

ST. JOHN VIANNEY CHURCH

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MORNING PRAYERS

Mon-Fri: 8:30am Sat: 9:15am

MASS TIMES Mon – Fri: 9.15am

Mon - Fri: 9.15an

Sat: 10am

RECONCILIATION

Saturday: 10:30 -11:30am

5:00pm-5:30pm

Parish Priest: Fr. Jerome Otitoyomi Dukiya CSSp. Office hours: Mon, Tues, & Fri: 10:30am-2:30pm Assistant Priest: Fr. Erasmus Egononu CSSp.

PARISH SAFEGUARDING OFFICER:

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Sat Vigil Mass: 6pm

Sunday Mass: 9am, 11am, 12.30pm

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

3RD SUNDAY OF ADVENT 15th December 2024

As we enter the third week of Advent the Church invites us to be happy and joyful. True happiness can only be achieved if, we can make people around of to be happy. When we make people around us to be happy, then we find true happiness.

True happiness comes from the Lord. It is within our hearts that happiness stream from, when we extend it to others, we get back in return.

We are also invited to be joyful. "JOY" is, Jesus' first, Yourself last and Others in between. That is the definition of JOY, we should always put Jesus who is God made man first in our lives and project others next and ourselves last then we have true Joy.

May the coming Lord at Christmas bring us Happiness and Joy.

Merry Christmas and Journey mercies to all those who are travelling.

Fr. Jerome Otitoyomi Dukiya CSSp.



THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY IN LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTIONS

PARISH ACTIVITY - 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. Today Sunday **15th December 2024 will be our Christmas Bazaar Sales**.
 Kindly go to the Parish Hall after each
 Mass and support by buying stuff.
- 2. We have gotten the **Five Volumes of the New Lectionaries** at the average
 of £200 each. Thank you all for your
 generosity in helping us in setting the
 bill. We already got donations that
 cover the total cost. £1,080. These
 Lectionaries are already in use.
 - 3. **FOODBANK:** Thank you for your generosity. We need more of toiletries, Rice, Spaghetti, Tin of Tomatoes, Sardines, oil and Tuna. All items can be left in the green box at the back of church. If you need food stuffs kindly contact the office or meet the Priest after Mass.
- 4. **VOLUNTEERS:** Kindly indicate your interest with the Parish office as a volunteer in the Parish in the following departments: Fundraising, Counter, Steward, Cleaners in the Church Friday's morning.
- 5. **SCAM Mails!!!** There is the need to remain vigilant for scammers, they write to parishioners pretending to be the Parish Priests demanding for gift Cards. Report such mails as scam.

6. PARISH CENTER: Thames Water has notified us about the misconnection of water pipes in the Parish Center, and the need for us to separate the rain water from the wastewater; After due consultation of the Parish finance committee, we have carried out the work. The total cost amount to £3,000, kindly donate toward this work, we count on your generosity. We have received a donation of £1,990 towards this. Thank you to the generous donors and we are still looking forward to more donations. God bless you all

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.

ARCHCONFRATERNITY OF THE HOLY SPIRIT. Devotion to the Holy Spirit

Meets Every **First Friday of Month** at 7.30pm at the Church.

LIVESIMPLY /JPIC

Meeting every **1st Sunday of the Month** after the 9am Mass.

SJV NIGERIA COMMUNITY

Meeting every **1st Sunday of the Month**after the 11am Mass

Diocesan Weekly Job Update

		
Job Title	Department	Closing
	Name	date
Music Director	Ogle Street	15/01/2025
and Organist		
Print Room	Print Room	15/01/2025
Assistant		
Parish	Hanwell	15/01/2025
Administrator		
Catechetical	Kenton	16/01/2025
Coordinator		
Sacramental	Hitchin	16/01/2025
Coordinator		
Caritas Trusts	Fundraising	17/01/2025
and		
Foundations		
Manager		
Parish Cleaner	Moorfield	20/01/2025
Parish	Clapton	20/01/2025
Administrator		
and		
Bookkeeper		

LIVE SIMPLY! Would like to say a big Thank You to each and everyone of you who has donated towards their appeal for Christmas Project. God bless you all.

A Christmas Celebration in Westminster Cathedral

Tickets are now on sale for the annual Christmas concerts which celebrate the mystery of **Christ's Incarnation** in carols and readings performed by the world-famous **Westminster Cathedral Choir**, **orchestra**, and celebrity readers, on 18 and **19 December at 7.30pm.** We encourage everybody to purchase tickets quickly before these popular events are sold out. Tickets can be purchased from the Cathedral Gift Shop or directly from Ticketmaster; go to **www.ticketmaster.co.uk** and type in Westminster Cathedral when prompted.

We are saddened to announce the death of **Mr. Gilbert Noriega & Mrs. Toni Kamen** who passed away last week. May their gentle souls and the souls of all the faithful departed rest in perfect peace.

ADVENT & CHRISTMAS MASS & SERVICE TIMES

CAROLS AT Turnpike Lane Station

Friday 20th December 5:00pm

CHRISTMAS EVE (Tuesday 24TH DEC) Morning Mass

Family/Children's Mass 7:00pm Carol Service 9:00pm First Mass of Christmas 10:00pm

CHRISTMAS DAY (Wed. 25TH DEC)

Mass of the Nativity of the Lord 9:00am and 11:00am

WEEKDAY MASSES

Thurs.-Fri 26th -28th December 9:15am

FEAST OF THE HOLY FAMILY OF JESUS, MARY AND JOSEPH

Sunday 29th December 9:00am 11am & 12.30pm

Monday 30th morning 9.15am

Tuesday 31st morning 9.15am

SOLEMNITY OF MARY, MOTHER OF GOD (New Year's Vigil)

Tuesday 31st December 9pm Vigil & Mass Wednesday 1st January 9am & 11am

THE EPIPHANY OF THE LORD

Sunday 5th January 9am & 11am & 12.30pm

Monday 6th January 9am & 6:00pm

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

Adoration on Tuesday after 9.15 Mass

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION

After the 10:00am Mass

CATECHETICAL PROGRAMMES 2024-25

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

SUNDAY'S RE CLASSES

Next Session: 15th Dec at 10am

FR&HC CLASSES

Next Session: Jan 18th, 10am

CONFIRMATION

Next Session: Jan 18th at 4pm

RCIA

Tuesday 6pm

INFANTS BAPTISM 2nd Saturday of the Month

Application Forms at the back of the Church.

And for the sick and those in our parish

Magdalene

Angela Ann Eduardo Billy Elsa Emmanuel Gabriel Helen Ivy A Joan John Kathy Kitty Luisa Laura Marie Michael Mary Pantaleone Patricia Phil Pierina Caesar Sheila Rose Yollie Veronica Manuel Cathy **Dennis** Dolores Gerard Rowley Lawrence Yuen Kuen Tsui Kwok Chai Tsui

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

THIS WEEK WE PRAY FOR The repose of the soul:

Gilbert Noriega

Manuel Lopez

Barbara Magaret McCauley

Walter Heaton

Udochukwu Valentine

Mary Earle

Mr. Parker

Benny Feely

Michael Shields

Monica Halpin

John Calderbank

Lazarus Ikediasia

Rose Monde

Gilbert Chicot

GodsPower Amadi

Michael Clarke

Gilbert Nelson

Alberto Ibanez

Emelita Baldago

Gabriel Bobadilla

Mrs Jones

Peter Maguire

Saluzinio and

Luiza Fernandes

RIP Anniversary

Brian Waters

Marie Mendy

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.