

St Simon † St Jude

Roman Catholic Church Streatham Hill

Sunday 13th September, 2009

24th Sunday of Ordinary Time [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.

Entrance Antiphon: **Give peace, Lord, to those who wait for you, and your prophets will proclaim you as you deserve. Hear the prayers of your servant and of your people Israel.**

A reading from the prophet Isaiah [50:5-9]
I offer my back to those who struck me.

Responsorial Psalm [114]

**I will walk in the presence of the Lord,
in the land of the living.**

A reading from the letter of St. James [2:14-18]
If good works do not go with faith, it is quite dead.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
**I am the way, the truth and the life, says the Lord;
no one can come to the Father except through me.**
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Mark [8:27-35]
You are the Christ. The Son of Man is destined to suffer grievously.

At the preparation of the altar and the gifts:
Hymn no.

Communion antiphon: **O God, how much we value your mercy! All mankind can gather under your protection.**

The second collection today is for the reduction of the Parish Maintenance debt.

Hymn during the collection:

Closing hymn:

Mass details	Intentions
Saturday 6.00pm	
Sunday 10.30am	
12.15pm	
Monday 9.15am	
Tuesday 9.15am	
Wednesday 9.15am	
Thursday 9.15am	<i>There is no mass today</i>
Friday 9.15am	
<i>Next weekend</i>	<i>Next Saturday & Sunday</i>
Saturday 6.00pm	
Sunday 10.30am	
12.15pm	

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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:

£ for the running of the parish

£ for the Parish Maintenance Debt

Thank You...

Please keep in your prayers two of our parishioners, **Joe Brown and Alice Carafoli** who will be married in Italy next weekend. They've asked me to celebrate their wedding so it will be an honour to travel out to celebrate such a wonderful Sacrament. By coincidence their parish priest in Bologna is Polish, so as I travel out to help a Polish priest I'll leave you in Fr Sylvester's care for the last time next weekend. May God bless you and all the family, *Fr Adrian.*

PARISH MINISTRIES:

Our Little Church will resume in September

Fr Adrian has emailed all those who help lead our Little Church so if you're a leader who hasn't heard from Fr Adrian please contact him with an up-to-date email address. Thank you.

[Hall key-holders: Hudspeth & Karim Family]

EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

23 Aug	M. Esmonde	T. Donoghue	M. Raoul
30 Aug	M. Gonzy	N. Kalimira	T. Ofogu
6 Sep	P.Hutchinson	E.Karim	R.Green

Whilst Fr Sylvester is with us, if there are two priests at Mass an Extraordinary Minister is not required. Thank you.

Please note: If you are unable to make a particular Sunday please exchange with another Extraordinary Minister.

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

FLOWERS

22 Aug	R. Ebite, E. Karim, J. McDonagh
29 Aug	T. Dempsey, C. Baker, O Adelekan
5 Sep	E.O'Keefe, S. Hayes, R.Hayes

REFRESHMENTS (SUNDAY AFTER 10.30 MASS)

23 Aug	S Herbert & L Clarke
30 Aug	D Feasey & D Van Spall
6 Sep	T & A Court, M & A Knoop
13 Sep	F Campbell & O Adelekan
20 Sep	Karim Family
27 Sep	Eastman Family

Please note: If you are unable to make a particular Sunday please exchange with another group so that we can continue to offer refreshments after the Family Mass. Thank you.

CHURCH CLEANING

Will everyone who's able to help clean please stay behind after the Tuesday morning Mass. Thank you.

COLLECTION COUNTERS

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

CHILD SAFEGUARDING DETAILS: Childline advice 0800 1111

Local Advisors: Dr Chris Peach 07887 646 272
Teresa Dempsey Contact details to follow
Diocesan Advisor: Helen Sheppard 020 7960 2504

SACRISTANS 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

23 Aug	Joshua 24:1-2	Psalm 33
Sun 21	Ephesians 5:21-32	John 6:60-69
Paul Hutchinson: Bernard Family: Lydia Ungaretti		

30 Aug	Deuteronomy 4:1-2.	Psalm 14
Sun 22	St. James 1:17-18	Mark 7:1-8
Paula Wynne: Van Spall Family: Alan Quinn		

6 Sept	Isaiah 35: 4-7	Psalm 145
Sun 23	St. James 2:1-5	Mark 7: 31-37
Campbell Family: Malusa Kilonda: Richard Hilliard		

13 Sept	Isaiah 50:5-9	Psalm 114
Sun 24	St James 2:14-18	Mark 8: 27-35
John Burbage: Sirr Family: Lydia Ungaretti		

20 Sept	Wisdom 2:12	Psalm 53
Sun 25	St James 3:16	Mark 9: 30-37
John Fraser: Sinmi Kesinro: Alan Quinn		

27 Sept	Numbers 11:25-29 12:	Psalm 18
Sun 26	St James 5:1--6	Mark 9:38-43
Paul Hutchinson: Smith Family: Richard Hilliard		

News this week

OUR LITTLE CHURCH resumes with a Children's Mass at 10.30 am on 6th September. To ensure the safeguarding of our children a register will now be taken of all who attend. This can take a little time but there should be no shortcuts to safety so we've extended the time in the hall by calling the Little Church back after the bidding prayers. Please help the leaders by signing the register for you and your children as soon as you enter the hall as this will give more time over for the activity of the day. Thank you.

SEARCHING FOR MORE ABOUT OUR FAITH?

Every year each diocese and parish throughout the Catholic World welcomes and receives new members that total in their millions. Most of them are infants and the children of Catholics, but a large number are adults. We in this Diocese and its Parishes are no exception to this happy fact. Every year here a number of adults are Baptised and welcomed into 'Full-Communion' with us and The Lord. Many different things and people can prompt a person to seek baptism, grow in Christian faith and be received into the Church: It can be a deeply felt longing in a person's heart "for something else, different, better". It might be the example of a work colleague, or the encouragement of spouse and children. Whatever, or whoever gives the 'final push' to a person you can be very sure the Holy Spirit of God has had a hand in it, too. And so a person wants to join the Community, the People of God. Therefore the Community has a sacred responsibility to welcome and help that person and if possible integrate him or her into the believing, worshipping community of the Faith. When we walk along with candidates for baptism and reception, we very naturally search our own hearts to see where we stand in relation to the Lord and to one another. The closer members of the community come to the hopes and struggles of faith in the candidates for baptism, the more we will sense the presence of the Holy Spirit in the Church. This autumn we'll begin again our **Faith Enquiry Group** for those who want to learn more or learn anew about our Catholic faith, so please look out in the newsletter for further details and **take an opportunity to reflect whether you might like to learn more yourself...**

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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