

# ST. SAVIOUR'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## **OUR PARISH IN FOCUS**

**UNLESS EXEMPT PLEASE CONTINUE TO WEAR A FACE COVERING AND GIVE SPACE TO EACH OTHER**

**SUNDAY MASSES** - Saturday at 5.30pm and then on Sunday at 8.30am, 10am, 11.30am and 5.30pm.

**WEEKDAY MASSES** - Every day at 10am and Thursday and Friday at 6.30pm. See over for all the Masses this week.

### **STREAMED MASSES FOR THOSE AT HOME**

The 10am Mass every day is streamed. Go to our parish website (details above) and click onto the link for the MCN media streaming company.

**CONFESSIONS** - Saturday from 11am until 11.30am and Thursday from 7pm until 7.20pm. Please ask at other times.

**EXPOSITION** - Saturday from 10.30am until 1pm and Thursday from 7pm until 7.30pm (ends with Benediction).

**THE CHURCH IS OPEN FOR PRIVATE PRAYER** - Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 9.30am until 1pm. Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday from 9.30am until after the evening Mass.

### **REPOSITORY**

Open on Tuesday, Friday and Saturday from 9.30am until 10am and from 11am until 1pm.

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## **14TH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR YEAR C**

### **MASS BOOK - PAGE 105**

Mass books, along with hymn books for the 10am Mass, are available as you come into the church and at the front of the Sacred Heart Chapel.

### **TODAY'S SCRIPTURE READINGS - YOU CAN READ THEM AGAIN AT HOME**

**First Reading:** - Isaiah 66:10-14

**Responsorial Psalm:** - 65

**Second Reading:** - Galatians 6:14-18

**Gospel:** - Luke 10:1-12, 17-20

### **GOOD NEWS FROM TODAY'S READINGS**

Whatever house you go into, let your first words be, "Peace to this house!" And if a man of peace lives there, your peace will go and rest on him; if not, it will come back to you.

### **SECOND COLLECTION NEXT SUNDAY**

Next Sunday is designated 'Sea Sunday' and there will be a second collection for the work of the Apostleship of the Sea (AoS). The AoS is a Catholic charity supporting seafarers worldwide. They provide practical and pastoral care to all seafarers, regardless of nationality or belief. Port chaplains and volunteer ship visitors welcome seafarers, offer welfare, service and advice, practical help, care and friendship. The AoS in Great Britain is part of an international network known to the maritime world as Stella Maris, working in more than 250 ports around the world. 90% of world trade is transported by ship, however the life of a modern seafarer can be dangerous and lonely. They may spend up to a year at a time away from home, separated from their family and loved ones and often work in harsh conditions. The AoS relies on voluntary contributions and can only continue its work through the generous donations of its supporters, particularly this collection.

By the newsletters there are some AoS envelopes for you to take away and use if you wish. Please return them next Sunday. Thank you.

### **DO YOU PLAY THE PIANO/ORGAN, ANOTHER INSTRUMENT OR ARE GOOD AT SINGING?**

Now that Revd Javier has left us, we have a need for someone who plays the piano/organ, and indeed other musical instruments, to come forward to help out sometimes at our Sunday 10am Mass. Also, we invite singers to come forward to help at this 10 Mass.

If you can help, please come to any Sunday 10am Mass and make yourself known to those already playing/singing, or contact Amarachi at [ama\\_nwogu@yahoo.com](mailto:ama_nwogu@yahoo.com). Also please feel free to contact Fr Chris if you can help. Thanks.

### **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MASSES**

This coming Saturday we celebrate the first of two Masses at which our children will make their First Holy Communion. We thank their parents/guardians and our catechists for all they have done to prepare these children for this special day in their spiritual lives. Please do remember these children in your prayers.

### **FR RICHARD SSAJJABBI'S ARRIVAL DELAYED**

We have heard from Fr Richard that he has not yet received his Visa and has had to delay his arrival here at Saviour's. We hope to welcome him very soon.

### **THANK YOU**

for last Sunday's offertory collection of £2069 and for the collection on Wednesday for Peter's Pence of £462.

## **SPIRITUAL THOUGHT FROM FR CHRIS**

One of the themes of the First Reading and Gospel at Mass today is 'Peace'. Most of us will have heard of the prayer that begins: 'Lord, make me an instrument of your peace'. This prayer is attributed to St Francis of Assisi, but it is actually not in his writings. But the sentiments of the prayer are certainly Franciscan in nature.

*'Lord, make me an instrument of your peace;  
Where there is hatred let me sow love;  
Where there is injury, pardon;  
Where there is doubt, faith;  
Where there is despair, hope;*

*Where there is darkness, light;  
And where there is sadness, joy.  
O Divine Master,  
Grant that I may not so much seek to be consoled,  
as to console;  
To be understood as to understand;  
To be loved as to love;  
For it is in giving that we receive,  
It is in pardoning that we are pardoned,  
And it is in dying that we are born to eternal life'.*

It is a prayer that requires follow up action. As we think of our world today, we see the need for more peace, love, forgiveness, faith, hope, light and joy. Let each of us play our part, in any we can, to bring these needed sentiments from the prayer to those around us. We will be playing our part in the building up of God's kingdom. The final words of the prayer, 'it is in dying that we are born to eternal life' are the words on my mother's gravestone. A great reminder that life goes on forever. I end with some words that St Francis of Assisi actually did write about 'peace': 'Where there is Peace and Contemplation, there is neither Care nor Restlessness'.

## **FOUNDATION GOVERNOR ROLE AT ST SAVIOUR'S RC SCHOOL**

The role of School Governor has never been more critical to the education of our young people. St Saviour's RC Primary School has an opening for a Foundation Governor to join a vibrant team of volunteers that is committed to creating the best learning environment possible. Moreover, as Foundation Governors, the Church entrusts us to be the custodians of the Catholic faith in our school.

The role of a school governor is to contribute to the work of the governing body in ensuring high standards of achievement for all children and young people in the school by:

- Setting the school's vision, ethos and strategic direction
- Holding the Headteacher to account for the educational performance of the school and its pupils
- Overseeing the financial performance of the school and making sure its money is well spent

Being a Foundation Governor gives you the opportunity to give back to the wider community in which you live. It also gives you an opportunity to develop the skills you have and to improve the futures of children today.

It is fulfilling to contribute to the development of children from a very wide range of backgrounds and circumstances and being able to play a part in ensuring that these families and their children get the best opportunities and start in life.

You do not need to be a parent or work in the education sector to take up this role. All you need is a willingness to share your skills and spare a few hours every month.

If you are interested in the role please contact the Chair of Governors, Ben Kuevidjen, for an informal chat on 07586 543 008 or by email: [Benfoli@yahoo.com](mailto:Benfoli@yahoo.com)  
You may also contact Fr Chris on 0208 852 2490 or by email: [chrisconnor@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:chrisconnor@rcaos.org.uk)

## **DIOCESAN LOURDES PILGRIMAGE**

The Southwark Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes will take place between 19th and 26th August 2022. They are sad that, like most Lourdes pilgrimages this year, they have not been able to include pilgrims who need medical support. At the same time, they are delighted to be returning to Lourdes after two years of absence. All invited. Details are available at: [www.tagney-tours.com/pilgrimages/lourdes/catholic-association](http://www.tagney-tours.com/pilgrimages/lourdes/catholic-association)

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## **CONGRESS GROUP – PARISH FAMILY DAY FEEDBACK**

Thank you to those who attended our **Parish World Meeting of Families (WMOF)** Event celebrating family life in the hall last Sunday. It was a wonderful occasion with a large number of families enjoying a variety of activities and entertainments throughout the afternoon. Thanks also to everyone who worked hard behind the scenes and the Clergy for supporting the event and joining in the activities too. We intend to hold this as an annual event in the future in bringing the wider Parish Community together.

Our next **Congress Meeting** will be on **Thursday 21st July at 7.15pm** and will be planning for our **Annual Parish Family Picnic** at **Blackheath** in early **September**. Please look out for further details to follow soon.

Thank you once again for your continued support and prayers.  
Christine & Don

## **MASS INTENTIONS THIS WEEK AND THE FEASTDAYS**

### **SUNDAY 3rd July (14th Sunday of the Year)**

8.30am – The People of our Parish  
10am - Merveille Sephora Demoko-Cecaldi & Nathalie Gertrude Gomba (In Thanksgiving)  
11.30am – Mary Margaret Wilson RIP  
5.30pm - William McDermott RIP (Anniversary)

### **MONDAY 4th July (Feria)**

10am – Austin Creed

### **TUESDAY 5th July (Feria)**

10am – Patrick Paul & Nora Corrigan RIP

### **WEDNESDAY 6th July (Feria)**

10am – Fr Chris Connor (In Thanksgiving)

### **THURSDAY 7th July (Feria)**

10am – Yeung Tackyen RIP  
6.30pm – Priests of the Parish

### **FRIDAY 8th July (Feria)**

10am – Marina Malathy Stanislaus RIP  
6.30pm – Rita Rajakarier RIP

### **SATURDAY 9th July (Feria)**

10am – Harry Hebborn RIP (Anniversary)  
5.30pm – The People of our Parish

### **SUNDAY 10th July (15th Sunday of the Year)**

8.30am – Frederick Hilton (In Thanksgiving for Grandson)  
10am – Matt Brown  
11.30am – Christy Mulcahy RIP  
5.30pm – Peace, Healing & Conversion in all Nations