

# St Bartholomew's Catholic Church

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Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2022

OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, KING OF THE UNIVERSE

(YEAR C)

## Mass Times and Intentions:

Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November 2022 (Solemnity)  
OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST,  
KING OF THE UNIVERSE

Second Collection Catholic Youth Services  
6.15pm (Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November 2022)

Mary Bradley RIP  
8.30am Ernest Joseph Borgonha RIP

10am Vivien Cassar RIP  
11.30am Deceased members of St  
Bartholomew's Choirs (Foundation Mass)  
(Polyphony Choir singing at this Mass)

### 4pm Rosary and Benediction

5pm Intentions of Christine Cahill

### Thirty Fourth Week in Ord Time

Monday 21<sup>st</sup> November 2022 (Memorial)

*The Presentation of the  
Blessed Virgin Mary*

7.30am All Holy Souls in Purgatory  
10am Pietro Mobile RIP

Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2022 (Memorial)  
*Saint Cecilia, Virgin & Martyr*

7.30am Coral, Ernest & family RIP  
10am In thanksgiving - Audwyn Correia &  
Celina Matos Correia, 7<sup>th</sup> Wedding  
Anniversary & birthday of Celina

Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 2022 (Feria)

7.30am Manuel Alexandre RIP  
10am Raffaele Antonio Forte RIP

Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2022 (Memorial)  
*Saint Andrew Dũng-Lạc, Priest,  
and Companions, Martyrs*

7.30am Anne Tourilon Sequeira RIP  
10am Constanza & Angelo Gaudiano RIP

Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November 2022 (Feria)

7.30am Intentions of Fr Michael Jones,  
(Foundation Mass)

10am The deceased of family Garofalo  
*7pm – 9pm Youth Club in the Lower Hall*

Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2022

*The Blessed Virgin Mary*

10am Intentions of Christine Cahill

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2022

FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT

6.15pm (Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2022)  
Elizabeth & Dominic Mascarenhas,  
67<sup>th</sup> Wedding anniversary

8.30am Attilio Schiavetta RIP

10am Jose & Felicidad Farrao RIP

11.30am Joe McNamara RIP  
(Hymn Choir singing at this Mass)

### 4pm Rosary and Benediction

5pm Mary Durkin RIP

## WEEKLY SCHEDULE

\*Mass: Monday to Friday 7.30am;  
Monday – Saturday: 10am;

\*Confession: Saturday, after 10am Mass,  
until 11.30am then from 5pm – 6pm.

\*Sunday Masses: (Sat 6.15pm);  
8.30am; 10am; 11.30am; 5pm.

### Adoration & Benediction:

Mon – Sat 9.30am

(First Friday after 10am Mass until 2pm)

\*Rosary: Monday – Saturday  
after 10am Mass

Rosary & Benediction: Sunday 4pm  
(Stations of the Cross during Lent)

## PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK, AND HOUSEBOUND:

Jessica Anane,

Margaret Asubonteng-Mensah,  
Juliette Blake, Alan Blaquiere,  
Anita Blaquiere, Barry Breese,  
Erna Breese, Agnes Buckley,  
Philip Chapman,

Gerard Cowie, Jean Cowie,  
Reeda D'Souza, Amelia Demby;

Audrey Draude, Teresa Florek-Smail,  
Terry Folorunso; Raffaella Forte,  
Giovanni Franco, Rachel Gadd,  
Anna Harris, Agnes Healy, Terry Jupp,  
Fr Louie Kitt, Scarlett Kurowski,

Dorothy Lentini, Philomena Lopez,  
James McDonald, Elenaor McLaughlin,  
Otiss McLaughlin, Margaret McSharry,  
Ajitha Mahatantila, Mary Meyern,

Mary O'Sullivan, Thomas Pereira,  
Sheila Price, Parwar Saib,

Frederic Saint-Rose, Alice Scott,  
Elizabeth Scott, Christine Shaughnessy,  
Fr David Standley, Jo Taylor,  
Edythe Thirlwall, Joe Vassallo,  
Monica Vergara, Michael Wemambu,

Mary White, Ethelda Williams,  
Carole Winch, John Windsor,  
Charmaine Wise, Margaret Worrell,  
Fr Alfred Xuereb SJ; Georgette Yoo Foo.

## MASS COVER

We welcome and thank

**Canon Gregory Verissimo,**  
from English Martyrs, Streatham,  
who will be saying today's  
8.30am & 10am Masses.

## FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2023

Please apply online only

by the closing date of Thursday 1<sup>st</sup>  
December 2022 here: [bit.ly/3EvYlx8](http://bit.ly/3EvYlx8)

There will be an important introductory  
meeting in the church on

Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> December at 8pm.

This will be for parents and guardians.

## FREE COFFEE MORNING NEWS

Our next free coffee morning will be  
after all morning Masses next

Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2022. Meet and  
chat with fellow Parishioners and enjoy

free refreshments. At the coffee morning,  
two young Parishioners, **Alex and Max,**

will be fundraising to visit the  
**Gunjur Project in The Gambia.** See:

<https://www.gpagambia.org> There, they

will help to deliver facilities to a local  
school scout group, and redecorate

classrooms or family compounds. **Each  
must raise £1,000.00** to go on this once-

in-a-lifetime trip to experience a different  
culture and way of life, while also doing

lasting good. They will happily answer  
questions and would love your support.

## SAFEGUARDING

Our Parish Safeguarding Officer is  
Teresa Furtado. To contact Teresa  
on Safeguarding matters only,  
please call her on: **07933 614589.**

## DBS CHECKS

Teresa Furtado will be available in the  
presbytery this coming Monday 21<sup>st</sup>  
November 2022 from 5.30pm to 7pm to  
deal with DBS paperwork. If you are unable  
to attend or wait, please leave your  
documentation with one of the clergy.

## FATHER DEO'S FEET

Father Deo is doing well and awaits the  
go-ahead to get back on his feet again!  
He thanks you for all your good wishes  
and asks for your continued prayers.

## PARISH DIARY 2023

Now available, **free,** from the Repository.  
If you can, please make a contribution to  
the Seminary Fund. Please just put it in  
the wall box in the main porch.

## NOVEMBER - MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

Special Holy Souls Mass Envelopes are still available in all porch areas. Please hand your envelope to clergy or stewards. Mass will be said monthly for all those named, marked in the newsletter as 'November Deceased List'.

## PLANNED GIVING & GIFT AID

If you are a tax payer, the Church can reclaim tax you have paid, adding 25% to your offerings at no extra cost to you! Gift Aid queries may be made to our Organiser, John Byrne, either in person or via the parish office. There are Planned Giving forms in the main porch.

## THE SYNOD PRAYER

We stand before You, Holy Spirit,  
as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us,  
make Yourself at home in our hearts;

Teach us the way we must go  
and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful;  
do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path  
nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity  
so that we may journey together to eternal life  
and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.

All this we ask of You,  
who are at work in every place and time,  
in the communion of the Father and the Son,  
forever and ever. Amen.

## PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gifts of our priests; help them to be strong in their vocation and become instruments of your love and grace. Send your Holy Spirit to give courage and guidance to all those you are calling to the priesthood, diaconate and religious life in our Archdiocese. May those called hear your voice and respond wholeheartedly to become the person you created them to be. Heavenly Father, form us all in the likeness of your Son, Jesus Christ the Good Shepherd, so that we may love you more deeply and serve you more faithfully. We ask this through Christ, Your son, the Eternal High Priest. Amen.

## THE ARCHBISHOP'S APPEAL

The Archbishop's Appeal seeks to invest faith, hope, love, and charity into three key areas of mission and ministry in the Archdiocese of Southwark.

**Youth and Evangelisation**

**Our Faith in Action**

**Clergy Care and Formation**

Please support the Archbishop's Appeal; every gift is welcome. Please donate by one of the following methods:

Online: [rcaos.org.uk/archbishops-appeal](https://rcaos.org.uk/archbishops-appeal)

Or Scan QR Code using telephone camera (below)

Telephone weekdays 9am – 5pm: **020 7960 2504**

Cash / Cheque – please use the Archbishop's Appeal envelopes at the back of church.



## CAFOD WORLD GIFTS

Please take a CAFOD World Gifts Catalogue from the porch and see what you can do to help our brothers and sisters in need. There are many examples of gifts which may be given on your behalf. Do take a look, and please help, if you have the means. Further information on this will appear next weekend.

## WORLD YOUTH DAY 31st JULY to 7th AUGUST 2023

The Archdiocese of Southwark is taking a group of young people (aged 18-35) to World Youth Day (WYD) in Lisbon, Portugal from 31 July to 7 August 2023.

Bookings are now open; the price is £1,295, which includes flights, 3\* accommodation (shared room), transfers, WYD registration fee & meal vouchers. If you are between 18-35, please book by Sunday 30th November 2022 at the latest via <https://bit.ly/WYDSouthwark>

For further information, please email [youth@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:youth@rcaos.org.uk)  
Please see the poster in the main porch.

## SCHOOL REFERENCES

References are now coming in for Reception. Going forward, we expect, as usual, to cater for in-year transfers and families who move into this parish during the year. Please ensure that you complete a Reference Request Form, which may be found on our parish website here:

<https://bit.ly/3RKDk5n>

## MASS REQUESTS & OFFERINGS

Please post your Mass Offering Envelopes through the presbytery door. Offerings are voluntary. As a guide, people tend to give £10.00. Mass offerings may be Gift Aided too.

**Please note that no date or time can be guaranteed.**

**Nobody should feel embarrassed about requesting a Mass Intention if they cannot to make an offering.**

## A DAY WITH MARY

Please see posters about three events in our Archdiocese: Wimbledon, West Croydon & St George's Cathedral.



**The Rose Window in our gallery, depicting Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe.**

## ADVENT STARTS NEXT SUNDAY

We move into Year A, using the mustard-coloured Parish Mass Books. We begin the lighting of candles on our Advent Wreath, entering a period of devout and expectant delight and preparing for the joyful arrival of Christ into the world, our hearts and our homes at Christmas.