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THIS SUNDAY'S MASS READINGS

1st Reading: Wisdom 9:13-18

Psalm: 90(89):3-4, 5-6, 12-13.14,17.R 1

2nd Reading: Philemon 9b-10, 12-17

Gospel: Luke 14:25-33

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WEEKLY PROGRAMMES (7th SEPTEMBER 2025)

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 (730PM ON ZOOM).

Contact: presidentA190305@svp.org.uk 07305119836.

PLEASE SEE THE NOTICE BOARD FOR FURTHER INFORMATION



Sick and Housebound: Tom D'Arcy, Cherlez Philip; Henry Aboagye-Brobbe; Beaultyn Awe; Alice Berkoh; Uley Headlam; Clare Kedves; Charlotte Green, Robert Alexander, Ethan Moore, Avril Carver, Eucelle Cato, Trisha Griffen, Janetta Griffen, Fr Dennis Bukunya CSSp, Fr Peter Ehinmimo CSSp, Brother Joseph Mbah CSSp.

Recently Deceased: Rosario Santos, Mavis Woodbine, Catherine Okolo, Benjamin Kwame Anthony, Ademola Ademiluyi, Nigel Lewis, Simon De Souza, Grace Schembri, Yepaye Kobhawo, Gloria Scott, Fr Ray Blake, Seifou Michael Asfaw, Fr Marcel Fangoo CSSp, Bolaji Buhari, Kwasi Amoo, Njideka Eugenia Egonye, Pauline Ngoma, Sarah Brown, Pope Francis, Canon John O'Toole, Fr Sunith Nonis, Ray Lobo, Jennifer Oneka, Zeena Miller; Daniele Makiza Massamba.

Archbishop John Wilson expresses his gratitude to the parishioners of St Chad's for our wishes to him when he celebrated his 30th priestly anniversary recently.

Twenty-Third Sunday in Ordinary Time (07/09/25) YEAR C

<u>Vigil Mass on Saturday</u>		6:30PM	RIP: Tom and Rita Lobo		
<u>23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time</u>		8:30AM	Birthday: Ethan Porsoo-Reis		
		10:30AM	RIP: Victor Owusu & Agnes Acheampong		
		4:30PM	90 Minutes with Jesus		
		6:00PM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH		
MONDAY, 8TH SEPTEMBER <u>THE NATIVITY of the BLESSED VIRGIN MARY</u>		9:30AM	Holy Souls by Peter Luu		
FUNERAL		12NOON	RIP: Mavis Woodbine		
TUESDAY, 9TH SEPTEMBER <u>ST PETER CLAVER</u>		9:30AM	Thanksgiving to St Peter Claver by the Luu Family		
<u>ADORATION & BENEDICTION</u>		12NOON	HOLY SOULS		
WEDNESDAY, 10TH SEPTEMBER		9:30AM	Marriage Blessings: Michael & Sofia from the Luu Family		
<u>EVENING MASS</u>		7:30PM	Protection, Guidance & Mental Health: David O'Donnell		
THURSDAY, 11TH SEPTEMBER <u>ST AMBROSE BARLOW</u>		9:30AM	Special Intentions: Larry Darcy		
FRIDAY, 12TH SEPTEMBER THE HOLY NAME of MARY		9:30AM	RIP: Bevinda Viegas— Heavenly Birthday		
<u>EVENING MASS</u>		7:30PM	Health & Protection: Baby Samuel Rudd		
SATURDAY, 13TH SEPTEMBER <u>ST JOHN CHRYSOTOM</u>		10:00AM	PRO LIFE		
<u>VIGIL MASS</u>		6:30PM	Thanksgiving: 2025 Confirmandi		
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COLLECTION NEXT WEEKEND: Catholic Education Service. The Catholic Education Service (CES) acts on behalf of the Catholic Bishop's Conference education. The CES is the chief negotiating and advisory body on matters affecting Catholic Education.

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 complete a form at the back of the church or see the secretary.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Archbishop John Wilson and the Safeguarding team, invite all our parishioners to join us on the **24th September 2025 6.30pm**, for the Service for **Hope and Healing**, for all those that have been harmed by abuse. The service is to express the Archdiocese's commitment to all those that have been harmed, their family and friends and to come together as a community and demonstrate our solidarity for those harmed.

Union of Catholic Mothers Meeting - Thursday, 11th September at St Chad's Hall. 7.30pm. All women welcomed!

BINGO BONANZA—FUNDRAISING: Saturday, 13th September 2025 from 1pm to 5pm. Tickets: **£3 which includes tea, coffee and biscuits**. Do come and help raise funds for our Parish and also have an enjoyable time together.

St Vincent De Paul (SVP) - Healing Mass on Saturday, 27th September 2025 at 10:00am. There will be refreshments in the Hall after the Mass.

SIGNING OF SECONDARY SCHOOL FORMS — PRIEST REFERENCE

This year's signing of secondary school forms by Father Ambrose will take place in the Hall on the following dates:

Monday, 8th September 2025 from 6pm to 8pm
Monday, 22nd September 2025 from 6pm to 8pm and
Monday, 13th October 2025 from 6pm to 8pm.

CONFIRMATION 2026—Eligible candidates - Year 8 to Year 13. The forms are at the back of the Church. Kindly take a form, complete and submit with your parents on either of the following dates in the Guild Room:
Sunday, 28th September 2025 from 2:30pm to 4:30pm
Sunday, 5th October 2025 from 2:30pm to 4:30pm.
 Application will not be accepted after the 5th of October.

FUNERALS

***Mavis Woodbine —Monday, 8th September 2025 at 12 noon**
***Noel Philip Collins - Monday, 15th September 2025 at 11am**
*** Thomas Michael — Tuesday, 16th September 2025 at 12:30pm**

SPONSORED WALK

St Chad's Parish organizing a sponsored walk at the South Norwood lake on Saturday the 11th of October and we would be very grateful if parishioners could pick up forms to be sponsored by friends and colleagues. We recently installed CCTV cameras and also did the outside slabs and we are looking towards other projects. The heads of communities and pious societies could also collect forms. But we are not just looking for funds, we would like as many parishioners as possible to join us for the walk a few times round the lake. Thanks so much for your usual kindness but every penny raised goes, in order of priority, to one of the many projects we still need to do in the parish. God bless you abundantly