



# THE CHURCH OF THE SACRED HEART

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## Newsletter

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in Ordinary Time

Weekday readings for  
14th Week in Ordinary Time  
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### Next Sunday's Readings

- Amos 7:12-15
- Psalm 84:9-14. R.v8
- Ephesians 1:3-14
- Mark 6:7-13

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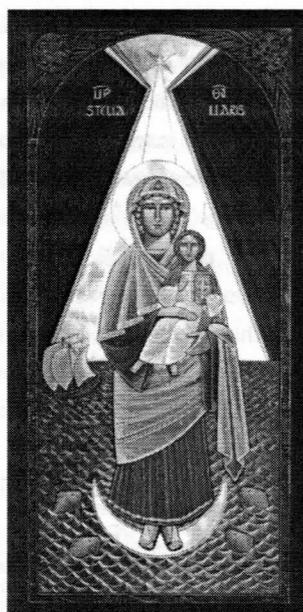
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## Sea Sunday

## Stella Maris

This Sunday is Sea Sunday when the Church thinks especially of those who live and work at sea. Without them, we would not have most of the items we buy in our shops. Today's second collection is for the Apostleship of the Sea (AoS), the Church's official maritime welfare agency. It supports seafarers both practically and spiritually. This collection is vital to enable it to continue its

work, so please give your prayers. The *Apostleship of the Sea* helps remember seafarers in the many men and women who work on the sea to find a safe and supported haven when they come to port. They run hostels to provide accommodation and relaxation before leaving for their next port of call. Apart from the physical conditions they provide spiritual support, offering Mass and the Sacraments to Catholic seafarers. They deserve our support.



Our Lady, Star of the Sea

Pray for Seafarers

Pray for us

O Mary, Star of the Sea, light of every ocean, guide seafarers across all dark and stormy seas that they may reach the haven of peace and light prepared in Him who calmed the sea. As we set forth upon the oceans of the world and cross deserts of our time, show us, O Mary, the fruit of your womb, for without your Son we are lost. Pray that we will never fail on life's journey, that in heart and mind, word and deed, in days of turmoil and in days of calm, we will always look to Christ and say, 'Who is this that even wind and sea obey him?' Our Lady of Peace, pray for us!

### THE PARISH PASTORAL TEAM

Parish Priest: Canon John Clark MA

Parish Clergy: Fr Thaddeus Nwokeji and Deacon Julian Burling

Also Resident: Canon Elias Vojtech

Team Members: Sr Francis SSA, Sr Dorothy Perrott OSU and Cristina Connolly

Catechetical Co-Ordinator: David Wills

## SECOND COLLECTION

Today, 8 July, the second collection will be for AoS, *Apostleship of the Sea*, the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church. For more information about the work of AoS please visit [www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk](http://www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk). Thank you for your generosity towards this good cause.

## CHARISMATIC PRAYER GROUP

SH Charismatic Prayer Group will be in the church for an evening of prayer, praise and worship on Monday 9 July. There will be time of sharing God's word and healing prayers. Monday 9 July 7.30pm-9.15pm. All are welcome. Any enquiries contact Audra (07958 782 779 [audra.wams.teker@gmail.com](mailto:audra.wams.teker@gmail.com))

## JESUIT MISSIONS

The latest issue of 'On the Edge', JM's regular bulletin, is available at the back of the church informing about their South Sudan Summer Appeal. JM are recruiting a temporary Finance Officer to work in the Wimbledon office for 2 months. You will have exceptional numeracy skills and experience of using accounting systems (preferably QuickBooks) and payroll. For more info, please contact Pippa Pickles on 020 8946 0466 or email [info@jesuitmissions.org.uk](mailto:info@jesuitmissions.org.uk)

## VACANCY AT SPUC

The Society of Unborn Children (SPUC) wishes to recruit a FT Income/Database Supervisor (37,5 hrs/w, salary determined according to relevant experience, from August 2018). For an application pack please contact Rhea Steel ([rheasteel@spuc.org.k](mailto:rheasteel@spuc.org.k) or 020 78203147).

# Parish News

## AT HOME

There will be an 'At Home' on Monday 9 July from 6-8pm.

## SCHOOL SLIPS

School slips will be collected this weekend.

## VOLUNTEERS

We are looking for more people to join the list of those prepared to serve refreshments after parish spiritual, social and fund-raising events. If you can help

on a regular or occasional basis, please give your contact details to [wimparish@sacredheartwimbledon.org.uk](mailto:wimparish@sacredheartwimbledon.org.uk) or call the Parish Office on 020 8946 0305.

# Announcements

## FIRST HOLY

### COMMUNION 2018-19

Registration for next year's programme of preparation will commence from July. It will be done online, follow the link on the *Faith and Sacraments* section of the parish website. The parish is moving to a more family-based, parent-led process, therefore we are offering some information meetings for parents to learn more about why we are adopting this process and how it will work. You are invited to attend one of the following times: Thursday 12 July 7.45pm OR Sunday 15 July 11.15am (Upper Hall). If you are unable to attend one of those meetings, we will repeat the info-meeting in early September (provisionally 6th at 7.45pm and 9th 11.15am).

## BOOKS BEYOND WORDS

The parish is taking part in a pilot programme to set up a book club for adults with intellectual disabilities, so they can share their stories and experiences of life and faith, through books that use images, and which enable them to communicate and share. This will help the parish, in turn, to grow in awareness and friendship. We are looking for volunteers to run the Book Club and would particularly welcome

- people from the parish
- young adults group, the youth groups or confirmation groups
- anyone who might have skills in differentiated communication skills
- anyone who was trained on the 'Counting EveryOne in' Course run by the Southwark

Diocese last year

- people who are interested in building communities and in creative communication. Free training will be provided in Central London on 22 September and *Books Beyond Words* will provide all the books and supervisory support. If you would like to volunteer please send your full name, address, email address & phone number to [wimparish@sacredheartwimbledon.org.uk](mailto:wimparish@sacredheartwimbledon.org.uk) or call the Parish Office on 020 8946 0305.

We will also be looking for 4-6 adults who would like to join this book club. If you would like to join, or know someone who would like to join, please send contact details to [wimparish@sacredheartwimbledon.org.uk](mailto:wimparish@sacredheartwimbledon.org.uk) or call the Parish Office.

# Parish Organisations

## TRAIDCRAFT

Traidcraft goods will be on sale this Sunday morning. By buying groceries and other items from us you are helping some of the world's poorest people to get a fair price for their labour and support their families.

## WCFG

The Wimbledon Cancer Friendship Group is looking for new volunteers to help

run this small group. The group meets twice a month and the volunteers have a rota for these, so they can see which sessions they can attend. The requirements needed by the volunteer is to have been affected by cancer, either personally or as a carer, family member or friend and to be an empathetic listener. Training is given in listening and re-

sponding by Macmillan. Please ring or email us and have an informal chat to find out more about the role.

The next evening meeting is on Thursday 12 July from 7.30-9pm: WCFG is holding their Summer Party for their visitors, please let them know if you plan to come. 07948 767 936, [wcfg@live.co.uk](mailto:wcfg@live.co.uk); Wimbledon Guild, 30/32 Worple Rd, SW19 4FF.

## Social, Cultural & Notices

### WIMBLEDON COLLEGE

An Admin Assistant, term time only, and a Teaching Support Assistant are required from September at Wimbledon College, please see website [www.wimbledoncollege.org.uk](http://www.wimbledoncollege.org.uk) (about us/job opportunities) for details.

### PRINCESS IDA

Malden Community Choir & soloists will perform Gilbert and Sullivan's 'Princess Ida' in a semi-staged production on Wednesday 11 July at 7.30pm. Tickets, including refreshments are £10 from the Malden Centre or from Celia Cviic 020 8946 6528 [celiacviic@btinternet.com](mailto:celiacviic@btinternet.com).

### EDGE HILL PLAYERS

The Edge Hill Players' next pantomime will be *Cinderella* with performances on Satur-

days 26 January and 2 February 2019. We are holding auditions in the Upper Hall for children in Year 6 and below, before the summer holidays, so that we can be sure there are enough parts for everyone: Friday 13 July at 4.30pm & 5.30pm and again on Wednesday 18 July at 4.30pm & 5.30pm. The children will be asked whether they would like to act/sing/dance, with any combination being possible. We will be doing warm up exercises and working on the stage as well. Parents are welcome to stay if they wish. Other auditions will be held towards the end of September.

### LIFE

There will be an important meeting of the LIFE group on Wednesday 11 July at 8pm in

Morden to decide on the future status of the group. For venue and other info please contact Christine on 020 3602 9213 or [teeceeedee@live.co.uk](mailto:teeceeedee@live.co.uk)

There will be Afternoon Tea at 22 Aylward Rd., SW20 9AF, on Saturday 14 July, from 3 - 5pm. £5 entrance and Bring & Buy. Contact 020 3602 9213, proceeds go to the charity LIFE.

### NATURE TRAIL

Parish nature trail on Wimbledon Common on Tuesday 24 July. Meet at 6.30pm outside the Windmill café. Contact Alison Lobo [radar1972@hotmail.com](mailto:radar1972@hotmail.com), 07711 583 414 or Sarah Tobin [sarah.tobin@btconnect.com](mailto:sarah.tobin@btconnect.com) All welcome!

### New to the Parish?

Please introduce yourself to a member of the Parish Team after Mass and register online at <https://sacredheartwimbledon.org.uk/> or by filling in a registration form, available at the back of the church.

### BOOKS FROM THE ESTATE OF THE LATE JOHN MILWARD

One of our parishioners has acquired the book collection of the late John Milward and his family and wishes to distribute it sympathetically. It is an eclectic and impressive collection of some 3000 plus books. Key categories are the classics, history and religious. After all Masses on Sunday 15 July (including after the 6.30pm on Sat 14 July) and in the Lower Hall the religious books, numbering 400 plus, will be laid out for parishioners to peruse. Books will be available in return for a sensible contribution to the Sacred Heart Capital Fund for the maintenance of the Church.

In respect of the other books they remain in the Milward house for the moment. Interest has been expressed by two universities and a number of individuals. If any parishioner has a particular interest, please contact Mr John Simmonds on 07950 678 937.

## Exploring our Faith

### A DAY WITH MARY

You are invited to a *Day with Mary* on Sunday 21 July starting at 11am until 5.30pm at St Anselm's Church, Balham High Rd SW17 8BS. For more details please visit [www adaywithmary.org](http://www adaywithmary.org)

### PILGRIMAGE TO ROME

Fodo Pilgrims sponsored by the Sons of Divine Providence are organising a pilgrimage to Rome and the Shrines of Italy from 10-22 September 2018 visiting Tortona, Venice, Loreto, Inconronata, San Giovanni (Padre Pio), Monte Cassino & Rome. For further info contact Fodo Pilgrims on 01942726418 or Fr John

Perrotta (020 8977 5130 or [johnperrotta208@gmail.com](mailto:johnperrotta208@gmail.com)).

### PILGRIMAGE

The *Love Heals Body Mind and Spirit* Ministry invites you to a 7-day Retreat at Mem Soares, Castelo De Vide, Retreat House, Portugal from 6-12 September. The cost of £620 includes the following: return scheduled flights: T.A.P. Portugal (LHR-Lisbon) return coach transfers from airport to retreat, full board (3 meals/day); 1-day excursion to Fatima, excursions to historical local town of Castelo De Vide, Mass at the Cathedral of Portalegre, visit to Blessed Chapel of Our Lady of Penha, Castelo

De Vide, visit to lakes situated in the National Park, last day visit to Lisbon: St Anthony's birthplace and Lisbon Cathedral, full retreat programme, daily Mass. Resident Celebrant Priest: Fr Bill Keogh (Former Spiritual Director of the Westminster Charismatic Prayer Group). Please secure your booking to make sure you get a place: [lovehealsbodymindspirit@gmail.com](mailto:lovehealsbodymindspirit@gmail.com) or visit [www.lovehealsbodymindspirit.com](http://www.lovehealsbodymindspirit.com) For more information contact David or Eileen on 020 85422476.

### CELEBRANTS FOR THIS SUNDAY

6.30pm (Sat) Canon J Clark 11.15am Canon V Elias  
 8.15am Fr M Holman SJ 12.45pm Canon J Clark  
 8.30am\* Fr M Barnes SJ 5.00pm Bishop P Hendricks  
 9.45am Fr T Nwokeji 8.00pm Canon V Elias

\* SH School Mass Centre

### MASS INTENTIONS FOR THIS WEEK

Sat 7 6.30pm Orlean Subramaniam  
 Mon 9 7.30am John Whitehouse RIP  
 10.00am Elizabeth Ptaszynska-Honeyman Ints  
 6.30pm Sean Gallagher RIP  
 Tue 10 7.30am Michael Giles RIP  
 10.00am David Malin RIP  
 6.30pm Murray Cowell RIP  
 Wed 11 7.30am Audrey James & Florrie Poncen Anniv.  
 10.00am Thomas Barden RIP  
 6.30pm Denzil De Lambert RIP  
 Thu 12 7.30am Gabrielle Lockyer RIP  
 10.00am Maisey Clark RIP  
 6.30pm Agnieszka Ptaszynska Jan Ptaszynski RIP  
 Fri 13 7.30am Teresa Ptaszynska Neophytou Ints.  
 10.00am Patsy Mitchell  
 6.30pm Johanna Fleming RIP  
 Sat 14 7.30am Pat Walsh RIP  
 10.00am Frank Lynch RIP

### WE REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS

**Those who have died recently:** Felicity Walker, Sheila Johnstone

**Those whose anniversaries occur at this time:** Liam Gilsean, Fr Kevin McElhatton SJ, Paul Marshall, John Whitehouse, Peggy Gavin, Maisie Clark, Wendy Portelly, Joanna Rossicki, Pauline Papaioannou, John Walsh, Jean-Pierre van Besouw

**The sick:** Trinity Kerin, Roberto Farina, Oriel Kerr, Damji Vadha, Noel Smith, Simon Hull, Doug Cusack, Lalita Nagar, Cath O'Neill, Andrew Tan, Horace D'Cruz, Paul Helm, Bertha D'Costa, Tom Searle, John Burke-Gaffney, Donald Derx, Margaret Lumley, Electa Almeida, Charlotte Bennett, Giena Worth, Brian Sewell

Please note that for data protection reasons, since the 25th of May people have to explicitly agree for their names to be mentioned in our newsletter. Please let the Parish Office know **in writing** if either your name or the names of your relatives and friends should appear in our NL sick list.



### COLLECTIONS

Collection at Mass last Sunday came to £1,623 in loose plate giving and £460 from the Planned Giving envelopes making a total of £2,083. This does not include £4,000 from monthly standing orders.

The collection for Peter's Pence on Friday 29 June raised £473. Thank you for your generosity.

### FEAST DAYS, MEMORIALS THIS WEEK

**Sunday 8 July** Sea Sunday

**Monday 9 July** St Augustine Zhao Rong, Priest & Companions, Martyrs

**Wednesday 11 July** St Benedicta, Abbot, Patron of Europe

**Friday 13 July** St Mildred, Abbess Goretti, Virgin and Martyr

**Saturday 14 July** St Camillus de Lellis, Priest

### EXPOSITION

Sundays: 3.00 - 4.00pm

(Prayers for the Pope and the Catholic Church in Britain)

Wednesdays: after the 7.30am and 10.00am Masses and 5.25 - 6.25pm

Fridays: 5.25 - 6.25pm

On first Fridays of the month there is exposition from after the 6.30pm Mass to Midnight.

### RECONCILIATION

Saturdays:

10.30 - 11.30am

3.00 - 4.00pm

6.00 - 6.20pm

Monday - Friday:

6.00 - 6.20pm

### MUSIC AT THE 11.15am MASS

*Mass in Four Parts*, William Byrd

*Teach me, o Lord, the Way of Thy Statutes*, William Byrd

Communion: *Agnus Dei* (from *Mass in Four Parts*), William Byrd

### PARISH SERVICES

Parish Office/Reception Hours: 9am - 5pm (Mon-Fri) 9.30am - 1pm (Sat) 9am - 1pm (Sun) [A range of religious and greeting cards are on sale at very competitive prices - please feel free to call to view.]

Executive Assistant & Hall bookings: Thelma D'Costa (Mon - Fri 9.30am - 5pm) Caretaker: George McLennan

Parish Pastoral Council: [sacredheartwimbledonppc@gmail.com](mailto:sacredheartwimbledonppc@gmail.com)

Baptism, Marriage, First Sacraments, Funerals contact the parish 020 8946 0305

Bereavement Support: For more information please contact the co-ordinator by email [bereavementsacredheart@gmail.com](mailto:bereavementsacredheart@gmail.com) or call 020 8946 5198, Referral forms available in the Presbytery Reception

Admission to Hospital: RC hospital chaplains will only be aware of your admission if you specifically ask for the hospital chaplaincy team to be informed. Please tell a member of the ward staff, it is also helpful to let your parish priest know.