

OUR LADY OF PITY AND ST SIMON STOCK CHURCH

06th March 2022

First Sunday of Lent

First Reading: Deuteronomy 26:4-10

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 90:1-2, 10-15 response v 15

Second Reading: Romans 10:8-13

Gospel: Luke 4:1-13

Parish Mass book page: 153

CAFOD SECOND COLLECTION next Sunday

CAFOD LENT FAST DAY

Ukraine Humanitarian Appeal please donate via their website cafod.org.uk

According to the UN's refugee agency (UNHCR), **over 1 million people have fled Ukraine into neighbouring countries** (mainly to Poland, Hungary, Moldova and Romania), with thousands more having to leave their homes inside Ukraine. Many of those who have fled are women and children, having to leave behind their loved ones. **Caritas Ukraine** has 19 centres across the country. They are extremely experienced, having been active for 30 years and have been responding to the conflict in eastern Ukraine since 2014. They are already helping by: food, water, shelter and means to continue their journeys to safety. Also, **Caritas Poland, Caritas Romania and Caritas Moldova are providing support to the vast number of refugees.**

STATIONS OF THE CROSS. The traditional prayers of the way of the cross will be on Friday evenings at 7.30 p.m. including prayers for Peace.

ON SATURDAY MORNINGS DURING LENT THE CHURCH WILL REMAIN OPEN FOR PRAYER AND REFLECTION UNTIL 12NOON.

GRIEF IN LOSS: HOPE IN CHRIST

Mourning the loss of a loved one? Trying to cope with feelings out of control? If so, this retreat is for you. It runs from Friday 18th – Sunday 20th March at Aylesford Priory.

To book or find out more telephone: 01622 717 272.

TEAM LOVELIGHT

Team Lovelight are coordination a collection of Refugee Emergency pack for shipment to the Ukraine on March 15th. Please see separate sheet in porch for more details of how to help.

A PRAYER FOR UKRAINE

Loving God,
We pray for the people of Ukraine,
for all those suffering or afraid,
that you will be close to them and protect them.
We pray for world leaders,
for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices.
We pray for the world
that in this moment of crisis,
we may reach out in solidarity
to our brothers and sisters in need.
May we walk in your ways
so that peace and justice
become a reality for the people of Ukraine
and for all the world.
Amen.

COVID AND HEALTH PRECAUTIONS.

During masses we will continue to keep the church doors open during mass to provide ventilation. We advise the wearing of face coverings and ask that if you have cold or flu symptoms that you stay at home until you are fully recovered. Please be aware personal space when engaging with one another. There is no requirement to sign in at mass

TEA AND COFFEE AFTER SUNDAY MASS

Please contact: danieladonati@googlemail.com if you can help. Volunteers needed!

CHILDRENS LITURGY

Children's liturgy will be at 09:30am Mass.

This is for children who are from reception to year 3. Parents are asked to bring them to the Parish hall, children will rejoin their families at the Offertory.

SAVING GRACE - ONLINE RETREAT

Offered by the Diocese A retreat for Lent, introduced by Archbishop John Wilson and led by members of the Spirituality Commission. For more details and to register go to: http://eepurl.com/hnK_Rz or see the rcsouthwark.uk website.

MASS INTENTIONS AND PRAYERS

06th March 2022 First Sunday of Lent	9.30am 11.15am 6pm	Marzenna Schejbal RIP Fr Christopher People of the Parish
Monday 07th March Feria	10am	David Kenny Int
Tuesday 08th March Feria	10am	People of Ukraine
Wed 09th March Feria	8 am	Michelle Delaney RIP
Thursday 10th March Feria	-	NO MASS
Friday 11th March Feria	10am	Jacinta Nathan Int
Saturday 12th March Feria	10am	Michael Nathan RIP

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Available after 10am Mass on Saturday morning by request

YOU TUBE 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.

MONDAY UNDER 5's.

Parents who have children under 5 meet in the Parish Hall and garden on Mondays 9:30a.m. -11:00a.m. for coffee and play! All are welcome.

SACRAMENTS

BAPTISM: Please contact the Parish Office to arrange an appointment with Canon Michael. Baptism will be celebrated only for one baby until further notice.

MARRIAGE: If you are planning to get married here or abroad at least 6 months' notice is required so as the adequate preparations can be made. Contact the Parish Office for more information

SUPPORTING ST SIMON'S:

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.

Just Giving page: -

www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stsimonputney

CONTACT INFORMATION

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(Parish Office times: Mon, Wed and Fri (9.30am-3pm))

Safeguarding: Moira Bennett 07764 939 631

Our Lady of Victories School: 020 8788 7957

Convent: Franciscan Missionaries of Mary: 0208 780 1828

Marriage Preparation Days: Philip & Mary Pond 0208 651 4653

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Weekly Offerings

Weekly Offering for:-

27th Feb: **£815.95**

2nd Collection

(Clergy Support Fund): **£486.61**

Your generosity is much appreciated.