

## MASS TIMES AND INTENTIONS

**Sunday 13th September Twenty-Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time (A) Education Day**

10.00am (People of the parish)

6.30pm (Jean Borucki RIP)

**Monday 14th September The Exaltation of the Holy Cross, Feast**

No Mass

**Tuesday 15th September Our Lady of Sorrows, Memorial**

No Mass

**Wednesday 16th September Saints Cornelius, Pope and Cyprian, Bishop, Martyrs, Memorial**

10.00am Mass (For the poor and vulnerable)

**Thursday 17th September St. Robert Bellarmine, Bishop and Doctor of the Church**

No Mass

**Friday 18th September St. Edith of Kemsing**

No Mass

**Saturday 19th September Our Lady**

10.00am Mass (Holy Souls)

**Sunday 20th September Twenty-Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (A)**

10.00am (June Ventris RIP)

6.30pm Mass (People of the Parish)

**SILVER JUBILEE OF THE CONSECRATION OF OUR CHURCH** - the 25th anniversary of the consecration of our church falls on 31st October 2021. The inaugural Mass for our Jubilee year will be held on Sunday 1st November 2020, the feast of All Saints, at 10am presided over by Canon John O'Toole, the Episcopal Vicar for Kent for the Archdiocese of Southwark. We look forward to welcoming Canon John to the parish whose previously arranged visit had to be cancelled due to lockdown.

**MISSIO (RED) BOXES** - Would everyone who has a Misso Box (Red Box) please return it to the church for emptying. If you are unable to get to church please ring Eileen Conn on 01233 822526 and it will be collected. Due to the Covid-19 the missions are appealing for your generosity. Thank you.

**STRESS IN YOUR MARRIAGE? - THIS HAS BEEN A VERY DIFFICULT YEAR FOR MANY COUPLES.** Retrouvaille is a program for married couples that feel bored, disillusioned, frustrated, or angry in their marriage. Some experience coldness. Others experience conflict. Most don't know how to change the situation or even communicate with their spouse about it. This programme has helped 6,000 couples who were experiencing difficulties in their marriage in the past year alone. There is no group therapy or group work. For confidential information about 'Retrouvaille' or to register for the next programme commencing with a Virtual weekend on 12<sup>th</sup> -15<sup>th</sup> Nov 2020, call or text 0788 7296983 or 0797 3380443 - or email [retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com](mailto:retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com) or visit [www.retrouvaille.org.uk](http://www.retrouvaille.org.uk)

## CHURCH CLEANING

19th September  
Lydia

26th September  
Irene/Zita

3rd October Kilda

10th October Suzi

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Please pray for  
Merrick Boston,  
Ronald Salmon, June  
O'Driscoll, Noela  
Thiebaud, John Gray,  
Francesca Baker,  
Trevor Lane, Tricia  
Coppin, Sebastian  
Burrell, Fred Ward,  
Lino Debono, Lisa  
Moran, Noreen  
Kelleher, Joan Hazell,  
Rita Coombs

**10TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE PAPAL VISIT TO THE UK** - Between 16-19 September the Catholic community will celebrate the 10th Anniversary of Pope's Benedict's visit to the UK in 2010, the theme of which was 'Heart Speaks to Heart'. Although some resources are still being completed, you can re-live the whole visit by going to the CBCEW website ([cbcew.org.uk](http://cbcew.org.uk)), whilst on the Diocesan website ([rcsouthwark.co.uk](http://rcsouthwark.co.uk)) you can visit the Papal Visit pages and the other archive pages to view the late Archbishop Peter Smith's accompaniment of the Pope throughout his visit. Highlights include his welcome at Hyde Park in front of 80,000 people and visits to St Peter's Residence in Vauxhall and the Apostolic Nunciature in Wimbledon. It is also possible to read about the Papal Legacy, including the Bishop's Conference document 'Some Definite Purpose', produced in 2011, and view a multitude of excellent photographs of the visit.

**VOLUNTEER STEWARDS NEEDED** - If you would like to join the stewarding team please see Fr. Hans or email using the information at the top of the page. Thank you.

**Please take the newsletter home with you and do not leave in church. Thank you.**

## Spiritual Communion

*For those occasions when we can't be in our churches, an act of Spiritual Communion can help us keep Christ at the centre of our lives as we worship and pray at home.*

My Jesus,  
I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament.  
I love You above all things,  
and I desire to receive You into my soul.  
Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally,  
come at least spiritually into my heart.  
I embrace You as if You were already there  
and unite myself wholly to You.  
Never permit me to be separated from You.  
Amen

*(St. Alphonsus Liguori)*