

## PATRONAL FEAST - A MULTICULTURAL CELEBRATION

At St Anselm's we are fortunate in belonging to a community which is culturally diverse, yet united in our Catholic Faith. On Saturday 14th July we celebrate our Patronal Feast, a Multicultural Celebration, at 6.15pm where the music and prayers will reflect our diverse and ethnic community. We invite the children of the parish and anyone else who enjoys singing to come and join the choir for this uplifting and joyful celebration and lead the congregation with songs of praise and actions. There will be one rehearsal for all the musicians and singers (including the children) on Saturday 7th July at 10.45am – 12noon in the lower new hall and on Sat 14th July at 5pm in the church before mass. We will ask the children to also join the opening procession carrying national flags of our parish community. The Mass will be followed by a celebration in the old hall which will include entertainment with music, singing and dancing and lots of international culinary delights to enjoy too! If you can make a contribution in the way of a national dish or dessert, it would be much appreciated. Any donation of food can be delivered to the old hall on Sat 14th July after 5.00pm. All our welcome!

### MASSES FOR THE WEEK

<b>Sunday</b>	8.30 am Pro Pop 10.00 am Sandra Tomlin <i>RIP</i> 11.15 am Anthony Roddy <i>RIP</i> 6.15 pm H Kramers-Gadella <i>RIP</i>	<b>Thursday</b>	10.00 am Thomas Mannion <i>RIP</i> 6.15 pm M & P Ryder <i>RIP</i>
<b>Monday</b>	10.00 am Eula Britto <i>RIP</i> 6.15 pm Christine Vincent <i>RIP</i>	<b>Friday</b>	10.00 am Foundation Mass 6.15 pm Mary Curtis <i>RIP</i>
<b>Tuesday</b>	10.00 am Eula Britto <i>RIP</i> 6.15 pm Harry Hebborn <i>RIP</i>	<b>Saturday</b>	10.00 am Alfredo Santos <i>RIP</i> 6.15 pm Brendan Lawlor Snr <i>RIP</i>
<b>Wednesday</b>	10.00 am <b>Req:</b> Kazimiera de Cruz <i>RIP</i> 6.15 pm Agnes Lobo <i>RIP</i>	<b>Sunday</b>	8.30 am Pro Pop 10.00 am Bridie Kenny ( <i>Int</i> ) 11.15 am Peter Allott <i>RIP</i> 6.15 pm Gertrude Kelly <i>RIP</i>

### OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

Last week's collection: Gift Aid Envelopes £378.00, Loose £1,212.00, **Total £1,590.00.** Thank you.

**TODAY IS SEA SUNDAY** when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Without them we would not have most of the items we buy in the shops. Today's second collection is for 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 generously and remember seafarers in your prayers. To donate online please visit [www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk](http://www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk) Thank you.

**Second Collection this weekend 8th July: Sea Sunday**

# ST ANSELM'S CHURCH

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14th Sunday of the Year

7th & 8th July 2018 (Year B)

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#### Parish Team:

Rev Canon Dr William Hebborn (*Parish Priest*)

Fr Philip Andrews, Fr Paul Connelly

& Fr Emmanuel Ojeifo (*also resident*).

Deacon Michael Carrucan, Deacon Simon English,

Deacon Tom McCarthy & Thelma Lewis.

Tom Gately (*Catechetical Co-ordinator*).

Martine Mercer (*Parish Administrator*).

#### Parish Sisters:

The Little Company of Mary.

#### Mass Times:

Saturday 10.00am & 6.15pm.

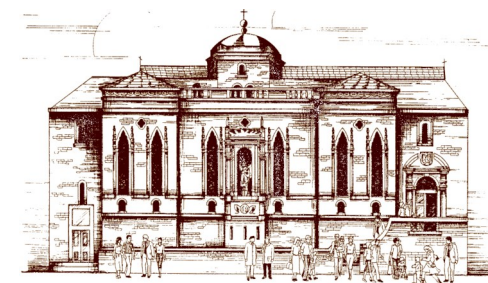
Sunday 8.30am, 10.00am, 11.15am & 6.15pm.

#### Mass times during the week:

10.00am & 6.15pm. (No 8.00am).

Holydays: 8.00am, 10.00am & 6.15pm & 8.00pm.

**Confessions:** Saturday 11.30am – 12.30pm & 7.00pm.



### WEEKDAY READINGS

Monday:	Hos 2:16-18.21-22; Ps 144:2-9; Mt 9:18-26
Tuesday:	Hos 8:4-7.11-13; Ps 113:3-10; Mt 9:32-38
Wednesday:	Prov 2:1-9; Ps 33:2:1-11; Mt 19:27-29
Thursday:	Hos 11:1-4.8-9; Ps 79:2-3.15-16; Mt 10:7-15
Friday:	Hos 14:2-10; Ps 50:3-4.8-9.12-14.17; Mt 10:16-23
Saturday:	Is 6:1-8; Ps 92:1-2.5; Mt 10:24-33
Sunday:	<b>Amos 7:12-15; Ps 84:9-14; Eph 1:3-14; Mk 6:7-13</b>

### PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND OF THE PARISH

We pray for all our housebound parishioners, including those in the six nursing homes and Springfield Hospital.

### TODAY'S READINGS

**First Reading** Ezekiel 2:2-5

Whether they listen or not, the rebels will know there is a prophet among them.

**Second Reading** 2 Corinthians 12:7-10

It is when he is weak that Paul is strong, through the grace of Christ dwelling in him.

**Gospel** Mark 6:1-6

Jesus is amazed at people's lack of faith.

**PLEASE PRAY** for the repose of the soul of Kazimiera De Cruz who died this week.

Requiem Mass on Wednesday 11th July at 10am. We especially remember the family and friends at this sad time. Reception in upper new hall.

### **CARING KITCHEN - NO CARING KITCHEN DURING AUGUST**

We meet again this **Sunday 8th & 22nd July**, 12.15pm - 2.00pm in the old hall. There will be no caring kitchen during August. For further information please contact [caringkitchensw@gmail.com](mailto:caringkitchensw@gmail.com)

**PARISH PASTORAL COUNCIL** On Tuesday 10th July in the **lower new hall**. This is our final meeting before the summer break and I ask all committee members to ensure they make every effort to attend. *(Canon William)*

**SOUP & SANDWICH CLUB** Friday 13th July in the lower new hall from 10.30am - 12.00noon. Come and join us for delicious homemade soup, sandwiches and cakes.

### **BLOOMING GREAT TEA PARTY 2018**

Please come and join us again this year at our annual fundraising Tea Party for Marie Curie Cancer Care. The Tea Party will be held on Friday 13th July in the lower new hall from 2.30-5.00pm. We will be serving tea with freshly baked cakes and scones so it's a great opportunity to meet new friends or catch up with old ones. Whether you spend the afternoon with us or just pop in and buy a cake to take home, your support will be greatly appreciated. If you would like to help in any way please contact Jane Wells, mob 07900 581 008, home 0208 673 0746, email: [wells.jane@gmail.com](mailto:wells.jane@gmail.com)

### **THE VERY REV FR PROF EMMANUEL M P EDEH**

Parishioners are invited by the Catholic Prayer Ministry (CPM) to attend the Holy Mass and be blessed by the very Rev Fr Prof Emmanuel M P Edeh CSSp OFR on Sunday 15th July at 2pm here in St Anselm's church and to have a one-to-one consultation/reception at the front hall after the Mass. Try and bring in the sick and others in need. He is the Fr Founder and Spiritual Director of the Pilgrimage Centre of Eucharistic Adoration of the Holy Spirit, Elele Nigeria; a recognised National Shrine in Perpetuity by the Bishops Conference in Nigeria. He is also the founder of Jesus the Saviour Monasteries for Priests, Monks and Reverend Sisters as well as the Madonna Catholic University and Caritas Catholic University. Please pick up a flier to see the details of locations and times for his other Masses including St George's Cathedral.

### **ANNUAL DAY WITH MARY AT ST ANSELM'S**

Day with Mary on Saturday 21 July, 2018 commencing at 11am procession of Our Lady, Angelus, Crowning, Sung Litany and Mass in honour of Our Lady. Afternoon Exposition and Procession of the Blessed Sacrament. The day will conclude at 5.30pm.

**RUN FOR SYRIA AND IRAQ** Parish MC John Pontifex will be running the British IOK London Run on Sunday 15th July in support of Aid to the church in Need's work for suffering families in Iraq and Syria - food, medicine, shelter and schooling as well as pastoral help. For information contact [www.acnuk.org](http://www.acnuk.org) Tel: 020 8642 8668. Please be generous and pray for displaced and refugee families.

### **PARISH SHOP IN THE COURTYARD**

Our little shop in the courtyard is open every Sunday 8.30am - 12.30pm. Do pop in and be pleasantly surprised. There are lots of Confirmation, First Holy Communion, Baptism cards and gifts available. If you would like to volunteer in the shop please speak to Tom Gately or email: [tomg87@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:tomg87@hotmail.co.uk)

### **PARISH SUMMER OUTING - ST JOHN'S & POLESDEN LACEY**

To all parishioners booked on our annual summer outing please make note of the following final arrangements: **We meet at 9.30am on Tuesday 31st July outside Sainsbury's Local on Tooting Bec Road for prompt departure by 10.00am. We cannot wait for late arrivals, sorry!!** You may wish to bring a packed lunch, although there are restaurants and café facilities to buy food and drink at Polesden Lacey. Any queries, please contact Martine in the parish office on 020 8672 2179. If you have not paid, please do so this coming week. Thank you!

**CONGRATULATIONS** to all our First Holy Communicants, families and catechists.

**THANK YOU** to the Parish Social Events Committee who prepared and supported both the First Holy Communion breakfast and the tea following the Blessed Sacrament Procession during June - very much appreciated! *(Canon William and Parish Team)*

### **JOURNEY IN FAITH (RCIA)**

The Church welcomes new enquirers who would like to have a conversation about the journey in faith that inspires all our lives. A new programme will begin again on Thursday 20th September, 7.00pm for 7.30pm in the lower new hall, so we invite any member of our Parish community who is interested in finding out more about our faith, particularly those who are engaged in family life with Catholic partners to make themselves known to the parish by contacting Deacon Tom McCarthy via the parish office or Tom Gately in the shop on Sunday mornings. This is a joyous journey of exploration that we invite you to share in. Faith is our greatest gift, so why not explore the question 'Why me?'

### **CONFIRMATION 2019**

Enrolment for the young people of the parish (School Year 8 & 9 as from September 2018) will take place on **Tuesday 6th November 2018 7.30-8.30pm** in the upper new hall for all **candidates and parents**. Confirmation Retreat Weekend at St Vincent's, Whitstable Friday 22nd - 24th March 2019. Sacrament of Confirmation on Sunday 19th May 2019 at 11.30am. **Green application form with full details now available at the rear of the church (in the wallet on the wall) by the newspapers. Please complete and return only the green application form to the parish office by FRIDAY 5th OCTOBER. Please keep the introduction letter and schedule of dates for your diary. Thank you.**

### **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME 2019**

If your child is **8 by August 2019 (Year 3 as from September 2018)** you are eligible to apply to join the programme. Please attend the **Enrolment Morning on Saturday 22nd September between 9.30am-10.30am in the lower new hall (Tooting Bec Road entrance)** where the relevant application form will be available. You will then, after approval from Canon William, be contacted by letter inviting you and your child to join the First Holy Communion programme which will commence in January 2019.

**ALL READERS AND EXTRAORDINARY MINISTERS** As the summer holidays approach please can we ask all readers and Extraordinary Ministers to ensure their rota is covered during this period. Thank you! *(Canon William)*