

ST. JOHN VIANNEY CHURCH

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LITURGY Morning Prayers – Mon-Fri: 8:30am

Sat: 9:15am

RECONCILIATION

1st Friday after 9:15am Mass

Saturday 5:00pm-5:30pm

MASS TIMES

Monday to Friday at 9.15am

Saturday 10:00am

Saturday 6pm – Sunday Vigil Mass

Sunday 9:00am and 11:00am

Holy Days of Obligation and Solemnity: 9:15am and 7:30pm



FR JEROME'S OFFICE HOURS: Mon. Tues. & Fri: 10:30am-2:30pm

FR VINCENT'S OFFICE HOURS:

Wed. Thurs: 10:30am - 2:30pm (4 Vincent Road N15 3QH)

> PARISH OFFICE HOURS Mon to Fri: 9.00am-5**pm**

16th SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 20th July/21st July 2024

Dear Parishioners

The salvation of the human person is so crucially important to our Lord Jesus Christ. This agenda is always at the centre of his message and ministry. He does not only go after that which dehumanises the body of the human person but also that which tries to destroy the quiddity of the human person created in the image and likeness of God. The mission of the Apostles as collaborators of our Lord revolves around this same theme.

At the end of the disciples' first missionary work, it was time for them to have some rest and share their apostolic work experience with the one who sent them out. Unfortunately, people were still coming looking for them with their problems that it became very difficult for them to have their meals and rest. The Lord knows the importance of people



taking care of their health for them to be able to function better in the ministry hence he came up with the idea, "You must come away to some lonely place all by yourselves and rest for a while" (Mark 6:30).

Talking of a deserted place our Lord meant a lonely place or a quiet place where he could listen to and speak with his Apostles. His decision affirms the importance of rest or renewal which is a very important aspect of self-care especially at the end of a busy day's work. Yes, they needed some rest but the salvation of the human person takes precedence over any other needs.

As soon as Jesus and his Apostles stepped ashore, he saw a large crowd; "and he took pity on them because they were like sheep without a shepherd and he set himself to teach them at some length," (Mark 6:34). The Lord knows deep down his heart what terrible thing it is not having any direction or where to anchor one's life. He understands the plight of the people hence as a good Shepherd he shelved their rest and went ahead to minister to this people. Self-care is very important but calls that lead to the salvation of the human person comes first.

Fr Vincent Nnatuanya CSSp

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY IN LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTIONS

PARISH ACTIVITY -TEAS /COFFEE MORNING TEAS/COFFEE

In the Parish Hall on Sundays, after 9am and 11am Masses.

We welcome all our New Parishioners, kindly join us in the hall for MORNING TEAS/COFFEE

NOTICES

1. Fr Erasmus Egenonu CSSP will be joining the Parish as an Assistant Priest in September 2024. Looking forward in welcoming him into our Parish.

2. STELLA MARIS

Thank you to everyone who has donated towards the Stella Maris Sea Sunday Collection. We have raised the amount of £377.93, once more thank you all for your generosity.

3. Candle Stands

The new **Self-Extinguishing Candle Stands** have been installed in the Church, we are still looking forward to reappearing the electric one. To light a Candle, a donation of at least 50p is required.

Anonymous donation: The sum of **£1100** has been donated towards the payment of the **Candle Stands**. Thank you so much, we are very grateful and pray that God will reward you awesomely.

4. Fr. Vincent @ 60!!!

Fr. Vincent turned 60, on Friday the 19th of July and the Parish will be celebrating with him Today after the 11am Mass in the hall with food and drinks to share

not for forgetting the birthday presents.

5. SUNDAY MASSES: We are thinking of increasing the Sunday Masses. Details to follow: Mass at 8am or 12.30pm?

Kindly give your opinion
on the forms at the back of the Church

6. FOODBANK:

Thank you for your generosity. We need more of toiletries and tin food. . All items can be left in the green box at the back of church. If you need food stuffs kindly come to the office or meet the Priest after Mass.

- 7. PLANNING GIVING & GIFT AID
 OFFERTORY ENVELOPES for 20242025 ARE AVAILABLE FOR
 COLLECTION. If you no longer pay tax
 please let us know. Thank You!
- 8. Sponsored Walk on 7th July at Downhills Park

Thank you to all who contributed and to all who took part in the 'raining' sponsored walk. We are yet to get back all the sponsored forms. The total amount raised will be announced as soon as the forms are turned in.

LECTIO DIVINA PRAYER GROUP

Meets every 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month after 9.15am Mass.

LEGION OF MARY

Meets every **Tuesday at 7:30pm** in Room 6 of the Parish Centre. If you are interested in joining, you will be most welcome.

Devotion to The HOLY SPIRITMeets Every **First Friday of Month** at 7.30pm at the Church.

THE LIVESIMPLY GROUP

Would like to thank everyone for the **CAFOD recycling sack collection** at the back of the Church. Please continue to donate unwanted jewelries, coins & currency, mobile phones, and stamps.

VOLUNTEER DRIVERS NEEDED:

London Catholic Worker need help picking up food donations locally for the homeless and destitute asylum seekers and refugees they help. Mostly midday on Saturdays, also Thursday evenings, and occasional other times. Own car preferred but not absolutely essential. If you are interested, please contact Martin at: londoncatholicworker@yahoo.co.uk OR 07985 728 464

NOVENA TO ST JOHN VIANNEY

The Novena to St John Vianney will be starting this coming Friday 26th July 2024 and finishing on the 3rd of August 2024. We will be having family fun day to Celebrate the Feast Day on Sunday 4th of August 2024.

Nigeria Community is having their Monthly Meeting next week Sunday after the 11am Mass at the Church Hall.

MEDJUGORJE PILGRIMAGE

There will be a Pilgrimage to

Medjugorje on the 27th of October
2024 for 7 Nights. Tickets are £779 per
Person direct return flights from Stansted
with 20kg bags included. For more
information please contact Rosie Dias:
07927 319279,

Mario Pereira: 07985 553325

Virgin Pande: 07809 724043.

DM Pilgrimage Aylesford August 2024 Westminster Diocese

The Divine Mercy Apostolate, London is holding a Celebration of St Faustina Birthday at Aylesford Priory, Aylesford, Kent on Bank Holiday Monday 26 August 2024 from 10 am to 4:30 pm. The reflection day will include teachings on the Message of Divine Mercy, Holy Mass, Hour of Mercy with Stations of the Cross, Adoration and Benediction and Veneration of the Image of Merciful Jesus. All welcome. Call Millie on 07957594646 for more information. Coaches from Ealing Broadway and Victoria

JOB VACANCIES

There are some job vacancies from the diocese for different posts.

For further details, please visit https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk/

Job Title	Department Name	Closing date
Parish Support Partner	PST	19/07/2024
Receptionist & Admin Assistant	SJPC	24/07/2024
Retreat Leader	SPEC	29/07/2024
Family Link Worker	SJPC	29/07/2024
Catechetical Coordinator	Brook Green	30/07/2024
Cathedral Finance Manager	Westminster Cathedral	31/07/2024
Yoga Tutor	SJPC	31/07/2024

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration on Tuesday after 9.15 Mass

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION

After the 10:00am Mass

CATECHETICAL PROGRAMMES 2024-2025

For any enquiries, please contact Sr Anabel or the Parish Office

Application forms for Catechetical programs are at back of the church. Filled applications can be handed at the **Parish office**.

BAPTISM FOR INFANTS

Application Forms at the back of the Church.

And for the sick and those in our parish

Angela	Ann
Billy	Eduardo
Elsa	Emmanuel
Gabriel	Helen
Ivy A	Joan
John	Kathy
Kitty	Luisa
Laura	Marie
Mary	Michael
Pantaleone	Patricia
Phil	Pierina
Rose	Sheila
Veronica	Walter
Yollie	Cathy
Dolores	Gerard Rowley

Please check the notice board at the back of the church for other events we are unable to publish in the newsletter.

Kwok Chai Tsui

Yuen Kuen Tsui

THIS WEEK WE PRAY FOR

The repose of the soul:

Udochukwu Valentine Ezugwu Mary Earle **Brian Waters** Mr Parker Benny Feely Michael Shields Harry Pitman Monica Halpin John Calderbank John D'Cruz Lazarus Ikediasia Rose Monde Berthelot Gilbert Chicot GodsPower Amad Michael Clarke Gilbert Nelson Alberto Ibanez Emelita Baldago Bobadilla Gabriel Bobadilla

RIP

Mrs Jones

Anniversary

Santiago M Torres
Henry Francois
Bridget Gaynor
Pamela Faulkner
Angelina Boi
James O'Donnell
Bob Lemmon
Angelo Cattini
Agnes McMahon
Tommy Butlar
Yvonne Enid Joseph

Special Intentions:

Alice Mills
Angela Pinto
Billy O'Keefe
Jim Cassin
John Russell
Kathleen Moore
Laura Oliveira
Max Oliveira
Michael James
Pitman Family
Haplin Family

NAMES NOT LISTED ABOVE
ARE LISTED IN OUR BOOK OF INTENTIONS
Let us pray for peace in
Holy Land, Ukraine and the world.

