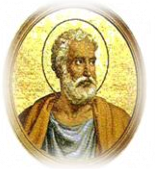




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PARISH TEAM

Parish Priest: Fr Roy Tablizo (Awaiting Arrival)
Assistant Priest: Fr Joseph Ekene Nnalue
Supply Priest: Monsignor Matthew Addai
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Deacons: Rev Piotr Ziezio and Rev Errol Jadoc

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THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

God is love. There are Three Persons in the Trinity, the Father the Son and the Holy Spirit. Together they represent the fullness of love. The Father loves the Son, the Son loves the Father. The Holy Spirit is their love for each other. We are made in the image of a triune God. God the Father, who created us, his Son who saved us, and the Holy Spirit who continues to guide us. Our lives should reflect the Trinity. We should be always creative like the Father, compassionate like his Son and dispose our talents in the service of others like the Holy Spirit.

The month of June is dedicated to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

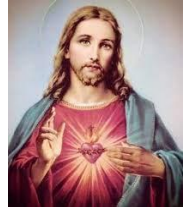
WEEK COMMENCING 12th JUNE 2022

ALL MASSES ARE STREAMED LIVE ON THE PARISH WEBSITE



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



ROSARY

Saturday 11:30am
Monday-Friday 9:00am



Saturday 11th 6:00pm	Holy Mass – Daniel David Lumu RIP
Sunday 12th 8:30 am 10:00am 11:45am 3:00pm 6:00pm	THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (C) 2nd Collection – (CaTEW) Holy Mass – Intentions of George Madufor Holy Mass – Welfare of Philip Gomes Holy Mass – People of the Parish Holy Mass – 60th Birthday Thanksgiving for Deirdre Hughes Holy Mass – Libby Mendonsa RIP and Ted Clark RIP
Monday 13th 9:30am 12:30pm	St Anthony of Padua, Priest and Doctor of the Church, Memorial Holy Mass – Fr Jeremiah Cotter RIP Holy Mass – 82 nd Birthday Thanksgiving for Mrs Anthonia Soboyejo
Tuesday 14th 9:30am 12:30pm 7:00pm – 8:00pm	Feria Holy Mass – Cynthia and Elwin Tavernier RIP Holy Mass - Shannon Willatgamuwa RIP Bible Study via Zoom
Wednesday 15th 9:30am 12:30pm	Feria Holy Mass – Former Councillor Harry Singh RIP Holy Mass – Roehl Palmiano RIP
Thursday 16th 9:30am 12:30pm 5:00pm – 6:00pm 5:00pm – 6:00pm	Feria Holy Mass – Holy Souls in Purgatory Holy Mass – 30th Birthday Thanksgiving for Conor Barron PARISH SURGERY IN PUGIN PLACE SACRED HEART PRAYER GROUP
Friday 17th 9:30am 12:30pm 7:00pm	Feria Holy Mass – Janina Kuczewski RIP Holy Mass – Arthur Labinjo- Hughes RIP Friends in the Holy Spirit Catholic Charismatic Renewal Prayer Group
Saturday 18th 12 noon 12:30pm 6:00pm	The Blessed Virgin Mary Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Carlito Lovell Holy Mass – Teddy Doherty RIP
Sunday 19th 8:30 am 10:00am 11:45am 3:00pm 6:00pm	THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (C) 2nd Collection - Day for Life Holy Mass – Dominic Eze Amanze & Christopher Agubata RIP Holy Mass – Ambrose D'Souza RIP Holy Mass – People of the Parish Holy Mass – Birthday Thanksgiving for Steve Dowuona Holy Mass – Uchenna Njoku RIP



10am, 11:45m
in Pugin Place



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**The statue of Our Lady of Woolwich
New Road, lovingly restored in
May 2022**

The colours now faithfully match those of the original. The sea green of Our Lady's mantle, together with the delicate gold filigree wave pattern have been faithfully restored after discovery of the original colours and design beneath previous layers of paint. The beautifully restored olive-toned complexion of mother and baby also now closely resemble the original statue and is appropriate to a Jewish woman and baby whose heritage hail from the Middle East. The serpent, apple, clouds and pedestal underneath Our Lady's feet have also been restored to faithfully resemble the original colours and pattern scheme. Some features of Our Lady, including her nose and fingers have been beautifully restored to the original outline and baby Jesus has also been given some new fingers and toes after the statue was damaged through constant touching. Although it is very tempting to touch the statue this causes the paint and plaster to erode over time. Although the statue dates from around 1840 we wish it to be preserved for generations to come. If you wish to leave a note to Our Lady and her Son Jesus, please place them in the box provided. Thank you.

The people of St Peter's Woolwich warmly thank Mauro de Palma for his magnificent work in the statue's restoration.

**PLEASE DO NOT TOUCH THE
STATUE OR PLACE
ANYTHING ON IT.
THANK YOU**

Aid to the Church in Need Appeal

This weekend we welcome Jerry Lohan who will be running an Appeal, in our parish, on behalf of Aid to the Church in Need. Aid to the Church in Need has so far donated approximately £2 million Euros to ensure that priests, religious sisters and brothers who have stayed behind in Ukraine will receive all the financial support and aid that they need to provide help and aid to their suffering people. They risk their own lives every day to help the refugees displaced by violence, vulnerable children in orphanages, pregnant women, the elderly and those who are disabled or too ill to leave. They face the daily challenge of surviving as costs spiral as a result of the war. Your kind donation, of whatever you can afford, will help get aid to where it is needed most at this distressing time.

We welcome **Monsignor Matthew Addai from Ghana** who arrives this weekend. He will be assisting Fr Joseph and Fr Ethelbert during the month of June.

WHAT IS THE 'SUNDAY OBLIGATION'?

Attending Mass on Sundays and Holy Days is the greatest of all privileges, sometimes referred to as 'the Sunday Obligation.' At the Bishops' Conference in Cardiff, the Bishops voted unanimously to reinstate the 'obligation' on Catholics to attend Mass on Sundays and Holy Days. **This took effect LAST WEEKEND on PENTECOST SUNDAY.** 'This is the bread come down from heaven' (John 6:58). A beautiful hallmark of the Catholic faith is the profound desire to participate in the Holy Mass and share in the Eucharist. We do so with deep gratitude and joy. The Eucharist gives the Church her identity – 'The Eucharist makes the Church, and the Church makes the Eucharist.' It enables us to worship Almighty God, to support each other on our journey of faith, and to be a visible sign of faith in the world. This hallmark is supported and strengthened by the precept that our fundamental Christian duty is to worship God by participating in the celebration of Mass. So, attending Mass and receiving the Eucharist sacramentally becomes our joy and desire and less of just an 'obligation'.

CWO General Meeting will take place on Sunday 19th June after the 11:45mass in Pugin Place.

TESCO CAR PARK

Please be aware that the Tesco Car Park has a limit of 3 hours FREE PARKING ONLY, 7 days of the week. Please note this especially on a Sunday when it is still 3 HOURS ONLY.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME

Many people have shown an interest in wanting their child confirmed. Please find below the details for registration:

Confirmation registration will take place on Sunday's 3rd, 10th and 17th July after all Sunday morning Masses at 8.30am, 10.00am and 11.45am in Pugin Place.



It is important that you bring copies of your child's baptism and First Holy Communion certificates.

Confirmation candidate aged 13 - Year 8 from September 2022/23.

Administration fee £20.00 per person.

Classes will commence on Saturday 10th September 2022 from 10.00am to 12.00 noon in Pugin Place.

ST PETER'S FAMILY BIBLE STUDY (Every Tuesday 7:00pm – 8:00pm)



Please join us in our Bible Study coordinated by the Priests of the Parish by clicking on the link

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83661570378?pwd=cTUxQ3F0OFM1SHd6VWVtZVYtQcE5LQT09> or enter the Zoom Meeting ID: 836 6157 0378 Passcode: 0842

SACRAMENT OF BAPTISM

Parents wishing their children to be baptised in **JULY** should attend the following Baptism Programme

Session 1 – Tuesday 14th June

Session 2 – Tuesday 28th June

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. 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.

Those attending the above Sessions will get their children baptised on the dates below:

Holy Baptism will be on Sunday 10th July 2022 and 24th July 2022 after the 11:45am Mass



Points to note when choosing a Godparent for your child

A godparent must be someone who has been chosen by the parents;

- has received the three sacraments of initiation: baptism, confirmation and Eucharist;
- is old enough to be a responsible godparent (at least 16 years old);
- is living the life of a believing and practising Catholic.

How many godparents can a child have?

The custom in most places is to have two godparents', but one godparent, male or female, is all that is required.

Can a child have two godfathers or two godmothers?

If there are two godparents, there must be one of each gender.

Can a non-Catholic be a godparent?

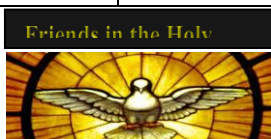
A baptised and believing Christian who is not a Catholic can act as a Christian witness, but not as a godparent.

If my godchild's parents die, do I become the legal guardian?

Many people think this is part of the role of the godparent, but the answer is no, unless you have also agreed to be the child's legal guardian.



The Youth of St Peter's Church aged 11 – 17 years of age are welcome to join the Youth Ministry sessions every 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month.



Friends in the Holy Spirit (FitHS) Catholic Charismatic Renewal prayer group encourage you to join our fellowship on Fridays at 7pm-8:30pm to support our parish community needs by prayer, thanksgiving and praise to our loving and merciful God.

May we be encouraged to continue in our good spirit of Christian charity, to support the works of evangelisation through our Parish Ministries as we continue to make our donations as follows:

OPTION 1

OPTION 2

Online donations

BANK DETAILS:

NatWest Bank: RCAS Woolwich

Sort Code: 60 24 26 Account Number: 16163400

Please use your name as a reference (gift aiders please add their envelope number).

Contactless Giving – these machines are situated in the church lobby.

Thank you. Any donation you can make will be greatly appreciated during this time and always.

SICK AND HOUSEBOUND



Please continue to keep in your daily prayers the sick of our parish family. We pray especially for the following: Annie D'Sa, Emmanuel Meshe, Margaret Jeffrey, Francis Ayodele, Barry Newton, Catherine Garraway, Adriene Kelleher, John Branch, Sheila Edwards, Sheila Lee, Joe and Theresa Devoy, Frater Jeneita, Marie-Anne Collins, Kate Dooley, Jo O'Connell, Maureen Brazier, Francis Matajo, Tomisin Iddrisu, Tomosina Gloria Watkins, Jayne Shoboiki, Noone Dunlevy, Sandy Bamotra, Jacqueline Demar Richards, Antoine Libanje, Evelyn Martin, Cesil Ryan, Cecilia Egbujin, Hugh Rozario, Caitlin Connors, Lizzy Connors, Christopher Browne, Mary Angela McInerney, Theodora St Bernard, Dudley Simmonds, Ray Bat, Sadie Byrne, Tumboma Nampuya Kamesa, Jo Earll, Ray Renolds, Christopher Browne, Thi Van Dang, Kathiravelu Nagarajah, Alex Morris, Kathy Stayne, Maggie Dempsey, Charity Nwalozie, Sick Priests of the Diocese and please continue to keep Bishop Pat Lynch in your prayers.

ANNIVERSARIES

We commend to God's Mercy the following – **Ian Fitzpatrick, Paul Randrup, Spiridiona Tong, Ibrahim White, Andrew Higgins, Tim Herlihy, Martin D'Rozario, Daniel Moonesamy, Audrey Rice, Eileen Murian, Johan Whitehead, Rory Keane, Patrick McNabola, Hugh Scanlon, Padraig Keady, Maljit Bains, Caroline McNiffe, Ronald William Murphy, Fidelis Osammor, John Joseph Barrett and Monsignor Anthony Reynolds.**

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

