



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:
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

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 24th - 31st July 2016.

Sunday 24th
(Sat) 6.00pm
8.30am
10.00am
11.30am

Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary time.

Pat & Agnes Mullen. R.I.P.
People of the Parish
Terry Devlin. R.I.P
Humphrey Agbukor. B'day Thanks:
Justina Akatugba- journey mercies, James Spaine. R.I.P,
Janet Clarke. R.I.P, Clara & Emmanuel Onochie. R.I.P
Deacon Michael & Joan Gould. B'day.
Eucharistic Adoration

6.00pm
4.30pm

Monday 25th
9.00am
12.45pm

St. James . Apostle.
Bernadette Callaghan. R.I.P.
Frederick & Annie Rix. R.I.P.

Tuesday 26th
9.00am
12.45pm

St. Joachim & St. Anne. Parents of the Blessed Virgin Mary.
Virginia & John Calixte. R.I.P.
Micah Jameson.

Wednesday 27th
9.00am
12.45pm

Ferial.
John & Martha Rayne. R.I.P
Bridget Foley. R.I.P.

Thursday 28th
9.00am
12.45pm

Ferial.
John Farrelly & Alacoque Hayes. R.I.P
Funeral: David Nimmo. R.I.P.

Friday 29th
9.00am
12.45pm
7.00pm

St. Martha .
John Knightly. R.I.P
Donald & Sybil Lubrano. R.I.P
Fr. Alfred Ebalu. B'day.

Saturday 30th
10.00am

St. Bridget. Religious, Patron of Europe
Wedding Anniversary Ursula Lubrano & Donald Lubrano. R.I.P

Sunday 31st
(Sat) 6.00pm
8.30am
10.00am
11.30am

Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary time.

John Walsh. sick
Dain & Christine Thomas. R.I.P
Terry Devlin. R.I.P
Jude & Ifeoma Onye. 10th wedding Anni.
Thanks: Mrs. Williams 80th B'day,
Ronald Rossborough. R.I.P, Dr. Aloysius Obi. R.I.P
People of the Parish.

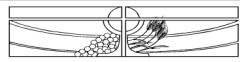
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Mission statement

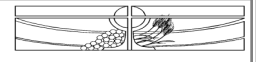
We, the Parish community of Sacred Heart, Camberwell celebrates the presence of Christ in our lives. Central and true to our name, we celebrate, we stand, and we dedicate our lives, witnessing to the unfailing love and friendship of God, through His beloved Son, in whose Heart of love we find daily strength 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 £816.15 Gift Aid amounted to £378.40

Second collection for "Needs of the Parish" amounted to £236.41.

This weekend's second collection is for "Parish Needs".

Thank you for your generosity.

Recollection: The **Extraordinary ministers** who missed the last Parish recollection day are requested to attend their recollection day on Saturday 13th August beginning with 10.00am Mass followed by Rosary, talk and private prayer session.

Gratitude: we specially acknowledge and thank those who responded to our appeal for volunteers last week and did a professional job on our pews, saving the church a Hugh sum of money. You can see for yourself that our pews are truly beautiful. May God bless all the volunteers for their hard work. Amen

Rite Of Christian imitation for Adults:

The RCIA programme 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 will begin on the 14th September.

At this time we are calling on all those who wish to enrol to please pick up an Initial Inquiry form in the Sacristy as we begin our selection process for this programme.

Forms should be duly completed and returned to the Parish Secretary or any of the Priests latest by the end of July.

Parish Pilgrimage : Pilgrims are now advised to pay the remaining balance towards the pilgrimage. **There are still two places left on this special pilgrimage for the Year of Mercy. Please call the Parish office or see one of the priest for booking.**

Holiday break: happy holiday to all our schools and those going away

Notice board: Parishioners are not permitted to place or advertise events on the parish notice board. All announcements or advertisements of any event should pass through the parish office.

Funeral Mass for David Nimmo. R.I.P is on Thursday 28th July at 12.45pm. Parishioners are invited to attend this funeral and support Eileen as a caring Christian community that we truly are.

Gratitude to Peter Mary Okojie our seminarian from Rome who returns on Thursday 28th July, we wish him every blessing in his formation programme.

Meeting of all Parish Catechists: A very important meeting of all Parish Catechists will take place on Tuesday 26th July at 7.00pm. All Parish Catechists should endeavour to attend as very important decisions will be taken at this meeting.

Consultation : Summer months.

During the months of July and August, there will be no official consultation, feel free to contact a priest during the working hours Monday to Friday from 10.00am to 12.00 noon for any pastoral matter of urgent need, or speak to the Parish Secretary or any of the Priests.

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.

August Supply Priest:

i am delighted to welcome back to Camberwell Fr. Felipe Alonso our long time supply priest who is now able to visit us from August 3rd to Sept. 3rd.

Fr. Felipe has struggled with poor health over these last years, and also celebrated his 50th Anniversary as a Priest. Please join me to welcome him back to our Parish and we wish him a restful and enjoyable visit with us.

Church Repairs & Roof Leakage.

Donations received this week for church repairs appeal, amounted to £550.00 making a grand total of £6625.00, thank you to all the donors.

Year of Mercy Prayer

Lord Jesus Christ, You are the visible face of the invisible Father, of the God who manifest his power above all by forgiveness and mercy. Send your Spirit and consecrate us with its anointing, so that the Jubilee of Mercy may be a year of grace from the Lord, And that the Church, your visible face in the world, may bring good news to the poor, liberty to captives and restore sight to the blind.

We ask this of you Lord Jesus, through the intercession of Mary, Mother of Mercy; you who live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit for ever and ever Amen.

A message from the Parish Priest:

The goal of every Christian is to glorify God by our worship. It is our highest priority. The worship of God has changed so swiftly in our days, hence this enlightenment. My dear people of God, when the priestly ministry becomes performance and entertainment instead of worship, and the sanctuary becomes a theatre instead of the Altar of Sacrifice, when the people of God becomes an audience instead of a congregation of true believers, when worship and adoration of God is reduced to entertainment or "worshiptainment," when the people applause and approval becomes the measure of success of a true worship there is a problem. It is misnorer. When man's relevance is the measure of all things, truth is invariably sacrificed.

God makes us to see a miracle in order to be glorified. He can give you a miracle without your efforts, but he also needs your faith, your repentance your presence and true worship of Him for a miracle to abound in your life. It is not a good Christian attitude, to duplicate attendance at religious programmes, of the same value and relevance.

I plead with you to give your all to Christ and worship God in your parish community fully and dedicatedly, thereby allowing your faith to reach its full potential in the process benefitting immensely from the different parish activities that is always within your reach.

God bless you. Father Victor Darlington.

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 Infra-structural 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

New Kneelers

It has been observed that some parishioners are already standing on the new kneelers. Please note that kneelers are meant for kneeling down to pray and let no one stand on them please.

Please pray for: - the Holy Father's Universal Intention for this month, Indigenous Peoples That Indigenous peoples, whose identity and very existence are threatened, will be shown due respect.

- for Evangelisation: that the Church in Latin America & the Caribbean, by means of her mission to the continent, may announce the Gospel with renewed vigour and enthusiasm

- For the faithful departed, 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 Iwebike, Anthony Okoh, Nicos Panayides Jnr, Johanna Sims, Ursula Lubrano, 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 & Philomena Ocloo, Kathleen Gray, Timothy Ryan, Robert & Eileen O'Dempsey, Indria Singh, Ulina Pierre, Arielle Miambanzila, Paulin Ngang, Cian Dinsmore, Nesar Ali, Ewen Aitchison, Rasheda, Agnes Omeike, Beatrice & Gabriel Owumi, Grace Izebu, James McDonald, Fr. Chris Dooley, Velda, Mary Regan, Elsie Devereaux, Eileen Moore, Doreen Barnett, Marie Perla, Barbara Kendall, Shaun Smith,