

St Simon † St Jude

Roman Catholic Church Streatham Hill

Sunday 8th June 2014

Pentecost Sunday [Year A]

Remembering especially "Our Families"

WELCOME TO OUR SUNDAY MASS

Please follow the prayers of the Mass in the laminated guide or hymn book.

Entrance Hymn: Come Holy Ghost (210)

Entrance Antiphon:

The Spirit of the Lord has filled the whole world and that which contains all things understands what is said, alleluia.

A reading from the Acts of the Apostles [2:1-11]

They were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak.

Responsorial Psalm [103]

Send forth your Spirit, O Lord, and renew the face of the earth.

A reading from the first letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians [12:3-7, 12-13]

In the one Spirit we were all baptised.

Gospel Acclamation:

**Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia,
Come, Holy Spirit, fill the heart of your faithful
and kindle in them the fire of your love.
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia,**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to John [20:19-23]
As the Father sent me, so am I sending you: receive the Holy Spirit.

At the preparation of the altar and gifts:

Hymn: All over the world (120)

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 our Parish Refurbishment Programme.** Thank you for your support.

Communion antiphon:

They were all filled with the Holy Spirit and spoke of the marvels of God, alleluia.

Communion Hymn: Christ be our Light (439)

Closing Hymn: The Spirit lives to set us free (672)

Mass details	Intentions
Saturday 6.00pm	Benedict Joseph RIP
Sunday 10.30am	For the People of the Parish
12.15pm	Linda Kelly RIP
Monday 9.00am	Aermine Gomes RIP
Tuesday 9.00am	Holy Souls
Wednesday Funeral 10.30am	Thomas (Tom) Halloran RIP
Thursday No Mass	Church is closed today
Friday 9.00am	Lucy Bradley RIP
<i>Next weekend</i>	<i>Next Saturday & Sunday</i>
Saturday 6.00pm	Norman Barnett RIP
Sunday 10.30am	All Who have Worshipped Here
12.15pm	For the People of the Parish

On Monday please join us for the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament after Morning Prayer and Mass, with Rosary and our St Jude Novena 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 see Father Habte to make an appointment.

Collections

Thank you: our collections last week raised:

£501.41 For the running of the Parish

£92.50 For the Refurbishment Programme

£168.61 For World Communication Day

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.

Sequence

**Holy Spirit, Lord of light,
From the clear celestial height
Thy pure beaming radiance give.**

**Come, thou Father of the poor,
Come with treasures which endure;
Come, thou light of all that live!**

**Thou, of all consolers best,
Thou, the soul's delightful guest,
Dost refreshing peace bestow.**

**Thou in toil art comfort sweet;
Pleasant coolness in the heat;
Solace in the midst of woe.**

**Light immortal, light divine,
Visit thou these hearts of thine,
And our inmost being fill:**

**If thou take thy grace away,
Nothing pure in man will stay;
All his good is turned to ill.**

**Heal our wounds, and our strength renew;
On our dryness pour thy dew;
Wash the stains of guilt away.**

**Bend the stubborn heart and will;
Melt the frozen, warm the chill;
Guide the steps that go astray.**

**Thou, on us who evermore
Thee confess and thee adore,
Thy sevenfold gifts descend:**

**Give us comfort when we die,
Give us life with thee on high;
Give us joys that never end.**

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
08 Jun St. Jude	15 Jun St. Mary
22 Jun St. Anne	29 Jun St. Simon

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

HOLY COMMUNION 6pm	10.30am	12.15pm
15 Jun E O'Keeffe	Abebrese, Donoghue, Hayes	T Ofogu
22 Jun S Smith	Kalimira, Karim, O'Keeffe	E. Maria
29 Jun C Menezes	Karim, Abreu, Abebrese	R Green
06 July M O'Keeffe	Donoghue, Hayes, Kalimira	E Maria

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

FLOWERS: N.B.

14 Jun J. Sharland, N. Sesay & M. McElhone
21 Jun E. Karim, J. McDonagh & C. Baker
28 Jun T. Dempsey, T. Donoghue & A. Mensah

REFRESHMENTS (SUNDAY AFTER 10.30 MASS)

08 Jun Soto, Carrea & Rodriguez families
15 Jun Campbell, Adelekan, Adeniji families
22 Jun Karim Family
29 Jun Herbert & Clarke families
06 July Feasey & Van Spall families
13 July Grant & Abebrese 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

08 Jun. Karim & Merceica 15 Jun. Ebite & Kealy
22 Jun. Hutchinson & Jones 29 Jun. Sullivan & Sullivan

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, D Karim

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

VOLUNTEER NEWSLETTER SECRETARY J. Sharland

APF MISSIO RED BOXES Alan Quinn

READERS

15 Jun Exodus 34: 4-6, 8-9 Psalm Daniel 3
Holy Trinity Corinthians 13: 11-13 John 3:16-18
Dias-Hudspeth Family: Malusa Kilonda: Ron Leyman

22 Jun Deuteronomy 8:2-3, 14-16 Psalm 147
Corpus Christi Corinthians 10:16-17 John 6:51-58
Teresa Dempsey: Rosemarie Anderson: Alan Quinn

29 Jun Acts 12:1-11 Psalm 33
Sts. Peter & Paul Timothy 4:6-8,17-18 Matthew 16:13-19
Paul Hutchinson: Tony Murphy: Victoria Leyman

06 July Zechariah 9:9-10 Psalm 144
Sun 14 Romans 8:9,11-13 Matthew 11:25-30
Dominic Van Spall: Diana Abebrese: Chris Watts

13 July Isaiah 55:10-11 Psalm 64
Sun 15 Romans 8:18-23 Matthew 13:1-23
Paula Wynne: Bieneosa Ebite: Ron Leyman

20 July Wisdom 12:13, 16-19 Psalm 85
Sun 16 Romans 8:26-27 Matthew 13:24-43
Francesca Campbell: Malusa Kilonda: Victoria Leyman

REFLECTION

The Gospel of John tells us that after Jesus' death the disciples were so afraid of the Jews that they hid themselves in a locked room. But despite the locked doors Jesus appeared to them; he breathed on them and said, "Receive the Holy Spirit." The Spirit transformed them. They began preaching fearlessly.

The Holy Spirit is given to all who are baptized into Jesus Christ to enable us to live a new way of life - a life of love, peace, joy, and righteousness (Romans 14:17). The Spirit helps us in our weakness (Romans 8:26), and enables us to grow in spiritual freedom - freedom from doubt, fear, and from slavery to our unruly desires (2 Corinthians 3:17; Romans 8:21). The Spirit instructs us in the ways of God, and guides us in living according to God's will. The Spirit is the source and giver of all holiness. Isaiah foretold the seven-fold gifts that the Spirit would give: wisdom, understanding, counsel, fortitude, knowledge, piety, and fear of the Lord (Isaiah 11:2).

The same spirit of God is in our midst here. The spirit is free to deal with people as individuals: there is a variety of gifts. That great variety emerges from one spirit in which we were all baptised. Our differences are funded by the spirit who makes variety his mark. Part of our task is to discover and appreciate the spirit's different gifts in other people. the spirit of God is power that frankly opposes that condition of hopelessness.

SEE THE PORCH FOR DETAILS OF ALL VACANCIES

Extraordinary Minister's meeting:- We will have a meeting for all extraordinary ministers in our parish hall on Wednesday 18th June 2014 at 6:30pm. All are requested to attend.

Renewal of Commitment: On 21-22 June 2014, the Solemnity of the Sacrament of the Body and Blood of our Lord Jesus Christ, Extraordinary Ministers of the Holy Eucharist will renew their commitment during Mass.

GARDENING DAY: - Saturday 14th June from 10am.
All who volunteered to help on the gardening day and others who would like to help trim some of the trees hanging over the fence and clear the weeds in the garden, we will have our gardening day on the above date at 10am. Anybody who like to join us please write you names on the sign-up sheet at the back of the church

TIME KEEPING AND ROTA:- All Eucharist ministers, Readers, Alter servers, I would like to gently remind you to arrive in church in good time and when and if you are not able to serve please find a colleague to cover for you, alternatively you can let the parish secretary or Fr. Habte know in good time so that we can find a replacement. Thank you!

DIOCESAN DAY FOR CATECHISTS – Sat. 28th June

This annual day for all the catechists of the diocese is on Saturday 28th June at the Cathedral, from 11:00am onwards. There will be the usual mix of talks and workshops, concluding with Mass at which the Archbishop will send out the catechists to catechize on his behalf. Please let Fr Habte or the parish office, know by 11th June, if you intending to be there.

THANK YOU, as always, for your contributions to the Parish collections. **Our second collection next week is for the Catholic Trust for England and Wales,** 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.

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