

NEWS AND VIEWS

Sunday 11.30am Mass streaming link: You can also scan with the QR Code below. <https://bit.ly/st-gabriel> Sunday Masses will be streamed during **11.30am**



Parish Project Collection: There will be collection at all Masses this weekend.

Peter's Pence Collection: Next Sunday 30th June we will celebrate the Feast of Sts. Peter and Paul at all Masses.

Volunteers Meeting on the Thursday 27th of June at 7pm, for an hour, this will also include a presentation from Revive UK who will run the project at 722 Holloway road.

Diocesan Pilgrimage to Walsingham will take place on the Saturday 21st September, any parishioners who are interested should please indicate their availability at the parish office. More information will be made available soon.

Parish Summer Fair will take place on **Sunday 21st of July** in the car park, parishioners are encouraged to take ownership as always. Followed by a **football novelty match for our parish community at the Whittington park.**

Young People's Day Trip To Dover: All young people starting from **16 years to 35 years** who wish to join this trip should please indicate interest. **Date Saturday 27th July.** Please contact, the parish priests or the parish office.

The Youth Praise & Worship Concert will take place on Saturday **21st September, 2024** at St Mellitus Church, Tollington Park. More information to come. **Keep the date in your diary.**

Food Donations for the needy: Thank you to parishioners that have responded to our call for help. We humbly request for the following; **pot noodles, tinned fish, biscuits, soft drinks, tea, milk (longlife), sugar and coffee.**

100 June draw: The 1st prize of £187 went to no.36; 2nd prize of £75 to no. 4; prizes of £37 to nos.91, 5 & 7. £377 was raised for parish funds. The next draw is on **Friday 5th July after the 1st Friday Service.** Subscriptions due in by the weekend of 29th/30th June. New Members Welcome!

Christian Stewardship: 16th June 2024

Envelopes: £236.49 **Loose:** £390.65 **Contactless:** £30.00 We also receive £700 weekly from standing orders. Thank you for your continuous support for our parish.

June Diary

Thursday 27th @ 7pm: **Volunteer's meeting**

Weekend of 29th/30th: **Peter's Pence collection**

Every Last Saturday of the month: **Baptism (always confirm in the parish office)**

Every Saturday at 10.30am: **Faith Sharing/RCIA sessions in the main Sacristy**

Every Saturday evening after Mass: **Bingo in the meeting room**

Every Tuesday after the noon Mass: **Parish social forum in the Meeting Room**

Every 1st Friday: 12 noon **Healing Mass / Holy Hour / Benediction followed by 100 Club in the Meeting Room**

7.45pm **Parish Quiz in the Meeting Room**

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EVENING BOAT STERN REBUKED **CROSS GALE HEAD FRIGHTENED** **CROWD WAVES CUSHION FAITH**



We wish those who celebrate their birthdays and anniversaries during this week a happy celebration



Food For Thought

"Difficult Roads Often Lead To Beautiful Destinations."



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+ 12th Sunday In Ordinary Time Year B

23rd June 2024



We welcome all to today's Mass, especially visitors who are celebrating with us for the first time. Please take this bulletin home with you for further reflection on this week's celebration and to follow the activities in the Parish during the week.

REFLECTION ON THE GOSPEL

There is a strangely simple theme to this Sun-day: that God has power over the forces of nature, because he created them in the first place. This is what the first reading tells us, and also what the gospel shows us, when Jesus "rebukes the wind". This tells us something about Jesus (that he is God made man), and also something about our faith. It's also interesting that the disciples re-act to this miracle with fear and awe - as if their minds were suddenly opened to a reality they had not realised before. They had chosen to follow the Christ who had called them, but we see their understanding of who he is growing and developing. Perhaps this is of comfort to us, as we see our relationship with the Lord who controls the waters grow and develop, and alerts us to be ready for the surprises that following the Lord can bring.

Mass Times & Intentions

23rd – 29th June 2024

Sat 22nd Vigil Mass 6:30pm: Declan Wallace (RIP), Stella Anakor (INT)

Sun 23rd 9:00am: Jeremiah Denison (RIP), Roza Merzer, Margaret Tayler (ANN), Stella Anakor, Essien-Oku family (INT)

11:30am: Gerard Murphy, Maureen & Michael Keane, Eileen McNulty, Assunta Turin, Marty Mulligan (RIP), Stella Anakor (Birthday), Rain MacElroy, Amaobi Maduako & family (INT)

6:30pm: Maureen Tayler (INT)

Mon 24th St John the Baptist 12 noon: Giovanna Spittle (posthumous Birthday), Maureen Madden (RIP), Josie Meehan (INT)

Tue 25th 12 noon: Pietro Piroli, Carlo Avanzi, Renée Evans, Jane Amooty, Julia Rowland (RIP), Patrick & Margaret Reaney, Tom Reaney (ANN)

Wed 26th St John Southworth 12 noon: Ekanem Ekanem, Frances Quinn (INT)

Thurs 27th 12 noon: Efretui Inwang, Awo Ikoro, Kristy Karibo (INT)

Fri 28th St Irenaeus 12 noon: Immanuel Umuokoro, Ekei Ekom (INT)

Sat 29th 12 noon: Carlo Avanzi, Pietro Piroli (RIP)



Rebecca Campbell, Ella Humphreys, Rita Avanzi, Jarlet Fallon, Christopher Jerome, John Bruno, Mary Slow, Isabella King, Derek Gomes, Mary Burton, Frank Gibbons, Maria Kuozwatski, Philip Mayne, Bridget Munnely, Brian Coleman, Shiela Farrell, Christopher Nelson, Paddy Essang, Padra Williams, Phillip Duggase, Terry Earley, Elizabeth Earley, Mary Mullarkey, Mary O'Connell, Bernadette Ikwuka, Margaret Togher, Mary Dunne, Lina Piroli, Christy & Maria Christopher, Lourdes Sisneros, Angela Fairbank, Emmanuel & Magdalene Debonne, Douglas Meyers, Sylvia Traynor, Danielle, Lilian Montague, Frances Quinn, Tony Colbert, Kathleen Panayiotou, Maureen Walsh, Gabby Mehmet, Freda Glackin, Maureen Currie, Joan McGonigal, Emo Essang, Madeleine Hourihan, Stella Anakor, Jacinta, Marie Therese Tourette, Mary Gallagher, Gloria Munian, Teresa O'Dea, Percy Shackell, Ola Gam-Ikon, Eddy Renwick, Gino Avanzi, Nicholas Stephens, Anastasia Nervais, Margaret Foley, Sr Joseph, Prince Henshaw, Maureen Esspay, John Alan, Private Intentions. Rashmi,

Parish Projects

1. Replacing expired Church meeting room roof (Abbey Roofing) £17,900 + VAT - bal. £9,900. **Trinity Fund £8,000 granted**
 2. Refurbishing 722 Holloway Road, Church reclaimed property (Ozzy Home Repairs Ltd) £20,000 paid in full by **National Lottery Fund**
 3. New Security Gate around Parish Carpark/ Exit on Holloway Road (Harling Security Solutions) £25,522 + VAT
- Donations towards the projects would be highly appreciated. Donations so far received **£35,061.36** Thanks.

Parish is served by the **Holy Ghost Fathers (Spiritans) Congregation of the Holy Spirit**

Parish Priests: Fr. Moses Enehizena CSSp, Fr. Remigius Ndubuisi CSSp, Fr Isah Katuka CSSp

Parish Office Team: Patricia Essien-Oku, Maureen Tayler, Mary Aherne, Joan FitzGerald

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Confessions Sat. 11am. 6pm, before Masses Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament/Meditative Rosary: Sun. 10.30am

Healing Mass/Holy Hour/Benediction: First Fridays 12noon Prayer/Faith Group: Sat. 10am

Mission Statement: To animate a loving multicultural Christian community

Gentle reminders: Please turn off your mobile phones. You have the right to remain silent ...

TODAY'S READINGS

The Lord is the strength of his people, a saving refuge for the one he has anointed. Save your people, Lord, and bless your heritage, and govern them for ever.

OPENING PRAYER

Grant, O Lord, that we may always revere and love your holy name, for you never deprive of your guidance those you set firm on the foundation of your love. Through our Lord Jesus Christ, your Son, who lives and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God for ever and ever.

FIRST READING Job 3:1.8-11

From the heart of the tempest the Lord gave Job his answer. He said:

Who pent up the sea behind closed doors when it leapt tumultuous out of the womb, when I wrapped it in a robe of mist and made black clouds its swaddling bands; when I marked the bounds it was not to cross and made it fast with a bolted gate? Come thus far, I said, and no farther: here your proud waves shall break.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Ps 106)

R. **O give thanks to the Lord,
For his love endures for ever.**

Some sailed to the sea in ships
To trade on the mighty waters.
These men have seen the Lord's deeds,
The wonders he does in the deep.

For he spoke; he summoned the gale.
Tossing the waves of the sea
Up to heaven and back into the deep;
Their soul melted away in their distress.

Then they cried to the Lord in their need
And he rescued them from their distress
He stilled the storm to a whisper:
All the waves of the sea were hushed.

They rejoiced because of the calm
And he led them to the haven they desired.
Let them thank the Lord for his love,
The wonders he does for men. R.

SECOND READING 2 Corinthians 5:14-17

The love of Christ overwhelms us when we reflect that if one man has died for all, then all men should be dead; and the reason he died for all was so that living men should live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised to life for them. From now onwards, therefore, we do not judge anyone by the standards of the flesh. Even if we did once know Christ in the flesh, that is not how we know him now. And for anyone who is in Christ, there is a new creation; the old creation has gone, and now the new one is here.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia
May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our mind, so that we can see what hope his call holds for us.
Alleluia!

GOSPEL Mark 4:35-41

R. With the coming of evening, Jesus said to his disciples, 'Let us cross over to the other side.' And leaving the crowd behind they took him, just as he was, in the boat; and there were other boats with him. Then it began to blow a gale and the waves were breaking into the boat so that it was almost swamped. But he was in the stern, his head on the cushion, asleep. They woke him and said to him, 'Master, do you not care? We are going down!' And he woke up and rebuked the wind and said to the sea, 'Quiet now! Be calm!' And the wind dropped, and all was calm again. R. Then he said to them, 'Why are you so frightened? How is it that you have no faith?' They were filled with awe and said to one another, 'Who can this be? Even the wind and the sea obey him.' R.

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

Receive, O Lord, the sacrifice of conciliation and praise and grant that, cleansed by its action, we may make offering of a heart pleasing to you. Through Christ our Lord.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON

The eyes of all look to you, O Lord, and you give them food in due season.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION

Renewed and nourished by the Sacred Body and Precious Blood of your Son, we ask of your mercy, O Lord, that what we celebrate with constant devotion may be our sure pledge of redemption. Through Christ our Lord

Mass	Readers	Eucharist Minister	Stewards
Sat. 6.30pm	Joanne Hemingway	June G	Joan Fitzgerald/Jeanette Fayers
Sun. 9.00am	Maureen Tayler	Olga Monpeke	Essien E-Oku/ Gabriel E-Oku
Sun. 11.30am	Ignatius Etukudoh	June G & Joyce McD	Bernie Shevlin/Joseph Baffoe
Sun. 6.30pm	Bridget O'Dea	Roxanne C.	Joseph Ogbonna

The Spiritual Communion Prayer (For Online Mass) ONLY

My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You into my soul. Since I cannot at this moment receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You.

THE GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
and on earth peace to people of good will.
We praise You,
We bless You,
We adore you,
We glorify You,
We give You thanks for Your great glory.
Lord God, heavenly King, O God, the almighty Father.
Lord Jesus Christ, the Only-begotten Son.
Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,
you take away the sins of the world,
have mercy on us; You take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer.
You are seated at the right hand of the Father,
have mercy on us.
For you alone are the Holy One,
You alone are the Lord.
You alone are the Most High. Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

THE APOSTLES' CREED

I believe in God,
the Father Almighty,
Creator of heaven and earth,
and in Jesus Christ, His only Son, our Lord,
who was conceived by the Holy Spirit,
born of the Virgin Mary,
suffered under Pontius Pilate,
was crucified, died and was buried;
He descended into hell;
on the third day He rose again from the dead;
He ascended into heaven,
and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty;
from there He will come to judge the living and the dead.
I believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Holy Catholic Church,
the communion of Saints,
the forgiveness of sins,
the resurrection of the body,
and life everlasting. Amen.

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- Minors **MUST not** go to the toilets, rooms, or outside the church during services unaccompanied.
- There **MUST be** at least 2 adults present at any ministry to minors e.g. Children's Liturgy, Catechism and Youth Club.
- Vulnerable people **MUST be** accompanied in the Church.

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