

HOLY CROSS CHURCH



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Part of RC Archdiocese of Southwark
Registered charity number: 1173050

Parish Priest: Fr Doug Bull

MASS TIMES

Monday-Friday: 9.15am
Saturday: 6.30pm Vigil Mass
Sunday: 10.00am & 11.30am
Reconciliation: Saturday 6pm

HARTLEY HALL

PARISH COMMUNITY CENTRE
Culverley Road, SE6 2LD
Tel: 020 8698 3672

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TWINNING PROJECTS

Our Lady, help of Christians, Beulieu, Grenada
The Community of Ahotokurom, Ghana.

www.ahoto.org

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR:

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HOLY CROSS SCHOOL

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St Vincent De Paul Number
07835188411
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07598524024

Special Ministers of Holy Communion

This weekend 2nd Sunday (7th/8th April)

6.30pm Marian Philomin, Myra Hannon, Prema Louth,

1) UCM, 2) UCM, P) UCM

10am Joe Baptiste, Caroline Cleary, Ossie Folkes, Cyril Mbaeri, Ray Williams.

1) Kimberley Kong, 2) Ashley Lench P) Pat O'Sullivan

11.30 Jerome, Adeji, Mary Lewis, Vincent Okonji, John Walsh, Rosa Candita Simpkins.

2) Frank Afful, P) Michelle Mbaeri

Next weekend 3rd Sunday (14th/15th April)

6.30pm Pat Healy, Bridgette Laing, Chris Joyce

1) Jenushan Justin 2) Reuben Gabriel P) Maureen Gabriel

10am Gwen Williams, Marian Perez, Francisca Dunbar, Elena Travers, Marco Munoz.

1st Gillian Yip, 2nd Rob Dunbar, P Bina Augustin

11.30am Debo Akinbode, Pat Ellis, Barbara Heathcote, Phil Loughnane, Vacant.

1) Vacant 2nd Merlyn Clark, P) Michelle Mbaeri

FINANCE ££484.20 Holy Places - Many Thanks

Sat 6.30 Thayan & Sharanga wedding TG

Sun **2nd Sunday of Easter (April 7th/8th)**

10.00 Angela Allen (Williams)

11.30 Patrick Hanlon *RIP* (Hanlon)

11.30 Welcome Micah Gozan-Ritz

12.30 Baptism Micah Gozan-Ritz

Mon **Annunciation of the Lord**

9.15 J.F.Saviour *RIP*

9.40 *Rosary*

Tue 9.15 Hyam Family (Allen)

9.40 *Rosary*

Wed **St Stanislaus Bishop and Martyr**

8.50 *Rosary*

9.15 Thierry Gnanakumar *RIP*

9.40 *Divine Mercy*

Thur 9.15 Philomin's Birthday TG (Patricia)

9.40 *Rosary*

Fri 7.30 Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

8pm Matt Cleary *RIP* (Cleary)

Sat 6.30 Rosa O'Connell (UCM)

Sun **3rd Sunday of Easter (April 14th/15th)**

10.00 Elizabeth Zebbu *RIP*

11.30 Eileen & Henry Killick *RIP* (Killick)

11.30 Welcome Sean William Ferreira King

12.30 Baptism Sean William Ferreira King

Please pray for those whom our Ministers visit with HOLY COMMUNION:

Clifford Aristide, James Barlow, Mary Barry, Jean Briggs, Rose Calver, Ellesdene Edwards, Elizabeth Marie Forde, Eileen Embury, Elizabeth Goba, Theresa Harney, Peter Hughes, William Keogh, Agatha Lewis, Gala Lobo Anthony Marshall, Ivy Mulroney, Susan Murphy, Florence Nosegbe, Celia Ndeley, Calvin & Eleanor Martin, Mabel Martin, Charity Oparaji, Josephine Patterson, Rex Phillips, Anthony Renouf, Casimar Santhiapillai, Viveca Simmons, Irene Stone, Bridget Sullivan, Genevieve Stanislaus, Vera Pollock, Sheila Tagg, Patricia Vesey, Ann Whittington, Dennis Williams

DECEASED

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Mr Leslie George Ingrey. The funeral will take place here on Tuesday the 8th of May 2018 at 12.30pm.

CONGRATULATIONS

....if you managed to overcome the obstacles in Sangley Rd to get to church this weekend. Thank you again to everybody who worked so hard to make the Easter Triduum so splendid and a personal thank you for your generous Easter offering.

Fr Doug

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION

The next session is on Saturday 14th April at 10am sharp.

BAPTISMAL PREPARATION COURSE

If you would like to attend the next course Please complete an application form and attach a copy of your own baptismal certificate and birth certificate and submit to the parish office. The office is open from 9am-11am Mon-Fri. The contact number is 0208 698 3672.

Please note, incomplete application forms without supporting documents will not be accepted.

POST-EASTER TALKS AT THE AMIGO HALL

Each year the Centre for Catholic Formation hold a series of talks at the Amigo Hall, SE1 7HY, in the weeks of Eastertide. This year, the series' theme is Eucharist in anticipation of the upcoming National Eucharistic Congress. Entry is free, donations welcome. Doors open at 7pm for 7.30pm start. Eucharist: Sacrifice and Banquet (12 April); Eucharist and Mission (19 April); Eucharist in Art (26 April); Eucharist and Prayer (3 May) and Eucharist in Scripture (10 May). The talks will also be filmed and will be viewable on the CCF YouTube channel. For more information:

www.ccftootingbec.org.uk/sharinginhislife

IS THIS FOR YOU OR FOR SOMEONE YOU KNOW?

St Scholastica's Retreat – Open Day – Saturday, 14th April, 2018

The Retreat offers sheltered housing to practising Catholics aged 60 or over in 36 self-contained flats at £459pcm – more information on the poster and from The Warden: Rev Seán Duffy – Princes Risborough (01844) 344437.

Email: info@stscholasticas.co.uk
www.stscholasticas.co.uk

NEW EVANGELIZATION SUMMIT – 28 APRIL 2018

The New Evangelization Summit is an annual event hosted in Ottawa, Canada and streamed to venues across North America. This year, for the first time, the event will be shown via video link in both Australia and in the UK, at the Centre for Catholic Formation, Tooting Bec, on Saturday 28 April 2018 (9.30am to 9.30pm). Tickets are £30 and include two meals and printed literature. To book visit

www.ccftootingbec.org.uk/nes2018

***NB** This event would be excellent for members of parish evangelization teams, parish pastoral council members and others keen to explore how to share the faith. Canada, like the UK, is increasingly secularised and the wisdom of the speakers will be very fruitful. A preview video can be found here:*

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NTzSgk2T3cl>

A MISSIONARY SISTER

...will be here at all masses this weekend. Please support her appeal.

Gospel Reflection Second Sunday of Easter, April 7/8, 2018

When the risen Christ encounters his disciples in the locked room he adds a new Beatitude to the ones we've heard proclaimed before: "Blessed are those who have not seen and have believed." Stewards of the mysteries of God's love do not need proof of the risen Christ. They know it because their lives have been transformed by the power of the Holy Spirit who has breathed new life into them and through the Sacrament of the Eucharist which strengthens and sustains them. As stewards of this great gift it is appropriate to reflect on how we in turn add new life into our parish communities.