

OUR LADY OF PITY AND ST SIMON STOCK CHURCH

01st May 2022
Third Sunday of Easter
First Reading: Acts 5:27-32, 40-41
Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 29:2, 4-6, 11-13 response v 2
Second Reading: Apocalypse 5:11-14
Gospel: John 21:1-19
Parish Mass book page: 265

Prayer for Peace in 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.

NOELEEN & JIM MCGEEHAN RIP

Thank you to all who attended their Requiem Mass last Monday. The mass can be viewed on our You Tube channel. Thank you to those who sent messages and prayers to the family. May they rest in peace and rise in glory.

SPEAR Homelessness to Independence is a local charity with over 30 years' experience in this vital area of outreach. If you can help in any way, either financially or as a volunteer, please see the posters in the porch including Active Events 2022. www.spearlondon.org

COMMUNITY LUNCH

Every Thursday at St Margarets Chirch, Putney Park Lane SW15 5HU 12:30pm until 2pm. Come and join us, a chance to meet new people and enjoy some homemade soup, sandwiches and freshly baked cakes and its absolutely free! If you would like to volunteer to help at the lunch please contact Helen at St Margaret's on 0208 789 5932 office@stmargrersputney.org or for any further information.

BAPTISM

Please pray for those who are to be baptised and their families. Chloe Contri and Oliver Finsterbusch will be baptised this Saturday 7th May, keep them in your prayers. May God bless them, their parents and god parents.

NEXT SUNDAY 8th May 2ND COLLECTION: is for the Priest Training Fund 8th May The priesthood (baptismal & ordained) has always been essential to the life of the Church, from the time of Jesus until today. Good Shepherd Sunday is the day we pray for vocations, for our priests, and take up the Priest Training Fund second collection. This fund pays for the formation of men to become priests in our Archdiocese. After their ordination, our priests dedicate their lives to serving Christ and His people in our parishes, hospitals, schools, chaplaincies, prisons and in service to the needy, throughout South London, Kent and Surrey. We are blessed to have 6 men in formation to the Priesthood for our Archdiocese. However, it costs £30,000 a year to sponsor each seminarian. They study for 6 years before being ordained a Catholic priest. We therefore rely on your generous support and prayers. Please support our priests of the future with a gift today: thank you for your generosity. • Donate Online: www.rcaos.org.uk/donate/PTF or give in the collection

HOLY WATER. For 2 years we have not had Holy Water in the church because of the restrictions. It is now allowed and is back in the stoop in the porch. It is a long-standing Catholic practice to make the sign of the cross with holy water as we enter the House of God. This reminds us that we belong to the community of the church through our Baptism and that we share in the Resurrection of Jesus. Easter is a good time pass on this practice especially to our children.

Holy Water is especially significant over this season of Easter.

PAPAL VISIT 1982

40 Years Since the Visit of Pope St John Paul II St George's Cathedral will be hosting an Exhibition in the period 16-30 May about the visit of St John Paul II to our Cathedral. Those who have photographs or other items relating to the visit which they might wish to loan are asked to write to admin@stgeorges.org.uk with details.

MASS INTENTIONS AND PRAYERS

01st May 2022 Third Sunday of Easter	9.30am 11.15am 6pm	Patricia Joyce Nash RIP Louis Reader RIP Jim & Noeleen McGeehan RIP
Monday 02nd May Saint Athanasius	10am	Aran, Seth & Xavier Sagaym Int
Tuesday 03rd May Saints Philip and James	10am	Helen Kinnane McGuire Int
Wed 04th May The English Martyrs	8.00 am	Olivia O'Brien Int
Thursday 05th May Feria	-	NO MASS
Friday 06th May Feria	10am	Jim & Noeleen McGeehan RIP
Saturday 07th May Feria	10am	Fr Christopher RIP

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Available after 10am Mass on Saturday morning or by request

YOU TUBE 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.

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. (Term time only) for coffee and
play! All are welcome.

BAPTISM: Please contact the Parish Office to arrange an
appointment with Canon Michael.

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

CONTACT INFORMATION

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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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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 to the parish office.
**To use just giving page please use
the tab on the front page of the
website**

Weekly Offerings

Weekly Offering for:-

Sunday 24th April: **£499.12**

2nd Collection: Cathedral

Maintenance: **£234.63**

Good Friday collection for Holy
Places **£221.00**

Thank you for generous support.