

St Peter the Apostle Catholic Church

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 St Lawrence Church, Sidcup
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PARISH SCHOOL

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ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

SUNDAY 5:00pm – 5:45pm
MONDAY – FRIDAY 10:15am – 12:15pm
SATURDAY 11:00am – 12:15pm



SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION

SATURDAY 11:00am – 12noon
 5:15pm – 5:45pm
SUNDAY 5:15pm – 5:45pm

THE MONTH OF JANUARY IS DEDICATED TO THE HOLY NAME OF JESUS

Week commencing 27th January 2019

Saturday 26th 6:00pm	Mass - Thanksgiving in Honour of the Virgin Mary	<p>Saint Thomas Aquinas OP was an Italian Dominican friar, Catholic priest, and Doctor of the Church. He was an immensely influential philosopher, theologian, and jurist in the tradition of scholasticism, within which he is also known as the Doctor Angelicus and the Doctor Born: 1225, Roccasecca, Italy and Died: 7 March 1274, Abbazia di Fossanova, Fossanova, Italy. Feast: 28 January (7 March, until 1969)</p>
Sunday 27th 8:30 am 10:00am 11:45am 6:00pm	THIRD SUNDAY (C) Mass – Intentions of Clement Mass – Thomas and Delia Kennedy RIP Mass – People of the Parish Mass – Thanksgiving in Honour of St Anthony	
Monday 28th 9:30am 12:30pm	St Thomas Aquinas, Priest and Doctor of the Church, Memorial Mass – Welfare of Sarah Walsh Mass – Thanksgiving for Chioma and Jude Ukah – 10 th Wedding Anniversary	
Tuesday 29th 9:30am 12:30pm 4:00pm	Feria Mass – Lily Elizabeth Nicholson RIP Requiem Mass – Shirley Murphy RIP Reception of the Mortal Remains of Nick Postolache RIP	<p>St John Bosco (Italian: <i>Giovanni Melchiorre Bosco</i>; 16 August 1815 – 31 January 1888), popularly known as Don Bosco was an Italian Roman Catholic priest, educator and writer of the 19th century. While working in Turin, where the population suffered many of the ill-effects of industrialization and urbanization, he dedicated his life to the betterment and education of street children, juvenile delinquents, and other disadvantaged youth. He developed teaching methods based on love rather than punishment, a method that became known as the Salesian Preventive System</p>
Wednesday 30th 9:30am 12:00 noon 7:00pm	Feria Mass – In Honour of Sacred Heart of Jesus Requiem Mass - Nick Postolache RIP Mass – Intentions of the Celebrant	
Thursday 31st 9:30am 12:30pm	St John Bosco, Priest, Memorial Mass – Welfare of Anna Owusu Requiem Mass - Arunn Niessan Marusaleen RIP (Altar Server) NO PARISH SURGERY TODAY	
Friday 1st 9:30am 12:30 pm	Feria FIRST FRIDAY Mass – Remi Egunjobi RIP Mass – For the Sick followed by the Anointing of the Sick	<p>Donations for Arunn Marusaleen RIP</p> <p><i>As you are aware one of our Altar Servers, Arunn Marusaleen who served at the 8:30am Mass every Sunday met with a tragic accident and died. His Requiem Mass will take place on Thursday 31st January 2019 at 12:30pm.</i></p> <p><i>We would like to assist the family with his funeral costs by having a donation box near his condolence book, which you will find on a special table near the Baptismal Font. We really appreciate all that you give and thank you on behalf of the family for your kind generosity.</i></p> <p><i>God bless you all.</i></p>
Saturday 2nd 12:00 noon 12:30pm 6:00pm	THE PRESENTATION OF THE LORD Candlemas Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Mass – Thanksgiving for Eniola Ayomide Meshe (Birthday) Mass – Thanksgiving for Christina Tueje (Birthday)	
Sunday 3rd 8:30 am 10:00am 11:45am 6:00pm	FOURTH SUNDAY (C) Mass – Thanksgiving for Olga, Thomas and Family Mass – Thanksgiving for Chibuikem Anigbo (Birthday) Mass – People of the Parish Mass – Welfare of Pat Gilby	
<p>Crib Offering – St Peter's Primary School Fund</p> <p>This year the Crib Offerings will be for St Peter's Primary school. This fund will contribute greatly to numerous essential curriculum resources and events, especially in light of the reduced school budget.</p> <p>Fr Tomasz will be supplying at St Thomas More, East Dulwich this Sunday.</p>		

Sick and housebound



Please continue to keep in your daily prayers the sick of our parish family. We pray especially for the following: Lily Beavis, Annie D'Sa, Emmanuel Meshe, Margaret Jeffrey, Joe D'Souza, Francis Ayodele, Barry Newton, Catherine Garraway, Patrick Duffy, Adriene Kelleher, John Branch, Sheila Edwards, Sheila Lee, Nina Donovan, Joe and Theresa Devoy, Frater Jeneita, Marie-Anne Collins, Kate Dooley, Joseph Tommy Le, Jo O'Connell, Maureen Brazier, David Orell, Francis Matajo, Tomisin Iddrisu, Tomosina Gloria Watkins, Eli Ladislaus Otto Cox, Jayne Shoboiki, Helen Dickens, Noone Dunlevy, Margaret Dickens, Miroslav Krejcar, Sandy Bamotra, Jacqueline Demar Richards, Michael Corcoran, Antoine Libanje, Georgina Ferrier, Joyce James, Evelyn Martin, Cesil Ryan, Cecilia Egbujin, Hugh Rozario, Mary Healey, Eileen Whyte, Collen Surin, Caitlin Connors, Lizzy Connors, Christopher Browne, Mary Angela McInerney, Theodora St Bernard, Dudley Simmonds, Ray Bat, Myriam Achille, Genny Cleary, Sadie Byrne, Tita Healey, Ann Norton, Jo Earll, Frances McKiernan, Peggy Hanley, Sister Annunciata, Sick Priests of the Diocese and please continue to keep Bishop Pat Lynch in your prayers.

OBITUARY

Let us pray for the following who have died recently:

Shirley Murphy RIP - Requiem Mass will take place here on Tuesday 29th January 2019 at 12:30pm followed by committal at 2:00pm at Kings Highway Cemetery.

Nick Postolache RIP – His Mortal Remains will be received into the Church on Tuesday 29th January 2019 at 4:00pm. His Requiem Mass will take place here on Wednesday 30th January 2019 at 12 noon followed by committal at 1:30pm at Eltham Cemetery.

Arunn Niessan Marusaleen RIP (Altar Server) – Requiem Mass will take place here on Thursday 31st January 2019 at 12:30pm followed by committal at 2:30pm at Plumstead Cemetery.

Juvenio Lopes Sanches RIP – Requiem Mass will take place here on Tuesday 5th February 2019 at 12:30pm followed by committal at Plumstead Cemetery at 2:30pm.

Thomas Joseph Murphy RIP – Requiem Mass will take place on Wednesday 6th February 2019 at 12:30pm followed by committal at Eltham Crematorium at 2:00pm.

We offer our prayers and spiritual support to their families and friends.

ANIVERSARIES

We also pray for the following who have departed from this life:

Mary Mann, Daniel Ogu Ovuworie, Pat Dee Brother James Valley, Andrew Cechino, Anthony Savage, Tommy Gardiner, James Fitzgerald, Edna Jean Phyllis Tucker, Mary Buckley, Patrick Keane, Esther Dewey, Olga Yarde, Esther Breslin, Canon Monk, Edward Smersley, Ann Seston, Joseph Persechino, Catherine McCloskey, Peter Louis Tucker Benedict Onwualu, Philet Ngasseu-Possi, and Marguerite Fiveash

MAY THEIR SOULS AND THE SOULS OF ALL THE FAITHFUL DEPARTED REST IN PEACE!

PARISH FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2019

First Holy Communion Programme every Saturday at 10.30am in Pugin Place.

CONFIRMATION 2019

Confirmation programme every Saturday from 10.00am to 12.00pm in Pugin Place.

Parish Pastoral Council

The Parish Pastoral Council meeting will be held on Wednesday 30th January at 7:00pm in Pugin Place.

Our Lady of Walsingham Statue: visit to St George's Cathedral



The statue of Our Lady of Walsingham from the Slipper Chapel will soon visit St. George's Cathedral in Southwark as part of her ongoing Dowry Tour of visitations to the Catholic Cathedrals of England.

The visit will take place between February 21st to 23rd 2019. There is an extensive programme (see the noticeboard). Archbishop Peter will be presiding at the closing Mass on Saturday 23rd February at 12.30 pm. All are welcome.

SPAPTAN

St Peter the Apostle's Professionals and Trades Network (SPAPTAN) exists as an avenue for workers in the Parish to offer their professional skills for the service of Parishioners.

A notice has been placed on the Parish notice board, with forms to be filled in by anyone in need of assistance with legal issues, building works, health services, educational assistance, management services or IT assistance.

Just fill in one of these forms and submit on the adjacent flap, and you will be contacted as soon as possible.

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents wishing to have their baby baptised in **MARCH 2019** should attend the following Baptism Catechesis Programmes



Session 1 on Tuesday 12th February 2019

Session 2 on Tuesday 26th February 2019

These programmes will start at 7pm and finish at 9pm and will be held in Pugin Place. You are reminded that you need to meet with one of the parish clergy before attending these Sessions. You will find them available on Thursday evenings during Parish Surgery.

Holy Baptism will be on Sunday 10th March 2019 and Sunday 24th March 2019 after the 11:45am Mass.

Learning from past experience, we request ALL PARENTS, who wish to get their child baptised in the future, to bring their own baptism certificates along with their request form as proof that they are Catholics when they attend Parish Surgery. GODPARENTS will need to get a letter from their parish priest to say they are practicing Catholics.

**Last Week's Collection was £1,366.80
Gift Aid of £685.22**

giving us a parish total of £2,052.02

2nd Collection – Pax Christi: £205.83

MAY GOD BLESS YOU AND YOUR FAMILY HOME

YOUNG ADULTS MINISTRY
Every Monday
7:00pm - 8:30pm
In Pugin Place
Every Monday

Bible Study Group
Every Tuesday
at 7:00pm

Prayer Group – Association of The Sacred Heart of Jesus and Immaculate Heart of Mary - Every Thursday at 6:30pm

FRIENDS IN THE HOLY SPIRIT (CHARISMATIC RENEWAL PRAYER GROUP)
EVERY FRIDAY AT 6:30pm

LEGION OF MARY
EVERY FRIDAY AT 6:30pm

RCIA FOR ADULTS
Every Saturday
3:00pm–4:00pm in Pugin Place