

REQUIEM MASS FOR ALL DECEASED PARISHIONERS/FAMILY MEMBERS/FRIENDS ETC— Sunday, 10th November at all Masses. Kindly write the names of those you wish to pray for on the form at the back of the Church, at our Lady's Altar or in the Sacristy. When the names are called out during the mass you are welcome to come to light a candle near the altar.

ST CECILIA'S MUSICAL PRAYER EVENING—Saturday 23rd November, 7pm. Please note that the vigil Mass that day is 6pm.

24 November—Christmas Fair after the 10:30am Mass. Donations are welcome.

Children's Christmas Party—Sunday, 1st December, from 1pm to 4:30pm in the Hall. (up to 11 years). £5 entry per child. We are currently taking names of those who would like to attend. Please see Karen at the back of the church after mass. It will be fun filled and full of surprises.

**INTRODUCTION TO NEW LECTIONARY ON 30TH NOVEMBER, 10AM—3:30PM AT ST AIDAN'S, COULSDON.
THE LECTIONARY WILL BE MANDATORY FOR MASS FROM ADVENT 2024.**

CHRISTMAS DANCE - SAT 14 DEC. 7.30-11.30PM. Live music by Pat Webster and Rewind. Food on sale and licensed bar. Tickets in advance £12.

NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE 8PM-1AM. Live music by John Hunt and Wild Fire. Food on sale. BYO drinks. Tickets purchased before 1 Dec £20. Thereafter if available £25.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION 2025 - Registration forms are now available at the back of the church. Children who enrol should be in **Year 3 or above in Primary School.** Forms should be completed and returned in person to the Guild Room on either **Saturday 16th November 10am-midday, or Saturday 7th December 10am-midday.** Members of the team will meet you there. **WE ARE SORRY BUT FORMS RECEIVED AFTER 7TH DECEMBER WILL BE DEFERRED TO FHC 2026.**

Coloma Convent Girls' School is holding a Mass of Remembrance on **Thursday 21st November at 4pm** to remember all deceased Coloma students, staff & family members. Families of those who have died are warmly invited to attend this Mass which will take place at the school. If you would like to attend, please RSVP to liturgy@coloma.co.uk by **15th November** indicating the name of your loved one so that they can be remembered at this Mass.

LEGION OF MARY

EVENING MASSES AT ST CHAD'S

1st Wednesday	Mass for the sick through the intercession of Padre Pio—7 ³⁰ PM
2nd Wednesday	Mass for all those suffering from Cancer—7 ³⁰ PM
3rd Wednesday	Mass for the sick and Blessing of Holy Water—7 ³⁰ PM
4th Wednesday	Healing Mass & Anointing - 7 ³⁰ PM
Every Friday	7 ³⁰ PM Mass, Special intention: For the dead
Last Friday of the Month	Requiem Mass for deceased Parishioners, relatives, etc: 7 ³⁰ PM

ST CHAD'S CATHOLIC CHURCH
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Parish Secretary: Karen Maria Dadson

Office Hours: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday 10:00am—3:00pm

Hall enquiries: stchadshallbookings@gmail.com

Or call the Presbytery DURING OFFICE HOURS



WEEKLY PROGRAMMES (3RD NOVEMBER 2024)

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); WEDNESDAY—LEGION OF MARY (6:30 PM);

TUESDAY—DIVINE MERCY (7:30PM); THURSDAY—Padre Pio Prayer Group & Bible Study Group

SATURDAY (FORTNIGHTLY)—SVP (7:30PM ON ZOOM).

Contact: presidentA190305@svp.org.uk 07305119836.


PLEASE SEE THE NOTICE BOARD FOR FURTHER INFORMATION



Sick and Housebound: Cherlez Philip; Lucy Martin; Henry Aboagye-Brobbe; Beautilyn Awe; Alice Berkoh; Roy Alleyne; Uley Headlam; Daniele Arthurine Massamba; Ray Lobo, Rosaline Amalu, Clare Kedves.

Recently Deceased: Dawn Shaw, Francis Godfrey Nyeko, Sr Celsus Nealon, Gabriel Kehinde Whenu, Fr Bernard Ashipu CSSp, Dorcas Baka, Peter Kelly, Annie Maloney, Moya McCarthy, Pamela Ifeanyi Nwonah, Matthew Davis, Okey Nwandu, Fidelis Onyealisi, William Curran, Shirley Samuel, Joy Rebeiro, Victoria Nakabira, Basua Otokito, Sr Mary Ugwu, Chijioke Jude Ochiagha, Ron Roberts.

31ST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME, YEAR B (03/11/24)

	<u>Vigil Mass on Saturday</u>	6:30PM	RIP: Deceased members of the Finnerty Family & Trevor Wise
		8:30AM	18th Birthday: Eli Boateng
		10:30AM	Birthday: Jennifer Battle
		4:30PM	90 minutes with Jesus
		6:00PM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
MONDAY, 4TH NOVEMBER <u>ST CHARLES BORROMEO</u>		9:30AM	RIP: Frank Eaton (Birthday)
TUESDAY, 5TH NOVEMBER <u>ADORATION & BENEDICTION</u>		9:30AM 10:15–12PM	Birthday: Keenan Asare HOLY SOULS
WEDNESDAY, 6TH NOVEMBER <u>EVENING MASS</u>		9:30AM 7:30PM	Healing: Claire Kedves Thanksgiving: Madeleine Christian
THURSDAY, 7TH NOVEMBER <u>DEDICATION OF SAINT GEORGE'S CATHEDRAL</u>		9:30AM	Holy Souls by the Luu Family
FRIDAY, 8TH NOVEMBER <u>EVENING MASS</u>		9:30AM 7:30PM	RIP: Deceased Friends & Family of Avril Carver HOLY SOULS
SATURDAY, 9TH NOVEMBER <u>The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica Feast</u> <u>VIGIL MASS</u>		10:00AM 6:30PM	PRO LIFE MASS Birthday: Tobore Agbandje

1st collection	Gift Aid	Online/Dona	TOTAL	TITHE	MANY THANKS FOR YOUR GENEROSITY.
£592.29	£549.51	£1027.24	£2,169.04	£50	

Second Collection next week: Archbishop's Appeal

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 so much for your understanding.



ONLINE DONATION & GIFT-AID: Could all those who donate through Standing Order & want to gift-aid their donations give a reference to enable the parish identify their donations, eg Gift-Aid number & Surname. If you have not filled a GAD form, please see the secretary. Thank you

CONFIRMATION CATECHISM STARTS ON SUNDAY FROM 2PM TO 4PM. ALL CANDIDATES SHOULD ENDEAVOUR TO ARRIVE EARLY BY 1:45PM FOR REGISTRATION.

NOVEMBER: MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS – In November, the Church encourages the faithful to pray for the souls in purgatory and offers indulgences to assist them; pious practises which highlight the Church's teaching on the Communion of Saints. The Church grants a plenary indulgence (the full remission of temporal punishment due to sin) each day from 1st to the 8th November to those who visit a cemetery and pray, even if silently, for the departed. Additionally, a plenary indulgence is available on 2nd November, All Souls' Day, for those who devoutly visit a church or an oratory and recite the Our Father and the Creed.

To gain these indulgences, Catholics must fulfil the usual conditions: be in a state of grace; have the interior disposition of complete detachment from sin; receive the Sacrament of Confession (within about 20 days before or after); receive Holy Communion; and pray for the intentions of the Holy Father (usually fulfilled by an Our Father and a Hail Mary). For those unable to meet all conditions, a partial indulgence (the partial remission of temporal punishment) is granted.

Holy Hour for the Dignity of the Human Person

During the November Plenary Assembly of the Bishops' Conference of England and Wales, the Bishops will gather for a Holy Hour to pray for the promotion of the dignity of the human person and the culture of life in England and Wales. This comes in response to the assisted suicide legislation currently before the UK Parliament. The Bishops' Holy Hour will commence at **5.30pm on Wednesday, 13 November 2024**. Parishes, religious houses, and other institutions within this archdiocese, as well as those in other dioceses across England and Wales, are invited to arrange Holy Hours at the same time, so as to be united with the Bishops in a powerful moment of prayer, that the intrinsic dignity of every person be respected. In St Chad's, we are also having the **HOLY HOUR AT 5:30PM ON WEDNESDAY 13TH NOVEMBER. PLEASE LET US, AS A PARISH, COME TOGETHER AND PRAY FOR THIS INTENTION.**

ARCHBISHOP'S APPEAL (2ND COLLECTION: SUNDAY 10TH NOVEMBER)

It is a Diocesan 2nd collection that funds key areas of ministry: Youth and Evangelisation, our faith in action (Caritas) and Clergy Care and Formation. Your support will enable the Archdiocese to support innovative projects taking place within Catholic Parishes and schools throughout South London and Kent that seek to invest Faith, Hope and Love into the communities they serve. Please be generous to the Archbishop's appeal 2023. Every gift is welcome.

Last year we got a grant of £2000 from the Archbishop's Appeal. With this we were able to enroll 2 parishioners for the Archbishop's certificate course and augment parish funds to purchase of a 6X12ft Marquee. Please support generously.

LEGION OF MARY: ANNUAL FRANK DUFF MEMORIAL MASS

DATE: SATURDAY 9TH NOVEMBER, 2024
EVENTS: 1⁴⁰PM—ROSARY; 2PM—HOLY MASS
FOLLOWED BY LIGHT REFRESHMENT IN THE HALL

COME & HEAR THE AMAZING STORY OF A MODERN APOSTLE OF THE LORD