OUR LADY OF PITY AND ST SIMON STOCK CHURCH

ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!
Christ has truly risen from the
dead
ALLELUIA!

Wishing you all every blessing for a Happy Easter

Thank you to everyone who took part in our Holy Week Services and made these so prayerful. To readers, eucharistic ministers, servers, M.C, choir, organist, flower arranger and those who cleaned and prepared the church.

Big thank you! Canon Michael

PRAYER FOR PEACE IN ISRAEL & GAZA

Please keep the people of Israel & Gaza in your prayers at this time of great suffering for them.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament before the 10am Mass on Fridays (begins at 9am), an opportunity to pray together for an end to the conflict.

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR

Required for St Margarets's Church Putney Park Lane Please see details: https://www.stmargaretsputney.org/jobs Applications close: Monday 15th April at 12pm

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CONFIRMATION. We invite young people who are in year 10 and who would like to be Confirmed to take an application form to enroll on this year's preparation sessions. These will begin after Easter please return your completed application to the Parish Office by 14th April (deadline extended)

BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS We are currently carrying out necessary repairs and improvements to our buildings. See parish website for details.

ALTAR SERVERS

We are inviting young people or adults who have made their First Communion to consider becoming altar servers. This means making a regular commitment each Sunday and will involve some training. Please only come forward if you can make a serious commitment. Please contact the office.

31ST March 2024 Easter Sunday

First Reading: Acts 10:34, 37-43

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 117:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 response

v 24

Second Reading: Colossians3:1-4

Gospel: John 20:1-9

Parish Mass book page: 255 07th April 2024

Second Sunday of Easter

First Reading: Acts 4:32-35

Responsorial Psalm: Psalm 117:2-4, 15-18, 22-24 response v 1

Second Reading: 1 John 5:1-6 Gospel: John 20:19-31

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EASTER OFFERING

Traditionally your personal gift to the parish priest forms the main part of his income. There are special envelopes for this collection, which you will find porch. If you prefer to use contactless or Dona or the website please use the Easter offering button. Thank you very much for your generosity.

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HANDEL'S MESSIAH - Saturday 20th April at 7pm

A concert to celebrate the 150th anniversary of All Saints' Church, Putney Common featuring the All Saints' Anniversary Choir and Orchestra.

Tickets £18/£15 in advance or £25/£20 on the door via www.ticketsource.co.uk/all-saints-church-putney

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PARISH OFFICE

During the school Easter holidays the office is closed until Monday 15th April. For any enquires please email Putney @rcaos.org.uk

FR. OLA CRAIG

We say farewell to Fr. Ola who has been with us while studying for his doctorate in Canon Law over the last 2 years. Archbishop John has appointed him as Parish Priest of St. Osmund's, Barnes. He will take up his new appointment after Easter. Welcome to our new next-door neighbour!

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THE WORLD DAY OF PRAYER this year was prepared by the Christian women of Palestine over 3 years ago. We held two services on Friday 01st March at Holy Trinity C of E in Roehampton and St. Mary's C of E in Putney. A total of £438 was collected (plus another £23 to be paid in) and this has been sent to the World Day of Prayer Office. This will be used for projects in this country and abroad. Thank you to all those who came and supported.

SOUTHWARK CATHOLIC YOUTH SERVICE

The Southwark Catholic Youth Service has several activities in 2024 for youth and young adults. For regular updates on forthcoming events, please sign up to our network at www.tinyurl.com/scysnetwork or see our website at www.tinyurl.com/scys1

MASS INTENTIONS AND PRAYERS 31ST March 2024 9.30am People of the Parish **Easter Sunday of The** 11.15am Maura & Hugh Ward RIP Alice Khouri RIP **Resurrection of The Lord** 6pm Monday 01ST April 10am Nanbikai Nathan RIP **Octave of Easter** Tuesday 02nd April 10am Juan Garau Int **Octave of Easter** Wed 03rd April Catherine Baker RIP 8am **Octave of Easter** Thurs 04th April No Mass **Octave of Easter** Friday 05th April 10am Ann Alden Int **Octave of Easter** Saturday 06th April William & Florence 10am Octave of Easter Matthews Int. 07th April 2024 9.30am Ann Quinlan Gaynor Int **Second Sunday of Easter** 11.15am People of the Parish Ellen Cliff RIP 6pm Monday 08th April 10am Peter Ouinn RIP The Annunciation of The Lord Tuesday 09th April 10am Matthews Family Int Feria Wed 10th April No Mass Feria Thurs 11th April No Mass Saint Stanislaus Friday 12th April Olivia O'Brien Int 10am **Feria** Saturday 13th April Paddy Heffernan RIP 10am Feria

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

PARISH DATABASE If you are a new or existing parishioner, please visit our website <u>www.stsimonputney.uk</u> and complete a registration form via Church Suite. This is an opportunity to ensure that all of your contact information is up to date. Your information will be confidential and not passed onto any third party. It will only be accessed by Canon Michael and the parish office staff for administration purposes only. Thank you.

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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 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



If you wish to DONATE to the Parish via phone please scan the QR code.

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 the
Parish Office or put through the
Priests House letter box.

Standing order forms and gift aid declaration forms are in the porch.

Weekly Offerings

24th March: **£644.67** Contactless: **£520.00** 2nd Collection for Easter Flowers:

£286.72
Contactless: £90.00

Total: £ 1541.39

Your generosity is much appreciated.