

Mass Intentions for this Week			
Sat	11 th Mar	6:30pm	Mass
Sun	12 th Mar	10.15am	People of the Parish
		12.00 noon	Chinyere Nwachukwu RIP
Mon	13 th Mar	10:00am	Mass
Tue	14 th Mar	10:00am	Mass
Wed	15 th Mar	10.00am	Holy Souls
Thurs	16 th Mar	10:00am	Mass
Fri	17 th Mar	10:00am	St Patrick, Bishop
Sat	18 th Mar	6:30pm	St Cyril of Jerusalem, Bishop, Doctor of the Church
Sun	19 th Mar	10.15am	Archbishop Emeritus Joseph Ukpo RIP
		12.00 noon	Chinyere Nwachukwu RIP

Collections for 4 th /5 th Mar	
1st Collection	£295.42
2nd Collection	£145.49 CAFOD Fast Day

2nd collection this week is for the Hall Fund
 2nd collection next week is for the Poor Parishes

The donation to the parish from the 100 club in Feb was £266 – MANY THANKS



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

3rd Sunday of Lent
Sunday 12th March 2023
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 Thurs, 9.30am – 2.30pm

THE POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTION- MAR

We pray for those who have suffered harm from members of the Church; may they find within the Church herself a concrete response to their pain and suffering.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

1st reading	Exod 17:3-7	<i>Give us water to drink.</i>
Psalms	Ps 94:1-2, 6-9	<i>O that today you would listen to his voice: 'Harden not your hearts.'</i>
2 nd reading	Rom 5:1-2, 5-8	The love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us.
Gospel Acclamation	John 4:42. 15	<i>Lord, you are really the saviour of the world; give me living water, so that I may never get thirsty.</i>
Gospel	John 4:5-15, 19-26, 39-42	A spring of water welling up to eternal life.

HOLY ROSARY

The Holy Rosary is said every weekday morning at 9.30am and before the 10.15am Mass on a Sunday.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

Stations of the Cross will take place every Friday after 10am Mass during Lent.

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. There are 50 people's names on the 100 Club list but not all paid last month so, if you are one of those who have signed up but not paid, please consider rejoining. The more people who join – the bigger the prize money! Please contact Jake Tran 07833 941975 for further details or give your name and details to Fr. Hyacinth
February's winner was Benjamin Kotey – congratulations!

GIFT AID APPEAL

Mary Gadd will be speaking at all Masses this weekend about Gift Aid and distributing the envelopes for the next tax year. If you do not already gift aid your offertory, please consider signing up as it is a valuable source of income for the parish. The parish can claim 25p for every £1 you donate at no extra cost to you.

CHILDRENS LITURGY

The next Children's Liturgy will take place on **Sunday, 19th March** during the 10.15am Mass.

PARISH ACCOUNTS

The parish accounts for 2022 are now complete and are at the back of the church for you to view.

CARITAS SOUTHWARK INAUGURATION

All parishioners are invited to a great event on **Saturday, March 18th** at St George's Cathedral during which Archbishop John Wilson will inaugurate Caritas Southwark in the Archdiocese.

This occasion will begin at 12.30pm with the Holy Mass and continue in Amigo Hall thereafter, with light refreshment and a Roadshow of the numerous social and religious activities operating within the diocese.

Please see the poster at the back of the church.

ALTAR SERVERS TRAINING

Altar servers training will be held on **Saturday, 25th March at 12noon.**

This training is to prepare for the Holy Week, and it is mandatory for both old and new Altar servers.

EASTER PENITENTIAL SERVICE

Our parish Easter penitential service/ Confessions will take place on **Wednesday, 29th March at 7.30pm.** You can also make a private arrangement with any of the priests.

PRAY FOR PEACE IN UKRAINE

As we still look on with concern at one of the greatest humanitarian crises to unfold in Europe since the end of the Second World War, please pray for Ukraine and her people here. We also pray for all peace-loving Russians and for the people suffering in the many, many conflicts throughout our world

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY – LENT APPEAL

This Lent, your donations to CAFOD's Family Fast Day Appeal will help families fighting the climate crisis and ensure that our Church network can quickly respond to emergencies, like the recent earthquake in Syria and Turkey. Give today using the envelope or at cafod.org.uk/give and please join us in praying for CAFOD's development and emergency response work all over the world.

POOR PARISHES COLLECTION

The Poor Parishes collection will take place on **19th March.** This collection enables the Archbishop to make grants to some of the poorer parishes in the Diocese. There has been an error in the printing of the gift aid envelopes as this collection envelope was dated 5th March. Please use the gift aid envelope in your box for this collection even though the date is incorrect.

BOOKING OF MASS

The Holy Mass is Our Lord's Perfect prayer, our greatest and most efficacious prayer. In offering it, we unite ourselves and our intentions with the Lord in praise, in thanksgiving and in petition. If you wish to have a Holy Mass offered for any intention of yours, please contact the Parish Office (shootershill@rcaos.org.uk) or complete the mass intention envelope at the back of the Church.

Why not write a list of all the intentions you would like for 2023 so that you get the date you want? Please write or email your list together with your intention and send to the parish office.

If you made an offering for a Mass intention via the contactless machine,

please complete a Mass intention envelope stating that you have made an offering via the machine so that the Mass intention can be entered onto the Mass Register.

THE NATIONAL NOVENA TO ST. JOSEPH

This will take place from 11th-19th March 2023 at St. Joseph's church in Maidenhead. Every year, the Mill Hill Missionaries prepare for the Feast of St. Joseph, their Society Patron, with a special Novena of Masses and prayers to ask for God's blessing on their Society's missionary outreach, and for the intentions of all those who support their work. If you are able, and if it is possible to attend, Masses are on **Saturday (11th and 18th) at 10am; Sunday (12th and 19th) at 11am; Monday-Friday (13th-17th) at 7.30pm.**

If you are unable to attend but would like to join in from home, Masses from St. Joseph's Church will be available to follow on Zoom, via the Mill Hill website: www.millhillmissionaries.com/novena. You are welcome to send in your petitions and/or to request a Novena prayer booklet. Please write to the Novena Director at 6 Colby Gardens, Maidenhead, SL6 7GZ, telephone 01628 673178, or email novenamhm@gmail.com.

ST. JOSEPH'S WHATSAPP GROUP

Parishioners are invited to join the St Joseph's WhatsApp group. This is an informal way for us to stay in touch as a community and share details of events that are taking place in the Parish. Joining is easy, simply scan the QR code.