

St Simon † St Jude

Roman Catholic Church Streatham Hill

Sunday 13th February, 2011 [Year A]

6th Sunday of Ordinary Time

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 laminated guide at each seat.

Opening hymn: 307 **Guide me O thou great Redeemer**

Entrance Antiphon: **Lord, be my rock of safety, the stronghold that saves me. For the honour of your name, lead me and guide me.**

Gloria: said

A reading from the book of Ecclesiasticus [15:15-20]
He never commanded anyone to be godless.

Responsorial Psalm [118]

They are happy who follow God's law!

A reading from the first letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians [2:6-10] *God predestined wisdom to be for our glory before the ages began.*

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! [2x at 10.30 Mass]

**Speak, Lord, your servant is listening:
you have the message of eternal life.**

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew [5:17-37]
*You have learnt how it was said to our ancestors;
but I say this to you.*

At the preparation of the altar and gifts:

Hymn 122 **All that I am (sung twice)**

Communion antiphon: **They ate and were filled;
the Lord gave them what they wanted: they were
not deprived of their desire.**

After Communion the Second Collection is for the Parish Refurbishment Programme

Hymn during the collection: 656 **The king of love**

Closing hymn: 286 **God forgave my sin**

Mass details		Intentions
Saturday	6.00pm	Eileen Perriot RIP
Sunday	10.30am	Kate McLoughlin RIP
	12.15pm	Jean Poyer RIP
Monday	9.00am	Jack Lonergan
Tuesday	9.00am	Dec'd members Hayes family
Wednesday	9.00am	Don & Helen Carney
Thursday	None	The church is closed today
Friday	9.00am	Dec'd members McElligot family
	<i>Next weekend</i>	<i>Next Saturday & Sunday</i>
Saturday	6.00pm	Angela Paes RIP
Sunday	10.30am	Craig & Murphy family
	12.15pm	For the people of the Parish

Please join us for Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass on Monday, with Rosary and Benediction at noon

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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, for our collections last week, we raised **£629.84** for the running of the parish and **£353.38** for the Parish Refurbishment Programme. *These sums include monies given in **Gift Aid** envelopes. Our thanks also go to those who donate by Banker's Order direct into the parish account.*

Thank you to all those who helped with our Family Fare this weekend. This was a lovely way to help build up our community together and I am so grateful to all those who helped make the event such a success. We can never do without enough helpers or visitors to our fund-raising events so, as we have some beautiful cakes and cookies still to sell, these will be available after the Family Mass this Sunday together with some other activities. Talking of which, we have Archbishop Peter to thank for the donation of a second football table to go with the one we already have, so this doubles the opportunity for our parish youth to enjoy scoring goals in the hall, but; just as we can enjoy some silence during the Mass, please remember those enjoying their teas and coffees when thinking about celebrating a goal! Thank you Archbishop Peter.

In our summary of the parts of the Mass we turn today to the Liturgy of the Word. The readings from Sacred Scripture and the chants between the readings form the main part of the Liturgy of the Word. The Homily, the Profession of Faith, and the Prayer of the Faithful (our prayers of intercession) expand and complete this part of the Mass. In our scriptures we literally hear 'the word of the Lord', drawing spiritual nourishment and strength from God's word and the very presence of Christ among us. Some of the most forgotten parts of Mass however are the moments of silence that can permeate the readings and our Holy Communion so that, both before, after and sometimes even during Mass, we can be lost in noise rather than in the silent adoration of God's wonder. Don't get me wrong, it's important to take time to get to know one another and to greet each other but let's also remember to take time to pause and let God's word sink into our hearts to guide us and nourish us for the week ahead. With my prayers as ever, God bless, *Fr Adrian.*

PARISH MINISTRIES:

LITTLE CHURCH		20 Feb	McCorry Family
27 Feb	McDonagh Family	06 Mar	Children's Mass
13 Mar	Monk Family	20 Mar	Murphy Family
27 Mar	Poulter Family	03 Apr	Children's Mass
10 Apr	Pye family	17 Apr	Adeniji family

[Hall key-holders: Hudspeth & Karim Families]

HOLY COMMUNION 6pm	<u>10.30am</u>	<u>12.15am</u>	
20 Feb	P. Hutchinson K. Maher	D. Karim B. Monk S. Smith	T. Ofogu R. Green
27 Feb	M. Esmonde M. Gonzy	D. Abebrese T. Donoghue N. Kalimira	J. La'val E. Maria
05 Mar	E. O'Keefe M.O'Keefe	E. Karim D. Karim B. Monk	R. Maria T. Ofogu

CO-ORDINATORS – READERS: D Abebrese **MUSIC:** L. Clarke
FLOWERS:

19 Feb	R.Ebite (away), E. Karim, J. McDonagh & M. Ellis
26 Feb	T. Dempsey, O Adelekan, T. Donoghue
05 Mar	J. Sharland, N. Sesay, N. Tripp
12 Mar	S. Hayes, M-M.Ovonlen & C. Baker

REFRESHMENTS (SUNDAY AFTER 10.30 MASS)

20 Feb	M. & A. Knoop & S. Hayes
27 Feb	F. Campbell, O. Adelekan & J. Adediji
06 Mar	Karim Family
13 Mar	Grant & Abebrese Families
20 Mar	D. Feasey & D. Van Spall
27 Mar	Murphy Family
03 Apr	S. Herbert & L. Clark

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

20 Feb	P. Hutchinson, M. Gonzy
27 Feb	A. Abel, J. Sullivan
06 Mar	R. Ebite, B. Kealy
13 Mar	K. Gernon, L. Ungaretti

CHILD SAFEGUARDING DETAILS: Childline advice 0800 1111

Local Advisor: Teresa Dempsey 020 8670 7565

Diocesan Advisor: Helen Sheppard 020 7960 2504

SACRISTANS M. Abreu, R. Green, P. Hutchinson,
K Gernon & L Ungaretti **GIFT AID** J Fraser, R Ebite

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

READERS

20 Feb	Leviticus 19:1-2.17-18	Psalm 102
Sun 7 OT	1 Corinthians 3:16-23	Matthew 5:38-48
Van Spall Family : Hudspeth-Diaz Family : Alan Quinn		
27 Feb	Isaiah 49:14-15	Psalm 61
Sun 8 OT	1 Corinthians 4:1-5	Matthew 6:24-34
Paula Wynne : Diana Abebrese : Lydia Ungaretti		
06 Mar	Deuteronomy 11:18ff	Psalm 30
Sun 9 OT	Romans 3:21-25.28	Matthew 7:21-27
John Burbage: Bernard Family : Chris Watts		
13 Mar	Genesis 2:7ff	Psalm 50
Lent 1	Romans 5:12-19	Matthew 4:1-11
Campbell Family : To be arranged : Alan Quinn		
20 Mar	Genesis 12:1-4	Psalm 32
Lent 2	2 Timothy 1:8-10	Matthew 17:1-9
John Fraser: Malusa Kilonda: Lydia Ungaretti		
27 Mar	Exodus 17:3-7	Psalm 94
Lent 3	Romans 5:1-2	John 4:5-42
Paul Hutchinson: Sirr Family : Chris Watts		

News this week

'Some Definite Purpose' – a Legacy of the Holy Father's Visit in our Parishes and Homes

A new programme has been launched to support the Catholic Community to contribute to the legacy of the Pope's Visit to the UK. Called 'Some Definite Purpose' the programme reflects the content of Pope Benedict XVI's speeches, homilies and addresses during his September 2010 visit to the UK. A number of events and projects have been timetabled for 2011 and beyond, with the legacy of the Holy Father's visit categorised under six headings: **'To know our purpose', 'To grow in confidence', 'To witness to our faith', 'To serve others', 'To seek and engage in dialogue' and 'To point to the transcendent'.**

Archbishop Vincent Nichols said: 'The visit of the Holy Father was a grace-filled occasion and a source of great joy for many. He presented us with a clear task for the months and years ahead. It is hoped that the new initiative, "Some Definite Purpose" will support every member of the Catholic Community, and those who are not Catholic, to make a positive and faith-filled contribution to life in the UK. A key focus is serving those who are most in need where we live and work.' Leaflets are available in the porch for you to take home and further information is available from the Vatican website: <http://www.thepapalvisit.org.uk/legacy>



Thank you, as always, for your contributions to the Parish collections. **Our second collection next week is for our Parish Refurbishment Programme.** Please remember if you contribute via the Gift Aid scheme to use the envelopes provided at the entrance to the church. To help plan your giving please take enough envelopes home for the month so that you can complete the details of the envelope beforehand and bring them with you to church.

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.

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