

OUR LADY OF PITY AND ST SIMON STOCK CHURCH

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.

THE ST BERNADETTE RELIC TOUR

The relics will be at, St George's Cathedral,
Southwark, 19-21 October and The Friars, Aylesford nr
Maidstone, Kent 24-28 October. Visit the St Bernadette
Relic Tour website: stbernadette.org.uk

BISHOP HOWARD TRIPP RIP

Many will remember Bishop Howard Tripp who was
area bishop for S.W Area of Southwark from 1980 –
2004. Sadly, he died on Monday 03rd October at St
Peters Home, Vauxhall. Funeral arrangements:
Wednesday 2 November 18:00 Reception of the Body,
followed by Mass of All Souls' Day **Thursday 3
November** 12:30 Solemn Requiem Mass, May he rest in
peace.

SAVE THE DATE PARISH CHRISTMAS FAIR 3RD DECEMBER 12-3P.M at OLV SCHOOL.

This will be an opportunity to meet socially, the last
one was in 2019! If you would like to volunteer please
contact the parish office asap. We will be appealing for
donations after half term – new and used (but good
condition) toys, gifts, plants, bottles and luxury items.

MISSIO Fr Brian Oswald has written to thank the
parish for the welcome on Sunday 25th September and
the generous response £955 was given contactless and
19 new red boxes were given out for home collections.
Also thank you to those who have undertaken to
organise the continuing work of fundraising for Missio

16th October 2022

Twenty Ninth Sunday in ordinary time

First Reading: Exodus 17:8-13
Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 120 response v 2
Second Reading: Timothy 3:14-4:2
Gospel: Luke 18:1-8

Parish Mass book page: 152

CONTACTLESS GIVING. We now have 2 contactless giving
devices in church called Dona. These are provided for those who
prefer to use card to make their offerings. Simply follow the
instructions on the pad.

- Dona will take you through a simple online process to sign a
Gift Aid Declaration via their system.
- You will be asked to enter your name, postcode and house
name/number.
- Once you have registered your payment card for Gift Aid
once, Dona will automatically Gift Aid any future donations
you make using that same payment card. If you have any
problems using the card reader please let us know.

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ALPHA St Simon's is hosting an Alpha Course What is Alpha?
Alpha is a chance to explore life and the Christian faith in a friendly,
open and informal environment. The Course is free and includes
friendly people, food, a glass of wine, a talk and brief discussion.
Come along and invite a friend too., Wednesday evenings 7.00pm -
9.15pm at the Parish Hall next to the Priests House. All welcome.

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SPIRITUALITY GROUP We welcome anyone interested in
attending a monthly morning meeting to discuss spiritual
matters and to grow in faith and prayer . Please contact Sr
Premila diaspremila88@gmail.com The meetings are around
an hour and a half and are in the convent: 36 Gwendolen
Avenue.

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FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PREPARATION
We are now enrolling children for preparation for First Holy
Communion (Yr3 or above) We ask that you collect an application
form from mass today or from the Parish Office and return it with a
copy of baptism certificate. Families should live in the parish and
be regular attenders at mass at St. Simon's Closing date: 28th
October.

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OUR LADY OF VICTORIES Our Parish School 'Our Lady of
Victories' is holding Open Mornings on: 21st October 2022 and 18th
November 2022 both at 09.30a.m. For further information:
020 8788 7957

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BAPTISM We welcome into the family of the Church Theodore
Collard who will be baptised next Saturday (22nd Oct) at 11:30am
May God bless him and his family.

MASS INTENTIONS AND PRAYERS

16th October 2022 Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time	9:30am 11:15am 6pm	People of the Paris Stanley Godwin RIP Jimmy Pettit RIP
Monday 17th Oct Saint Ignatius of Antioch	10am	Danny Gallagher RIP
Tuesday 18th Oct Saint Luke	10am	Lech & Henryka Protrowski RIP
Wed 19th Oct Feria	8am	Jack Alden RIP
Thursday 20th Oct Feria	-	No Mass
Friday 21st Oct Feria	10am	Christine Doyle Int
Saturday 22nd Oct Feria	10am	Colett Ramsey RIP

SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION

Available after 10am Mass on Saturday morning or by request

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.

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**TRANSFER TO CATHOLIC SECONDARY SCHOOL**Parents whose children are in Year 6 and due to apply for Secondary places for September 2023 are reminded that they need a reference from the Parish Priest, forms should be given in at the parish office or through the Priest house letterbox. These will be sent to the school directly or in some cases returned. You will be contacted by the parish office. Please make sure all forms are given in no later than 18th Oct.**CONTACT INFORMATION****Parish Priest: Canon Michael O'Dea****Hazlewell Road, Putney SW15 6LU, Tel: 0208 788 1131;****Email Website: St SimonPutney.uk****Parish Administrator: Catherine Hallett****(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****A parish of Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Southwark CIO Registered
Incorporated Charity Number 1173050****YOU TUBE LIVESTREAM**

Every Sunday 9.30am Mass is livestreamed via YouTube.

Please subscribe to us!**ST SIMONS, PUTNEY****OUR LADY OF VICTORIES SCHOOL**

Due to movements of families over the Summer holiday, the school has places in several year groups. Please contact the school office for an application form on 020 8788 7957 or email

admissions@ourladyofvictories.wandsworth.sch.uk**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 websiteJust Giving page:-
www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stsimonputney**Weekly Offerings**

Weekly Offering for:-

02nd Oct: **£587.04****CAFOD: £754.14**

Thank you for generous support.