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Sunday 22nd October 2023

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(YEAR A)

Mass Times and Intentions:

Sunday 22nd October 2023

TWENTY-NINTH SUNDAY IN ORD TIME

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

SECOND COLLECTION WITH SPECIAL

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY ENVELOPES ONLY

6.15pm (Saturday 21st October 2023)

Antonio Gonsalves RIP

8.30am People of the parish

10am A J Tickson RIP

11.30am Ubaldi & Tanya Velez –
for a happy marriage

(Hymn Choir)

4pm Rosary & Benediction

5pm Thanksgiving – Daljit Fernandes

TWENTY-NINTH WEEK IN ORD TIME

Monday 23rd October 2023 (Feria)

7.30am Ubaldi & Tanya Velez

- for a happy marriage

10am Raffaele Antonio Forte RIP

Tuesday 24th October 2023 (Feria)

7.30am The Holy Souls

10am Mieczysław Cichosz RIP

Wednesday 25th October 2023 (Feria)

7.30am Pobrına Fernandes RIP

10am Requiem for John Griffin

Thursday 26th October 2023 (Memorial)

Saints Chad & Cedd, Bishops

7.30am Theodore Vicente Fernandes

- 7th birthday

10am Tony Tambirasa RIP

Friday 27th October 2023 (Solemnity)

Our Lady, Queen of Palestine

and all the Holy Land

7.30am Salomao Vicente Fernandes

and Conceicao Maria Rebello RIP

10am Antoine Sy-Yan RIP

7pm – 9pm Youth Club in the hall

Saturday 28th October 2023 (Feast)

Saints Simon & Jude, Apostles

10am Wellbeing of Paul Steel

Sunday 29th October 2023

THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORD TIME

6.15pm (Saturday 28th October 2023)

Mary & Joseph Vassallo RIP

8.30am Andy & May Byrne RIP

(Coffee after this Mass)

10am Salus Vicente Fernandes RIP

(Coffee after this Mass)

11.30am Julie Lambert RIP

(Coffee after this Mass)

4pm Rosary & Benediction

5pm People of the parish

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 Blaquiére,

Anita Blaquiére, Barry Breese,

Erna Breese, Agnes Buckley,

Philip Chapman, Gerard Cowie,

Jean Cowie, Reedea 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, Thomas Pereira,

Terezinha Po, Sheila Price, Angel Rojas,

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.

FREE COFFEE MORNING

The next Free Coffee Morning will
take place next Sunday 29th October
2023 after all morning Masses.

SCHOOL REFERENCE FORMS

Forms are available on our parish
website: <https://bit.ly/3PnMExD>
Hard copies are in the main porch.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2024

Registration online only, via this link:

<https://tinyurl.com/HolyComm24>

NB: Closing Date is this coming

Friday 27th October 2023.

There will be an Introductory
Meeting for parents only, in
the church, at 7pm on
Thursday 16th November 2023

CONFIRMATION 2023

The next session is on Wednesday 8th

November 2023 at BTG school.

(Details in the published programme.)

LAST WEEK'S COLLECTIONS

Basket: £882.97

(Gift Aid: £273.60; Non-G/A: £609.37)

Plus Standing Orders: £636.67.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Of your charity, please pray for the
happy repose of the soul of
Pat Nawrat who died on
Monday 16th October 2023.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

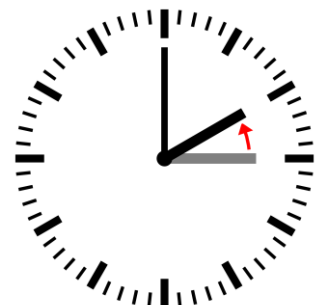
The funeral of **John Griffin** will take
place here on **Wednesday**
25th October 2023 at 10am.

The funeral of **Henry Blaize** will take
place here on **Tuesday**
31st October 2023 at 12 Noon.

The funeral of **Ruth Yeats** will take
place here on **Friday**
3rd November 2023 at 12 Noon.

May their souls and the souls of all the
Faithful Departed Rest in Peace and
Rise in Glory! Amen.

CLOCKS GO BACK ONE HOUR
NEXT SATURDAY NIGHT / EARLY
SUNDAY MORNING



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.

TODAY IS WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

MISSIO is the Church's official organ for the support
of foreign missions. The collection taken on World
Mission Sunday goes, in its entirety, to support
churches, hospitals, schools and vocations in countries
where the Church is new, young or poor. You will be
familiar with the MISSIO red boxes, used for
collecting money in homes.

(NB: We are currently seeking a new organiser.)

MISSIO works through local bishops, churches and
missionary congregations to ensure that resources are
distributed equitably and justly on the basis of need.
The money goes directly from England and Wales to
the bishops in the missionary territories: local church
directly helping local church. A collection will be
taken at all Masses on that weekend. Special envelopes
are available for this collection. You may Gift Aid
your offering using those envelopes. **Please note that
weekly offering envelopes may not be used for this
collection. Cheques should be made payable to**

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY –

NOT St Bartholomew's. You may donate on line at:

<https://missio.org.uk/wmsdonate/>

RACIAL JUSTICE COMMISSION

There is to be a seminar entitled “**Promoting Racial and
Cultural Inclusion in Our Parishes, Schools and
Communities**”. This will take place at the Amigo Hall, St
George's Cathedral, Southwark, next Saturday 28th October 2023
from 9.30am to 4pm. All are welcome to attend. There will be a
number of speakers, including our Archbishop John Wilson.
Register free at: **<https://forms.microsoft.com/e/1G3DvS124W>**

For further information, please email:

racialjusticecommission@rcaos.org.uk

NOVEMBER, MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

If you would like to have any of your departed family and
friends remembered, please take one of the special envelopes,
now available in all porch areas and enclose a list of names.
Envelopes may then be placed in a basket beneath the main altar
at every Mass celebrated, commencing 1st November 2023.

If you are in a position to do so, please include an offering,
subject to your means, in your envelope. Those of you who are
members of our Gift Aid Scheme may Gift Aid to their offerings,
simply by adding their Gift Aid number in the box provided.
Each month, from December onwards, Mass will be offered for
all those you list, as part of the **November Deceased List.**

STREATHAM ST BART'S CHAMBER ORCHESTRA

This year, our orchestra celebrates its 50th year!

This landmark will be celebrated with a special concert on
Sunday 26th November 2023 at All Saints Church, West
Dulwich. Our own Polyphony Choir will be singing, as will the
All Saints West Dulwich Choir. Please see the poster for details.
Admission will be free, and a retiring collection will be taken.

SCHOOL OPEN DAYS

St James the Great School, Thornton Heath, Open Days:

Thursday the 2nd November 2023 at 9.30am

Friday the 17th November 2023 at 9.30am.

Please see: **<https://www.stjamesthegreat.org/Admissions-14082020153909/>**

MARRIAGE AND FAMILY LIFE SOUTH EAST

There are 3 forthcoming online programmes for 2023.

For the first 2, you may apply by email to: **mflse@rcaos.org.uk**;

1/PASSING ON THE FAITH AS GRANDPARENTS.

Conversations to help anchor our grandchildren's faith.

This course runs on four consecutive Wednesdays
from 7.30pm until 9pm, commencing 8th November 2023.

2/PASSING ON THE FAITH FOR PARENTS.

When to start, how to continue, at different stages.

This course runs on four consecutive Thursdays from
8pm until 9.30pm, commencing 9th November 2023.

3/ GROWING IN FAITH TOGETHER

This new online course has been developed in collaboration with
the Southwark Marriage and Family Life team, the Diocesan
Agency for Evangelisation and Sycamore, a programme about
the Catholic faith by Fr Stephen Wang. It consists of four one
hour-long sessions via Zoom and is a wonderful opportunity for
married couples to enrich their friendship and love, and engaged
couples who have **completed their marriage preparation
course** and want to continue exploring their faith together.

The course runs on four consecutive Tuesday evenings
from 8-9pm commencing **October 24th.**

For this course, you will need to register via this link:

<https://aec.rcaos.org.uk/together>