

# St Simon † St Jude

Roman Catholic Church Streatham Hill

**Sunday 31st May, 2009**

**PENTECOST** [Year B]

Remembering especially the needs of the Parish

## WELCOME TO OUR SUNDAY MASS

Please join in with the words below in bold.  
You can also follow the prayers of the Mass  
in the guide at each seat.

Hymn no. 672 **The Spirit lives to set us free**

Entrance Antiphon: **The Spirit of the Lord fills the whole world. It holds all things together and knows every word spoken by man, alleluia.**

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles [2:1-11]  
*They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak.*

Responsorial Psalm [103]  
**Send forth your Spirit, O Lord,  
and renew the face of the earth.**

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Galatians  
[5:16-25] *The fruit of the Spirit.*

Hymn no. 341 **Holy Spirit, Lord of Light**

Gospel Acclamation  
**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**  
**Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful  
and kindle in them the fire of your love.**  
**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John  
[5: 26-27] *The Spirit of truth will lead you to the complete truth.*

At the preparation of the altar and the gifts:  
Hymn no. 453 **Lord the Light of your Love**

Communion antiphon: **They were all filled with the Holy Spirit, and they spoke of the great things God had done, alleluia.**

*Taizé music during Holy Communion: Veni Creator Spiritus*

The second collection today is for the Parish debt

Hymn during the collection: 165 **Be still, for the presence of the Lord, the Holy One, is here**

Closing hymn: 630 **Spirit of the Living God...**

| Mass details |                     | Intentions                        |
|--------------|---------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Saturday     | 6.00pm              | Peter Boyle RIP                   |
| Sunday       | 10.30am             | Anna Dudler RIP                   |
|              | 12.15pm             | For the people of the Parish      |
| Monday       | 9.15am              | Holy Souls                        |
| Tuesday      | 9.15am              | Alphonse de Souza RIP             |
| Wednesday    | 9.15am              | Catherine O'Shea                  |
| Thursday     | None                | The church is closed today        |
| Friday       | 9.00am              | Kitty McCadden RIP                |
|              | <i>Next weekend</i> | <i>Next Saturday &amp; Sunday</i> |
| Saturday     | 6.00pm              | Carmen & George Glew RIP          |
| Sunday       | 10.30am             | For the people of the Parish      |
|              | 12.15pm             | Benedict Joseph [Foundation]      |

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### Weekend Mass:

Saturday 6.00pm Sunday 10.30am & 12.15pm

### Weekday Mass:

Morning Prayer at 9.00am with Mass at 9.15 am,  
but please check the Mass Intention List for details.

### Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Mondays after Mass from 9.45am ending with  
Rosary, Benediction and St Jude Novena at noon.

### Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturday 5.30 – 5.55 pm and by arrangement.

### Baptisms and Weddings by arrangement

Please phone Fr Adrian to make an appointment.

## Collections

Thank you, in our collections last week, we raised:

**£500.66** for the running of the parish

**£241.47** for the Catholic Communications Network

## Come Holy Spirit

This weekend we celebrate what some Christians describe as 'the birthday of the church' and in London today, and all last week, a festival was arranged by many Christians to celebrate Pentecost, the outpouring of the Holy Spirit upon the early Church and the beginning of the spread of the Good News of our Saviour's life, death and resurrection throughout the whole world. The message of the Gospel spread out from Jerusalem to the surrounding area in a way that can be likened to how ripples of water spread out from the centre of a drop...



Jesus still asks the same of us today: that the message of the Good News of Christ spreads from the heart of our homes to those around us, from the heart of our Church to the very heart of our local community. To celebrate how we're all called to be the gift of God to those around us I'd like to start a display board showing photographs of our parish members, together with a separate display showing the gifts that we bring to those around us, for example, homemaker, teacher, nurse, carer, cleaner, shop-assistant and so on [more details about the board will follow in our Masses.] This is our parish; this is our community and we should celebrate it as we come together for the sake, not of ourselves, but for others. May the Lord continue to bless you and your family,

*Fr Adrian*

## PARISH MINISTRIES:

### **LITTLE CHURCH ROTA**

7 June CHILDREN'S MASS 14 June Karim Family  
21 June Hudspeth Family 28 June Feasey Family  
5 July CHILDREN'S MASS 12 July Poulter Family  
19 July Andree Family 26 July McDonagh Family

### **Our Little Church will resume in September**

[Hall key-holders: Hudspeth & Karim Family]

### **EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION**

31 May P Hutchinson, Sr. Lily, R Green  
7 Jun K Maher, D Abebrese, J La'val  
14 Jun M Gonzy, M Abreu, E. Maria

*Please note: If you are unable to make a particular Sunday please exchange with another extraordinary minister. Thank you.*

**COORDINATORS – READERS:** D Abebrese **MUSIC:** L. Clarke

### **FLOWERS**

6 June. T. Dempsey, C. Baker, O Adelekan  
13 June J. Sharland, S. Hayes, N. Sesay  
20 June R. Ebite, E. Karim, J. McDonagh

### **REFRESHMENTS (SUNDAY AFTER 10.30 MASS)**

31 May Karim Family  
7 June Eastman Family  
14 June S Herbert & L Clarke  
21 June D Feasey & D Van Spall

### **CHURCH CLEANING**

**GROUP A** Ray Green Mary Parle Claire O' Halloran  
Theresa Smith Rosaline Ebite Barbara Kealy Zaneta Grojec

**GROUP B** Mary Veerapen Maureen Ryan  
Anne Wynne Susan D' Souza Kaye Gernon Olabisi Kesinro

### **COLLECTION COUNTERS**

1<sup>st</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> week: P Sirr, M Veerapen, M Gonzy  
2<sup>nd</sup> week: K Gernon, L. Ungaretti  
3<sup>rd</sup> week: R Ebite, B Kealy, T. Ofugu  
4<sup>th</sup> week: A Abel, J Sullivan

**CHILD SAFEGUARDING DETAILS:** Childline advice 0800 1111

Local Advisor: Dr Chris Peach 07887 646 272

Diocesan Advisor: Helen Sheppard 020 7960 2504

**SACRISTANS** M & T Veerapen, R Green, P. Hutchinson,  
J Mifsud, M. Abreu, K Gernon & L Ungaretti

**OTHER FAITHS** P Sirr **GIFT AID** J Fraser, R Ebite, M Gonzy

**WEBSITE** A Agbueze, B Chivers, T Duffy,  
M Knoop, J Kyaluzi, S McCorry

### **READERS**

**7 June** Deuteronomy 4:32-34.39-40 Psalm 32  
Holy Romans 8:14-17 Matthew 28:16-20  
Trinity John Burbage: Abebrese Family: Alan Quinn

**14 June** Exodus 24:3-8 Psalm 115  
Corpus Hebrews: 9-11-15 Mark 14: 12ff  
Christi Campbell Family: Bernard Family: Richard Hilliard

**21 June** Job 3:1.8-11 Psalm 106  
Sun 12 2 Corinthians 5:14-17 Mark 4: 35-41  
Paul Hutchinson: Van Spall Family: Lydia Ungaretti

**28 June** Wisdom 1:13-15;2:23-24 Psalm 29.2  
Sun 13 2 Corinthians 8:7 Mark 5: 21-43  
John Fraser: Malusa Kilonda: Alan Quinn

**5 July** Ezekiel 2:2-5 Psalm 122  
Sun 14 Corinthians 12:7-10 Mark 6: 1-6  
John Burbage: Sirr Family: Richard Hilliard

**12 July** Amos 7:12-15 Psalm 84  
Sun 15 Ephesians 1:3-14 Mark 6:7-13  
Campbell Family: Sinmi Kesinro: Lydia Ungaretti

## **News this week:**

**To our church cleaners:** Thank you for being able to volunteer to help clean the church on a Tuesday morning after Mass, but **there have been many times recently when no one has volunteered**, leaving just two people who stay behind to help clear up after Mass having to do all the work. Please continue to help the Parish by being available to clean the church, as it is a service to the Lord and much fairer if 'many hands make light work'. Thank you.

**Unfortunately we've had complaints** about the state of the church after the Family Mass. Where children have been allowed to eat in the church there have been crumbs, half-eaten biscuits and sandwich crusts left behind. Sadly, these have been left on the floor along with the majority of the hymn books and Mass sheets. Please remember to tidy away your litter and place the books and sheets on the chair shelves. Our new kneelers are designed to fit under the shelves so, although one or two chairs have broken book shelves, for the majority there should be a place to store the books and sheets in front of you.

### **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION NEWS**

Our rehearsal is from 10am to 12pm on Saturday<sup>6<sup>th</sup></sup> June so please remember to bring a packed lunch to this meeting. **Our First Holy Communion Mass is at 2.30pm on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> June**, with a Mass of Thanksgiving at 10.30am the following Sunday, 21 June. Will all families please bring picnic food to share and barbeque that day as well – Fr Adrian will provide some burgers and sausages but we do need some volunteer cooks on the day as he'll only be able to join the party after saying the 12.15 Mass.

### **A MUSICAL PILGRIMAGE THROUGH THE AGES**

"Clavis Consort" will be performing a selection of sacred music through the ages in our parish church on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> July at 7pm. The event has been organised by Matthew O'Keeffe, Eileen and Michael O'Keeffe's grandson, to raise funds for our Parish and to help purchase music for the Clavis choir. Tickets for this event are priced £8.00, with £5.00 tickets for children under 16. Tickets are available from Eileen O'Keefe after the 10.30am Mass on Sunday or by telephone on 020 8671 0829.

### **PRAYING FOR THE SICK**

Please remember that there is a file in the porch where you can request prayers for those in need: the sick and housebound are very much at the heart of the church and support us in their prayers as we do them.

### **SUPPORTING OUR PARISH COLLECTION**

**Please give what you can to the parish collections each week, as more money is spent in the upkeep of the church than we receive.** If you can, please give upwards of one hour of your weekly income and please consider if you're able to help join one of the parish groups, e.g. counters, cleaners, refreshment team, etc. If you are a UK tax payer please also consider setting up a Gift Aid payment direct to the church bank account. Thank you for your generosity. **A proportion of our first collection goes directly to support the work of our Diocese, with all monies raised in our second collection going to the particular cause each week. Thank you.**

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