

Mass Intentions for this Week			
Sat	5 th Aug	9.30am	Sarah Walsh and Stephen & Annie
		6:30pm	RIP Mary Mattie & Stephanie Apena
Sun	6 th Aug	10.15am	People of the Parish
		12.00noon	Mass
Mon	7 th Aug	10:00am	Mass
Tue	8 th Aug	10:00am	Mass
Wed	9 th Aug	10.00am	Holy Souls
Thurs	10 th Aug	10:10am	Funeral Mass for Catherina May Gravells
Fri	11 th Aug	10:00am	Mass
Sat	12 th Aug	6:30pm	Mass
		12.00noon	Mass
Sun	13 th Aug	10.15am	People of the Parish
		12.00noon	Mass

Collections for 29 th /30 th July	
1 st Collection	£390.72
2 nd Collection	£143.47 Hall Fund

2nd collection this week is for the Hall Fund
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The donation to the parish from the 100 club in July was £378.00. MANY THANKS



**St Joseph's
Catholic Church**
SHOOTERS HILL

The Transfiguration of the Lord
Sunday 6th August 2023
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THE POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTION- AUG

We pray the World Youth Day in Lisbon will help young people to live and witness the Gospel in their own lives.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

1st reading	Dan 7:9-10, 13-14	<i>His robe was white as snow.</i>
Psalm	Ps 96: 1-2. 5-6. 9 r. 1.9	<i>The Lord is king, most high above all the earth.</i>
2 nd reading	2Pet 1:16– 19	We heard this ourselves, spoken from heaven.
Gospel Acclamation	Mt 17:5	<i>This is my Son, the Beloved, he enjoys my favour; listen to him.</i>
Gospel	Mt 17:1-9	His face shone like the sun.

FIRST SATURDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION & HEALING MASS

On the 1st Saturday of each month, we will have Eucharistic Adoration and Healing Mass in our parish. Activities will include Eucharistic Adoration, Sacramental Confession, Anointing of the Sick and Holy Mass. Please come with your written prayer intention.

Next service will be on **Saturday, September 2nd**

FROM OUR SAFEGUARDING TEAM

Please be reminded that children are to be accompanied by an adult when using the toilets.

No child should go to the toilet alone.

Please try and avoid using the toilets during the readings, the homily and especially during the consecration.

Please supervise all children lighting candles at all times.

CHILDRENS LITURGY

The Children's Liturgy will not take place over the summer holidays. The next session will take place on **Sunday, 24th Sept** during the 10.30am Mass.

We are looking for one more person to assist with the Children's Liturgy – if you can help, please speak to Father Hyacinth. We wish all the children a happy summer.

HALL CLEANER

A cleaner is required for the hall for 2 hours per week at £15 per hour. The applicant would be required to go on the Diocesan payroll.

Please contact the Parish Office or speak to Father Hyacinth if you are interested in this post.

VACANCY FOR PARISH SECRETARY

Applications are invited from practicing Catholics for the post of a part time Parish secretary/administrator of Our lady of Grace, Charlton. Applicants are expected to be proficient in the use of computer and preferably experienced in general office admin. Interested applicants should please submit their application through Charlton@rcaos.org.uk on or before **15th September 2023.**

BANNS OF PRIESTLY ORDINATION

BANNS OF PRIESTLY ORDINATION FOR REV FRANCIS DOMETIERO CSSp. Rev Francis who has been in formation for the priesthood has asked to be ordained a Priest and the ordination has been fixed for **Saturday the 26th of August** in Ghana. To this end, there is the statutory requirement for the banns of his ordination to be announced in our Parish, St Joseph's, Shooters Hill. Please notify Fr Hyacinth if you feel there is any impediment to his ordination. Thanks for your help.

100 CLUB

The 100 club is a parish lottery where people pay £10 per month and, at the end of each month, one lucky winner is drawn and wins 1/3rd of the total draw money – 2/3rds of the draw money goes back to the parish.

Please consider joining the lottery - the more people who join – the bigger the prize money!

Please contact Jake Tran 07506 855666 for further details or give your name and details to Fr. Hyacinth

July's winner was Miss Dugen Nguyen. CONGRATULATIONS!

INTERNATIONAL DAY

10th September 2023

We will be holding an International Day in the parish where you are invited to attend in your national dress and bring food. We are a wonderfully diverse parish here in St. Joseph's so we should have many different nationalities represented. Please speak to Father Hyacinth if you could be a contact and representative from your country. This will also be a fundraising event for the parish.

HALL REFURBISHMENT

You will all be aware that we have been having 2nd collections for the Hall Fund for some time and wish to thank you for your generosity with this project. We are now looking to refurbish the hall but require some assistance with the project. Are you an architect/structural surveyor or general builder who could provide advice as to the work that would be required? Please contact the Parish Office or speak to Father Hyacinth if you could help in any capacity – thank you!

AN APPEAL FROM CAFOD:

Use your voice to speak out for our global family?

At CAFOD we really need your help to reach out to more parishes across the diocese. We are looking for volunteer speakers, so if you can spare one or two weekends a year to visit parishes in your area (or further afield) to speak at Mass about CAFOD's work and share stories of the communities we work with around the world please get in touch. Full training and support provided. Find out more about the volunteer speaker role and our other volunteering roles on our website or by contacting Celeste and Sarah at southwark@cafod.org.uk

We would love to hear from you!

COFFEE MORNING

Tea and Coffee are available after the 10.15am Mass in the Parish Hall. It is a wonderful time to meet other parishioners.

CATHERINA (KATH) GRAVELLS RIP

Sadly, Kath Gravelles our beloved parishioner has died. Her funeral will take place at St. Joseph's on **Thursday, 10th August at 10.30am.**

There will be no 10am Mass on this day. We pray for the repose of her soul and all her family at this sad time.

HALF MARATHON IN AID OF THE PASSAGE

This stunning autumnal route showcases the iconic sites of London through four Royal Parks – Hyde Park, Kensington Gardens, St James's Park and Green Park. Run past some of the capital's most historic landmarks, including Buckingham Palace, Horse Guards Parade and the Royal Albert Hall. Although undulating in parts, the course is not hilly and is great for both experienced and first-time half marathon runners.

Registration fee: £20

Fundraising goal: £300

All money raised will go towards supporting those currently experiencing or threatened by street homelessness so that we can end homelessness for good.

Sign up here:

<https://passage.org.uk/get-involved/events/royal-parks-half-marathon/>

OBITUARY ANNOUNCEMENT

Barbra Barnard, our beloved parishioner passed away on 27th July. Her funeral date will be communicated shortly. We pray for the repose of her soul and all her family at this sad time.

