

St Simon † St Jude

Roman Catholic Church Streatham Hill

Sunday 9th October 2016

28th Sunday Ordinary Time [Year C]

Remembering especially "Prisoners and their Dependants"

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 Antiphon:

**If you, O Lord, should mark iniquities,
Lord, who could stand?
But with you is found forgiveness, O God of Israel.**

A reading from the second book of Kings [5:14-17]
Naaman returned to Elisha and acknowledged the Lord.

Responsorial Psalm [97]

The Lord has shown his salvation to the nations.

A reading from the second letter of St. Paul to Timothy [2:8-13]
If we hold firm, then we shall reign with Christ.

Gospel Acclamation:

Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia
**For all things give thanks,
because this is what God
expects you to do in Jesus Christ.**
Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke [17:11-19]
No one can come back to give praise to God, except this foreigner.

At the preparation of the altar and gifts:

Our sacrificial giving is part of our participation at Mass and a sharing of the blessings God gives us. We take both 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. **Our second collection today is for CAFOD Family Fast Day and next weekend for our Parish Refurbishment Programme. Thank you.**

Communion antiphon:

**When the Lord appears, we shall be like him,
for we shall see him as he is.**

Mass details		Intentions
Saturday	6.00pm	Don Wynne RIP
Sunday	10.30am 12.15pm	Michael Hayes RIP Frank Simmonds RIP F13
Monday	9.00am	Eileen and David Young RIP
Tuesday	9.00am	Lucy and Kay De Souza
Wednesday	9.00am	Holy Souls
Thursday	No Mass	Church is closed today
Friday	9.00am	Holy Souls
Next weekend		Next Saturday & Sunday
Saturday	6.00pm	All Who Have Worshipped Here FM
Sunday	10.30am 12.15pm	Alfred Nzemeke RIP Anniv. For the People of the Parish

**Please join us after Mass on Monday
for Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
followed by Benediction, St. Jude Novena
and Rosary at noon.**

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

Archdiocesan website: 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

£283.46 For the running of the Parish

£222.87 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.*

Reflection. There is a great deal of awkwardness surrounding gratitude. Mark Twain describes this bluntly when he wrote, "If you pick up a starving dog and make him prosperous, he will not bite you. That is the principal difference between a dog and a human being". The theme of 'gratitude' is the issue addressed in today's readings. When Naaman, a Syrian commander, was healed of his leprosy, he sought out Prophet Elisha to show his gratitude. Elisha declined the reward but agreed that Naaman should take back to his country some earth to build a shrine to the one true God. Naaman rejoiced in the gift of healing he received and recognised the giver: he praised God and thanked the prophet. In the Gospel Jesus heals ten lepers, but only one foreigner returns to thank Jesus. Jesus checks his arithmetic. The ingratitude/absence of the nine makes him wonder. Ingratitude diminishes the receiver and affects those who give help. When we gather here each Sunday we come to thank and praise God for the many blessings we receive. We also need to thank those who graced us with their help. Perhaps let us surprise someone this week with a note that is long over-due and which says thanks.

Second Collection this weekend: This weekend is CAFOD October fast weekend, a collection will be taken to support the works of CAFOD.

The month of October is considered in all countries as the month of The Holy Rosary. We will recite the Holy Rosary every Monday at 12 noon after benediction during October and throughout the year.

**This weekend we continue
our Parish Annual Mass count.**

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

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Parents Are Encouraged To Help Our Catechists

Please see the timetable for Children's Mass and Liturgy

09 Oct **Breslin family**

16 Oct **Donnelly family**

23 Oct **Godet family**

30 Oct **Kakabanova family**

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

HOLY COMMUNION 6pm 10.30am 12.15pm

09 Sep M Esmonde E Karim, O'Keeffe, Smith E Maria

16 Oct P Hutchinson Donoghue, Hayes, Kalimira R Maria

COORDINATORS - MUSIC: L. Carke

FLOWERS: - NB:

08 Oct T. Dempsey, T. Donoghue & O Lawal

15 Oct J.Sharland, N.Sesay & M.McElhone

22 Oct E. Karim

REFRESHMENTS (SUNDAY AFTER 10.30 MASS)

09 Oct Soto, Carrea & Rodriguez families

16 Oct Campbell, Adelekan & Adeniji families

23 Oct Karim family

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.

COLLECTION COUNTERS

09 Oct Hutchinson & Jones

16 Oct Karim & Palmiero

23 Oct Daniel K & Powell

30 Oct Ebite & Kealy

06 Nov 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, S. Hayes, P. Hutchinson, E. O'Keeffe & M. Ryan

GIFT AID J Fraser, R Ebite, M Veerapen

WEBSITE MATERIAL M. Knoop / T. Duffy

APF MISSIO RED BOXES Alan Quinn

READERS

09 Oct Kings 5:14-17

Psalm 97

Sun 28 OT 2 Timothy 2:8-13

Luke 17:11-19

Francesca Campbell: Bienosa Ebite: Alan Quinn

16 Oct 2 Kings 5:14-17

Psalm 9

Sun 29 OT 2 Timothy 2:8-13

Luke 17:11-19

Teresa Dempsey: Kelly Breslin: Victoria Hunt

First Holy Communion 2017.

Parents will find Registration Form at the back of the church to enrol the names of your children for the Sacrament of Holy Eucharist. Please fill the application form as soon as you can. The forms should be brought to the parish office or Fr. Habte. You will then, after approval by Fr. Habte, be contacted by the parish office inviting you and your child to join the First Holy Communion Programme which commences in early January 2017.

All children who will be starting Year 3 and above in September 2016 are eligible.



Sacrament of Confirmation 2017.

Enrolment for the young people of the parish (School Year 8/9 as from September 2016) will take place in January 2017 in the parish hall for all candidates and parents. Application forms with full details now available in the porch or parish office. Please return your completed form to the parish office by the end of October 2016.

All young people who will be starting Year 8 and above in September 2016 are eligible.



Thank you for a successful International Lunch Sunday. Thank you to all parishioners who helped in any way to make the day such a success.

Because of your generosity we raised £1311.00 to help with our various expenses.

New and Existing Altar Servers Training.

We need some new servers and the children who made their First Holy Communion can now begin to serve. Parents, we need you to fill in the form and training will be given on Saturday 15th October at 11 am.

Please collect the application form from the Sacristy

School Transfer Reference and New Applications.

Please call the office to make an appointment to see Fr Habte regarding applications to Catholic schools and please complete the forms before you arrive and photocopy of baptismal certificate. (If baptism took place at St Simon and St. Jude Church, you do not need to provide the baptism certificate). Thank you.

Annual Extraordinary Minsters and Readers

Recollection Day: -

This year will take place on Saturday 12th November at Bishop Thomas Grant School, please add your name to the sign-up sheet at the back of the church.

Cleaning Volunteers Needed.

We have few people who have volunteered to clean the church on Saturday mornings but we need more hands, if you could help please write your names on the sign-up-sheet at the back of the Church. Thank you.



DIY Volunteers Needed. We are continuing to decorate and update our Parish Hall and are now ready to paint two of the rooms in the hall. If anyone with an interest in DIY is willing to help. Please see Fr Habte.

Parish Christmas Bazaar 27 November. Please see the sign-up sheets at the back of the church giving details of donations needed and asking for general help.

PARISH DIARY

Choir Practice - Monday 10 October at 7.30pm in the church.

Parish Christmas Bazaar.
Sunday 27 November from 12 noon.

JOURNEY IN FAITH (RCIA).

The Church welcomes new enquirers who would like to have a conversation about the journey of faith that inspires all our lives. A new programme will begin again in November, so we invite any member of our Parish community who is interested in finding out more about our faith. This is a joyous journey of exploration that we invite you to share in.

Body Reconditioning Classes at St. Simon & St Jude Parish Hall.

A safe and comprehensive system based on yoga and Pilates that can be practiced by any age. Please join us every Wednesday, from 10 am -12 noon. For more information please contact Mary McElhone on 07932 744 991.

Please see our Notice Board for Catholic High Schools Open Days & Evenings.