

# OUR LADY OF PITY AND ST SIMON STOCK CHURCH NEWSLETTER

**25th July 2021**  
**Seventeenth Sunday**  
*First Reading: 2 Kings 4:42-44*  
*Responsorial Psalm: 144:10-11,15-18 response v 16*  
*Second Reading: Ephesians 4:1-6*  
*Gospel: John 6:1-15*

## KEEP IN YOUR PRAYERS

Please keep Mary Keevil and Graham Hill who will be married next Tuesday.

May God Bless them as they join their lives together.

Please also keep Raphael and his family in your prayers as he will be baptised next weekend.

## COVID REGULATIONS

Following the relaxing of the Covid regulations, we must continue to create a safe environment and minimise the rate of infection. Please note and we encourage you to:-

- Please wear face coverings and use hand sanitizer.
- Use track and trace to sign in before each service.
- Keep space when coming for Communion.
- There will be consecrated host but no chalice.
- There will be no sign of peace.
- Eucharistic minister will continue to wear face covering and will hand sanitize.

You will see that our ticks and crosses have been taken down as the requirement to social distance has been removed. There is now no limit of the numbers attending each mass. We kindly ask however, that you are sensitive to others and give space. We will continue to exercise our one-way system and our stewards will be continuing to welcome and reassure you.

Please visit our website for full details of guidance from the Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales.

We appreciate your co-operation and support to keep our Church safe.

## PARISH OFFICE

The Parish Office is now closed for the summer period. It will re-open on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September with the new opening times of:-

**Monday, Wednesday & Friday 9.30am-3pm.**

If you have any enquiries over the summer period, please send via email to [putney@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:putney@rcaos.org.uk).

## SUPPORT AT THIS TIME

If you or someone you know would like some support either spiritually or practically during difficult times, we are here to support you. Please do not hesitate to contact the Parish Office and arrange a telephone call with Canon Michael.

## OUR LADY OF VICTORIES SCHOOL

There are some places at the school for September due to movement of pupils. If you are interested in a place at the school please contact Admissions Office at the school:

[admissions@ourladyofvictories.wandsworth.sch.uk](mailto:admissions@ourladyofvictories.wandsworth.sch.uk)

## CATHOLIC HISTORY WALKS

- 18/7/21 3.30pm RICHMOND, St Elizabeth's Church TW10 6AQ – Richmond Palace, Twickenham riverside and St John Henry Newman's home in Ham.
- 20/7/21 6.15pm WESTMINSTER, Westminster Cathedral steps SW1 1QW - Parliament, the Abbey, Buckingham Palace and St James' Park.
- 22/7/21 6.00pm TOWER, Traitor's Gate, the Roman Wall and St Thomas More 's execution site.
- 28/7/21 6.00pm BATTERSEA, Sacred Heart Church SW11 3DS - St Ethelburga, Battersea Gardens , the Spencer family and the Salesians.

Cost: £10 - No need to book, simply come along.

We look forward to meeting you there.

**MASS INTENTIONS AND PRAYERS**

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| <i>Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> July</i><br><i>Seventeenth Sunday</i>         | <b>9.30am</b>  | Bernadette McHale Ints.           |
|   | <b>11.15am</b> | Joe McGinnity RIP                 |
|   | <b>6pm</b>     | People of the Parish              |
| <i>Monday 26<sup>th</sup> July</i><br><i>Saint Joachim and Anne</i>     | <b>10am</b>    | Nan Keevil RIP                    |
| <i>Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> July</i><br><i>Feria</i>                     | <b>10am</b>    | Mary Anne Nathan Ints.            |
| <i>Wed 28<sup>th</sup> July</i><br><i>Feria</i>                         | <b>8am</b>     | Eliz D'Souza RIP                  |
| <i>Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> July</i><br><i>Saint Martha</i>             |                | No Mass                           |
| <i>Friday 30<sup>th</sup> July</i><br><i>Feria</i>                      | <b>10am</b>    | Sick and housebound of the parish |
| <i>Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> July</i><br><i>Saint Ignatius of Loyola</i> | <b>10am</b>    | Patrick Nathan Ints.              |

**SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION**

Available on request after 10am Mass on Saturday morning or by request confession may be heard in private in the Parish Office with social distancing.

**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](http://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stsimonputney)

**CONTACT INFORMATION**

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**Our Lady of Victories School: 020 8788 7957**  
**Convent: Franciscan Missionaries of Mary: 0208 7881828**  
**Marriage Preparation Days: -**  
**Philip & Mary Pond 0208 651 4653**  
**A parish of Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Southwark CIO**  
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**YOUTUBE LIVESTREAM**

Every Sunday 9.30am Mass is livestreamed via YouTube.



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**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.

**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 25<sup>th</sup> July £444.32

**Your generosity is much appreciated.**

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