

UPCOMING PARISH EVENTS

Parish Fundraising - St Chad's Bingo Bonanza— Calling all Bingo Fanatics on Saturday, 20th June 2026. Doors open at 11am; first game at 12 noon prompt; entrance £2.

Next SVP Cake Sale will be on Sunday, 14 June.

Parish Fundraising - St Chad's Parish Summer Fair

A date for your diary— **Sunday, 5th July 2026 after the 10:30am Mass.** Please purchase your Raffle tickets which are on sale now. In the meantime, all donations for **all types of drinks** and any other donations are very welcome. Kindly bring them to the Presbytery. Thank You.

400-Club Membership - We are taking new members & renewals.

Cost: £25 cash for 12 monthly draws. Cash prizes every month of £100, £50 & £25. You need to be in it to win. Please support your Parish. Collect your form from the Repository. We urgently need a 50 more people to join to help raise funds for our Parish. Thank You.

FLAME 2027

The largest Catholic Youth Event in England is back for ages 14 and above—on Saturday 6th March 2027. It's a day packed with fun, prayer and worship and we would like to see as many young people as possible for this exciting event. Ticket £30 plus transportation. Contact Marnique: 07305948628 for information and ticket.

For Health & Safety & Safe Guarding reasons, Parents should kindly supervise their children at all times, especially when using the toilets, particularly in the Hall.

CHILDREN'S LITURGY: 1st & 3rd Sundays—Primary age (5-11yrs);
2nd Sundays—Toddlers & children up to 6yrs. Children younger than 3yrs should have an older sibling or an adult accompanying them.

SACRAMENT BOX

RCIA - (Adult Catechism) meet Mondays at 7:30pm in the Guild Room.

RCIC — (Catechism for the young— from 7 to 17yrs) on Saturdays after 10am Mass

Infant Baptism — usually on the 4th Sunday of the month except August & December where no Baptisms are held.

First Holy Communion — Applications begin in Sept/Oct and Catechism starts in January.

Confirmation — Applications begin in September and catechism starts in November

Marriage — Book an appointment to meet Father. Process takes a minimum of 6 months. Contact the Parish Secretary for further details.

THIS SUNDAY'S MASS READINGS:

1st Reading: Exodus 34: 4b-6, 8-9;

Psalm: Daniel 3:52-56(52b): *To be praised and highly exalted for ever!*

2nd Reading: 2 Corinthians 13: 11-14;

Gospel: John 20:19-23.

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Parish Secretary: Karen Maria Dadson

Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday 10:30am—3:30pm

Hall enquiries: stchadshallbookings@gmail.com



WEEKLY PROGRAMMES (31ST MAY 2026)

SUNDAY MASSES: VIGIL—6:30PM, 8:30AM, 10:30AM & 6:00PM

DAILY MORNING MASSES: 9:30AM (MONDAY TO FRIDAY); 10AM (SATURDAY)

WEEKLY EVENING MASSES: WEDNESDAY MASS FOR THE SICK

& ADORATION: 7:30PM; FRIDAY EVENING MASS: 7:30PM

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: TUESDAY: 10AM–12NOON,

WEDNESDAY: AFTER EVENING MASS, SUNDAY: 4:30PM– 6:00PM

CONFESSIONS: BEFORE OR AFTER DAILY MASSES; 6PM-6:25PM (SATURDAYS)

ROSARY: EVERYDAY AFTER MORNING MASS (EXCEPT TUESDAY & SATURDAY)

BIBLE STUDIES: THURSDAY @ 7:30PM (GUILD ROOM)

DEVOTIONAL GROUPS

MONDAY— CHARISMATICS (7:30 PM); TUESDAY—DIVINE MERCY (7:30PM);
THURSDAY—Padre Pio Prayer Group & Bible Study Group; FRIDAY—LEGION OF MARY
(5:00 PM); SATURDAY (FORTNIGHTLY) —SVP (7:30PM ON ZOOM).
Contact: presidentA190305@svp.org.uk 07305119836.

PLEASE SEE THE NOTICE BOARD FOR FURTHER INFORMATION




Sick and Housebound: Phaniya Sravaidiporn, Charlene Onumonu, Venetia Green, Florence Otokito, Maria Alejandra Boero, Cherlez Philip, Henry Aboagye-Brobbe, Beautilyn Awe, Uley Headlam, Clare Kedves, Ethan Moore, Avril Carver, Eucelle Cato, Trisha Griffen, Janetta Griffen, Fr Peter Ehinmiro CSSp, Brother Joseph Mbah CSSp.

Recently Deceased: Mankah Awasum, Fr Brian O' Mahony CSSp, Sr Martha Ozigbo, Sr Felia Anielum, Sr Eunice Offo, Ajibike Odunuga, Noel Dantas, Veronica Aloba, Christopher Nkwo, Victoria Agyemang, Apokurama Awuni, Nsobire Jarvis Awuni, Pius Aboh, Biodun Buhari, William Samuel, Pat White, Fr Patrick Gaffney CSSp, Adesina Adeleke, Francisca Mauta Nzyimi, Fr Amos Daboer.

THE MONTH OF JUNE IN THE CATHOLIC CHURCH IS DEDICATED TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS. HOW CAN WE HONOUR HIM SPECIALLY IN JUNE?

THE MOST HOLY TRINITY (31/05/26) YEAR A

	<u>Vigil Mass on Saturday</u>	6:30PM	RIP: Patience Luma Ndi
		8:30AM	Special Intentions: Yvonne Ndifor
		10:30AM	RIP: Banseka & Achiri Families
		4:30PM	90 Minutes with Jesus
		6:00PM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH (Pro Populo)
<u>MONDAY, 1ST JUNE</u> <u>ST JUSTIN</u>		9:30AM	Birthday: Agnes Amoo
<u>TUESDAY, 2ND JUNE</u> <u>STs MARCELLINUS & PETER</u> <u>BENEDICTION & ADORATION</u>		9:30AM	RIP: Mrs Dawn Shaw
		10:15AM	<i>Adoration ends at 12:00noon</i>
<u>WEDNESDAY, 3RD JUNE</u> <u>ST CHARLES LWANGA & COM- PANIONS</u> <u>EVENING MASS</u>		9:30AM	RIP: Les Hathaway (21st Anniversary)
		7:30PM	RIP: Ryley Harbord
<u>THURSDAY, 4TH JUNE</u>		9:30AM	RIP: Deacon Phaolo Song
<u>FRIDAY, 5TH JUNE</u> <u>ST BONIFACE</u> <u>15 STATIONS of the CROSS</u> <u>EVENING MASS</u>		9:30AM	Intentions of the Craddock Family
		7:00PM	<i>15 STATIONS of the CROSS</i>
		7:30PM	Praying for Richard Walter Suter
<u>SATURDAY, 6TH JUNE</u> <u>THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY</u> <u>VIGIL MASS</u>		10:00AM	Holy Souls from the Luu Family
		6:30PM	Birthday: Adwoa Acheampong

1st collection	Gift Aid	Online/Dona	TOTAL	Tithe	MANY THANKS FOR YOUR GEN- EROSITY
£542.72	£135.47	£889.22	£1,567.41	£50	

Financial Outgoings: £5,843.80

The Raffle Tickets for our **Summer Fair** on the **5th of July** are on sale now. Please see Karen Lobo, the Parish Secretary or Ukachi. A ticket costs £1 and a book contains 10 tickets. We will appreciate any parishioner who would kindly get some tickets to sell to friends and family. The raffle tickets should be one of the big financial contributors to the Fair but with your help. THANKS

STANDING ORDERS AND ONLINE DONATIONS

Please would you seriously consider the option of setting up Standing Orders for your weekly donations to the parish. If you need help in setting this up, consult the Parish Office or your bank. Thanks



ANNOUNCEMENTS

POLITE NOTICE: kindly refrain from putting up notices/posters on the notice board and table in front of the Repository without communicating with the Secretary first. Any leaflets, posters, etc, should be given to the Parish Secretary for Father's permission before posting it. Any information posted on the notice board without permission will be removed. Many thanks.

Summertime 2026: 11th August - 14th August: Altar Servers Trip to Westminster Pastoral Centre, £199. For aged 11-15. We commend this excellent residential trip for altar servers and those who regularly attend mass on the weekend. It is a few days for deepening one's catholic faith, in a great social atmosphere, including football, sports and visit to Thorpe Park. For more details of how to get to the venue, with a coach laid on at St. Anselm's Dartford, see your parish priest for a form, or contact Fr. Stephen Boyle, chaplain to the Guild of St, Stephen, Dartford@rcaos.org.uk, Tel:01322 220075.

SUNDAY TEAS & COFFEES—Volunteers needed to help out please. Kindly speak to Rosie after Mass to help with this good cause. Thank you for all those who patronise this cause. For a while now, individuals have been dipping in their own pockets to fund the Teas and Coffees as very, very little funds are raised weekly to help replenish the stock used. Kindly ensure to make a donation for the beverage you take and also please feel free to donate financially or the items that can be used.

Volunteer/s desperately needed to mow the lawns and tidy up the Church Hall and Presbytery gardens. Any little help will be very much appreciated. Kindly contact the Parish Secretary or Fr Ambrose. Thank you.

Pilgrimages—2026

SCOTLAND—Coach trip to Scotland to visit Scotland's national shrine to **Our Lady of Lourdes** which was opened in 1922. Leaving St. Chad's Church on **Monday, 13 July early morning and returning on Friday, 17 July 2026.** Cost: twin room sharing per person is **£460** and a single room is **£570.** This includes bed and breakfast (Full English), return coach fare and excursions including the day visiting the **National Catholic Shrine of Our Lady of Lourdes in Carfin with a full day spiritual programme including Mass.** Spaces are limited so first come first served basis. Contact Karen Lobo on 07801817231

Medjugorje Pilgrimage: Join Fr Ambrose for a pilgrimage to Medjugorje from **Saturday 8th — Friday, 14th August, 2026.** The all-inclusive price is **£850/person.** Contact: enquiries@jcjourneys.com; www.jcjourneys.com; Tel: 01886 812862 or Karen Lobo: 07801817231.

VOLUNTEERING IN ST CHAD'S.

Dearest Parishioners of St. Chad's, Our beautiful church is more than just a building—it is a spiritual home where we offer perfect praise to God. Today, we invite you to offer a **tithe of your time to create that worshipping environment for everyone.** Whether you can give for example an hour a week or one day a month, every single act of service breathes life into our Parish. Cleaning, welcoming, reading, or gardening, and other varieties of ministries—whatever time you choose to give to the Lord's house **will be blessed abundantly.** Thanks so much.