

St Simon † St Jude

Roman Catholic Church Streatham Hill

Sunday 22nd April, 2012

Third Sunday of Easter [Year B]

Remembering especially the call of our baptism

WELCOME TO OUR SUNDAY MASS

Please join in with the words below in bold and follow the prayers of the Mass in the laminated guide or hymn book.

Entrance Hymn: 604 **Seek ye first...**

Entrance Antiphon:

Cry out with joy to God, all the earth; O sing to the glory of his name. O render him glorious praise, alleluia.

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles [3:13-15,17-19]
You killed the prince of life. God, however, raised him from the dead.

Responsorial Psalm [4] Sung at the 10.30 Mass: **Hymn 949** or
Lift up the light of your face on us, O Lord.

A reading from the first letter of St John [2:1-5]
He is the sacrifice that takes our sins away, and not only ours, but the whole world's.

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Lord Jesus, explain the scriptures to us.

Make our hearts burn within us as you talk to us.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke [24:35-48]
So you see how it is written that the Christ would suffer and on the third day rise from the dead.

At the preparation of the altar and gifts:

Hymn no. 656 **The King of Love my Shepherd is**

Our sacrificial giving is part of our participation at Mass and a sharing of the blessings God gives us. We are running a trial of taking the 1st and 2nd collections one after the other to give time for sharing God's gifts and space for reflection and prayer after Holy Communion. The 2nd Collection this week is for the **Parish Refurbishment Programme**. Thank you for your support.

Communion antiphon:

The Christ had to suffer and on the third day rise from the dead; in his name repentance and remission of sins must be preached to all the nations, alleluia.

Communion Hymn: 538 **One Bread, One Body** [v1&2]

Closing hymn: 169 **Bind us together, Lord**

Mass details		Intentions
Saturday	6.00pm	Dr Dissanayake RIP
Sunday	10.30am	Ellen Yromans RIP
	12.15pm	For the people of the Parish
Monday	9.15am	Hannah Gormley RIP
Tuesday	9.15am	Mary O'Donnell RIP
Wednesday	9.15am	Mary O'Donavan
Thursday	None	The church is closed today
Friday	9.15am	Beatrice Bernardi RIP (snniv)
	<i>Next weekend</i>	<i>Next Saturday & Sunday</i>
Saturday	6.00pm	Norman Barnett RIP (anniv)
Sunday	10.30am	Surrant Nembhard RIP
	12.15pm	First Holy Communion

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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.

Parish Campaign for School Places

Sadly, the Governors of Corpus Christi School have not moved their position and have voted in favour of removing our Parish from their admissions' preference criteria. Their reasoning is based on the belief that children from our Parish have every possibility of obtaining a place at St. Bede's Primary School and therefore, removing our Parish will not minimise the chance of our Parish children gaining a place at a Catholic School. The indisputable fact that there is a severe shortage of school places has not deterred Corpus Christi from their decision; however, it is public knowledge that this lack of places has given rise to the possibility of building a new Primary School, sometime in the future, in the southern part of our Borough. Our Diocesan Commission for Schools and Colleges is in negotiation with Lambeth Council over this and it is not possible at this stage to state where the proposed future school may be sited. However, if the current proposal goes ahead there will be no further advantage to children from our parish and indeed, possibly quite the opposite, with further disadvantage from yet another school being out of our area and unable to give priority to our Parish children. In order to further demonstrate the need we have for the provision of school places for children from our Parish and the surrounding area, the local Deanery is seeking the details of all schools currently attended by our Parish children. Although there is a shortage of Primary School places the population growth may well advance the need for Secondary School places as well so **will all parents please take a survey form from the church porch and complete and return this to Fr. Adrian by 27 May**. This affects all Catholic families with school-aged children so **if you know of Catholic families who live in our area but do not attend Mass here**, please take a form for them and make sure they return it to me, as the more we can demonstrate our need for school places the stronger our argument becomes. Thank you for your support and, whether you have school-aged children or not, **please continue to pray for justice and that our voice may be heard**. Thank you, *Fr. Adrian*

Please join us for Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass on Monday with Benediction, St. Jude Novena & Rosary at noon.

PARISH MINISTRIES:

CHILDREN'S LITURGY [*Helpers are grouped in four teams*]

29 Apr	St Simon	06 May	Children's Mass
13 May	St Jude	20 May	St Mary
27 May	St Anne	03 Jun	Children's Mass
10 Jun	Children's Mass	17 Jun	St Simon
24 Jun	St Jude	01 Jul	Children's Mass

[Hall key-holders: Dias-Hudspeth, Karim & Murphy Families]

HOLY COMMUNION 6pm 10.30am 12.15am

29 Apr	C. Menezes	D. Karim E. Karim	R. Maria
06 May	E/M. O'Keeffe	S. Smith D. Abebrese	T. Ofogu
13 May	M. Esmonde	T. Donoghue N. Kalimira	R. Green

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

FLOWERS:

28 Apr	S. Hayes, C. Baker & M-M. Ovonlen
05 May	R. Ebite, E. Karim, J. McDonagh & M. Ellis
12 May	J. Sharland, N. Sesay, M. McElhone
19 May	T. Dempsey, O. Adelekan, T. Donoghue

REFRESHMENTS (SUNDAY AFTER 10.30 MASS)

29 Apr	Herbert, Clark & Donnelly families
06 May	Hayes, Knoop & Okaro families
13 May	First Holy Communion families
20 May	Campbell, Adelekan & Adeniji families
27 May	Karim family
03 Jun	Feasey & Van Spall families
10 Jun	Grant & Abebrese families
17 Jun	Murphy & Brown families.

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

29 Apr	K. Gernon, L. Ungaretti
06 May	R. Ebite, B. Kealy
13 May	A. Abel, J. Sullivan
20 May	P. Hutchinson, M. Gonzy

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, M. Ryan, K Gernon & L Ungaretti **GIFT AID** J Fraser, R Ebite

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

READERS

29 Apr	Acts 4:8-12	Psalm 117
Easter 4	John 3:1-2	John 10: 11-18
Paul Hutchinson : Bieneosa Ebite : 1st Communion		
06 May	Acts 9:26-31	Psalm 21
Easter 5	John 3:18-24	John 15: 1-8
Dominic Van Spall : Malusa Kilonda : Chris Watts		
13 May	Acts 10:25-48	Psalm 97
Easter 6	John 4:7-10	John 15: 9-17
Paula Wynne : Smith Family : Lydia Ungaretti		
20 May	Acts 1:1-11	Psalm 46
Ascension	Ephesians 4:1-13	Mark 16: 15-20
Francesca Campbell : Louise Walton : Ron Leyman		
27 May	Acts 2:1-11	Psalm 103
Pentecost	Galatians 5:16-25	John 15:26-27,16:12-15
Feasey Family : Abebrese Family: Alan Quinn		
03 Jun	Deuteronomy 4:32--40	Psalm 32
Trinity Sun	Romans 8:14-17	Matthew 28:16-20
John Fraser : Dias-Hudspeth Family : Victoria Hunt		

News this week:

At the 12.15 Mass next Sunday we welcome those Parish children making their First Holy Communion.

There are a number of places left on our Pilgrimage to the Holy Land from November 21-28 this year. Please see Fr. Adrian ASAP if you would like to go.

Gardening Party Help The garden can get very overgrown with nettles and other weeds and, as we have no gardener, it's all our responsibility, not just one regular volunteer, to help keep the garden safe for our Parish children. Please sign up in the porch to help with our **Gardening Party from 11.30am until 2pm on Sunday 6 May.** Please make it a fun day and turn up armed with a picnic lunch, garden tools and clothes for whatever weather we encounter that weekend.



The Jubilee Weekend Celebrations: 2-4 June present a fantastic opportunity to celebrate as a country and as a parish. It's hoped we can hold a children's party on the Saturday afternoon, a bring & share lunch for the regatta after Mass on Sunday and a party for the concert on Monday evening. If we're to do this we'll need volunteers so please see Fr. Adrian if you can help to celebrate this unique event.

Do please remember to keep 20 May free in your diary as we're organising a sponsored walk around Brockwell Park to help raise funds for the support of the Parish and the work of London Catalyst in caring for some of the poorest and most vulnerable people in our neighbourhoods today. Please see Fr. Adrian for more details and pick up a registration form in the porch.

Thank you, as always, for your contributions to the Parish collections. **Our second collection next week is for the training of future church leaders.** 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. Thank you.

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

Please give what you can to the parish collections as we receive less money each week than is budgeted for our needs. To help meet our costs please give the equivalent of at least one hour of your weekly income and consider if you are able to help join one of our 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. To give by credit/debit card please go online and visit our JustGiving page <http://www.justgiving.com/StSimon-and-StJude> To give by phone text **JUDE 77 £10** (for example) to the number **70070**. You'll receive a text back with a link to how you can Gift Aid to boost your donation at no extra cost. Thank you for all your support and for considering making a donation this way. God bless.