# Sunday 8th September 2024

Saturday 7th Sep-	10am	Holy Souls
tember	6pm	People of the Parish
Sunday 8th Septem- ber	10am	Fr Philip Seed Ints
23rd Sunday in Ordi- nary Time	5:30pm	Magdalena and Gerard Oberding RIP
Monday 9th Septem- ber St Peter Cleaver	10am	No Mass
Tuesday 10th Sep- tember	10am	Fr Philip De Freitas Ints
Wednesday 11th September	10am	Holy Souls
Thursday 12th Sep- tember	10am	Michael Smith RIP
	10:30 to 1pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday 13th Septem- ber St John Chrysostom	10am	Michael Dale and Anna's Ints and Abina Dale RIP
	10:30 to 1pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
	6:30 (Latin Mass)	Holy Souls
Saturday 14th Sep- tember	10am	Private Int
	6pm	Neil Taylor RIP and Paul Docherty RIP
Sunday 15th Sep- tember	10am	Mary Doyle RIP
24th Sunday in Ordi- nary Time	5:30pm	People of the Parish

live simply that others may simply live

### PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK INCLUDING:

Jaime Molina, Jennifer Kirwin, Fr. David, Natalie Pell, Michael Hoskins, Colin Smitherman, James Gledhill, Bernadette Marchetti, Nigel Pell, Paul Gismondi, Victoria Monaco, Callum Jamieson, Tom Bailey, Jason Moreno, Shirley Monaco, Gemma Morgan, Jenny Schlegel and Bibiana Young.

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	£907.71
Contactless	£225.00
Standing Orders	£400
Total	£1532.71

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.ourladygueenofheaven.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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Roman Catholic Diocese of Southwark, Registered Charity No. 1173050

THE CATHOLIC PARISH OF

# **Our Lady and Saint Peter** WIMBLEDON COMMON

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



### Domenico Maggiotto (1713-1794)

The healing of the man who is deaf and suffering from an impediment in his speech has a very physical nature: Jesus puts his fingers in the man's ears and touches his tongue with spittle. This teaches us two things. First, our Lord is not afraid of our physical nature, which is wonderfully illustrated in this painting by Maggiotto. On Christmas day we hear of how "the Word became flesh and dwelt among us" (John 1:14). God is not afraid of us, loving us despite our sins and our failings. He come to heal us, to restore us. This leads us to the second matter about our Lord's healing of the deaf and dumb man. Through word and touch, Jesus brings him into the hearing and speaking world of personal communication. In this experience the man represents all believers. Apart from the grace of God we are 'deaf' to the Word of life spoken to us by the Creator. By opening our ears Jesus gives us the capacity to hear his lifegiving Word, which he then speaks to us in the Scriptures proclaimed by the church: "The eyes of the blind shall be opened, the ears of the deaf unsealed, then the lame shall leap like a deer and the tongues of the dumb sing for joy" (Isaiah 35: 5-6) In this way Jesus enables us to join in the chorus of the community of faith: "He has done all things well."

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#### Contacts

**Parish Priest : Fr. Philip Seed** 

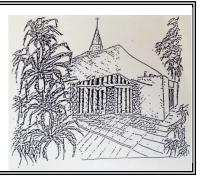
Retired Priest: Fr. David Peck

Parish Secretary: Anne Bzowska Office Hours: Wednesdays & Fridays 9am-2pm

**Organist: Jimmy Cummins** 

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## 23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)

### Christ Healing the Deaf and Dumb Man

# **PARISH NEWS**

#### First Friday 10pm Mass and All-Night Exposition

For health reasons I am unable to continue the late-night celebration of Mass on the First Friday of the month or to be available for all-night Exposition. I apologise for this, especially as I have only just arrived in the parish, but I think it is important to look after my health so I can continue to serve parishioners as their parish priest.

With many thanks for your help and understanding.

Fr Philip Graham Seed

**Parish Priest** 

#### Education Sunday, 8 September 2024

Education Sunday is marked this year on 8 September - just after the new academic year starts. The theme for 2024 is, "He makes the deaf hear and the dumb speak", taken from St Mark's Gospel (7:31-37).

Education Sunday is one of the oldest Days of Special Prayer in England and Wales, established 175 years ago in 1848. It provides an opportunity to celebrate and give thanks to all involved in making Catholic schools places of enlightenment, as well as to look forward in anticipation of the year ahead.

We will be taking up a Second Collection for the Catholic Education Service this weekend.

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The Junior Legion of Mary is a prayer group for Catholic children from year 3 upwards, who meet once a week. They learn about their faith and get closer to Our Lady.

Junior Praesidium Our Lady of Morning Star meets on Tuesdays at 3:50pm.

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

#### **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.

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THE WINNERS OF SUNDAY 8th September 200 CLUB				
1	28	Noel Clinton		
2	9	Maria Docarmo		

#### Teas/Coffees after 10am Mass

There will be tea and coffee in the hall after the 10am Mass on Sunday

#### 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

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# **NOTICE BOARD**

#### After School Club Assistant needed in Our Lady Queen of Heaven Primary School

Actual salary £3178.12 per annum (Sc1C SP2 £27,306 FTE) 5 hours per week- Monday and Friday (3.30pm-6pm) Term time only (38 Weeks) Required from 30th September 2024 For further information and application form, please contact sbm@olqh.net or the school office Tel: 020 8788 7420.

#### Wimbledon College - Open Evening

Prospective parents and pupils for admission into Year 7 in September 2025 are invited to an OPEN EVENING on Thursday 26th September 2024 from 5.30pm to 8.00pm. See Wimbledon College website for booking information. The headteacher will give a number of talks during the evening. The talks are ticketed. Details of the times of the talks and how to obtain tickets can be found at www.wimbledoncollege.org.uk/openevents.

Tours will take place throughout the evening. Last tours at 7.30pm Open mornings: For current year 6 pupils only – by appointment only. Monday 30 September to Wednesday 2nd October 2024 at 9am Deadline for applications for entry in September 2025 is 31st October 2024.

#### **GROW IN FAITH TOGETHER**

SycamOre GIFT (Growing In Faith Together) is an online course for married and engaged couples. It consists of four one-hour-long sessions via Zoom and provides the opportunity for couples to enrich their friendship and love and explore their faith together.

The course runs on four consecutive Tuesday evenings from 8-9pm beginning 10 September. To register see https:// aec.rcaos.org.uk/together

### Marymount Open Day

Marymount International School London, a leading Catholic Girls Senior School in Kingston, is holding an Open Day on Saturday, 21 September. Register online at www.marymountlondon.com.

#### Year of Jubilee 2025

The Holy Father has decided that 2025 will be a year of Jubilee, something which happens every 25 years. The theme is "Pilgrims of Hope", and it will be a year of hope for a world suffering the impacts of war, the ongoing effects of COVID-19 pandemic, and a climate crisis.

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