

# St Bartholomew's Catholic Church

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Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2019

TWENTY NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

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## Mass Times and Intentions:

*Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October 2019*

*Twenty ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

6.15pm (Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2019)

Philomena Rebello RIP (birthday)

8.30am Intentions of Eric Giggins

10am Very Rev Fr Samuel Kerr RIP

(Free Coffee Morning after this Mass)

11.30am The work of MISSIO

(Plainchant Choir singing)

**4pm Rosary & Benediction**

5pm People of the parish

## Twenty ninth Week in Ordinary Time

*Monday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2019*

7.30am The Holy Souls

10am Pietro Mobile RIP

*Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2019*

*Pope St John Paul II (Memorial)*

7.30am The Holy Souls

10am Edwin D'Souza RIP

*Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2019*

*St Joseph*

7.30am Special intention of

Erere Gloria Osiobe

10am John David Robertson RIP

*Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2019*

7.30am John Joseph Murphy RIP

10am Mary Ann Doidge RIP

*Friday 25<sup>th</sup> October 2019*

7.30am Holy Souls

10am UCM intention

**7.30pm Rosary for the unborn**

8pm All those affected by knife crime

*Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2019*

*Sts Chad & Cedd, Bishops (Memorial)*

10am Maria Nguyen Thi Bay RIP

*Next Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2019*

*Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time*

6.15pm (Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October 2019)

Carmen & Sauveur Vella RIP

8.30am Elizabeth F.O. Williams RIP

10am Christopher & Barbara Kearsy

50<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary

(LIFE Coffee Morning after this Mass)

11.30am Dominic Cu Van Tran RIP

(Hymn Choir singing)

(LIFE Coffee Morning after this Mass)

**4pm Rosary & Benediction**

5pm People of the parish

## 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.152**

## THANKYOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY

Last week's collection came to **£1641.00**  
including £650.00 in standing orders.

You also gave the sum of **£1391.00** to the  
**CAFOD** Harvest Fast Day collection.

The figure following the appeal by the  
**Spiritans** has now risen to **£1102.00.**

## MISSIO APPEAL THIS WEEKEND.

**We welcome Eileen Tompkins** who will  
speak at all Masses this weekend.

You may have seen the red boxes in the  
porch, and might remember the previous  
name of **MISSIO**, the Association for the  
Propagation of the Faith (APF).

There will be a special collection, with  
special **MISSIO** Envelopes available for  
your contribution. It is essential that you  
use these special envelopes if you wish to  
Gift Aid your offering, and please do  
remember to complete your details on the  
envelope itself. **Normal Gift Aid  
envelopes from your box must not be  
used in this case.** Pope Francis has  
declared this month of October as an  
Extraordinary Month of Mission.

You will find the Pope's special prayer for  
the Extraordinary Month of Mission on  
the reverse of this newsletter.

## FREE COFFEE MORNING

After the 10am Mass this morning.

Come to the lower hall and socialise with  
your fellow parishioners before going  
home to prepare lunch. Thanks to all who  
came along last Sunday!

**PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL WHO ARE  
SICK, UNDERGOING TREATMENT,  
OR WHO ARE HOUSEBOUND:**

Jessica Anane, Juliette Blake,

Alan Blaquiere, Anita Blaquiere,

Barry Breese, Erna Breese,

Frances Carter, Jean Cowie,

Reeda D'Souza, Audrey Draude,

Teresa Florek-Smail,

Delphine Fernandes, Michael Fogarty;

Raffaella 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, Phyllis McGurdy

Michael Madigan, Ajitha Mahatantila,

Gerard Mascarenhas, Ruby Mendez,

Mary Meyern, Sheila Newman,

Thomas Pereira, Parwar Saib,

Frederic Saint-Rose, Alice Scott,

Elizabeth Scott, Charmaine Shali,

Christine Shaughnessy, Ronald Smail,

Fr David Standley, Edythe Thirlwall,

Monica Vergara, Mary White,

Ethelda Williams, Gail Wilson,

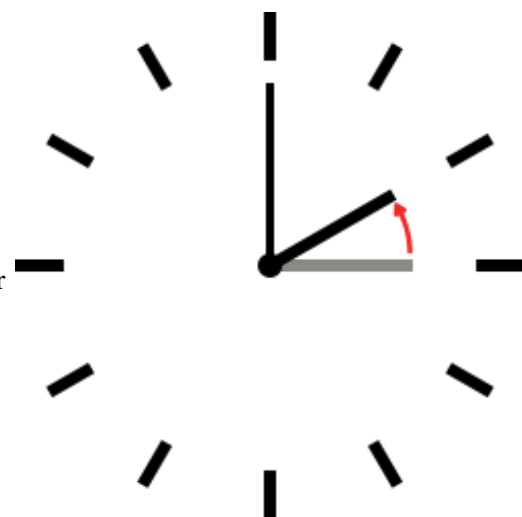
Carole Winch, John Windsor,

Charmaine Wise, Margaret Worrell,

Georgette Yoo Foo, Tony Zammit.

**BRITISH SUMMER TIME  
ENDS NEXT WEEKEND.**

**DON'T FORGET TO PUT YOUR  
CLOCKS BACK ONE HOUR NEXT  
SATURDAY NIGHT.**



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## RECENTLY DECEASED

Of your charity, please pray for the happy repose of the soul of **The Most Reverend Michael Bowen**, former Archbishop of Southwark, who died peacefully in the early hours of Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October at St Peter's Residence in Vauxhall. Born in Gibraltar in 1930, ordained to the Sacred Priesthood in 1958, Archbishop Bowen served as our Archbishop from 1977 until 2003. He was previously Bishop of Arundel & Brighton.

Details of his funeral will be announced in due course.



The late Archbishop Emeritus Michael Bowen

## IN THE COMING WEEK

### Church Cleaning – Group 2 please.

**Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October.**

**The National Pilgrim Statue of Our Lady of Fatima**, together with Relics of St Jacinta and St Francisco will be brought to English Martyrs in Streatham for one day only.

## COFFEE MORNING

Next Sunday with **LIFE** after the 10am & 11.30am Masses. Refreshments, homemade cakes and knitted goods on sale.

Proceeds to Zoe's Place Baby Hospice, run by LIFE.

See: [www.zoes-place.org.uk/liverpool](http://www.zoes-place.org.uk/liverpool)

## SCHOOL REFERENCES FOR 2020 ENTRY

If you missed the advertised sessions, please contact the Parish Office without delay. Please also that you complete an application form and provide a family photograph.

## EXTRAORDINARY MONTH OF MISSION PRAYER OF POPE FRANCIS

*Heavenly Father, when your only begotten Son Jesus Christ rose from the dead, he commissioned his followers to "go and make disciples of all nations" and you remind us that through our Baptism we are made sharers in the mission of the Church. Empower us by the gifts of the Holy Spirit to be courageous and zealous in bearing witness to the Gospel, so that the mission entrusted to the Church, which is still very far from completion, may find new and efficacious expressions that bring life and light to the world. Amen.*

## OCTOBER – THE MONTH OF THE HOLY ROSARY

This Sunday and next, there will be Rosary and Benediction at 4pm. Why not take up or return to saying the Rosary on a regular basis from now on? There are helpful CTS booklets on the subject. If you don't have a Rosary, please take a look at the wide selection available in the Repository.

You can also get free Apps which contain the Rosary and many other related prayers. The Divine Mercy Chaplet may also be prayed by using your Rosary.

## INTERNATIONAL MASS

**On Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November**, the 6.15pm Mass will be a special **International Mass**, after which you are invited to attend a sampling of international foods in the lower hall.

If you would like to make an edible contribution to this event, please contact the Parish Office, and you will be put in touch with a member of our Social Committee.

## SCHOOL OPEN DAYS AND JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Please see the Yellow folder in the main porch for details. BTG school 6<sup>th</sup> Form Open Evening is on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> October from 5.30pm - 7pm. Please see poster in the porch.

## LONDON SW CATHOLIC SOCIAL GROUP

This social group for young Catholics meets monthly.

See Facebook, email [londonswcatholicsocial@gmail.com](mailto:londonswcatholicsocial@gmail.com) or contact Brendan on 07884071515. Bowling at Hollywood Bowl, Tolworth on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October; Meal at GBK Waterloo on Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> November.

## DAY OF RECOLLECTION FOR READERS AND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF HOLY COMMUNION

This annual event will take place on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> November at Bishop Thomas Grant School. The theme for the day will be "Preparation for the Year of the Word".

The day starts with registration at 10.30am, ready for an 11am start, closing with Mass at 3pm, with Bishop Pat presiding. The service that our Readers and Extraordinary Ministers of Holy Communion give to our parish provides a very important contribution to parish life. This day is an excellent opportunity to renew your dedication and commitment to these important ministries. In order to register, please contact the Parish Office by next Sunday October 27<sup>th</sup> with your details.

## NEW ALTAR SERVER TRAINING

Both this **Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> October**, and next **Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> October at 6pm, following the 5pm Mass**. Prospective servers will need to attend **both** sessions, each of which will last for 1 hour.

If you have not already done so, please collect an **application form** from the Sacristy, and return it to any member of the clergy without delay. Parents and guardians must give signed permission for anybody under the age of 18 to attend. You must have made your First Holy Communion before applying.

## ALTAR SERVER AUDIT

In order to ensure 100% compliance with General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR), would every Altar Server please read and complete the notice in the sacristy and take away a form, which in most cases will require the signed permission of parents or guardians. **Please note that the form should be filled in even if you are already an altar server.** Kindly return all completed forms to the sacristy by the end of this month.

## PLEASE SIR! CAN I HAVE SOME MORE? OLIVER! BTG SCHOOL PRODUCTION

We hope you will book tickets to see this musical at Bishop Thomas Grant School. Performances take place from Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November until Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> November. Please see the poster in the porch. You can purchase tickets online at: [www.wegotickets.com/btg](http://www.wegotickets.com/btg)

## BARTS SENIORS

Visit to Guildford Cathedral Christmas Fair on Friday November 22<sup>nd</sup> Cost £12. Please see posters in the porch.