

St Simon † St Jude

Roman Catholic Church Streatham Hill

Sunday 5th January 2014

The Epiphany of the Lord [Year A]

Remembering especially "our prayers for the year ahead"

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 10.30 only: To be advised

Entrance Antiphon:

Behold, the Lord, the Mighty One, has come; and kingship is in his grasp, and power and dominion.

A reading from the book of Isaiah [60:1-6]
Above you the glory of the Lord appears.

Responsorial Psalm [71]

All nations shall fall prostrate before you, O Lord.

A reading from the letter to the Ephesians [3:2-3.5-6]
It has now been revealed that pagans share the same inheritance.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!
We saw his star as it rose
and have come to do the Lord homage.
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew [2:1-12]
We saw his star and have come to do the king homage.

At the preparation of the altar and gifts:
Hymn: To be advised

Our sacrificial giving is part of our participation at Mass and a sharing of the blessings God gives us. We take our 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. **Second collection this week is for the Parish Refurbishment.**

Thank you for your support.

Communion antiphon:

We have seen his star in the East,
and have come with gifts to adore the Lord

Communion Hymn: To be advised

Closing Hymn: To be advised

Mass details		Intentions
Saturday	6.00pm	All Who Have Worshipped Here FM
Sunday	10.30am	Peter Veerapen RIP
	12.15pm	For the People of the Parish
Monday	9.00am	Maureen Ryan
Tuesday	9.00pm	Raymond Horsman
Wednesday	9.00am	Private Intention
Thursday	none	There is no service today
Friday	9.00am	The Holy Souls
<i>Next weekend</i>		<i>Next Saturday & Sunday</i>
Saturday	6.00pm	For the People of the Parish
Sunday	10.30am	Michael Hayes RIP
	12.15pm	Ron & Pauline Knott RIP & Kate Leonard RIP

Please join us after Morning Prayer and Mass on Monday for Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament with Rosary and our St Jude Novena at noon Followed by our shared lunch for Mary's Meals

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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 Father Habte to make an appointment.

Collections

Thank you: our collections last week raised:

£323.94 for the running of the Parish,

£235.61 for the 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.

For anyone who was been away, Fr Habte would like to repeat the following: Thank You' & 'Happy New Year'.

'THANK YOU' & 'HAPPY NEW YEAR' from Fr. Habte

FR HABTE wishes to thank you for your many kind gifts, cards and prayer to him this Christmas. I am truly grateful for these signs of your love for my priesthood and ministry. I pray that God will bless you for your generosity. I would especially like to thank all those who support the parish throughout the year as sacristans, readers, extra-ordinary ministers, helpers with Children's Liturgy, FHC catechists, sacristans, hall opening, refreshments, collection takers and counters, flower arrangers, welcomers, Tuesday cleaners and all people who volunteered to help in special occasions: Your support to our parish keeps it to be lively and enable us to fulfil its mission. You provide a wonderful act of service to the Lord and to the church. May God's blessings be with all of us for the New Year ahead and always; with my thanks and prayers.

Fr. Habte

Offerings at the Manger.

This year, we shall be collecting for the work of the Cabrini Children's Society, supporting disadvantaged children and families from all backgrounds, who are suffering due to poverty. Please be as generous as you can be.

In the New Year ahead, may we continually know the intercession of Our Blessed Mother, who always leads us to the Sacred Heart of her Son.

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 CHILDREN'S LITURGY

05 Jan **Children's Mass** 12 Jan **St Jude**

19 Jan **St Mary** 26 Jan **St Anne**

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

HOLY COMMUNION 6pm 10.30am 12.15am

12 Jan M Esmonde N Kalimira R Maria

19 Jan P Hutchinson D Karim T Ofogu

26 Jan C Menezes E Karim R Green

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

FLOWERS: N.B.

Dates to be confirmed

REFRESHMENTS (SUNDAY AFTER 10.30 MASS)

29 Dec Feasey & Van Spall families

05 Jan Grant & Abebrese families

12 Jan Murphy, Brown & Fourie families

19 Jan Herbert & Clark 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

29 Dec Hutchinson & Jones 05 Jan Karim & Merceica

12 Jan Sullivan & Sullivan 19 Jan Ebite & Kealy

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

VOLUNTEER NEWSLETTER SECRETARY J. Sharland

APF MISSIO RED BOXES Alan Quinn

READERS

05 Jan Isaiah 60:1-6 Psalm 71

Epiphany Ephesians 3:2-3, 5-6 Matthew 2:1-12

Paul Hutchinson : Tony Murphy : Chris Watts

12 Jan Isaiah 42:1-4,6-7 Psalm 28

Baptism of Acts 10:34-38 Matthew 3:13-17

the Lord **Van Spall Family : Bieneosa Ebite: Ron Leyman**

19 Jan Isaiah 49:3,5:6 Psalm 39

2nd OT Corinthians 1:1-3 John 1:29-34

Paula Wynne : Malusa Kilonda: Alan Quinn

26 Jan Isaiah 8:23-9:3 Psalm 26

3rd OT Corinthians 1:10-13,17 Matthew 4: 12-23

Francesca Campbell : Louise Walton: Victoria Leyman

Appeal For The London Probation Trust

Thank you again to all those who were able to help to make a difference to those in need through the generous response to our Christmas appeal. Local probationers were touched in response to our gifts as they were moved to see Christian care in action by our help in reaching out to vulnerable families who genuinely need food and support at this time.

THANK YOU, as always, for your contributions to the Parish collections. **Our second collection, loose cash, next week is for our Christmas flowers**, please be generous. Please also 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. If writing a cheque, **please make out a separate cheque for each collection**, payable to 'St Simon & St Jude RC Church'. Thank you.

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 consider setting up a Gift Aid payment direct to the church bank account. You can give by credit/debit card online through www.justgiving.com/StSimon-and-StJude To give by phone text **JUDE 77 £10** (for example) to the number **70070**. Thank you for all your support and for considering making a donation this way. God bless.

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