

# St Simon † St Jude

Roman Catholic Church Streatham Hill

## Sunday 26th January 2014

3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Ordinary Time [Year A]

Remembering especially "Our Families"

### 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: *Dear Lord and Father of Mankind* (234)

Entrance Antiphon:

**O sing a new song to the Lord; sing to the Lord, all the earth. In his presence are majesty and splendor, strength and honour in his holy place.**

A reading from the prophet Isaiah [8:23-9:3]

*In Galilee of the nations the people has seen a great light.*

Responsorial Psalm [39]

**The Lord is my light and my help.**

A reading from the first letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians [1:10-13]

*May God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ send you grace and peace.*

Gospel Acclamation:

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

**Jesus proclaimed the Good News of the Kingdom, and cured all kinds of sickness among the people.**

**Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Matthew [1:12-12]

*He went and settled in Capernaum: in this way the prophecy of Isaiah was to be fulfilled.*

At the preparation of the altar and gifts:

*Hymn: All that I am* (122)

Our sacrificial giving is part of our participation at Mass and a sharing of the blessings God gives us. We take our 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> 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 our Parish Refurbishment Programme.**

Thank you for your support.

Communion antiphon:

**I am the light of the world, says the Lord; whoever follows me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.**

*Communion Hymn: This my body* (681)

*Closing Hymn: Lord the light of your love [Shine Jesus Shine]* (453)

Mass details		Intentions
Saturday	6.00pm	Holy Souls
Sunday	10.30am	John & Mary McElligott
	12.15pm	For the People of the Parish
Monday	9.00am	Private Intention
Tuesday	9.00am	Holy Souls
Wednesday	9.00m	Frank Durden RIP
Thursday	No Mass	Church is closed today
Friday	9.00am	Private Intention
<i>Next weekend</i>		<i>Next Saturday &amp; Sunday</i>
Saturday	6.00pm	For the People of the Parish
Sunday	10.30am	Louis Neville RIP
	12.15pm	Adrian O' Leary 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**

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<http://www.justgiving.com/StSimon-and-StJude>

Archdiocesan website: [www.rcsouthwark.co.uk](http://www.rcsouthwark.co.uk)

### 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:

**£323.55** for the running of the Parish

**£307.33** 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.*

### ENQUIRIES FOR MARRIAGE AND BAPTISM

To remind anyone who wants to get married or to have their child baptised you will need to see Father Habte to make the necessary arrangements.

Please ring the usual number and we can make an appointment for you. Thank you

### BAPTISM COURSE

Our next Baptism course starts on Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> January at 10am.

Thank you.

*This week end we reflect on Jesus, The Light of the World. In the birth of Jesus, God brought light into a dark world. In today's gospel, Matthew quotes Isaiah to say the same thing as he introduces the public ministry of Jesus: "The people who sit in darkness have seen a great light, on those dwelling in a land overshadowed by death light has arisen" (Matt 4:16).*

*The Good News we have heard is like a beacon light which draws men irresistibly to Christ. We must not be content with lesser lights.*

### 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

19 Jan **St Mary** 26 Jan **St Anne**  
02 Feb **Family Mass** 09 Feb **St Simon**  
[Hall key-holders: Dias-Hudspeth, Karim & Murphy Families]

<b>HOLY COMMUNION 6pm</b>	<b>10.30am</b>	<b>12.15am</b>
02 Feb M. O'Keefe	S Smith	E. Maria
09 Feb E. O'Keefe	D Abebrese	R Maria
16 Feb M Esmonde	S Hayes	T Ofogu

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

**FLOWERS: N.B. Flowers for the winter season will be every two weeks:**

01 Feb E. Karim, J. McDonagh & C. Baker  
15 Feb T. Dempsey, T. Donoghue, A. Mensah & O Adelekan  
01 Mar J. Sharland, N. Sesay & M. McEllone

#### REFRESHMENTS (SUNDAY AFTER 10.30 MASS)

26 Jan Feasey & Van Spall families  
02 Feb Grant & Abebrese families  
09 Feb Murphy, Brown & Fourie families  
16 Feb Hayes, Knoop & Okaro families  
23 Feb Campbell, Adlekan & Adjeniji families  
02 Mar Karim family  
09 Mar 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

02 Feb Sullivan & Sullivan 9 Feb. Karim & Merceica  
16 Feb Ebite & Kealy 23 Feb Hutchinson & 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

**VOLUNTEER NEWSLETTER SECRETARY** J. Sharland

**APF MISSIO RED BOXES** Alan Quinn

#### READERS

**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**

**02 Feb** Malachi 3:1-4 Psalm 23  
Presentation Hebrews 2:14-18 Luke 2:22-14  
of the Lord **Dias-Hudspeth family: Tony Murphy: Chris Watts**

**09 Feb** Isaiah 58:7-10 Psalm 111  
5th OT Corinthians 2:1-5 Matthew 5:13-16  
**Theresa Dempsey : Diana Abebrese: Ron Leyman**

**16 Feb** Ecclesiasticus 15:15-20 Psalm 118  
6th OT Corinthians 2:6-10 Matthew 5:17-37  
**Paul Hutchinson : Bieneosa Ebite: Alan Quinn**

**23 Feb** Leviticus 19:1-2,17-18 Psalm 102  
7th OT Corinthians 3:16-23 Matthew 5:38-48  
**Van Spall Family : Malusa Kilonda: Victoria Leyman**

**02 Mar** Isaiah 49:14-15 Psalm 61  
8th OT Corinthians 4:1-5 Matthew 6:24-34  
**Paula Wynne : Louise Walton: Chris Watts**

#### ENCOUNTER – For Young Catholics Aged 15-30

On Friday 31<sup>st</sup> January, the first ENCOUNTER evening will be held at St. Wilfrid's School in Crawley.

ENCOUNTER is a new event designed to bring together younger Catholics for prayer, talks, music and a chance to have fun with other Catholics of their own age. If you are between the ages of 15-30, you are very welcome.

#### CATHOLIC BISHOPS' CONFERENCE OF ENGLAND AND WALES.

**Vacancy for - RE Adviser with the Catholic Education Service.**

On the notice board there are details regarding this vacancy. The role will be based in the Eccleston Square office in London but may require travel to other areas within England and Wales. If anyone is interested, please contact Eileen Williams, using the email address given, for more information.

The closing date for applications is Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February.

#### PILGRIMAGE TO -

#### LOURDES & THE SHRINES OF FRANCE

A Pilgrimage to Lourdes & the Shrines of France is being organised by the Knights of St. Columba from 20<sup>th</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> August 2014. In association with Pax Travel, price £499 per adult. If anyone is interested contact Hervé Isabelle on 020 696 9714 or Fergal Keane on 07973 412 323.

For more information see the notice board at the back of the church. Thank you

#### A DAY WITH MARY

St. Joseph Church, Mortem Road, New Malden –  
Sat. 8<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2014

Our Land of the Rosary, Burnt Oak Land Blackfen –  
Sat 15<sup>th</sup> Feb. 2014

See the notice at the back of the church for more information.  
Thank you

**THANK YOU**, as always, for your contributions to the Parish collections. **Our second collection next week is for our parish refurbishment programme**, 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](http://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.