

Sunday 24th May 2026

live simply that others may simply live

Saturday 23 May Easter Feria	Acts 28: 16-20, 30-31; John 21: 20-25 10.00am Private Int 6.00pm Barry Mc Corkell RIP and Richard Hanley	PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE SICK INCLUDING: Jaime Molina, Jennifer Kirwin, Fr. David, Michael Hoskins, Colin Smitherman, Bernadette Marchetti, Nigel Pell, Victoria Monaco, Callum Jamieson, Tom Bailey, Jenny Schlegel, Bibiana Young, Gerard Briffa, Jason Moreno and John Tarling.
Sunday 24 May Pentecost Sunday	Acts 2: 1-11; I Corinthians 12:3b-7, 12-13; John 20: 19-23 10am Myung –Ja Helena Chung RIP 5.30pm People of the Parish	
Monday 25 May Mary, Mother of the Church	Genesis 3: 9-15, 20; John 19: 25-34 NO MASS	Please pray for all those who have died recently. Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord and let light perpetual shine upon them
Tuesday 26 May St. Philip Neri, priest	Sirach 35: 1-18; Mark 10: 28-31 NO MASS	
Wednesday 27 May St. Augustine of Canterbury, bishop	I Thessalonians 2: 2b-8; Luke 10: 1-9 10.00am Sunday morning tea helpers	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
Thursday 28 May Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest	Genesis 22: 9-18; Matthew 26: 36-42 10.00am Pat Browne RIP 10.30am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament -12.00 noon	
Friday 29 May St. Paul VI, pope	Sirach 44: 1, 9-13; Mark 11: 11-25 10.00am Maurice Monaco RIP and Myriam Monaco RIP 10.30am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament -12.00 noon	Contacts Parish Priest : Fr. Philip Seed Retired Priest: Fr. David Peck Safeguarding Representative: To be appointed Parish Secretary: Anne Bzowska Office Hours: Wednesdays & Fridays 9am-2pm Archdiocese of Southwark website: https://rcaos.org.uk/diocese/ Organist: Jimmy Cummins 15 Victoria Drive, London SW19 6AD Tel 020 8788 9603 Email: wimbledoncommon@rcaos.org.uk
Saturday 30 May Feria	Sirach 51:12c-20a; Mark 11: 27-33 10.00am Peter Hoskins Birthday 6.00pm People of the Parish	
Sunday 31 May The Most Holy Trinity	Exodus 34: 4b-6, 8-9; II Corinthians 13: 11-14; John 3: 16-18 10am Gemma Morgan RIP 5.30pm Salvatore Sciangula RIP	

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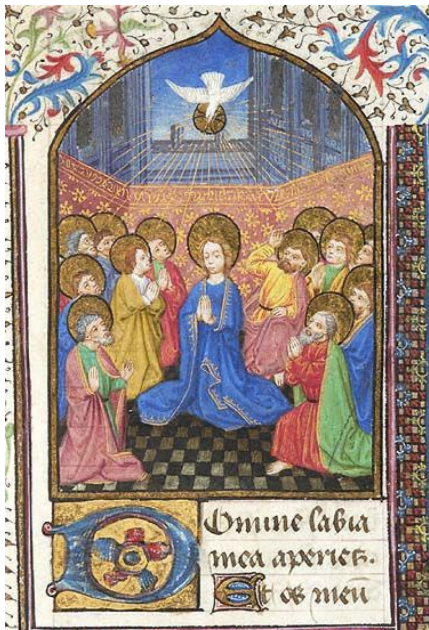
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PENTECOST SUNDAY (A)



The illustration depicts the coming of the Holy Spirit upon those gathered in the Upper Room on Pentecost. It dates from about 1470 and comes from France, either Savoy or Besançon.

Our celebration of Pentecost brings to an end this year’s Easter season. It is a day when we reflect upon the apostles being sent forth to proclaim the message of Christ to the world. After our Lord’s resurrection the disciples had been afraid (John 20: 19), keeping themselves to themselves; after his Ascension they spent their time in prayer in the upper room (Acts 1: 13-14). The coming of the Holy Spirit transformed these frightened disciples into people who would travel throughout and beyond the Roman Empire to proclaim the Gospel. In the history of the Church we see great saints who, because of the inspiration of the Holy Spirit, rose to the challenges facing them. We think of St. Gregory the Great, sending St. Augustine of Canterbury to the pagan Anglo-Saxons; we think of St. Maximillian Kolbe, who died a martyr's death saving the life of a fellow inmate of Auschwitz; then there is the example of St. Teresa of Calcutta, who worked so hard among the sick and the poor. On this Pentecost let us not forget we have received the Holy Spirit through our baptism and confirmation (*Catechism of the Catholic Church*: 1241; 1294-5). Now we may not be called to be another St. Gregory the Great, St Maximillian Kolbe, or St. Teresa of Calcutta, but each and everyone of us is called to be a follower of Christ in our own time and place.

Baptisms/Marriages by appointment only. Please see Fr. Philip

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PARISH NEWS



FLOWER TEAM: MORE RECRUITS ARE NEEDED

We have a number of people who arrange the decoration of the flowers in the church. The displays add warmth, beauty and colour to our church. Yet it is true that many hands make light work, so it would greatly help if we had more volunteers for our flower team. This does not mean to say you have to be an excellent flower arranger already but just willing to learn and to volunteer your time and talents. If you would like to join the team, please contact Fr. Philip.



ROSARY FOR LIFE.

Archbishop John Wilson is calling on all of us to join him in praying the Rosary for Life this May (Month of Mary). Together, we will pray through the Joyful, Sorrowful, Glorious and Luminous Mysteries, each one offered for the most vulnerable facing growing threats to life: unborn children at risk of abortion, victims of war and persecution, people with disabilities, and the elderly and vulnerable. For video, audio and written versions of the Rosary for Life, visit rcaos.org.uk/rosaryforlife.

Pray the Rosary. Encounter Christ. Defend life



THE WINNERS OF 24th May 2026 200 CLUB		
1	21	Louise Brown
2	23	Mrs N Lynch

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS	
To meet our budget we need £1,600 each week	
Last Sunday's offering was	£600.74
Contactless	£261
Standing Orders	£400
Total	£1261.74
Thank you for your generosity	

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.

Teas/Coffees after 10am Mass

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

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CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR PARISH CHILDREN WHO MADE THEIR FIRST HOLY COMMUNION ON SUNDAY 17TH MAY

Many thanks to all the volunteers who helped prepare them



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

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.

NOTICE BOARD

Southwark Catholic Youth Service

The Southwark Catholic Youth Service has a number of upcoming activities for youth and young adults. For regular updates on forthcoming events, sign up to its network at www.tinyurl.com/scysnetwork.

For queries on youth activities email youth@rcaos.org.uk

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