ANNOUNCEMENTS

The **400 club** draw for January is as follows: £100 Yvonne Ndifor (113)

£50 Avril Periera (171) £25 Francisca Munis (71)

Congratulations Winners! Kindly see the Parish Secretary for your prizes.

YOUTH MEETING

There is going to be a Youth Meeting with all the young ones especially, last year's Confirmation Group on Tuesday 28th January, 6:30pm to 7:45pm in Church. Please encourage your child to attend.

NEW YOUNG ADULT MEETING

The New Young Adults group for young adults 18 years to 35 years are also inviting all young adults in the parish to attend this very important meeting on Thursday 30th January from 6:30 to 8:00pm in the Hall, to discuss spiritual and social programmes and activities they can organise for themselves in the parish to support their faith journey.

FR TERKURA'S MASS

Fr Terkura will be here on the **Sunday**, **26th of January** to preside over the Eucharist at the **10:30am Mass**. He will use this occasion to say a formal farewell to parishioners.

PARISH VALENTINE'S DANCE —Saturday, 15th February, 2025 from 7:30pm to 11:30pm. TnT Band; Bar and Food on sale; Tickets are £10 and currently on sale. Come lets celebrate this joyous occasion for a good cause.

LOST PROPERTY

There is a box full of items left in church (prescription glasses, spectacle cases, scarves, gloves, hats, water bottles, rosaries, etc) which has been unclaimed for a long time. The box will be donated to the SVP at the beginning of February if no one claims them. Thank you.

There are some pieces of jewellery being held by the Parish Secretary. If you have lost any jewellery, kindly make arrangements to see the Secretary at the Presbytery during her working hours.

FLAME 2025

CALLING ALL YOUTH & YOUNG ADULTS

Flame 2025 takes place on Saturday 15th March 2025, from 11am - 6pm, at Wembley Arena. Picking up on the theme for the Jubilee Year, "Pilgrims of Hope" the Flame theme is "Unstoppable" - Fan the Flame of Hope. This event is being organised by the Bishops Conference of England and Wales.

All the youth <u>from Year 9 to university</u> are encouraged to attend. Please register with a Team member at the back of the Church as soon as possible.

Tickets - £29 per attendee

Instalment payments has been organised by the Flame Organising Team

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Or call the Presbytery DURING OFFICE HOURS

WEEKLY PROGRAMMES (26 JANUARY 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: <u>TUESDAY</u>: 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 (7:30 PM); THURSDAY—Padre Pio Prayer Group & Bible Study Group SATURDAY (FORTNIGHTLY)—SVP (7:30 PM).

Contact: presidentA190305@svp.org.uk 07305119836.

PLEASE SEE THE NOTICE BOARD FOR FURTHER INFORMATION



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

Recently Deceased: Eugene Tandoh, Achiri Simon, Anton Devaraj, Cyril Thomas, Frank Percil, Prof. Roland Okor, Lydia Boafo-Manu, Janet Asmah, Fr. Wenna Henry Tiku, Fr. John Lawrence, Fr. Patrick Cannon Joyce Blagrove, Felix Adah, Catherine Goba, Julieta Gomes, Maria Domingos Alberto, Omezie Mogbo, Fr Solomon Dankaro, Victor Owusu, Dawn Shaw, Ronald Roberts,

FIRST FRIDAY PRAISE AND WORSHIP/EVENING MASS: We shall precede the 7:30pm evening mass each first Friday with Praise and Worship session starting at 7pm. All are welcome

Third Sunday in Ordinary Time (26/01/25) YEAR C

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<u>Vigil Mass on Saturday</u>		Birthday: Isaac Acheampong
THERE CHAIR AV IN	8:30AM	RIP: Pa James Oko Egwu
THIRD SUNDAY IN	10:30AM	Thanksgiving: Families of Chiknele Onyealisi & Clement Lawson
Ordinary Time	4:30PM	90 MINUTES WITH JESUS
ORDINARY HIME	6:00PM	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
MONDAY, 27TH JANUARY ST ANGELA MERICI	9:30AM	RIP: Paul Long Van Tran
TUESDAY, 28TH JANUARY ST THOMAS AQUINAS	9:30AM	Thanksgiving to St Thomas Aquinas from the Luu Family
ADORATION & BENEDICTION	10:15—12PM	Holy Souls
WEDNESDAY, 29TH JANUARY	9:30AM	Holy Souls from Peter Luu
EVENING MASS & ADORATION	7:30PM	Healing of all Parishioners
THURSDAY, 30TH JANUARY	9:30AM	People in war torn areas
FRIDAY, 31ST JANUARY ST JOHN BOSCO	9:30AM	RIP: Peter Trinidade, Snr (Birthday Anniversary)
<u>EVENING MASS</u>	7:30PM	Thanksgiving to St John Bosco from the Luu Family
SATURDAY, 1ST FEBRUARY THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY	10:00AM	Holy Souls of Victor Owusu & Agnes Achampong
VIGIL MASS	6:30PM	Holy Souls from the Luu Family

1st collection	Gift Aid	Online/Dona	TOTAL	TITHE	MANY THANKS FOR YOUR
£278.29	£226.34	£ -	£	£-	GENEROSITY.

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. Thank you

FR AMBROSE WISHES TO THANK ALL PARISHIONERS FOR YOUR CON-STANT SUPPORT AND GENEROSITY. MAY THE LORD GRACIOUSLY GRANT HIS MERCIES, GRACES, PROTECTION AND JOY ON US ALL DURING THE NEW YEAR 2025. Archbishop John Wilson has written a new book entitled **The Romero Rosary**. With introductory chapters about St Oscar Romero and the rosary, this beautiful and creative new book contains reflections on the traditional mysteries of the rosary (*Joy, Light, Sorrow & Glory*) and the **NEW Romero Mysteries** (*Charity, Compassion and Mercy, & Justice and Peace*) - all illumined for reflection and prayer by the words of St Oscar Romero. The book is available from Pauline Bookshops and online at www.paulineuk.org. The Archbishops warmly invites everyone to the book launch on **Wednesday 12 February 2025 at 6.00 for 6.30pm** at **Amigo Hall, adjacent St George's Cathedral**, Southwark, South London. SE1 7HY.

TEACHING VACANCIES at St Richard Reynolds Catholic College:

The college is currently looking for:

Teacher of Religious Education; Teacher of French; Teacher of PE (Girls) and; Part-time Art Technician. For more information, view our website (www.strichardreynolds.org.uk). Please contact recruitment@srrcc.org.uk or phone 020 8325 4630.

WELCOME TO OUR CHURCH



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		

KINDLY NOTE THE EVENING MASSES ON: WEDNESDAYS AT 7:30PM (Mass for the Sick) - FOLLOWED BY ADORATION AND ROSARY & FRIDAYS - 7:30PM.