



St Joseph's
Catholic Church
SHOOTERS HILL

PARISH TEAM

Parish Priest:

Fr. Vincent Nnatuanya C.S.S.p

Assistant Priests:

Fr. Oliver Ejike Ugwu C.S.S.p

Fr. Marcel Uzoigwe C.S.S.p

Parish Secretary:

Miss Vijitha Alfred

Hall Manager:

Mrs Maggie Rea

Tel: 07885 353105

MASS TIMES:

Daily at 10am

Saturday (Vigil) at 6.30pm

Sunday 10.15 & 12noon

1st Saturday of the month

Devotion/Confessions

ROSARY:

Mon-Fri 9.30am

Sun 9.20am

PARISH TEL:

020 3105 8577

PARISH E-MAIL:

shootershill@rcaos.org.uk

PARISH WEBSITE:

stjoseph-shootershillrcaos.org.uk

OFFICE HOURS:

Wed 10am-2pm

SCHOOL:

Notre Dame Catholic

Primary School

Tel: 020 8854 0585

Website:

<https://www.notredame.greenwich.sch.uk/>

CHILDRENS LITURGY:

The children's liturgy to announced shortly.

MASS INTENTIONS: 16th August 2025 -24th August 2025

16/08/2025 Saturday 6.30pm	People of the parish
17/08/2025 Sunday 10.15am	People of the parish
17/08/2025 Sunday 12.00noon	People of the parish
18/08/2025 Monday 10.00am	Pray for Good Health of Ly Bui & Nga Bui
19/08/2025 Tuesday 10.00 am	For repose soul of Sylvia stiehl RIP
20/08/2025 Wed 10.00am	Mary Lynch birthday
21/08/2025 Thursday 10.00am	Holy souls
22/08/2025 Friday 10.00 am	-Stephanie Apena & Mary Matti RIP -In memory of Egidio Olatunji De-Souza
23/08/2025 Saturday 6.30 pm	People of the parish
24/08/2025 Sunday 10.15 am	Special intention of Oyewole family
24 /08/2025 Sunday 12.00 am	People of the parish

<i>1st reading</i>	<i>Jeremiah 38:4-6,8-10</i>	<i>'You bore me, a man of contention to the whole land.'</i>
<i>Psalm</i>	<i>Ps40(39):2.3.4.18. R.14b</i>	<i>Lord, make haste to help me!</i>
<i>2nd reading</i>	<i>Hebrews 12:1-4</i>	<i>'Let us run with endurance the race that is set before us.'</i>
<i>Gospel Acclamation</i>	<i>John 10:27</i>	<i>My sheep hear my voice, says the Lord, and I know them, and they follow.</i>
<i>Gospel</i>	<i>Luke 12:49-53</i>	<i>'I have not come to give peace but division'.</i>

NOTICES

DAY WITH MARY Our Lady of Muswell, Colney Hatch Lane, N10 Saturday 23 August 2025 Starts by 10am Ends by 5.30pm. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Confession during the days. Please bring a packed lunch. See posters for details or go to www adaywithmary.org

ANNUAL GATHERING OF LAUDATO SI' MOMENT 5th Sep-6th Sep Wardley hall Salford (M28 2ND)-To inspire and mobilise the catholic community to care for our common home & achieve climate and ecological justice, a time to reflect in nature. Prayer and discussion. Friday 1pm-4.15pm/ Sat-9.30am-4pm **All Are Welcome**. For more details have a look at the notice board

EXPOSITION & ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Exposition and adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in our parish every Sunday, between 9am -10am before the 10.15am Mass.

MISSION STATEMENT

To build a community of believers where everybody will be known and appreciated



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COLLECTIONS:

09th/10th August

1st collection: £353.95

2nd collection: £175.31

(Hall Fund)

23rd/24th August

(Hall fund)

100 CLUB:

The winner of the July 2025 draw is

Simi Arrava CONGRATULATIONS!

The total amount to the Parish in July 2025 is £490.

PARISH BANK DETAILS:

Name: RCAS Shooters Hill

Sort Code: 60-50-01

Account No: 36002445

SAFEGUARDING: It is the policy of the Catholic Church in England and Wales to report all allegations of abuse to statutory authorities, regardless of whether the abuse occurred recently or in the past, or whether the accused person is living or deceased. If you are concerned about the welfare of a child or adult at risk, do not delay in contacting the police, using 999 if a child or adult is believed to be in immediate danger.

Further safeguarding information

-Parish Website

<https://stjosephs-rcaos.org.uk>

-Parish Safeguarding Representatives:

*Melanie Lanzon

shootershillsg1@safeguardrcaos.org.uk

*John Woodcock

shootershillsg3@safeguardrcaos.org.uk

PARISH NEWSLETTER

To save on printing costs, we only print a double-sided copy of the weekly newsletter. There is a longer version on the parish website with much more information – please take a look.

"OUR NEW PARISH WEBSITE IS NOW LIVE!"

Visit us at <https://stjosephs-rcaos.org.uk> to stay connected and informed. With deep gratitude, we thank the parishioners who shared their gifts and worked faithfully behind the scenes to make this happen."

OUR LADY OF GRACE CATHOLIC CHURCH is presenting its Summer Pop-Up Market @Our Lady of Grace Charlton on Saturday, 30th August 2025, from 12 PM at 145 Charlton Road, SE7 7EZ. This exciting event will showcase the talents and small businesses within our church community, featuring a wide variety of handmade goods, crafts, baked items, artwork, books, and more. Whether you're a small business owner, creative artist, or nonprofit, you're warmly invited to participate—just be sure your stall reflects Christian values and is family-friendly. It's a wonderful opportunity to support local talent, connect with others, and enjoy a fun-filled day with your community. To register or find out more, please contact us at ologpopup@gmail.com or call 07908 561473. Scan QR code to register Don't miss out—we look forward to seeing you there!



AT THE SHRINE OF SAINT JUDE IN FAVERSHAM, Kent we have a new path called the 'Footprints of Hope' project. As part of the 'Footprints of Hope' project, we would like to offer one more opportunity to have a name engraved on a brick at this special shrine of hope. Make your mark and remember your friends and loved ones in this special place of hope and peace - you can add a name for just £30 per brick. There is no limit to how many bricks are ordered. All bricks need to be ordered by 29 August 2025. Donate for your footprint, here: www.stjudeshrine.org.uk/footprints or call **01795 539 214**

"HOSPITAL CHAPLAINCY VOLUNTEERS - IS THIS FOR YOU?"

The chaplaincy at Queen Elizabeth Hospital is currently looking to recruit more volunteers to visit patients on the wards. If you are interested in knowing more, please email Rev Emmanuel at ekormi@nhs.net, or call the Chaplaincy on **020 8836 6831**"

EXHIBITION OF BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS AT ST PETER'S MONDAY 23RD AUGUST –

SUNDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER St Peter's Woolwich is hosting an inspiring exhibition dedicated to Blessed Carlo Acutis, a modern witness to faith, whose life touched many around the world. This exhibition offers a unique opportunity to reflect on Carlo's spiritual journey, his remarkable legacy, and the impact of his deep faith lived out in ordinary life. Let us be inspired by Carlo's message: "All people are born as originals, but many die as photocopies." May his example draw us closer to Christ and to one another.

MARCH FOR LIFE UK – SATURDAY 6TH SEPTEMBER 2025 Join thousands of others in London for this year's March for Life. The day begins with a pro-life festival at the Emmanuel Centre (10am–1pm) featuring talks, music, prayer, and children's activities. We then walk peacefully through central London, proclaiming the message **"Life from Conception – No Exception!"**, ending with a rally and time of prayer in Parliament Square. A great opportunity to stand for life—especially if it's your first time. For more info: marchforlife.co.uk

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SOUTHWARK DAY OF RETREAT FOR LECTORS AND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST Date: Saturday, 18th October 2025 Location: Saint Stephen's Church, welling 26 Deepdene Road, Kent, DA16 3QL. For: Parishes in the Deaneries of Bexley, Bromley, and Greenwich Please, register via your own parish at: evsoutheast@rcaos.org.uk Deadline: Monday 29 September 2025

SOUTHWARK DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: There are still a few places available on the pilgrimage, which Southwark makes to Lourdes from 22 to 29 August this year. For information and booking, please see <https://www.tangney-tours.com/diocesepilgrimages/diocese-ca/> There are a range of hotels available, though most Southwark pilgrims will be staying at the Hotel Eliseo. Further information is available from Bishop Paul paulhendricks@rcaos.org.uk or Canon Perera edwardperera@rcaos.org.uk

WEEKLY COLLECTION Please do not put foreign coins or other tokens in the weekly collection as this causes problems for our counting team and when banking cash

REPOSITORY The repository is open after Sunday masses. Please get your sacramentals

SECOND COLLECTION

This week second collection is Hall fund. Thank you for your generosity.

The Archbishop's Certificate is a two-year online course for all in Southwark and beyond who wish to understand their faith in a more profound way. The course will commence on 18 October 2025 and the cost will be £400 per year. The full cost of the course, payable over 2 years is £800. there is registration fee of £50. <https://aec.rcaos.org.uk/archcert>

Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies: The CCRS is a knowledge-based, internationally recognized qualification that provides participants with an understanding of the teachings of the Catholic faith. This course presents the basic foundational teachings of the Catholic Church in a manner that is captivating, inspiring, and applicable. The CCRS is designed and intended to support the Archbishop's vision of missionary parishes and schools by cultivating an evangelistic spirit. Participants will be equipped to make an informed and practical contributions to their chosen field of ministry within the Church. Please visit <https://aec.rcaos.org.uk/ccrs> for further information.

PHISHING EMAILS (SCAMS). Please be aware of phishing emails – which are an attempt to scam someone using a well-known name, such as an organisation or even a parish priest. • Legitimate emails from parish priests, parish secretaries & other diocesan / parish offices will only come from an email with an @rcaos.org.uk email address. • Please always check the sender's email address and not just the name. • Do not reply if suspicious of email / sender. • Do not click any links or download any attachments. Delete it from your inbox

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100 club -Looking for a fun way to donate and support our parish? Join our monthly '100 club 'draw! for just £10 a month, you have the chance to win 30% of the total contribution, while 70% supports the parish. Everyone benefits! If anyone wants to sign up or needs more details, please contact Jake 07506855666

DIOCESAN SCHOOLS COMMISSIONER Following the retirement of the current post holder the Education Service are looking to recruit a person to support its schools and academies. Details for the Trust Relationship Officer available at <https://www.rcaoseducation.org.uk/trust-relationship-officer-education-service/>

GIFT AID -All those currently in the Gift Aid Scheme, please collect your **New GIFT AID BOX** after mass this weekend or during week. New members are most welcome to join. Registration is very simple, just pick a form today. Complete it and hand it in. Thank you to all those who contribute magnificently to gift aid. May God bless you abundantly for your support

SUPPORT YOUR PARISH- It depends on the generosity of all the parishioners to enable the parish to continue and flourish. We encourage parishioners to become involved by volunteering and contributing financially.

THE SPIRITUALITY COMMISSION will be sending daily reflections to help you draw closer to the Lord Jesus. These reflections will allow us to hear the readings a new, looking at where they resonate in our own lives and how they can draw us nearer to God. You can sign-up to receive them directly into your inbox each morning here [https:// www.rcsouthwark.co.uk/news-events/news/lent2025-reflections/](https://www.rcsouthwark.co.uk/news-events/news/lent2025-reflections/)

GIFT AID DONORS

If you have recently started donating via standing order or you are putting loose cash into the collection, and you are able to gift aid your monthly offering, please complete a gift aid form online on forms.rcaos.org.uk/giftaid/

CONTACTLESS MACHINE

Recently, the wire to the terminal has been pulled out which means people cannot use it. **PLEASE DO NOT LET CHILDREN TOUCH THE MACHINE.**

PARISH DIGITAL TEAM

Our new digital team will manage the Parish's website and digital channels including the new screen displays. We are inviting our young people to join the new digital team. If you have an interest in technology, do join the

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team by contacting Paddy on 07361-621-953 (WhatsApp) or 07957-143-856 (SMS). You can also contact our Parish Priests or any of the Parish Teams.



WELCOMERS GROUP

Would anyone like to join our existing Welcoming Group? It is hoped to start a rota again so all Masses during the weekend will have at least 2 people to welcome people, answer queries and

smile before and after Mass. They will be expected to arrive 15 mins before Mass and leave approx. 15 mins after and have a basic understanding of our parish. **If you feel you can help with this, please give your details on the form on the notice board.**

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