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Sunday 25th June 2023

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(YEAR A)

Mass Times and Intentions:

Sunday 25th June 2023

TWELFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

Coffee after all morning Masses

6.15pm (Saturday 24th June 2023)

Joe Vassallo RIP

8.30am Ernest Joseph Borgonha RIP

10am Loreta Hatfield & André Gaze RIP

11.30am David Clark RIP

(Hymn Choir singing)

4pm Rosary & Benediction

5pm People of the parish

6pm Altar Server Training Session 1

TWELFTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

Monday 26th June 2023 (Feria)

7.30am Intentions of Rochelle D'Cruz

10am Margaret & Richard Jones RIP

Tuesday 27th June 2023 (Memorial)

Saint John Southworth, Priest & Martyr,

7.30am Thanksgiving – Benjamin Ohen

10am Requiem for Joe Vassallo

Wednesday 28th June 2023 (Memorial)

Saint Irenaeus, Bishop, Martyr &

Doctor of the Church

7.30am Intentions of the Missionaries of

Charity, the Bronx, New York

10am Ellen Ryan RIP

12.30pm Requiem for David Clark

Thursday 29th June 2023 (Solemnity)

SAINTS PETER & PAUL, APOSTLES

(HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION)

7.30am Sr St Thomas More M.C. (B'day)

10am Tambirasa & Senathirajah families

(Foundation Mass)

Friday 30th June 2023 (Feria)

7.30am Tessa Fletcher RIP

10am For the return of lapsed Catholics

7pm – 9pm Youth Club in the hall

Saturday 1st July 2023 (Memorial)

Saint Oliver Plunket, Bishop & Martyr

10am Cecilia Clark RIP

Sunday 2nd July 2023

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORD TIME

2nd Collection – Day for Life

6.15pm (Saturday 24th June 2023)

People of the parish

8.30am Fergus O'Toole RIP

10am André Gaze RIP

11.30am Intentions - Caitano M Fernandes

(Polyphony Choir singing)

4pm Rosary & Benediction

5pm Norrie Hogan RIP

6pm Altar Server Training Session 2

NORMAL 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,

Audrey Draude, Terry Folorunso,

Raffaella Forte, Giovanni Franco,

Rachel Gadd, Anna Harris, Agnes Healy,

Fr Michael Jones, Terry Jupp,

Fr Louie Kitt, Scarlett Kurowski,

Dorothy Lentini, Philomena Lopez,

James McDonald, Elenaor McLaughlin,

Otiss McLaughlin, Margaret McSharry,

Ajitha Mahatantila, Mary Meyern,

Elsy Mickle, Pat Nawrat,

Thomas Pereira, Sheila Price,

Parwar Saib, Frederic Saint-Rose,

Alice Scott, Elizabeth Scott,

Christine Shaughnessy,

Fr David Standley, Jo Taylor,

Edythe Thirlwall, Monica Vergara,

Michael Wemambu, Mary White,

Ethelda Williams, Carole Winch,

John Windsor, Charmaine Wise,

Fr Alfred Xuereb SJ, Georgette Yoo Foo.

THE SOLEMNITY OF ST PETER AND ST PAUL, APOSTLES.

You are reminded that this great Solemnity occurs this coming Thursday 29th June 2023, and that it is a Holyday of Obligation, with Masses at 7.30am and 10am.

CONFIRMATION 2023

This year's Confirmation programme launches with an introductory meeting on Wednesday 13th September 2023 from 7.30pm to 9.15pm in the church.

Confirmations will take place on the Solemnity of Christ the King, Sunday 26th November 2023 at 12 Noon, with Bishop Philp Moger officiating. You may apply online, by using this link:

[St Bart's Confirmation Programme 2023 Application \(v.2\)](#)

In order to help drive the programme forward, Father Deo will be seeking more people to become catechists.

FREE COFFEE MORNING TODAY
In the hall after all morning Masses.

NEW ALTAR SERVER TRAINING
Please note sessions commence this Sunday and finish next Sunday.

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION

Basket £997.33:

(Gift Aid: £430.76; Non-G/A: £566.57)

Plus Standing Orders: £815.34.

DAY FOR LIFE 2ND COLLECTION

This collection, delayed from last weekend, will be held instead next Sunday 2nd July 2023.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Of your charity, please pray for the souls of the following:

Fergus O'Toole, late of Tulse Hill, son of Kathy & Billy O'Toole. Fergus died on Friday 12th May 2023, aged 56. Fergus' funeral and burial will take place, in the coming days, in Ireland.

Margaret White, of Crescent Way, widow of the late John White. Margaret died on Monday 19th June 2026. She was a faithful member of our UCM.

Her funeral will take place here on Wednesday 19th July 2023 at 2.30pm. **Mary Teresa (Tessa) Fletcher**, late of Abingdon Road. Tessa died on Monday 19th June 2023, aged 74. Her funeral details have yet to be announced.

May their souls and the souls of all the Faithful Departed, through the mercy of God, Rest in Peace and Rise in Glory!

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.

NEW GIFT AID ENVELOPES

Gift Aid envelopes be collected from the main porch.

White envelopes are for Standing Order givers.

NB: Some Gift Aiders have new Box Numbers.

Information and forms are available for the Gift Aid
scheme. Both Gift Aiders and non-Gift Aiders are asked
to consider a standing order to help us in our budgeting.

**You are advised to check your tax position with
HMRC to ensure that you pay sufficient tax in
relation to Gift Aid. The golden rule is:**

'If in doubt, leave it out!'

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, where they can afford to.

Mass offerings may be Gift Aided too (see envelopes).

**No date or time can be guaranteed. Also, where a
funeral occurs at 10am, this will take precedence.**

NORBERTINE RETREAT, PECKHAM

The Norbertine community in Peckham is holding a
Vocations Day for young men to visit their priory and
discover more about the life of a Norbertine canon. The
"Come and See Day" will take place on Saturday 15th July
2023 from 10am-4pm. If you are thinking about a vocation
and are curious about the Norbertine Order and religious
life please book a place: community@norbertines.org.uk

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PHOTOS

The photographs taken by John Taylor may be viewed in two
albums on the window sill nearest the Repository.

Please write your choices on the order form provided.

Payment may be made upon collection of your order.

Incredibly, we still have a number of uncollected photos from
various First Holy Communion and Confirmations in past years,
and these are also in the porch for collection and payment,
despite numerous attempts to contact those who ordered them.

Please see if any belong to you, or somebody you know.

CAFOD

The livelihood of small-scale farmers across the world have
come under threat, with big business wading in to control
what farmers can and cannot do, as influenced by the

World Bank. CAFOD is raising awareness of the
seriousness of this situation and its consequences through
its 'Fix the Food System'. See: <https://bit.ly/3qN6l8c>

FLOWERS

Please place offerings in the dedicated wall box in the
main porch. Thankyou for your continued generosity.

UNWANTED NOTES, COINS AND CURRENCY

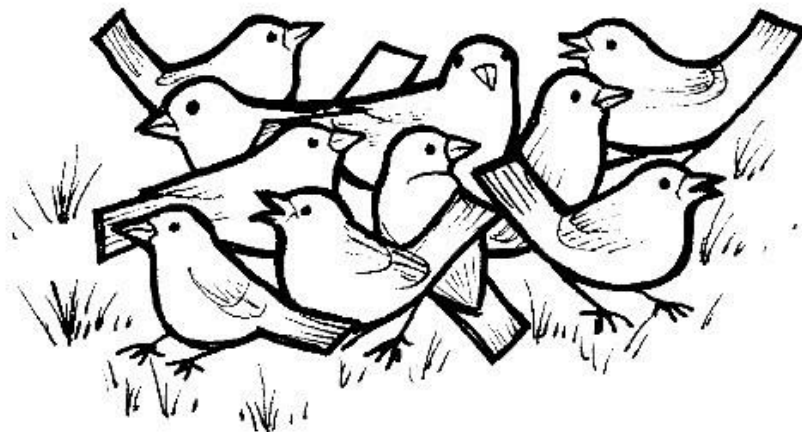
Please deposit any old notes and coins, including UK and foreign
currency, in the special basket on the windowsill of the main
porch. The SVP can gain some value from such currency.

Marriage Celebration on Saturday 23rd September 2023 at 3pm at St George's Cathedral, Southwark.

If you are celebrating your 1st/10th/25th/40th/50th/60th +
please let us know **by the end of July 2023.**

You can email: mflse@rcaos.org.uk

In the subject box of your email, please enter 'Norbury'.
Please give your full details and state which anniversary.



**"Can you not buy two sparrows for a penny?
And yet not one falls to the ground
without your Father knowing."**

(Matthew 10:29) Picture courtesy of: www.salfordliturgy.org.uk

OPPORTUNITIES IN THE CATHOLIC SPHERE

For current information, please see the brown folder in
the main porch, which contains details of employment
opportunities in the Catholic world, including schools, and
charities, as well as forthcoming school open days. Most
job offers have closing dates, and these are clearly marked
where provided. Items will then be removed so that only
current items remain. Beware out-of-date information!