

St Simon † St Jude

Roman Catholic Church Streatham Hill

Palm (Passion) Sunday 24th March 2013

At the 6pm Vigil and 12.15pm Mass on Sunday we gather with palms in the church. This year our **Family Mass starts at 10.15am in the Hall so, if you are able, please walk down** as the Mass begins in the hall and continues with a palm procession back up to the church. Thank you.

Entrance Antiphon: **Hosanna to the Son of David; blessed is he who comes in the name of the Lord, the King of Israel. Hosanna in the highest.**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke [19:28-40]

Antiphon: **The children of the Hebrews, carrying olive branches, went to meet the Lord, crying out and saying: Hosanna in the highest.**

At the family Mass the above antiphon is *said* in between this sung verse: **Sing Hosanna! Sing Hosanna! Sing Hosanna to the King of kings! Sing Hosanna! Sing Hosanna! Sing Hosanna to the King!** (said at 6 & 12.15)

Opening Prayer of the Mass

A reading from the prophet Isaiah [50:4-7]
I did not cover my face against insult. I know I shall not be shamed.

Responsorial Psalm [21]
My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Philippians [2:6-11]
He humbled himself, but God raised him high

Lenten Gospel Acclamation
Praise to you, O Christ, our Saviour, Word of the Father, calling us to life; Son of God who leads us to freedom: Glory to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

Christ was humbler yet, even to accepting death, death on a cross. But God raised him high and gave him the name which is above all names.

Praise to you, O Christ, our Saviour...

The Passion of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke [22:14-23:56]

At the preparation of the altar and gifts:
Hymn no. 593 **Ride on, ride on in majesty!**

Communion antiphon: **Father, if this chalice cannot pass without my drinking it, your will be done.**

Closing reflection: **My song is love unknown**

Mass details		Intentions
Saturday	6.00pm	Anne Esmonde RIP
Sunday	10.30am	Michael Hayes RIP (anniv)
	12.15pm	The Gannon family
Monday	9.15am	Holy Souls
Tuesday	9.15am	Michael Brennan RIP
Wednesday	none	NB Chrism Mass at St George's
Thursday	7.30pm	All who have worshipped here
Friday	3.00pm	Solemn Liturgy
<i>Next weekend</i>		<i>Next Saturday & Sunday</i>
Saturday	7.30pm	The People of the Parish
Sunday	10.30am	Don Carney RIP
	12.15pm	Holy Souls

Please join us for Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after Mass on Monday, with Benediction & Stations of the Cross at noon. NB clocks go forward next Sun am!

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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 see Fr. Adrian to make an appointment.

Collections

Thank you, for our collections last week, we raised.

£438.52 for the running of the Parish and

£371.68 for the parish maintenance

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.

The Passion reading at our Masses this weekend is divided into parts as listed below and in the Passion leaflets. Please join in unison with the words as allocated, sharing a leaflet where possible.

Narrator	1 st Reader at Mass
Reader:	2 nd Reader at Mass
Jesus:	Fr. Adrian
All:	Congregation

Pope Francis: "lowly but chosen"

Pope Francis has chosen the motto "Miserando atque eligendo", meaning 'lowly but chosen'; literally in Latin 'by having mercy, by choosing him'. The motto is one the Pope had already chosen as Bishop. It is taken from the homilies of the Venerable Bede on Saint Matthew's Gospel relating to his vocation: "Jesus saw the tax collector and by having mercy chose him as an Apostle saying to him: Follow me." This homily, which focuses on divine mercy and is reproduced in the Liturgy of the Hours on the Feast of Saint Matthew, has taken on special significance in the Pope's life and spiritual journey. In fact it was on the Feast of Saint Matthew in 1953 that a young seventeen year-old Jorge Bergoglio was touched by the mercy of God and felt the call to religious life in the footsteps of Saint Ignatius of Loyola. Beyond the motto, the coat of arms has a blue field and is surmounted by the mitre and the papal keys. On the crest itself at the centre is the symbol of the Jesuits, a flaming sun with the three letters recalling the name and the salvific mission of Jesus. Underneath we have two more symbols: to the right the star which represents Mary and to the left the lily representing Joseph.



PARISH MINISTRIES:

"As each has received a gift, use it to serve one another, as good stewards of God's varied grace." 1 Peter 4:10

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

31 Mar	Children's Mass	07 Apr	Children's Mass
14 Apr	Children's Mass	21 Apr	St Simon
28 Apr	St Jude	05 May	Children's Mass
12 May	St Mary	19 May	St Anne
26 May	St Simon	02 Jun	Children's Mass

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

HOLY COMMUNION 6pm 10.30am 12.15am

31 Mar	Volunteer	Volunteer	Volunteer
07 Apr	M. O'Keeffe	D. Karim	E. Maria
14 Apr	P. Hutchinson	E. Karim	T. Ofogu

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

FLOWERS: NB No flowers for Lent but please see below

30 Mar	Volunteers from each team please for Easter
06 Apr	T. Dempsey, O. Adelekan, T. Donoghue & A. Mensah
13 Apr	S. Hayes, C. Baker & M-M. Ovonlen
20 Apr	R. Ebite, E. Karim & J. McDonagh

REFRESHMENTS (SUNDAY AFTER 10.30 MASS)

31 Mar	Campbell, Adelekan & Adeniji families	Easter Sun
07 Apr	Karim family	
14 Apr	Feasey & Van Spall families	
21 Apr	Grant & Abebrese families	
28 Apr	Murphy, Brown & Fourie families	
05 May	Herbert & Clark families	
12 May	Hayes, Knoop & Okaro families	
19 May	Donnelly & Lehane 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 is everyone's business: please take litter home with you rather than leaving it in the church as we have only a small group of volunteers who help clean after the Tues. morning Mass. If you see litter please clear it - thank you ☺

COLLECTION COUNTERS

24 Mar	Leyman & Karim	07 Apr	Sullivan & Merceica
14 Apr	Ebite & Kealy	21 Apr	Hutchinson, Gonzy & Jones

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 **GIFT AID** J Fraser, R Ebite

WEBSITE MATERIAL PP / M. Knoop / T. Duffy / C. Murphy

READERS Please check the rota & volunteer slots

Please sign-up in the Sacristy for Ministry in Holy Week

31 Mar	Acts 10:34.37-43	Psalm 117
Easter Sun	Colossians 3:1-4	John 20:1-9
Vigil - see Sacristy : 10.30		: 12.15
07 Apr	Acts 5:12-16	Psalm 117
Divine Mercy	Apocalypse 1:9-19	John 20:19-31
Dias-Hudspeth family : Tony Murphy : Chris Watts		
14 Apr	Acts 5:27-41	Psalm 29
Easter 3	Apocalypse 5:11-14	Luke 21:1-19
Teresa Dempsey : Louise Walton : Alan Quinn		
21 Apr	Acts 13:14.43-52	Psalm 99
Easter 4	Apocalypse 7:9-17	John 10:27-30
Paul Hutchinson : Diana Abebrese : Ron Leyman		
28 Apr	Acts 14:21-27	Psalm 144
Easter 5	Apocalypse 21:1-5	John 13: 31-35
Dominic Van Spall : Neil Buxton : Chris Watts		
05 May	Acts 15:1-2.22-29	Psalm 66
Easter 6	Apocalypse 21:10-23	John 14:23-29
Paula Wynne : Bieneosa Ebite : Victoria Leyman		

Holy Week and Easter Celebrations

Maundy Thursday: 8pm Mass of the Lord's Supper

This Mass represents the Institution of the Eucharist at the Passover meal our Lord celebrated with the disciples. Traditionally at this Mass we symbolise Christ's act of service through his washing of the Apostles' feet. After Mass the tabernacle on the Sanctuary remains empty and the Blessed Sacrament is taken to the *Altar of Repose* in the Lady Chapel. If you are able to, please stay for our service of '*watching in prayer*' at the Altar of Repose which will end at 10pm.

Good Friday: Services at 10am and 3pm

Stations of the Cross will be held in the church at 10am, with light refreshments available in the hall afterwards (volunteers please). *The Solemn Liturgy* for Good Friday will start at 3pm, including the Veneration of the Cross.

Easter Vigil 7.30 pm Saturday 23 April Our Easter Mass begins at 7.30pm outside the Parish Hall, from where we'll process into the church. Please note: if the weather is awful we'll gather directly in the church. At the Vigil we welcome the members of our parish who have been journeying in faith towards baptism and confirmation so please remember them in your prayers.

Please note: next weekend there will be only one collection rather than the usual two, as the collection at Easter goes to support Fr. Adrian. As our Parish Priest, Fr. Adrian is not employed by the parish, but is appointed by the Archbishop, receiving no salary but supported throughout the year by our Easter or Christmas offerings. **If you will be away for the Easter holidays please take an Easter Offering envelope and bring this with you on your return or consider posting your gift in an Easter card.** Please remember if you contribute via the Gift Aid scheme to state your name clearly on the envelope. The Gift Aid scheme is a benefit to the Parish as any tax claimed back does not go to Fr. Adrian but is used for the charitable work of the Church. **Thank you, in anticipation, for your generosity and support.**

PRAYING FOR THE SICK: please remember that there is a list 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 support them with ours at every Mass.

SUPPORTING OUR PARISH THROUGH STEWARDSHIP

Please give what you can to our collections after prayerful reflection on how you can use your Time, Talents and Treasures to help build the work of the Church. 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.