erove. B'day
David Nimmo. R.I.P

Monday 17th
9.00am
12.45pm

St. Ignatius of Antioch. Bishop & Martyr.
John & Martha Rayne. R.I.P.
John Watkins. R.I.P.

Tuesday 18th
9.00am
12.45pm

St. Luke. Evangelist.
Rose Bugembe.
Ahishar Jameson.

Wednesday 19th
9.00am
12.45pm

Ferial.
Paula Margaret Salem. B'day
Carmel Tertullien..

Thursday 20th
9.00am
12.45pm

Ferial.
George Forest. sick.
Peter I. Ugbara. R.I.P.

Friday 21st
9.00am
12.45pm
7.00pm

Ferial.
Luke Lackey. R.I.P
Queenie Johnson. R.I.P.
not yet booked.

Saturday 22nd
10.00am

Ferial. (Our Lady on Saturday).
not yet booked

Sunday 23rd
(Sat) 6.00pm
8.30am
10.00am
11.30am

Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary time. World Mission Day.
not yet booked..
not yet booked.
People of the Parish.
(International Day Celebrations)
Vivien Iweka. B'day, Eugene Nnaji & family
not yet booked.

6.00pm
4.30pm

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 £945.86

Gift Aid amounted to £447.61

Second collection for the Cafod amounted to £687.09

This weekend's second Parish Needs. Thank you for your generosity.

Church Repairs Appeal: Donations received for church repairs appeal during the week amounted to £650.00, bringing the total to £9594.87. The Parish is grateful to all. May the good Lord bless you all.

Financial report of ongoing church repairs and appeal for donations.

Total donations received £9594.87

Expenses: Roof repairs £15000.00

Carpet replacement £4771. 50

New kneelers £2300.00

New church door (Knatchbull rd entrance)

£4400.00

Total Expenses £26471.00

Balance £16876.63.

Our church repair appeal will continue to enable us meet outstanding balance. Thank you for your generosity.

Mission Sunday / International day: October 23rd 2016.

Some highlights:

All those chosen to carry flags please arrive at the chapel of Our Lady 5mins before the start of Mass.

All those leading bidding prayers in different languages please sit in the front pew.

Thanksgiving is a total act of surrendering all to God; a grateful expression in gestures of song of praise, dance and offering of gifts to God, whose blessings overwhelms us. We saw the leper last Sunday coming back to give praise to God and he fell at the feet of Jesus. Each time we are opportune to give thanks let us do it with sincere hearts and be conscious that we stand in God's presence and not for any human praise or to seek attention.

Groups and societies making their thanksgiving offering should indicate their name and the amount they are offering on their envelope if they want it recorded.

Food and drinks for sharing will be received at the hall on the day before the 11.30am Mass from groups and individuals.

The order of thanksgiving this year during the 11.30am Mass will be classified in the following blocks.

Africa - East Africa, South & Central Africa, North Africa, West Africa.

America - Caribbean Islands, North & Central America, South America.

Asia - East & South Asia, North & Central Asia, West & the Middle East.

Europe - Eastern Europe, North, South & Western Europe.

Countries from these blocks will be called out at once and not individually)

Finally all Parish societies.

Raffles: Now available for sale and will be drawn on the 23rd.

Auction / Bazaar sales: If you have any valuable item, you wish to donate for the auction sale, kindly bring them to the parish house.

Welcome:

This weekend we welcome Bishop Donatus Ogun OSA, the bishop of Uromi to our parish, and we wish him a restful time with us.

Sympathy to Benedicta Ugbana & family on the death of their father Peter I. Ugbana. R.I.P in Nigeria.

Sympathy to Mrs. Mary Mensah Jones & family on the death of her brother Steven Oteng Mensah. R.I.P in Ghana. May their gentle souls rest in perfect peace. Amen.

Pilgrimage to Rome And Assisi

Second meeting will be on **Thursday 20th October**, All pilgrims are kindly encouraged to attend this important meeting. Many thanks.

Adult Confirmation Programme:

If you are 18 years old or an adult Catholic already baptised and have had your first Holy Communion but not yet confirmed, the Parish is planning a programme for such people.

Appeal for Catechists: Calling anyone interested in becoming a volunteer catechist for the parish. Training is available.

Sacred Heart Food bank

All those involved in the running of the food are invited to attend an urgent meeting with Fr. Victor on Friday 21st October at 6.00pm.

Consultation & form signing with Fr. Victor is on Tuesday 18th October from 10.00am - 12.00 noon

Reflection : Faith in Myself

God gave me faith in myself, not only on days when I'm going great and winning and nothing seems impossible, but on days when the whole world looks lousy and I'm losing and the road ahead seems too hard. When I wonder if I'm brave enough, smart enough and I must be crazy to try, don't let me quit Lord, not ever. Let me keep the faith in myself, No matter how many people

Discourage me...

Doubt me... Laugh at me...

Warn me... Think me a fool...

Don't let me listen. Let me hear another voice telling me, **"You can do it and you will"**

If nobody else in this world gives a darn or believes in me, Let me believe in myself.

I know there'll be times when I will doubt my own abilities, when I'll be discouraged and on the verge of despair, don't let me give up, hang on to me.

Fan the fires so that I'll try even harder.

Give me more faith in myself.

Dear Lord, you are the source of life and power,

You are the source of my abilities and my faith.

Thank you for reinforcements.

I know that you will give me for what I ask....

Faith in myself.

Marjorie Holmes.

Sacraments

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA):

The RCIA programme is for adults who wish to be baptised or confirmed in the Catholic faith or are lapsed in faith and wish to deepen their knowledge of the faith. This year's programme has already started. For those who still wish to enrol, please join us on Wednesday at 7pm in the parish hall.

Prayer for our Parish:

Almighty God our Father, in your wisdom and providence you created us in love and you call us to love in this faith community, Sacred Heart Catholic Church, Camberwell.

We thank you for your manifold favours and blessings, which have accompanied and strengthened us in our efforts to meet the challenges of our Parish.

As we continue with the onerous tasks of pursuing the necessary Spiritual, Pastoral and Infrastructural developments of our church, we beg you to sanctify our intentions and bless the feeble works of our hands. Make your Church a place where your glory will shine forth and a house of prayer pleasing to you. Bless and richly reward our Priests, Parishioners, Friends, benefactors and all those who continue to make a generous offering of their Time, Talents and Treasures towards the realization of our objectives. We ask this through Christ our lord. Amen.

Sacred Heart of Jesus, we place all our Trust in You

Please pray for: - the Holy Father's Universal Intention for this month that each may contribute to the common good and to the building of a society that places the human person at the centre.

For Evangelisation: that by participating in the Sacraments and mediating on Scripture, Christians may become more aware of their mission to evangelize.

For the faithful departed : Steven Oteng- Mensah, Peter I. Ugbana R.I.P and all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

For the housebound and our sick brothers and sisters: Donaldson Opoku, Lucy Monroe, Sue McCarthy, Peter Kellegher, Eileen Hartnett, Jessie Vincent, Emeka Okoye, Adelaide Peters, Margaret Lynch, Birdie Heffernan, Angela Smith, Shirley Quigley, Heather Burke. Joan Bastin, Bridie Murphy, 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, Minnia Davies, Marie August, John Barron, Aldrick Leonce, Rueben Jameson, Michael Donlan, Pascal & Philomena Ocloo, Kathleen Gray, Timothy Ryan. Robert & Eileen O'Dempsey, Indria Singh, Ulina Pierre, Arielle Miambanzila, Paulin Ngang, Cian Dinsmore, Nesar Ali, Ewen Aitchison, Rasheeda, Agnes Omeike, Beatrice & Gabriel Owumi, James McDonald, Fr. Chris Dooley, Velda, Mary Regan, Elsie Devereaux, Eileen Moore, Doreen Barnett, Marie Perla, Barbara Kendall, Shaun Smith. Agnes Smith, Ruby Cookman