



**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

1<sup>st</sup> 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/>

**CHILDREN'S LITURGY:**

The children's liturgy will be on

11-01-2026

**MASS INTENTIONS: 10<sup>th</sup> January 2025 -18<sup>th</sup> January 2025**

10/01/2026 Saturday 6.30pm	Get well Angela Nylon
11/01/2026 Sunday 10.15am	People of then parish
11/01/2026 Sunday 12.00noon	People of then parish
12/01/2026 Monday 10.00am	Holy souls
13/01/2026 Tuesday 10.00am	Holy souls
14/01/2026 Wed 10.00pm	Holy soul
15/01/2025Thursday10.00am	21st birthday thanksgiving victor banjo
16/01/2026 Friday 10.00 am	Holy soul
17/01/2026 Saturday 6.30 pm	People of then parish
18/01/2026 Sunday 10.15 am	People of then parish
18/01/2026 Sunday 12.00 noon	People of then parish

<i>First reading</i>	<i>Isaiah 42:1-4,6-7</i>	<i>'Behold my servant, in whom my soul delights'</i>
<i>Psalm</i>	<i>Psalm 29(28):1-2.3ac-4.3b,9b-10. R.11b</i>	<i>The Lord will bless his people with peace.</i>
<i>Second reading</i>	<i>Acts 10:34-38</i>	<i>'God anointed Jesus with the Holy Spirit'</i>
<i>Gospel Acclamation</i>	<i>Cf Mark 9:7</i>	<i>The heavens were opened and the voice of the Father Thundered: 'This is my beloved Son; listen to him'.</i>
<i>Gospel</i>	<i>Matthew 3:13-17</i>	<i>'When Jesus was baptised, he saw the spirit of God coming to rest on him'</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

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

**PEACE SUNDAY:** The work of Pax Christi is based on the gospel and inspired by faith. Our vision is of a world where people can live in peace, without fear of violence in all its forms. Rooted in Catholic Christianity, we work with all who share our values to abolish war and create communities of peace and justice. To find out more about the work of Pax Christi, the Catholic movement for peace in England & Wales, please go to [www.paxchristi.org.uk](http://www.paxchristi.org.uk) There will be a second collection on 18th January to support the work of Pax Christi.

**MISSION STATEMENT**

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

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**COLLECTIONS:**

**03<sup>rd</sup> /04<sup>th</sup> January**

1st collection: £563.73

2nd collection: £138.00

(Hall Fund)

**17<sup>th</sup> /18<sup>h</sup> January**

Pax Christi

**100 CLUB:**

The winner of the December 2025 draw is

**Thomas Esler CONGRATULATIONS!**

The total amount to the Parish in

December 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**

**-Parish Safeguarding Representatives:**

\*Melanie Lanzon

[shootershills1@safeguardrcaos.org.uk](mailto:shootershills1@safeguardrcaos.org.uk)

\*John Woodcock

[shootershills3@safeguardrcaos.org.uk](mailto:shootershills3@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.

**DAY WITH MARY** at Our Lady of Lourdes & St Vincent de Paul Harrow Road, W9 Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> January starts by 10 am to 4.30 pm. The day includes confession and adoration of the blessed sacrament.

**WORLD LEPROSY DAY** is an annual opportunity to highlight the ongoing reality faced by people affected by leprosy across the world, and to challenge the stigma and discrimination that still surrounds this disease. It is also a moment to celebrate the dignity, courage, and resilience of those living with leprosy. The John Bradburne Memorial Society is named in honour of John Bradburne, Servant of God, who served for ten years as warden of the Mutemwa Leprosy Care Centre in Zimbabwe. His life of prayer, compassion, and self-giving love continues to inspire our work today. JBMS supports the people of Mutemwa through funding essential medical care, food, shelter, and ongoing pastoral support.

**SOUTHWARK CATHOLIC YOUTH SERVICE:** Check out our website and social media for details of our activities such as: • Youth Days and Youth Retreats • Parish Mission Team • Young Adult Ministry and events • Training courses for Parishes • Pilgrimages Southwark Catholic Youth Service.

<https://www.rcsouthwark.co.uk/mission/southwark-catholic-youth-service/>

**NEW CATHOLIC BOOK:** Pope Leo XIV on Love, Truth, and the Church's Mission. A clear Catholic response for our time. In a world shaped by Artificial Intelligence, individualism, and moral relativism, this book presents Pope Leo XIV's compelling call to the Church: to love with truth, to evangelise with courage, and to remain faithful to Christ in a changing culture. Why read this book? The Church & AI — A balanced Catholic vision: welcoming technology while defending the unique dignity of the human person The Future of the Catholic Church in the UK — What must be protected, renewed, and proclaimed for the Church to survive and flourish Love & Truth —.To order a copy – 30% discount available - please email <mailto:blackfen@rcaos.org.uk>

**JOIN OUR PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES** travelling overnight by luxury coach from 9 to 14 February 2026. It is always a beautiful and deeply spiritual experience soaking in the Spirit of Jesus as we travel to honour Our Blessed Mother. Leaving Slough and Ealing Broadway on 9 Feb 2026 and departing Lourdes on 13 February for a visit to the Shrine of the Miraculous Medal in Rue de Bac, Paris on 14 February morning and arriving in London. Travel, full board and program cost £590. Call Millie on 07957594646 for more info.

**ARCHBISHOP JOHN WILSON** will celebrate Mass for Racial Justice Sunday at St George's Cathedral on Sunday 1 February 2026, at the 10am Mass. Racial Justice Sunday is a time for the Church to pray, reflect and take action against racism, while celebrating the diversity of our Archdiocese. Everyone is invited to take part, and those who wish may wear national or cultural dress as a sign of unity and pride. After Mass, all are welcome to gather in Amigo Hall for refreshments — a chance to meet one another, share experience, conversation about faith and inclusion. watch the livestream: <https://www.youtube.com/live/fdmGwmESSgl>

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**GRIEF IN LOSS RETREAT 2026:** 20 - 22 March 2026. For anyone who has experienced bereavement, either recently or some time ago. Grieve, remember, hope and give thanks for your loved ones in the light of the Resurrection of Jesus. Call 01622 717272 or email [reception@thefriars.org.uk](mailto:reception@thefriars.org.uk) to book and find out more.

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**THE RCIA PROGRAMME** (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) will start in January. at our lady of grace Charlton. This is for any Adult wishing to become a Roman Catholic - be Baptized, Confirmed, and prepared to receive the Holy Eucharist. The introductory session will be on the 11<sup>th</sup> of January at Our Lady of Grace Charlton and enrolment mass on the 13<sup>th</sup> January at the 10 am mass. Anyone wishing to join this programme please ask the priest for the registration form.

**KINDLY NOTE** –We kindly ask for donations of A4 yellow papers to help us in printing our Parish weekly newsletters. Your generosity and support are greatly appreciated. Thank you.

**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

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

**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/>

**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](mailto: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/)

**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](http://rcaos.org.uk/hopeinadoration)

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**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

**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/](https://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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