

live simply that others may simply live

<b>Sunday 23rd May 2021</b>		
<b>Saturday 22nd May</b> St Rita of Cascia	10am Bridget Giblin and Victor David Clarke 6pm Mary Molloy RIP	<p><b>PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK INCLUDING:</b></p> <p>Christopher Browne, Clifford Browne, Peggy Frost, Marlice Gauci, Shirley Monaco, Jaime Molina, Jennifer Kirwin, Fr. David, Natalie Pell, Michael Hoskins, Colin Smitherman, James Gledhill, Amanda Dearling, Florisa Di Valentino, Bernadette Marchetti, Nigel Pell, Paul Gismondi, Jane Sullivan, Victoria Monaco, Callum Jamieson, Tom Bailey, Barry Mc Corkall, and Anthony Lydekker and Jason Moreno.</p> <p>Please pray for all those who have died recently.</p> <p>Together the Catholic parishes of Barnes, East Sheen, Ham, Kew, Mortlake, Putney, Richmond, Roehampton and Wimbledon Common form Mortlake Deanery.</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>WEEKLY COLLECTIONS</b></p> <p>To meet our budget we need £1,600 each week Sunday's offering was £677.46 Standing Orders £250 <b>Total £927.46</b> World Communications Day £201.23 <b>Thank you for your generosity</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>OUR LADY QUEEN OF HEAVEN PRIMARY SCHOOL</b></p> <p>Victoria Drive, London SW19 6AD Tel: 020 8788 7420 Head : Jeremy Tuke BA Hons PGCE <a href="http://www.ourladyqueenofheaven.wandsworth.sch.uk">www.ourladyqueenofheaven.wandsworth.sch.uk</a></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>This is a School Voucher Sunday</b></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>PARISH VOUCHER SYSTEM</b></p> <p>Those people who will require a school reference when applying to a Catholic School need to participate in this. By signing the vouchers the parish keeps a record of your mass attendance which is referred to when signing school reference forms.</p>
<b>Sunday 23rd May</b> Pentecost Sunday	10am Andreea Sitaru and Family 12 Mid-day People of the Parish 5:30pm Patrick and Stephen Gallagher RIP	
<b>Monday 24th May</b> Mary, Mother of the Church	10am Extra Mass Fr David Peck anniversary of ordination	
<b>Tuesday 25th May</b> St Bede the Venerable	10am Liana Lloyd RIP	
<b>Wednesday 26th May</b> St Philip Neri	10am Camila Rodriguez and Victor Pereda	
<b>Thursday 27th May</b> Jesus Christ Eternal High Priest	10am Maria Delfina De Ponte E Souza	
<b>Friday 28th May</b>	10:am Doner's Ints 10:30am to 1pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament Richard Cowie 6.45pm (Latin Mass)	
<b>Saturday 29th May</b> St Paul VI	10am Frank Stockwell RIP 6pm Mauro Reynoso RIP	
<b>Sunday 30th May</b> Pentecost Sunday	10am Brendon Casswell RIP 12 Mid-day People of the Parish 5:30pm Edeltrud Schafer 95th Birthday	

**Contacts**

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**PENTECOST SUNDAY (B)**



Today's feast day of Pentecost is, in many ways, a birthday celebration. With the coming of the Holy Spirit upon the disciples, on that first Pentecost Sunday, Christ's church was born. And, as the readings this weekend tell us, we become beloved sons and daughters of God, and heirs to God's kingdom. We have been given the freedom of the children of God. But the second reading supplies an essential 'qualifier' (lest we get too proud and indulgent), that this freedom is given to us in order that we too can live as Christ did. So we are reminded that Pentecost and our membership of God's family is never meant to be self-serving or indulgent, but all about service, sacrifice and self-forgetting love.

"If you are guided by the Spirit you will be in no danger of yielding to self-indulgence since self-indulgence is the opposite of the Spirit, the Spirit is totally against such a thing, and it is precisely because the two are so opposed that you do not always carry out your good intentions. If you are led by the Spirit, no law can touch you. When self-indulgence is at work the results are obvious... What the Spirit brings is very different: love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, goodness, trustfulness, gentleness and self-control. There can be no law against things like that, of course. You cannot belong to Christ Jesus unless you crucify all self-indulgent passions and desires. Since the Spirit is our life, let us be directed by the Spirit." (Galatians 5:16-26)

The Gospel this weekend also reminds us that the presence and action of the Holy Spirit in our lives and in the lives of the church, will always work to remind us of all that Christ did and said, and keep us close to Christ and his values. The Holy Spirit is the "Spirit of Truth." All who live by the Spirit, strive to live authentic, honest, integrated lives built on truth.

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## PARISH NEWS

**OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE PARISH HALL—  
SATURDAY JUNE 26TH**

Bishop Paul Hendricks will officially open the Parish Hall on Saturday 26th June after the 6:00 Mass. Refreshments will be provided after Mass.

**Our Lady Queen of Heaven**

Congratulations to Mr Tuke who has now been appointed as Head Master of the school.

**Missionary Appeal Next Weekend**

A priest from the MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF ST COLUMBAN will visit on the weekend of 29th/30th May to talk to us about their mission and take a second collection.

**Dates to Remember**

Confirmation Masses **Sunday 20th June** 10am and 12 Midday  
 Opening of New Parish Church Hall **Saturday 26th June**  
 First Holy Communion Mass **Sunday 27th June**  
 Parish BBQ **Sunday 18th July** 1pm

**Pastoral Letter**

The Bishops of England and Wales have written a pastoral letter for Pentecost. These are located at the back of the church. Please take one.

**SISTER PAT**


After 23 years in the parish Sr Pat has been asked to move by her community. She has served this parish gallantly for all these years, sacrificing herself completely to the work of God and the service of the people. We will miss her dearly.

**New Parish Hall—Bookings**

If you are planning an event (COVID permitting) and would like to use the New Parish Hall, bookings can be made by emailing [bookingsolsp@gmail.com](mailto:bookingsolsp@gmail.com) or phoning **07708632289**.

**The starting fee is £40 per hour.**

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If you are a taxpayer, for every £1 you give to the parish, we can get another 25p.  
 Please speak to:  
 John O' Reilly 07977 538671



If you would like to donate towards the running of the Parish you can do so by scanning this QR Code into your mobile phone

Children's Rosary—Monday to Friday in the church at  
 3:40pm

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**Changes to the Bishops Conference of England and Wales Guidelines.**

- 1) Stewards will not be needed during weekday Masses only weekends. Track and Trace will continue along with hand gel and face masks.
- 2) Prayers of the faithful will now be allowed.
- 3) Choirs of up to 6 people will be allowed but congregational singing is still not permitted.
- 4) Only 1 Meter Social Distancing is required.
- 5) Offertory Procession will be allowed.
- 6) Baptisms up to 30 people
- 7) Marriages up 30 people
- 8) Funerals depends of capacity of Church
- 9) Home Visits are allowed.

Archbishop John is calling us to be an “evangelising and missionary archdiocese “. As part of an answer to this call the Agency for Evangelisation and Catechesis (AEC) is developing a missionary volunteer network consisting of prayer, people and parish plans—*Some Definite Service*. What might be your particular part to play in this, some definite service? For more information visit [aec.rcaos.org.uk/sds](http://aec.rcaos.org.uk/sds) .

**What is one's duty towards the truth?**

Every person is called to sincerity and truthfulness in acting and speaking. Everyone has the duty to seek the truth, to adhere to it and to order one's whole life in accordance with its demands. In Jesus Christ the whole of God's truth has been manifest. He is “*the truth*”. Those who follow him live in the Spirit of truth and guard against duplicity, dissimulation, and hypocrisy.

Catechism of the Catholic Church

## NOTICE BOARD

**Vacancy** for Parish Administrator—Putney Parish

A Parish Administrator is required to provide administrative support to the parish Priest at St Simon's Church in Putney. Administrative duties such as handling general correspondence, diary management, bookkeeping plus interacting with parishioners will be required. The successful applicant will ideally be an administrator with substantial experience in office organization, a good team player with excellent communication and Microsoft office skills, including Word and Excel.

Hours of work: 16.5 hours per week Salary: TBC  
 Closing date: Friday 28th May. Flexibility around school holidays.

For further details, or to apply for this position, please e-mail Canon Michael O' Dea at [putney@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:putney@rcaos.org.uk)

Remaining Second Collections	
13/06/21	Catholic Trust for Eng and Wales
20/06/21	Day For Life
27/06/21	Peter's Pence
11/07/21	Apostleship of the Sea
12/09/21	Catholic Education Service
19/09/21	The Support of Home Mission
24/10/21	MISSIO
14/11/21	Archbishop's Admin Fund
21/11/21	Catholic Youth Work

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