

Saturday 26th October Feria	Ephesians 4: 7-16; Luke 13: 1-9 10am Ayesha Paynter RIP 6pm Joseph and Dominik Chung
Sunday 27th October 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time	Jeremiah 31: 7-9; Hebrews 5: 1-4; Mark 10: 46-52 10am Nikki Lynch Wellbeing 5:30pm People of the Parish
Monday 28th October St. Simon and St Jude, apostles	Ephesians 2: 19-22; Luke 6: 12-19 No Mass
Tuesday 29th October Feria	Ephesians 5: 21-33; Luke 15: 18-21 10am Fr Richard Bateman RIP
Wednesday 30th October Feria	Ephesians 6: 1-9; Luke 13: 22-30 10am Mary Hayes RIP
Thursday 31st October Feria	Ephesians 6: 10-20; Luke 13: 31-35 10am Katerina and Frederik Chung 10.30am – 1.00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Friday 1st November All Saints, Holyday of Obligation	Revelation 7: 2-4, 9-14; I John 3: 1-3; Matthew 5: 1-12 10am Holy Souls 10.30am – 1.00pm Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament 7pm Wayne RIP
Saturday 2nd November All Souls	Job 19: 1, 23-27; II Corinthians 15: 51-57; John 5: 24-29 10am Maria Edeko RIP 6pm People of the Parish
Sunday 3rd November 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time	Deuteronomy 6: 2-6; Hebrews 7: 23-28; Mark 17:28-34 10am Ellen Goldrick RIP and Roseann Coyle RIP 5:30pm Magdalena and Gerard Oberding RIP

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.

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30th Sunday in Ordinary Time (B)



Jesus healing blind Bartimaeus (1861) by Johann Heinrich Stöver (1825-1911)
St John's Church, Erbach, Rheingau, Hesse, Germany

The healing of blind Bartimaeus on the outskirts of Jericho is the last episode before Jesus' entry into Jerusalem, the goal of his long journey from Galilee. Jesus' main task during the journey has been the instruction of his disciples on the true nature of his mission and how it will be accomplished in Jerusalem—an instruction they have again and again failed to understand. Coming at the close of the long journey, the cure of Bartimaeus corresponds to the earlier healing of a blind man at Bethsaida just before the journey began (Mark 8:22-26). Positioned at the beginning and end of the journey, the two cures play a symbolic role: Jesus' attempt to overcome the spiritual blindness of the disciples with respect to his true identity and mission. The instant healing of Bartimaeus' blindness in the context of his vigorous faith, along with his subsequent following of Jesus on the way, shows up the present blindness of the disciples but also points forward in hope to its eventual overcoming.

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PARISH NEWS

NOVEMBER: REMEMBERING OUR DECEASED RELATIVES AND FRIENDS

As I am certain most of you will be aware, the problems with my knees prevents me from visiting individual graves in our cemetery. In place of this, at the end of every weekday Mass we will pray special prayers for those who have died.

The Holy Souls envelopes in which you place the names of your deceased relatives and friends will be placed in a basket and kept on the altar during the month of November.

FRIDAY 1 NOVEMBER ALL SAINTS DAY

On Friday 1 November we celebrate the Solemnity of All Saints, a Holyday of Obligation. There will be two Masses that day: the usual morning Mass at 10.00am and an evening one at 7.00pm. The time of the evening Mass in the Southwark Directory is 7.00pm, so this will be the time the Mass is celebrated.

SAFEGUARDING AT OUR LADY AND ST. PETER'S

In line with the Catholic Church of England and Wales, the Archdiocese of Southwark is committed to safeguarding as an integral part of the life and ministry of the Church. We recognise that the welfare of children, young people and Adults at Risk is paramount and that they have the right to equal protection from all types of harm or abuse. As a parish we have responsibilities to look after our parishioners, so it is important you know of our safeguarding representative.

SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVE DEON WILLIAMS-FRAZER

TELEPHONE NO.: 07535471204 **EMAIL:** wimbledoncommonsg2@safeguardrcaos.org.uk

Teas/Coffees after 10am Mass

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

THE WINNERS OF Sunday 27th October 200 CLUB

1	42	Geoff Fayers
2	105	Miss S Mc Adam

MASS INTENTIONS AND THE GIFT AID SCHEME

Please remember to Gift Aid your Mass Intention donations if you are a taxpayer. Please complete an envelope with your personal details and tick the Gift Aid box.

For every £1 you give to the parish, we can get another 25p from HMRC.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO MARRY

Please be aware that the Southwark diocesan policy on marriage states that at least six months' notice of marriage is normally required at the parish closest to the Catholic party. This is to ensure paperwork and preparation can both be completed.

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2025 FIRST HOLY COMMUNION APPLICATION FORMS

Application Forms to join the 2025 First Holy Communion programme are now available from Fr. Philip in the sacristy. The classes will begin in January 2025 and the First Holy Communion Mass will be celebrated in May 2025. The exact timetable is still to be finalised but details should be ready for inclusion in next week's Newsletter. All classes are 10.50 a.m. – 12.00 p.m. on a Saturday morning. Children need to arrive 5 minutes before the lesson in order that the class can start on time and should be collected promptly at the end of the lesson.

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.

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS

To meet our budget we need £1,600 each week

Sunday's offering was	£819.81
Contactless	£230.00
Standing Orders	£400
Total	£1449.81

Second Collection for MISSIO £352.71

Thank you for your generosity

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

NOTICE BOARD

An Evening with Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati

Archbishop John invites young adults (18-40) to join him at St George's Cathedral for "An Evening with Blessed Pier Giorgio Frassati" on **Thursday 31st October at 6:30 pm**. The evening will include praise and worship led by One Hope Project, a talk by Archbishop John, and a social afterwards. No tickets necessary, just turn up. For further details, visit www.tinyurl.com/frassatieve.

Assisted Suicide

Kim Leadbeater MP is introducing a bill to introduce assisted suicide, which will be voted on by MPs on **29th November**. We know that assisted suicide laws in other jurisdictions have had devastating consequences for the poor, disabled and marginalised. This is the biggest threat to the vulnerable in a decade, and we need a huge effort to lobby MPs. Baroness Hollins, President of the Catholic Union, has called for people to write to their MPs about their personal experiences of death as a constructive response to Kim Leadbeater's Bill, that has received its First Reading. Please contact your MP by visiting www.livesworthliving.org.uk

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