



ST. JOHN VIANNEY CHURCH

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THE
SPIRITANS

MORNING PRAYERS RECONCILIATION

Mon-Fri: 8:30am

Sat: 9:15am

Saturday:

10:30 -11:30am

5:00pm-5:30pm

MASS TIMES

Mon – Fri: 9.15am

Sat: 10am

Sat Vigil Mass: 6pm

Sundav Mass: 9am. 11am. 12.30pm **Holy Days of Obligation & Solemnity: 9:15am & 7:30pm**

Parish Priest: Fr. Jerome Otitoyomi Dukiya CSSp.

Office hours: Mon, Tues, & Fri: 10:30am-2:30pm

Assistant Parish Priest: Fr. Peter Ehinmiro CSSp.

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THE ASSUMPTION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY 16TH AUGUST 2026

Our readings today tell us of the universality of the kingdom of God. Fr Marcel told us on the feast of transfiguration that the kingdom of God is really, beautiful and for everyone. Though God first offered the Jews and then through them alone to the rest of the World. But God included all nations in his plan for salvation and blessed all the families of the earth.

In our first reading the prophet Isaiah said my house shall be a house of prayer for all people. In God's eye all human being regardless of raise, colour intelligent, charm are his dear children by creation and adoption.

In the second reading St Paul reminds us of the needs to be servants of God's word, he is merciful, and plans for us does not change. God's chosen people rejection of Jesus provide opportunities to St Paul to turn to the gentiles with the good news there by bring them to Christ.

St Thomas said God permit evil only if he can draw a greater good out of it. God permitted Jews and Gentiles to disobey him so that he could show them mercy by offering eternal life to everyone who wish to have it. The Gospel text describes a miraculous healing Jesus performed for a gentile woman, the healing of the Canaanite's woman daughter took place outside the Jewish territory, Tyre and Sidon which a modern day Lebanon. It for shadows the extension of the Gospel to the whole world.

Even though the Canaanite woman was regarded as pagan and rituality unclean but she showed a gallant and audacious love her daughter. Persistent in hope and cheerfulness in rejection. Jesus demonstrated that his mission is to build bridges, break down barriers and remove long standing walls of division and of Jew and Gentiles. God loves all his children welcoming everyone who believes in him, ask for his mercy and tries to do his will.

Fr Peter Ehinmiro

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 and visitors. Kindly join us in the hall for morning tea and coffee.

NOTICES

1. The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary Saturday 15th August. Masses are 9.15am and 6pm.

2. St John Vianney's Pilgrimage to the National Catholic Shrine of **Our Lady of Walsingham on 19th September 2026.**

Parishioners are invited to join **Archbishop Richard Moth** who will lead the Westminster Diocese 10th-anniversary day of prayer, running from **10:00 am to 4:00 pm** at the Norfolk shrine. The coach will leave St John Vianney Church, West Green at **8.00am** promptly. Tickets are **£35.00** per person

Contact Mariantha on **07931 614 603**, the Parish Office on **020 8888 5518** to get a ticket or for more information. Thank you

3. OPPOSE ASSISTED SUICIDE Ahead of the Second Reading and vote in the **House of Commons for the Terminally Ill Adults** (End of Life Bill) on Friday 11 September, the Communications Directorate of the Bishops' Conference has produced a poster to encourage Catholics to urgently write to their MPs.

The poster has a scannable QR code, that is linked to the Oppose Assisted Suicide section on the Bishops' Conference website. That page can also be found at:

<https://www.cbcew.org.uk/opposing-assisted-suicide/> .

On the page, there are various resources, copies of statements and guidance on writing to your MP.

4. Fr Jerome has safely arrived in Nigeria. Kindly remember him in your prayer.

5. Kindly Pick up your Gift-Aid envelope at the back of the Church. Kindly collect your Gift Aid envelope from the back of the church. The person currently using **Envelope**

No. 396 is kindly asked to collect a new Gift Aid form so that we can allocate the same envelope under the Planned Giving scheme. The person using **Envelope No. 244** is also kindly requested to come forward so that we can update our records with your details.

6. Repairs of the Ladies' WC in the Hall. **Cost £2,100. We appeal to the kind gestures to donate towards this project.** Amount raised so far is **£300** thank you to all donors.

7. Jumble Sale Our Jumble Sale is held every two months in the Parish Hall. We look forward to welcoming you to our next sale in **October**. On the day of the sale, our **Tea and Coffee Morning** will be held in the **Big Hall**. Please come along to enjoy refreshments, a friendly chat, and the opportunity to meet with others from our parish and community. Everyone is warmly welcome!

8. CONFIRMATION, FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND RCIA Parents and grandparents who have children or grandchildren and Adults, wishing to receive one of the Holy Sacraments next year are kindly requested to collect a registration form from the back of the church. Please complete the form and return it to the Parish Office no later than the **first week of September 2026**. Thank you for your cooperation, and may God continue to bless your families.

9. Pilgrimage to Assisi Eddie Gilmore is leading a walking pilgrimage to Assisi from **September 18th- 26th, 2026**: one night in Florence then six days along the beautiful 'Way of Francis'. Contact Eddie for more information: gileag@gmail.com www.eddiegilmore.org

10. Bible Studies; we are inviting our youths to our Bible studies every Sunday after the 11am Mass in the hall room 6.

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 the Small Hall at 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 **3rd Sunday of the Month** after the 11am Mass.

Ghanaian Catholic Association

Quarterly Meeting Monthly after the 11am Mass

Kindly support your Parish by picking and filling the Gift aid Form and the Standing Order.

JUSTICE & PEACE INTEGRITY OF CREATION

FOODBANK: Thank you for your generosity. Such items as: toilet rolls, soap, detergent, basmati rice, spaghetti, lentils, noodles, couscous, oil, sugar, green tea, coffee, tinned tomatoes, tinned fish and tinned fruit. All items can be left in the green box at the back of church.

FOOD VOUCHERS AND ASSISTANCE SCHEME.

Kindly help feed one vulnerable by donating **£7.50** per meal. This scheme has been on, in the Parish for a long time, we now have more people on the demands due to high cost of living. A donation of **£100** was received last week. Thank you for your supports.

RIGHT TO FOOD UK COMMISSION
Kindly see the Notice Board for your information or visit

www.lanbyrne.org/rtfcommission

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COME TO THE CELEBRATE FESTIVAL - A FAITH-FILLED EVENT FOR ALL THE FAMILY.

Runs from 15-19 August, at Worth School, West Sussex.

Hear inspiring speakers such as Fr Roberto Pasolini (Preacher to the Pope), David Wells and Johannes Hartl, experience beautiful masses, pray in Worth Abbey, fun and formation for children and young people aged 3-24 each day of the festival, and relax in the beautiful Sussex countryside.

Camp in our festival field or stay in school accommodation. Weekend tickets also available. For more information visit www.celebratefestival.org

We regret to announce the death of **Nora O'Sullivan** Funeral at New Southgate on the 21st August at 1.30pm. **Angela Amorelli** 26th August at 11am, **Pierina Ricci** will be 27th August at 11am, here at St John Vianney. **James Thumum** and **Ellen Elmes**, May their souls rest in peace.

Happy Birthday / Anniversary to all, who are celebrating this week. Kindly come out for special blessing.

**ADORATION OF
THE BLESSED SACRAMENT**

Adoration on Tuesday after 9.15 Mass

FIRST SATURDAY DEVOTION

After the 10:00am Mass

CATECHETICAL PROGRAMMES
For 2026-2027 Application
Forms are at the back of the
Church

**FIRST RECONCILIATION &
HOLY COMMUNION CLASSES**

CONFIRMATION

RCIA
Rite OF Christian Initiation
of Adults

INFANTS BAPTISM
2nd Saturday of the Month
Application Forms at the
back of the Church.

For any enquiries, please
contact the Parish Office.

YOUTH CORNER

Kindly scan the QR code to join SJV
Youth group. You are the future of our Parish.



And for the sick and those in our parish

Andy	Magdalene
Angela	Ann
Zaldy	Elsa
Emmanuel	
Gabriel	Helen
	Joan
John	Kathy
Kitty	Luisa
Laura	Marie
Mary	Michael
Pantaleone	Patricia
Phil	Caesar
Pierina	
Rose	Veronica
Yollie	
Manuel	Cathy
Dolores	
Dennis	Lawrence
Gerard	Rowley
Yuen Kuen Tsui	Kwok Chai

Chapter 2 THIS WEEK WE PRAY FOR

The repose of the soul:

Angela Amorelli
Ellen Elmes
Pierina Ricci
Nora O'Sullivan
James Thumum
Ann Toussaint
Dorothy May Ward
Eleuterio Ibale
Leonard Manuel
Patrick English
Gretta Sweeney
Ivy Fernandes
Sebastiao Capitaio
Julia Cronin
Pauline Mooney
Deborah Alvares
Aidan Chidarikire

RIP Anniversary

Maria Josefina Da Silva
Luiza Fernandes

Special Intentions:

Alice Mills
Angela Pinto
Billy O'Keefe

**NAMES NOT LISTED ABOVE
ARE LISTED IN OUR BOOK OF INTENTIONS**

**Let us pray for peace in
the World.**

**Let us continue to pray for the souls
of all the faithful departed to rest in
perfect peace.**

