

Our Vision: We are a community brought together by God's love. Our baptism calls us to respond to that love by following Christ and serving our neighbours. We strengthen our union with Christ, with one another and with the Catholic Church through our celebration of the Eucharist. We foster works that promote the spirit of the Gospel including its relevance to social justice.

CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH BRIXTON HILL

NEWSLETTER



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THE ELEVENTH SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

16th June 2013

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Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)

with exposition of The Blessed Sacrament
Saturday 12: 00 p m – 1:00 p m
and after Saturday Evening Mass.

Mass Times:

Daily Mass: 9:30 am
Sat: First Mass of Sunday: 6:00 pm
Sun: 9:00 am, 10:30 am,
12:00 pm and 6:00 pm

Sat 15th/Sun 16th

Vigil 6.00pm
9.00am
10.30am
12 noon
6.00pm

The Eleventh Sunday of the Year

John McManus RIP
Parish
Mrs Ann Stephens RIP Geraldine Glennon & Heather Angel
Sean Zephyr (Welf)
Maria Delgado
Agnes Ziebarth

Readers

17th 9.30am
18th 9.30am
19th 9.30am
20th 9.30am
21st 9.30am
22nd 9.30am

Sean Zephyr (Welf)
Edith Emeyeonu (b'day)
Anne Marie Sylge (Welf)
Cecil Sylge RIP
Felicia Elabor (b'day)
Sean Zephyr (Welf)

Sat 22nd/Sun 23rd

Vigil 6.00pm
9.00am
10.30am
12 noon
6.00pm

The Twelfth Sunday of the Year

Parish
Mrs Ann Stephens RIP (b'day)
Sarah Brassington
Francis Robinson
Namusisi Riley & Rebekah O'Keeffe
Miranda Sawyer
Janet Cleeve

Our prayers go out to those who are sick, and to those who care for them, especially:

John Harte, Tessa Butler, Sean Zephyr Sonia Miller, Violet Wilson, Silas Pullen, Brian White, Alfred Owusu, Tom Glennon, Nino Gurrisi, Martin Leahy, Nia Williams, Mary Conroy Eithne Fitzgerald, Kathleen Whelan. Patricia Bellamy, Magdalena Hibbert, Francis Bernard, Anna Lourenco, Adeola Fas-hola, Jane Willcox, Irene Leslie, Pearl Harvey, Peter Flaherty, Jacob Pridmore, Jane Little, Margaret Haughton-James.

If you know of anyone who is sick, going to hospital or in need of prayers or a visit, please let us know. We sometimes, sadly, only discover someone has been in hospital or housebound long after. If you have a neighbour, friend or family member whom you think might welcome a visit or need a visit, please let us know. Also if someone goes to hospital it is important to let the staff know on admission that he/she is Catholic, otherwise the chaplain or parish might not know.

Please pray for the Repose of the Souls of all those who have died recently:

Marie-Therese Michard, Henryk Dul, and Eugenia Amos
Also for: Ann Stephens, Eileen Tucker, Rev Terence Lewis, Pauline Leahy, Barry Carr, Barbara Scawthorne, John McNamee **whose anniversaries occur about, now.**

Health & Safety

For health and safety reasons, please leave buggies and prams in the hall during services. Thank you.

LAMAG Lambeth Multifaith Action Group LAMAG meet at 11 Trent Road four times a year. They are looking for a volunteer to help as their secretary. Please see Yogi if you are able and willing. The Summer event will be held on Sunday 30 June - 2.30 to 4.30.

More info to come.

Justgiving website for donations to the memory of Fr Tom - New Altar

Many thanks for all the donations so far. The just giving address is: Justgiving.com/FatherTomHeneghan Donations can also be made by cash or cheque made out to RCAS Corpus Christi, Brixton Hill and left at the Priest's House. Please state on the envelope that it is for Fr Tom's memorial fund.

IMPORTANT DATE FOR YOUR DIARY –SUMMER FAIR:

This year's Parish Summer Fair will be on Saturday 6 July from 12–4 pm. Now is the time to start planting out those seeds, clearing out the cupboards and sorting out your best bric a brac, books and toys for the stalls. If you are handy and can make crafts why not start getting those ideas together now. There will be live music, BBQ and bar, international food and the Kids Zone. If you are able to offer help email Mary McGowan on mjm466@btinternet.com or call on 0208 6713759. Most important of all keep that date so you can come along and join in all the fun of the fair

'Coming to Corpus Christi' - A Pentecost Celebration - THIS Monday, 7.30-9pm

Please come to this celebration evening where we share stories of our journeys to Corpus Christi. It promises to be an uplifting evening; please come and share your own story. Light supper will be served from 7pm.

The Summer Concert will take place Saturday 13th July 2013 at 7.30pm. All parishioners are invited to take part, by joining the choir or as a soloist or ensemble. The theme is "Fly Me to the Moon". **Rehearsals** take place every Wednesday evening 7.30pm-9.00pm in the church. Come and try it. All ages welcome. For more information please contact Tessa Crilly, TECrilly@aol.com. Proceeds will be dedicated to Fr Tom's memorial fund.

New Envelopes for Gift Aid: Boxes of envelopes for the coming year are available for collection from Joseph in the repository. Thanks to all parishioners who support the Gift Aid scheme which is of great benefit to the Parish and its activities.

Disparate Threads Art Exhibition

There will be an exhibition of paintings in the hall on the 13-14 July at Corpus Christi in the hall. If you paint/draw/print/sulpt and would like to have your work considered for the exhibition please contact John Bateson-Hill on 0207 652 0796 or email j.r.cornerstone@btinternet.com

Post Confirmation Youth Group THIS Friday 7.00-9.00pm

All young people who have been confirmed in the last few years are most welcome to attend. The evening will start with a light supper followed by quizzes, bingo and a discussion about future job possibilities in the new US Embassy and the Nine Elms Development. This will be lead by Tom Chigbo, Lambeth South London Citizens organiser.

South London Citizen's News: 10th Birthday & Fr Tom scholarship

The South London Citizen's recently celebrated its 10th birthday and the vision of a few Corpus Christi parishioners was recognised as was the impact by Fr Tom and it has been proposed that a scholarship be initiated with Fr Tom's name.

Local Election Listening Coffee Morning - Sunday 30th June after 10.30 Mass

As a prelude to the Local elections next year, a series of Listening Coffee Morning are being held. The first will after the 10.30 Mass in two weeks' time. Part of the hall will be sectioned, coffee and cakes will be served. The event will be timed and will be exactly 30 minutes. All Lambeth voters will be welcome to come in.

US Embassy and Nine Elms - July 2nd

On July 2nd as a prelude to the American Independence Day, the US Embassy has invited the SLC to hold a rally in support of local jobs for local people to be paid at the London Living Wage. It would be of benefit if as many people as possible could come. Time to be announced, but it will be early and last no more than 30 minutes.

National Annual Caribbean Pilgrimage to Walsingham sponsored by CARJ

accompanied by the St Ignatius Caribbean Choir on Sunday 30 June 2013. The coach leaves Brixton Town Hall, Acre Lane at 8.00 am. Adults cost £20 and under twelve year olds £10. For further information and tickets please contact Doreen on 0208 674 4044 or Lena on 0208 673 7909.

The annual Corpus Christi Procession for the Lambeth Deanery will take place on Sunday 30th June at 3pm beginning at St Bernadette's School, Atkins Road. We process through the streets towards St Bede's Church for the final Benediction. Refreshments afterwards in the club.

Fr Barry writes...

Jane Austen hoped that youngsters 'might scramble themselves into a little education, without any danger of coming back prodigies!' Unfortunately, mass higher education has greatly increased that danger.

We can often encounter 'prodigies' who, far from benefiting from any broadening of the mind, return trapped by merely technical processes and formulae which they have learnt to idolise. This is the familiar mode of those who reject everything that cannot be proven by some technical method: 'truth via technique'.

But is this the most honest way towards truth, or is it just a veiled manner of feeling superior? Opponents of this approach are not against science but 'scientism'. They are not against Reason but against the kind of rationalism which restricts Reason solely to methods of physical science. It then extends these methods to all forms and features of reality.

This limiting perspective scorns ethics, the arts, religion, human history and much philosophy. There are, however, more things in Heaven and earth than are dreamt of by modern prodigy.

HYMNS FOR 10.30am

Entrance: 840 Gloria: as on card Psalm: 843 Gospel Acclamation: 540
Offertory: 610 Communion: 1) 218 2) 938 Recessional: 846

12.00 noon Mass:

Entrance: 840 Offertory: 965 Communion: 800 Recessional: 849

Last Week's Collection: £ 1252. Thanks to all who generously support the Parish. Do you pay tax on pension or income? Have you signed a Gift Aid Form? It does not cost you any more but helps the parish greatly. The parish gets 25p from the government for every £1 you give. Please ask Nigel Bellamy or Joe for details.

What's on this week:

Mon 17th	5.00pm Anchor Group - House <u>7.30 pm Pentecost - conversations - Hall</u>
Tues 18th	5.00pm 7-2-11 Youth group - Hall
Wed 19th	<i>St Romuald, abbot</i> 9.15 am Parents & Toddlers - Hall 6.30pm CLC Group - House 7.30pm Summer Concert rehearsal - Hall
Thurs 20th	<i>St Alban, proto-martyr of Britain</i> 7.00pm Legion of Mary - House
Fri 21st	<i>St Aloysius Gonzaga, religious</i> 9.15am Parents & Toddlers - Hall 7.00pm Post Confirmation Youth Group - Hall
Sat 22nd	<i>SS John Fisher, bishop, & Thomas More, martyrs</i>

Living the Word

- Where are you challenged by hospitality this week?
- How are you invited to show love this week?
- What does your faith encourage you to live this week?

First Communion get together is NEXT Sunday 23rd June 2013.

(There will be no teas after the 10.30 Mass as preparations for the Communion get together will be underway.)

Second Collection next Sunday is for Peter's Pence

Readings Next Sunday: Cycle C Part 2 Twelfth Sunday of the Year

1st: Zechariah 12:10-11, 13:1 Psalm: 62 2nd: Galatians 3:26-29
Gospel: Luke 9:18-24

ALTAR SERVERS: Today: Rota B Next Sunday: Rota A

CLEANING THIS WEEK: Group 2: 2.00pm/3.00pm Theresa Usuh, Princess French, Felicia Elabor, Hagar Amoah, Sandy Wuyha, Ginny Galloway, Von Oyonwo Efturi-Akpobome, Moto Akidhor, Faustina Avih

TEAS AND COFFEES NEXT SUNDAY: Team 8: Sonia Winifred, Diana Pedroza