

OUR LADY OF PITY AND ST SIMON STOCK CHURCH NEWSLETTER

28th February 2021
Second Sunday of Lent
First Reading: Genesis 22:1-2, 9-13, 15-18
Responsorial Psalm: 115:10, 15-19
Second Reading: Romans 8:31-34
Gospel: Mark 9:2-10

WORLD DAY OF PRAYER: 5th March

All welcome to join the 'Mexican Wave of Prayer' as Christians throughout the world create a common Day of Prayer – 11.30am at St Joseph's RC Church, Roehampton Lane. Livestreamed via:

<https://www.facebook.com/holytrinityroehampton/live>.

Donations via: www.wwdp.org.uk or text 70085 then 2021WDP followed by the amount.

CHURCHES TOGETHER IN PUTNEY AND ROEHAMPTON

Lent Course "What is Truth?"

A Lent series of talks on truth and honesty in public life

4th March 'Truth in Media & Journalism' Elsa

Keep, freelance journalist with John Whittaker

11th March 'Truth in Politics' Paul Morrison, policy advisor at JPIT

18th March 'Truth in the Arts and Literature' Luke Kennard, Reader in Creative Writing, poet & novelist

25th March 'Truth in the Church' Augustine Tanner-Ihm, winner, 2020 Church Times Theology Slam

Each talk with take place on Thursdays 7:30pm - 8:30pm on Zoom:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/6550942710?pwd=Nnd0a2xVcGZ5SG1JYVR1ZXB6VzdhQT09>

Meeting ID: 655 094 2710 Passcode: 11467

It's expected that the talks will be between 15 and 30mins in presentation with remaining time for questions and discussion managed by the week's chair

COLLECTION TODAY FOR CAFOD LENTEN APPEAL

Please return or use the CAFOD ENVELOPES today and place in the collection at the end of mass or kindly make a donation on line.

<https://cafod.org.uk/Give/Donate-to-CAFOD/Lent-Appeal>

GOSPEL THOUGHTS

The pivotal story during Lent is the transfiguration, which is the bridge that gets us from the desert of the wilderness to the abundance of the Easter Garden. Lent invites us to make the journey with Jesus on the road to Calvary not with hopeless hearts but with ones which carry the glimpse of the life to come. This is embedded in each of us in the gift of our baptism. Lent is the time to renew the hope which the Risen Lord has given us.

Ask during this week to see the glory of God in myself, in other and in creation.

LENT RETREAT ONLINE

Archbishop John Wilson will introduce the video, the Sunday Gospel will be read and then follows a brief talk exploring themes connected with the Gospel. The input can be viewed at any time to suit you. The talk will be accompanied by suggestions for prayer and reflection through the week. The link is:

www.southwarkdsc.org.uk/followme

A series of resources for reflection and mediation can also be viewed using the link below:

www.aec.rcaos.org.uk/latest/lent-possibilities

LENT PARISH ZOOM MEETING

Every Friday during Lent please join Canon Michael at 6.00pm especially to share thoughts on the video and the coming Sunday gospel:

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74535368161?pwd=QUlaVElqSWswK0k0UWp2WlUrc2I1QT09>

Meeting ID: 745 3536 8161
Passcode: AGdgW8

FOCUS FOR CHILDREN DURING LENT

As many families are not able to attend mass at this time, a good way to focus on the gospel each Sunday is to view Kids Liturgy produced on You Tube by Redemptorist Publications.

MASS INTENTIONS AND PRAYERS

<i>Sunday 28th February</i> <i>Second Sunday of Lent</i>	9.30am 11.15am 6pm	Ints. Stewart Deakin Fr Christopher Gawecki RIP People of the Parish
<i>Monday 1st March</i> <i>Sant David</i>	10am	Edward M Kirby RIP
<i>Tuesday 2nd March</i> <i>Feria</i>	10am	Thanksgiving
<i>Wednesday 3rd March</i> <i>Feria</i>	11.00am	Memorial Mass: Anthony Cliff RIP
<i>Thursday 4th March</i> <i>Feria</i>	No Mass	No Mass
<i>Friday 5th March</i> <i>Feria</i>	10am	Margareta Prado RIP
<i>Saturday 6th March</i> <i>Feria</i>	10am	Teresa Moran RIP

No 6.00 p.m Saturday Mass at All Saints, Putney Common until end of January

YOUTUBE LIVESTREAM

Every Sunday 9.30am Mass is livestreamed via YouTube.



Please subscribe to us!

ST SIMONS, PUTNEY

SUNDAY MASS ATTENDANCE RECORD

Please note that our Sunday obligation has been lifted and we are only to come to mass if we feel comfortable and safe. If you prefer to come to Mass during the week, please feel free to do so. The census pink slips have been suspended until further notice.

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Available on request after 10am Mass on Saturday morning or at other times confession heard with social distance and privately in the Parish Office

SUPPORTING ST SIMONS

Our income has been reduced in the offertory collection if you are able to help us financially it would be appreciated by donating: Just Giving page:-
www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stsimonputney

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SUPPORTING ST SIMON'S:

If you are attending our Sunday services, there will be an opportunity to provide your Offerings as you exit the Church. If you would like to make an offering via bank transfer, the Parish account details are: **NatWest, Sort Code 60-17-11, Account 20404131**. Please give your surname then initial as a reference. If you have not previously signed a gift aid declaration, please print from our webpage under the 'gift aid' tab and email a completed copy to.

Weekly Offerings

Weekly offering for 21st February

£321.82

Thank you for your generosity.

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