St Bartholomew's Catholic Church

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Sunday 4th August 2019

Mass Times and Intentions: Sunday 4th August 2019 Eighteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 6.15pm (Saturday 3rd August 2019) Intentions of Archbishop John Wilson 8.30am The Holy Souls 10am Deceased member of the Chapman & Haber families 11.30am Filippo Rodia RIP **4pm Benediction** 5pm People of the parish

Eighteenth Week in Ordinary Time

Monday 5th August 2019 7.30am Tom Harrison RIP 10am Intentions of Jeannette Coyle Tuesday 6th August 2019

THE TRANSFIGURATION **OF THE LORD (FEAST)** 7.30am The Holy Souls 10am Thanksgiving - Bob Foster

Wednesday 7th August 2019 7.30am The Holy Souls 10am Hon Kenneth Nnamdi Onwuekwe RIP (Novena)

Thursday 8th August 2019 St Dominic, Priest (Memorial) 7.30am The Holy Souls 10am Aline Alride RIP Friday 9th August 2019 St Teresa Benedicta of the Cross (Edith Stein), Virgin & Martyr, Patron of Europe (Feast) 7.30am The Holy Souls 10am Intentions of Tino Furtado (birthday) 7.30pm Rosary for the unborn 8pm The Holy Souls

Saturday 10th August 2019 St Lawrence, Deacon & Martyr (Feast) 10am Zofia Rozylo RIP

Next Sunday 11th August 2019 Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time 6.15pm (Saturday 10th August 2019) People of the parish 8.30am The Holy Souls 10am Members of the Tambirasa & Senathirajah families, living and dead (Foundation Mass) 11.30am Valencio Dourado RIP **4pm Benediction** 5pm The Holy Souls

Daily Mass & Prayer *Mass: Monday - Friday @ 7.30am *Morning Prayer of the Church: Monday - Saturday @ 9.15am *Adoration & Benediction: Monday - Saturday @ 9.30am *Mass: Monday – Saturday @ 10am *Mass: Friday @ 8pm *Rosary: Monday – Saturday @ 10.30am Rosary for the unborn: Friday @ 7.30pm ***Confessions:** Saturdays, after 10am Mass, until 11am; Then from 5pm to 6pm.

(and at call, if a priest is available.)

Parish Mass Book: This Sunday P.117 **Tuesday P.183**

THANKYOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

Last week's collection came to £1764.00, including £650.00 in standing orders.

GIFT AID WHILST YOU ARE ON HOLIDAY

Please just use a single envelope, covering your entire absence, either before you go or once you have returned. Or, to make things a little easier, why not set up a Standing Order? You would then only need a small set of envelopes for second collections, as these are not covered by Standing Orders. For all queries relating to Gift Aid, please contact the Gift Aid Organiser, John Byrne, via the Parish Office.

SUMMER TIME MASS COVER We welcome, once again, Canon Joseph Collins to say the 10am & 11.30am Masses today.

DAY FOR CATECHISTS Saturday 28th September at St George's Cathedral, Southwark. All catechists are invited to attend. Please contact the Parish Office if you would like to go along. Mass will be celebrated in the afternoon by the new Archbishop of Southwark, The Most Reverend John Wilson. Please see the poster in the porch.



SICK. UNDERGOING TREATMENT. **OR WHO ARE HOUSEBOUND:** Jessica Anane, Juliette Blake, Alan Blaquiere, Anita Blaquiere, Barry Breese, Erna Breese, Jean Cowie, Reeda D'Souza, Audrey Draude, Teresa Florek-Smail, Raffaela Forte, Raffaele Forte, Giovanni Franco, Rachel Gadd, Elaine Gunther, Anna Harris, Agnes Healy, Jim Hughes, Evelyn Hyland, Baby Scarlett Kurowski, Joseph Lunn, Elsie McCleave, James McDonald, Michael Madigan, Ajitha Mahatantila, Gerard Mascarenhas, Ruby Mendez, Mary Meyern, Thomas Pereira, Parwar Saib, Frederic Saint-Rose. Alice Scott, Elizabeth Scott, Charmaine Shali, Christine Shaughnessy, Fr David Standley, Edythe Thirlwall, Monica Vergara, Mary White, Ethelda Williams, Carole Winch, John Windsor, Charmaine Wise, Margaret Worrell, Georgette Yoo Foo, Tony Zammit.



The Transfiguration of the Lord Picture courtesy of www.pixabay.com

IN THE COMING WEEK: <u>Church Cleaning</u> – Group 3 please.

READERS AND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

Please contact the Parish Office with your dates for September and October as soon as possible.

GOAN CHAPLAINCY DAY

Next Sunday, 11th August, the Goan Chaplaincy is celebrating its annual day at the Lanfranc School Hall, Mitcham Road, Croydon, CR9 3AS. Mass will be at 1pm. This will be followed by hot snacks and a meal as well as music and dancing, with live band playing. Tickets: adults @ £12.00; children 6 – 12 @ £6.00. Please contact Joe Fernandes on 07764 659305.

ST BART'S SUMMER FESTIVAL IS NOW JUST A WEEK AWAY! Monday 12th August to Friday 16th August The Social Committee will be running its first St Bart's Summer Fest daily from 12pm – 4pm. The programme is filled with fun packed activities throughout the week, for all ages, including: Making your own Books; Craft Workshop; Singalongs, Pampering (nails and hair); Teddy Bears' Picnic; Seniors activities; Bake Off; **Cupcake & Biscuit Decorating; Gardening Group;** Head and Neck Massage; Table Top Sale. On Friday 16th from 1-2pm we shall be having a speaker from the Metropolitan Police, who will be giving a talk (with a presentation aimed at children aged 12 years and above and at parents) called "Makepeace: Policing serious youth violence in London." This is, as we are all aware, a problem locally in the boroughs of both Lambeth and Croydon. Please spread the word and do come along and support this and indeed every event. We are looking for volunteers to help out throughout the week, so please do get in touch with the Parish Office if you can give of your time and talents during the Fest. We need bakers for the Bake off on 16th August. The cake theme is Sport.

PARISH DINNER & DANCE SATURDAY 15TH FEBRUARY 2020

Please keep this date free in your diaries. Further information will follow once available.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2020

Enrolment forms are in the main porch, on the shelf nearest to the Repository. Please take them in numerical order A form should be completed for each child. Please do not all count on securing the Saturday Mass. If you know anybody who might miss this information, please tell them

CONFIRMATION PHOTOGRAPHS

Please order copies from the album in the porch. *Please collect your photos from the Repository. During the week, you may call at the Parish Office.* Please ensure that you make prompt payment using the special envelope attached to your order.

BAPTISM PREPARATION COURSE

These are for all those seeking Baptism for babies, where parents have not attended such a course in the last three years. Please take a form from the porch, read it carefully and return it to the Parish Office. The next sessions are: Wednesdays 18th & 25th September at 8pm.

ADVANCE NOTICE OF SCHOOL REFERENCES FOR 2020 ENTRY

Please keep an eye out for information on references, including dates and times of interviews with Fr Deo. There are various circumstances under which you may need a reference. Apart from moving to a completely new school, remember that you will also need a reference for moving within the same group of schools; for placing or keeping children on waiting lists; for in-year transfers between schools at the same level. If you know or think that any of these circumstances will or could possibly apply to you, please ensure that you seek an interview. Parish Priests are always asked to provide details of Catholic practice for parents/guardians and children for a period of three years. If you are new to the parish, or if you have not been here for that long, you must seek a reference from your previous Parish Priest. If you attend Mass at different parishes, such as those which cater for particular language groups, again you must seek references from them too.

TANZANIA SAFARI 2020

Following last year's successful safari, **Fr Deo Tours** is organising another trip next year, around July/August time. Arrangements are already underway for this trip, and the list of those interested in going along is growing. Please register your interest via the parish office. Further details will be provided by Fr Deo in due course.

BLESSED CYPRIAN IWENE TANSI PILGRIMAGE

takes place at Mount St Bernard Abbey in Leicestershire, on **Saturday 31st August**. Please see the poster in the porch, and please contact Melvin Carty if you are interested in going along.

OUR BROWNIES NEED YOU!

27th Streatham Brownies urgently seek volunteers to help run and lead our unit from this September. Please help our troop to stay open! Please email us on: <u>27thstreathambrownies@gmail.com</u>

ALZHEIMER'S MEMORY WALK Join Barts Seniors on Saturday 14th September on Clapham Common. Please contact the Parish Office.

DO YOU HAVE ANY UNWANTED NOTES & COINS?

If you have any old Sterling or pre-Euro "legacy" currencies, the **SVP** can obtain value for them, as well as anything left over from your holidays, such as Euros, US Dollars and so on. Please just pop them into the special basket in the porch, and help the **SVP** to assist disadvantaged people in this parish.

VIDEO OF THE INSTALLATION OF ARCHBISHOP JOHN WILSON

Please see the Parish Web Site. You may download his inspiring homily on: <u>https://gallery.mailchimp.com/a40ab1a35eac7236d856fe882/files/9229</u> <u>bb60-9502-46ec-be8b-</u> <u>2fe532dad2de/Homily for the Installation of Archbishop John Wils</u> on 25.07.19.pdf