

**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

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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

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**OFFICE HOURS:** 

Wed 10am-1pm

**FACEBOOK:** 

https://www.facebook.com/StjosephsSH

MASS INTENTIONS: 31st May 2025 -08th June 2025

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| 31/05/2025Saturday 6.30pm                  | People of the Parish                            |  |
| 01/06/2025 Sunday 10.15am                  | Peg & Mick Flynn RIP                            |  |
| 01/06/2025 Sunday 12.00pm                  | People of the Parish                            |  |
| 02/06/2025 Monday 10.00am                  | People of the Parish                            |  |
| 03/06/2025 Tuesday 10.00 am                | Holy Souls                                      |  |
| 04/06/2025 Wed 10.00am                     | Holy Souls                                      |  |
| 05/06/2025Thursday10.00am                  | Birthday Blessings for Health and Wellbeing for |  |
|  | Sean, Keith, Kenneth, Stiell & Maggie           |  |
| 06/06/2025 Friday 10.00 am                 | Holy Souls                                      |  |
| 07/06/2025Saturday 6.30 pm                 | People of the Parish                            |  |
| 08/06/2025 Sunday 10.15 am                 | People of the Parish                            |  |
| 08/06/2025Sunday 12.00 pm                  | Mrs. Evelyn Diogu RIP                           |  |

| 1st reading | Acts 7:55-60       | 'I can see the Son of Man standing at the right hand of God' |
|-------------|--------------------|--|
| Psalm       | Psalm 97(96): 1,   | The Lord is King, most high above all the                    |
|             | 2b. 6, 7c. 9.1a,9b | earth.   |
| 2nd reading | Revelation22:12-   | 'Come, Lord Jesus!'  |
|             | 14, 16-17, 20      |  |
| Gospel      | John 14:18         | I will not leave you as orphans, says the                    |
| Acclamation |                    | Lord. I am going away and I will come to                     |
|             |                    | you, and your hearts will rejoice.                           |
| Gospel      | John 17:20-26      | 'May they become perfectly one'.                             |

### NOTICES

## **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.

<u>THE PARISH SAFEGUARDING REPRESENTATIVES</u> will meet with Father Vincent and a representative from the Archdiocese Safeguarding team in the Presbytery on Thursday 5th June at 7pm.

# **MASS INTENTIONS**

All the mass intentions should be given into the parish office or the parish Priest before Wednesday for the masses to be celebrated and to go into the newsletter for the week.

## **MISSION STATEMENT**

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





#### SCHOOL:

Notre Dame Catholic Primary School Tel: 020 8854 0585

Website:

www.not redame.green wich.

sch.uk

#### CHILDRENS LITURGY:

The children's liturgy is suspended due to the hall closure.

### **COLLECTIONS:**

### 24<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup> May

1st collection: £665.636 2nd collection: £117.51

(Hall Fund)
07<sup>th</sup>/08<sup>th</sup> June
Spiritians mission

#### 100 CLUB:

The winner of the May 2025 draw is Miss Simi Arava CONGRATULATIONS! The total amount to the Parish in May 2025 is £483.

#### **PARISH BANK DETAILS:**

Name: RCAS Shooters Hill

Sort Code: 60-50-01 Account No: 36002445

## **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.

## **FEAST OF PENTECOST**

This year's Pentecost Sunday is on the 8<sup>th</sup> of June 2025. The celebration will be on the 15<sup>th</sup> of June, 2025. There will be one Mass by 11 am. It is the Spiritan's Feast (Congregation of the Holy Ghost Fathers &Brothers), our congregation was formed on 27<sup>th</sup> May Pentecost Sunday 1703 by Francis Mary Paul Liberman and Claude Paula Desplace. We are all invited to make this feast an eventful one in the parish. It is the opportunity to live out once again the Pentecostal experience of the Apostles with "One heart and One soul". Let us gather to celebrate this year's Pentecost elaborately in the Apostolic spirit of the Holy Mass by 11 am. The celebration will continue the following week with a 'bring and share' party and barbecue after the 12:00 noon Mass on Sunday, 15th June. We are encouraged to be part of this celebration, invite your friends to come and witness and share in this Holy Spirit encounter. Come one come all.

**<u>SECOND COLLECTION:</u>** This week's second collections are for World Communications. Thank you for your generosity.

<u>GIFT AID -</u>All those currently in the Gift Aid Scheme, please collect your **New** <u>GIFT AID BOX</u> 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

<u>BAPTISM CLASSES</u> will be held on the first Wednesday of every month at St. Joseph's Church. Please keep this in mind and kindly help spread the word to others as well.

<u>DIOCESAN SCHOOLS COMMISSIONER</u> 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 <a href="https://www.rcaoseducation.org.uk/trust-relationship-officer-education-service/">https://www.rcaoseducation.org.uk/trust-relationship-officer-education-service/</a>

# CHURCH FLOWER ARRANGEMENT – VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

We are kindly seeking volunteers to assist with flower arrangements at the church. If you're able to lend a hand, your help would be greatly appreciated. Please speak to Sandra Jean or contact the parish office if you're interested.

<u>Day with Mary</u>: Saturday 7th June at St Thomas More Church, Long Lane, Bexleyheath. Starting with a Fatima video presentation in the church hall at 8.45am. Finish at 5.30pm. Saturday 14th June at Our Lady Help of Christians Church, Nottingham, starting at 9.30am, finish at 5.15pm. Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Confession during the days. Please bring a packed lunch. See posters for details or go to <a href="https://www.adaywithmary.org">www.adaywithmary.org</a>

<u>100 club</u> -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

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THE MIRACULOUS IMAGE OF OUR LADY OF GUADALUPE will be in the Polish Church, 48 Pitts Road, Slough SL1 3XH from Sunday 25 May at 6 pm Opening Parish Mass to Sunday 1st June departure after the Parish Mass at 12 noon All Welcome to celebrate with us "25 Years of Ministry". Please call Millie on 07957594646 for daily celebrations.

#### **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.

<u>SUPPORT YOUR PARISH-</u> 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.

## ARCHDIOCESAN JUBILEE CELEBRATION DAY AT THE FRIARS, AYLESFORD 7

JUNE 2025. Led by Archbishop John Wilson, we will gather as an Archdiocese at The Friars, Aylesford for a day of prayer, reflection, celebration, and fun. There will be lots of activities, for children as well as for adults. This will be the centrepiece event of the 2025 Jubilee in the Archdiocese of Southwark. There will also be a walking pilgrimage from St George's Cathedral in Southwark to The Friars (2-6 June 2025). The event itself is free. Our parish is putting on a coach for the day itself, so to join our parish coach, please contact shootershill@rcaos.org.uk We shall get back to you on the cost of the coach.

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

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/

## THE NATIONAL JUBILEE PILGRIMAGE OF HOPE.

A walking pilgrimage for England & Wales for the 2025 Jubilee with four main Ways converging at the Cathedral of St Barnabas in Nottingham. Read more https://www.pilgrimways.org.uk/national-pilgrims-of-hope-walking-pilgrimage

# **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.** 

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## **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 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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