Sunday 19th March 2023

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Saturday 18th March	10am	Graham Hill Ints
St Cyril of Jerusalem	6pm	People of the Parish
Sunday 19th March Fourth Sunday in	10am	Doyle Family RIP
LENT	4pm	Stations of the Cross
	5.30pm	Carol Barker RIP
Monday 20th March St Joseph	10am	Fr Jim Hurley RIP
Tuesday 21st March	10am	Cecilia Fernandes Ints
Wednesday 22nd March	10am	Florisa Di Valentino Ints
Thursday 23rd March	10am	Bernard O'Riordan
Friday 24th March	10am	Christine Bootheway and Family
	10:30 to 1pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	6:30 (Latin Mass)	Lilibert Nyasunu
Saturday 25th March Annunciation of the	10am	People of the Parish
Lord	6pm	Andrea Sutera Birthday
Sunday 26th March	10am	Laura Holst-Roness RIP
Fifth Sunday in LENT	4pm	Stations of the Cross
	5:30pm	Magdalena and Gerard Oberding RIP

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PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK INCLUDING:

Jaime Molina, Jennifer Kirwin, Fr. David, Natalie Pell, Michael Hoskins, Colin Smitherman, James Gledhill, Florisa Di Valentino,

Bernadette Marchetti, Nigel Pell, Paul Gismondi, Victoria Monaco, Callum Jamieson, Tom Bailey, Anthony Lydekker,

Jason Moreno, Josephine Moreno and Graham Hill.

Please pray for all those who have died recently.

Together the Catholic parishes of Barnes, East Sheen, Ham, Kew, Mortlake, Putney, Richmond, Roehampton and Wimbledon Common form Mortlake Deanery.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

To meet our budget we need £1,600 each week
Sunday's offering was £789.38
Standing Orders £400
Contactless Donations £188.00
Total £1377.38

Thank you for your generosity

This is a School Voucher Sunday

OUR LADY QUEEN OF HEAVEN PRIMARY SCHOOL

Victoria Drive, London SW19 6AD Tel: 020 8788 7420

Head Teacher: Jeremy Tuke BA Hons PGCE www.ourladyqueenofheaven.wandsworth.sch.uk

PARISH VOUCHER SYSTEM

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.

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website: www.ourladyandstpeterwimbledoncommon.org
Facebook: Our Lady and St Peter Church



FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT Laetare Sunday (A)

MOTHERS DAY - Happy Mothers day to all Mothers.

In the 16th century, Christians from the UK and Ireland would return to their "mother church" for a service which was held on Laetare Sunday, the fourth Sunday of Lent. A "mother church" could refer to the <u>parish</u> in which one was baptized, the local parish church, or even the closest cathedral, which was viewed as the mother church of all parishes in a given diocese.

Those who practiced this custom were said to have gone "a-mothering," and soon it became known as "Mothering Sunday." As the popularity of "Mothering Sunday" grew, it became a day when domestic servants were given leave to be with their families. The day became one of the few times a year where a grown family could gather, as working families often had conflicting schedules.

Once the tradition became a day for family reunion, with a reference to mothers in the name, it naturally evolved to include all mothers within the celebration. For children, the long walk back home became a time for picking flowers for mum, and this would grow to the tradition of giving gifts of all sorts to mothers.



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PARISH NEWS

Funeral of Fr James B Hurley RIP

Wednesday 29th March at 11.00am Funeral Mass at St. George's Cathedral.

There will be a reception in the Amigo Hall following the Funeral Mass

A minibus has been hired to take up to 17 parishioners to the Funeral Mass of Fr Jim. The return trip will cost £12 and leave from the church at 9am. It will leave from the cathedral at approximately 4pm to return to the church.

There is a sign up sheet at the back of the church if you would like to go on the minibus.

Solemnity of St Joseph Monday 20th March

Please note there is an extra Mass on Monday 20th March for the Solemnity of St Joseph at 10am.

POOR PARISHES

There will be a Second Collection this weekend for Poor Parishes.

Stations Of The Cross For LENT

During Lent there will be Stations of the Cross at 4pm on Sundays.

DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY 16th April

Service in the afternoon at 2pm

LENTEN TALKS AND ADORATIONS at Our Lady and St Peter

Dates for your diary --

Monday 20th March at 7:15 pm - Our Lady (Stabat Mater) by Fr Dominic Allain from Grief and Compassion.

Tuesday 28th March at 7:15pm - Lenten Talk by Fr Matthew Donnelly from Sacred Heart, Wimbledon.

Adoration and Confessions available after both talks.

CONFESSIONS during Mass next weekend 25th and 26th March

A visiting priest will be available to hear Confessions at all Masses next weekend.

LOURDES by AIR - 5 - 9 June 2023 5 Days £560

Fr Philip is leading a pilgrimage to Lourdes. The package includes Return flights inc. taxes. 23kg bag in hold, 4 nights in 4* hotel on half board, Lourdes city tax, guided tours and a daily pilgrimage program.

Extras: Single room supplement (£30 x 4 nights = £120), compulsory travel insurance, snacks and drinks, optional excursion, entrance fees and any other costs of a personal nature.

If you would like to come a deposit of £200 per person is required.

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Hail Holy Queen Prayer

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of Mercy, our life, our sweetness and our hope.

To you do we cry, poor banished children of Eve.

To you do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this valley of tears Turn then, most gracious advocate, your eyes of mercy toward us, and after this exile show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus.

O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.

THE WINNERS OF SUNDAY 19th March 200 CLUB

1	171	Jackie O' Dwyer
2	131	Mrs J Nugent

Legion of Mary

Junior Praesidium Our Lady of Morning Star meets on Tuesdays at 3.45pm

Junior Intermediate Praesidium Our Lady of Guadeloupe meets on Sundays at 11.15am

CHURCH CLEANING

There will be Church cleaning every **1ST** and **3RD TUESDAY** of the month at 11 am. Please do come and help. Many thanks

LEGACIES

Help provide for the future of our Parish by including the Parish in your will



GIFT AID SCHEME

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.

Parish Hall—Bookings

If you are planning an event and would like to use the Parish Hall, bookings can be made by emailing bookingsolsp@gmail.com or phoning 07708632289

NOTICE BOARD

St Francis Leprosy Guild

The St Francis Leprosy Guild is a Roman Catholic charity that wants to see an end to leprosy. For the first time in centuries, an end to leprosy is within sight and SFLG is determined to play its part. The charity was founded in 1895 by Kate Marsden, born in Edmonton, who worked as a nurse in Tottenham. St Francis Leprosy Guild has been working for over 127 years to lead the global struggle to eliminate leprosy and stop discrimination against those affected by it. They support 40 leprosy treatment centres, in 13 countries.

Please go to https://www.stfrancisleprosy.org/donate if you would like to support them with a donation

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