



PARISH TEAM

Parish Priest:

Fr. Vincent Nnatuanya C.S.S.p

Other 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 will be on

23-11-2025

MASS INTENTIONS: 29th November 2025 -07th December 2025

29/11/2025 Saturday 6.30pm	People of the parish
30/11/2025 Sunday 10.15am	-Clara Adenike De-Souza -Alfred Olakintan De-Souza -Egidio Olatunji De-Souza
30/11/2025 Sunday 12.00noon	Daniel and Comfort Akamo RIP
01/12/2025 Monday 10.00am	Holy souls
02/12/2025 Tuesday 10.00 am	Birthday blessing Mary-Ann Osagie
03/12/2025 Wed 10.00am	Pray for All Souls
04/12/2025 Thursday 10.00am	Holy souls
05/12/2025 Friday 10.00 am	Holy souls
06/12/2025 Saturday 6.30 pm	People of the parish
07/12/2025 Sunday 10.15 am	People of the parish
07/12/2025 Sunday 12.00 noon	Pedro Patricia Fagbo RIP

<i>First reading</i>	<i>Isaiah 2:1-5</i>	<i>'The Lord gathers all nations together into the eternal peace of the kingdom of God'</i>
<i>Psalm</i>	<i>Psalm 122(121): 1-2,4-5. R.cf.1</i>	<i>Let us go rejoicing to the house of the Lord.</i>
<i>Second reading</i>	<i>Romans 13:11-14a</i>	<i>'Salvation is nearer to us now.'</i>
<i>Gospel Acclamation</i>	<i>Psalm 85(84):8</i>	<i>Show us O Lord, your mercy, and grant us your salvation.</i>
<i>Gospel</i>	<i>Mathew 24:37-44</i>	<i>'Stay awake so that you may be ready'</i>

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

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

PARISH OFFICE NOTICE- Please be advised that the Parish Secretary will be away until the first week of December. Should you require any assistance or have urgent matters that need attention during this period, kindly contact the Parish Priest or one of the clergy members. We appreciate your understanding and cooperation.

ST GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL CAROL SERVICE on 9th December at 7.30pm. Join Archbishop John and the beautiful St George's Cathedral Choir. All are welcome So please invite family and friends to join us.

MISSION STATEMENT

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COLLECTIONS:

22nd/23rd November

1st collection: £336.16

2nd collection: £142.22

(Youth work)

06th/07th November

Hall Fund

100 CLUB:

The winner of the October 2025 draw is

Patrycja CONGRATULATIONS!

The total amount to the Parish in October 2025 is £483.

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.

***GREENWICH CHRISTMAS FAIR* NEXT SUNDAY** Join us for a festive celebration of creativity, community, and Christmas cheer right here in the Royal Borough of Greenwich! Come along to support local vendors, discover stunning handmade gifts, enjoy delicious seasonal treats. Date: Sunday, December 7, 2025. Venue: Our Lady of Grace Catholic Church, 145 Charlton Road, Greenwich, London, SE7 7EZ. Time: 10:00 am - 19:00 pm

REGISTRATIONS FOR THE PROGRAMME OF PREPARATION FOR THE SACRAMENT OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION. This programme is for children who are baptised Roman Catholics, are in School Year 3 or above, and regularly attend Mass in this parish. To register and collect the necessary forms, please speak with one of our catechists after Mass, where further information will also be available

REGISTRATIONS FOR THE PROGRAMME OF PREPARATION FOR THE SACRAMENT OF CONFIRMATION is now taking place. This is for baptised Roman Catholics who are in School year 9 or above and for any practising Roman Catholic adult who has not yet been confirmed. To register and collect the necessary forms, please speak with one of our catechists after Mass, where further information will also be available.

SECOND COLLECTION-This Weekend second collection is for hall fund. Thank you for your generosity.

OUR CHRISTMAS BAZAAR IS COMING Date: Sunday 14th December Time: 12:30pm - 3:30pm **There will be 1 mass at 11am only!** We're looking for both donations and volunteers to make this year's bazaar the best yet! ✨ You can help by donating: 🍪 Homemade bakes, treats and foods! 🧸 New & Like New Toys & Children Books 🍷 Alcoholic Bottles for our Wheel of Fortune 🎁 Raffle prizes or gift baskets. NO BRIC A BRAC, NO CLOTHES please. Please drop these to back of the Church! We are asking for VOLUNTEERS, to help us spread Christmas cheer, and serve our parish family. 📋 Please sign your name up to our Volunteer Sheet at back of Church! Contact: Angela & Lyn for Q's

WOOLWICH SERVICES USERS PROJECT (WSUP) FUNDRAISING EVENT - CHRISTMAS CONCERT Join WSUP, a grassroots charity, for a fundraising event on Thursday, 4th December at 6:30pm at St Peter's Church, Woolwich. There will be music, festive cheer and community spirit in aid of WSUP. Tickets can be purchased by contacting Jas on 07730282637

HOLY FATHER'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR NOVEMBER: For collaboration between different religious traditions. Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice and human fraternity

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A DAY WITH MARY is taking place at bournemouth oratory Richmond hill, Bournemouth on Saturday 29 November 2025 (9.45am to 5.00pm). Further information is available at <https://www.adaywithmary.org/>

YOUR LEGACY OF FAITH: Remember the Church with a gift in your Will. When you move onto the next life, you can make your lifetime of faith live on through a gift in your Will. If you are thinking of putting your affairs in order, the Archdiocese of Southwark can help. If you would like to find out more and receive information on Will writing and estate planning contact the team on legacy@rcaos.org.uk or tel.no. 020 7960 2504. An information leaflet is available on the table in the porch. A copy is also on [https:// rcaos.org.uk/donate/leave-a-legacy/](https://rcaos.org.uk/donate/leave-a-legacy/)

ECUMENICAL PILGRIMAGE TO ROME & ASSISI 2026. Join Bishop Paul Hendricks, Canon Michael Branch and Anglican Bishop Christopher Chessun on a joyful 8-day pilgrimage from 2 March - 9 March 2026 to Rome and Assisi
<https://www.mccabe-travel.co.uk/pilgrimages/southwark-rome-and-assisi-8-day/>

“PLEASE PRAY AND FAST FOR THE END OF ABORTION AND EUTHANASIA on Monday 17th November. See attached poster. These days seem quite dark, what with Parliament voting to partly decriminalise abortion and voting to legalise euthanasia. Please invite others to join us in praying and fasting for life, you can do so with this link, <https://www.facebook.com/events/828656872884422>”

HOPE IN ADORATION-As part of the Jubilee Year 2025, Archbishop John is encouraging people to turn to the Lord Jesus in Eucharistic Adoration and have their hopes ‘fulfilled by Christ’ Throughout the year, the Hope in Adoration campaign will share testimonies from parish priests and the laity on how Eucharistic Adoration has helped them build a closer relationship with the Lord Jesus. More details- rcaos.org.uk/hopeinadoration

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

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.

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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 team by contacting parish office. 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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