

St Bartholomew's Catholic Church

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Sunday 29th September 2024

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(YEAR B)

Mass Times and Intentions:

TWENTY-SIXTH WEEK IN ORD TIME

Sunday 29th September 2024

TWENTY-SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORD TIME

Collectors, please count numbers today

Saturday 6.15pm (28th September 2024)

Jean Cowie RIP

8.30am SVP Intention

10am Joe Moynihan & Bob France RIP

11:30am John Perdoni RIP

4pm Benediction

5pm Ruth Yeats RIP

Monday 30th September 2024 (Memorial)

Saint Jerome, Priest and

doctor of the Church

7:30am Thanksgiving - Elijah & Family

10am For the return of lapsed Catholics

Tuesday 1st October 2024 (Memorial)

Saint Térésa of the Child Jesus,

Virgin and Doctor of the church

7:30am Intentions of the Mitchell family

(Novena)

10am Thomas Corr RIP

Wednesday 2nd October 2024 (Memorial)

The Holy Guardian Angels

7:30am Victoria Furddo

10am Julie Lambert Bryan RIP

Thursday 3rd October 2024 (Feria)

7:30am Bishop Howard Tripp RIP

10am Wellbeing of Albert Okello

Friday 4th October 2024 (Memorial)

Saint Francis of Assisi

CAFOD Harvest Fast Day

7:30am The Holy Souls

10am Wilhelmine Yan Leung RIP

Then Adoration until 10pm

Saturday 5th October 2024 (Feria)

Saint Faustina Kowalska, Virgin

10am Fr Francis Desa RIP

Sunday 6th October 2024

TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORD TIME

Rosary Sunday

CAFOD Harvest Fast Day Collection

Collectors, please count numbers today

Saturday 6.15pm (5th October 2024)

People of the Parish

8.30am John Griffin RIP

10am Ted & Peggy Flynn RIP

11:30am Terry Jupp RIP

(Polyphony Choir singing)

4pm Benediction

5pm Jean Cowie RIP

NORMAL WEEKLY SCHEDULE

Mass: Monday to – Friday 7:30am;

Monday to Saturday: 10am;

Morning Prayer –

Monday – Saturday 9.15am;

*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:

Monday-Thursday & Saturday 9.30am

Friday after 10am Mass until 10pm

*Rosary: Monday – Thursday &

Saturday after 10am Mass

Sunday 4pm with Benediction

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK,
THOSE UNDERGOING TREATMENT
& THOSE WHO ARE HOUSEBOUND:

Jessica Anane,

Margaret Asubonteng-Mensah,

Juliette Blake, Alan Blaquiere,

Anita Blaquiere, Barry Breese, Erna Breese,

Agnes Buckley, John DeWaal,

Audrey Draude, Eileen Dunne,

Terry Folorunso, Giovanni Franco,

Rachel Gadd, Mary Gibbs,

Amalia Gonzalez, Michael Goodwin;

Anna Harris, Agnes Healy, Fr Michael Jones,

Fr Louie Kitt, Dorothy Lentini,

Philomena Lopez, James McDonald,

Elenaor McLaughlin, Otiss McLaughlin,

Andrew McMillan, Ajitha Mahatantila,

Mary Meyern, Elsy Mickle, Thomas Pereira,

Terezinha Po, Angel Rojas, Parwar Saib,

Frederic Saint-Rose, Alice Scott,

Elizabeth Scott, Peter Sequeira,

Christine Shaughnessy, Jo Taylor,

Edythe Thirlwall, Ivete Vaz, Monica Vergara,

Michael Wemambu, Mary White,

Ethelda Williams, Carole Winch,

John Windsor, Charmaine Wise,

Fr Alfred Xuereb SJ, Georgette Yoo Foo.

RECENT COLLECTIONS

22nd September 2024: Basket: £1,180.68

Gift Aid: £448.90; Non-G/A: £731.78

ANNUAL MASS COUNT

Collectors are asked to count the number of those present at Saturday evening and Sunday Masses, completing the total sheets in the porch. Number clickers will be available for ease of counting.

St. Bartholomew's



Parish Annual General Meeting

A review of what your parish has achieved and what its needs and plans are for the months and years ahead.

What are your views?

**Wednesday 30th October 2024
19:00 in the Parish Hall**

MISSION APPEAL BY THE
SPIRITANS APPEAL
THIS WEEKEND.



Made by Fr Christian Enechukwu CSSp
Special envelopes will be available for those who wish to Gift Aid their contribution. *Your normal weekly envelopes may not be used for this collection. Please make any cheques payable to The Spiritans.* Alternatively, you can make a transfer to their **bank account: Sort Code 01-03-46 account 83279806.**

R.C.I.A

- ✚ Have you been attending Mass but you are not a Catholic?
- ✚ Are you interested in becoming a Catholic?
- ✚ We warmly invite those adults seeking Baptism to be part of our journey in Faith group.
- ✚ The weekly forums involve learning about the Catholic Faith and the truth and beauty of the Gospel.
- ✚ Please call or email the Parish Office if you are thinking about becoming a Catholic.

BAPTISM PREPARATION COURSE

The next Baptism Preparation course will take place on **Saturdays 9th & 16th November at 2.30pm** in the room behind the Sacristy. If you would like to register for this course, which will be the final one for this year, please take a Baptism Preparation Form from the main porch. Please read the form carefully, complete it in ink and return it to the parish office, along with any school forms.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2025

The application form may be found on our website via this link only:

<https://tinyurl.com/HolyComm2025>

Closing Date: Tuesday 5th November 2024

CONFIRMATION 2025

The Rite of Confirmation will take place at 12 Noon on the Pentecost Sunday 8th June 2025. Celebrant to be advised.

SCHOOL REFERENCES

The Reference Form is now available on our parish website, with hard copies in the main porch. The form explains the entire process, and it may be used whatever the timing of and reason for your application. Please read the form carefully and follow the instructions.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY AT 10AM SUNDAY MASS

Children's liturgy has now resumed. Children aged from 3 to 7 are invited at the start of the mass to process into the sacristy for a children's themed gospel session including singing and activities. The children will then re-join the mass before communion. All children need to be able to attend independently of their parents/carers and only parish DBS checked adults can remain in the sessions. Should you wish to volunteer to be part of this group of adults please let the parish office know, as more help is needed.

ALTAR SERVER REGISTER 2024 & DBS ISSUES

We are updating our Altar Server records to bring them in line with the recent General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR) and to ensure that all Servers over 18 have a DBS check.

If you serve Mass please complete the online form that can be found here bit.ly/3m32nTm or using the QR code



below:

All Servers aged over 18 require an up-to-date DBS check. If you require a DBS check, or are unsure if you are up-to-date, please contact Teresa Furtado by email:

norburysg1@safeguardraeos.org.uk

and notify Jed Murphy that you have done so. We should like to have all forms completed by Monday 30th September 2024.

COFFEE MORNING LAST SUNDAY

The Daughters of Divine Love would like to thank you all for your generosity and help. Thank you to all who came and supported their charitable work. They raised £206.10 in total.

FATHER SOLOMON OYEPA

Fr. Solomon will be leaving our parish after two months for the Catholic University of Leuven in Belgium on 30th September 2024.

We thank him for all his generosity to the parish during his stay at St Bartholomew's Church.

Thank you to all who showed him kindness and hospitality during his visit here.

We pray to the Lord to bless him in his work and studies in Belgium so that it will bear good fruit.

MASS COVER

*We welcome and sincerely thank **Fr. Augustine Kinnane** who will be covering two Masses per weekend commencing on the 6th, 13th and 20th at 8:30am & 10am of October 2024.*

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.*

MISSIO 'RED BOX'

The next date for gathering MISSIO Red Boxes has been changed to Sunday 20th October 2024, which is World Mission Sunday, when the official MISSO special collection will also take place.

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