

# St Bartholomew's Catholic Church

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Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2023

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

(YEAR A)

## Mass Times and Intentions:

*Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2023*

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORD TIME

*2<sup>nd</sup> Collection – Day for Life*

6.15pm (Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2023)

People of the parish

8.30am Fergus O'Toole RIP

10am André Gaze RIP

11.30am Intentions - Caitano M Fernandes  
(Polyphony Choir singing)

*4pm Rosary & Benediction*

5pm Norrie Hogan RIP

*6pm Altar Server Training Session 2*

THIRTEENTH WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

*Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2023 (Feast)*

*Saint Thomas, Apostle*

7.30am The Holy Souls

10am Fergus O'Toole RIP

**12 Noon Requiem for Richard Pinto**

*Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2023 (Memorial)*

*Saint Elizabeth of Portugal,*

7.30am Phyllis Deluse RIP

10am David & Cecilia Clark RIP

*Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> July 2023 (Feria)*

7.30am The Holy Souls

10am November Deceased List

*Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2023 (Memorial)*

*Saint Maria Goretti, Virgin & Martyr*

7.30am The Holy Souls

10am Margaret White RIP

*First Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2023 (Feria)*

7.30am Ellis Foundation Mass

10am In thanksgiving – Richard Bush

*Then Adoration until Benediction at 2pm*

*Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2023*

*The Blessed Virgin Mary*

10am Joseph Lunn RIP

*Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2023*

FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORD TIME

*2<sup>nd</sup> Collection – Stella Maris*

*Special envelopes provided for this*

*Coffee after all Morning Masses today*

6.15pm (Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> July 2023)

People of the parish

8.30am Dorothy Adams RIP & family

10am Mary Carbin RIP

11.30am For conversions in  
the Fernandes family

*4pm Rosary & Benediction*

5pm In thanksgiving –

Tim & Maureen O'Donoghue

## NORMAL WEEKLY SCHEDULE

\*Mass: Monday to Friday 7.30am;

Monday – Saturday: 10am;

\*Confession: Saturday, after 10am Mass,  
until 11.30am then from 5pm – 6pm.

\*Sunday Masses: (Sat 6.15pm);

8.30am; 10am; 11.30am; 5pm.

Adoration & Benediction:

Mon – Sat 9.30am

(First Friday after 10am Mass until 2pm)

\*Rosary: Monday – Saturday

after 10am Mass

Rosary & Benediction: Sunday 4pm

(Stations of the Cross during Lent)

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK

AND HOUSEBOUND:

Jessica Anane,

Margaret Asubonteng-Mensah,

Juliette Blake, Alan Blaquiere,

Anita Blaquiere, Barry Breese,

Erna Breese, Agnes Buckley,

Philip Chapman, Gerard Cowie,

Jean Cowie, Reeda D'Souza,

Audrey Draude, Terry Folorunso,

Raffaella Forte, Giovanni Franco,

Rachel Gadd, Anna Harris, Agnes Healy,

Fr Michael Jones, Terry Jupp,

Fr Louie Kitt, Scarlett Kurowski,

Dorothy Lentini, Philomena Lopez,

James McDonald, Elenaor McLaughlin,

Otiss McLaughlin, Margaret McSharry,

Ajitha Mahatantila, Mary Meyern,

Elsy Mickle, Pat Nawrat,

Thomas Pereira, Sheila Price,

Parwar Saib, Frederic Saint-Rose,

Alice Scott, Elizabeth Scott,

Christine Shaughnessy,

Fr David Standley, Jo Taylor,

Edythe Thirlwall, Monica Vergara,

Michael Wemambu, Mary White,

Ethelda Williams, Carole Winch,

John Windsor, Charmaine Wise,

Fr Alfred Xuereb SJ, Georgette Yoo Foo.

## RECENTLY DECEASED

The funeral of **Richard Anthony Pinto**

will take place here this Monday

3<sup>rd</sup> July 2023 at 12 Noon.

The funeral of **Margaret White**,

will take place here on Wednesday

19<sup>th</sup> July 2023 at 2.30pm.

Funeral details for **Tessa Fletcher** have  
yet to be announced.

## CONFIRMATION 2023

This year's Confirmation programme launches with an introductory meeting on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2023 from 7.30pm to 9.15pm in the church.

Confirmations will take place on the Solemnity of Christ the King, Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2023 at 12 Noon, with Bishop Philp Moger officiating.

Please apply online via this new link:

[St Bart's Confirmation Programme 2023 Application \(v.2\)](#)

In order to help drive the programme forward, Father Deo will be seeking more people to become catechists.

FREE COFFEE MORNING

NEXT SUNDAY 9<sup>th</sup> July 2023

In the hall after all morning Masses.

## LAST WEEK'S COLLECTION

Basket £1082.08:

(Gift Aid: £475.40; Non-G/A: £606.68)

Plus Standing Orders: £774.00.

## STELLA MARIS 2<sup>ND</sup> COLLECTION

Next Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> July 2023.

Special envelopes provided. Please do not use Parish Gift Aid envelopes.

## A WORD OF THANKS

Geraldine and Paul Clark extend their sincere thanks and gratitude for all the help, love and support shown towards them and their families in the time leading up to the funeral of their father David, and for all those involved in making David's funeral such a prayerful and memorable occasion, whatever part they may have played in it.

## SCHOOL REFERENCES

We shall begin the process for the above in early September 2023.

School Reference Forms will be made available on our parish website, with hard copies provided in the porch. The forms clearly explain the entire process.

We recognise that references will also be required outside of the normal application period, including those who move into the parish throughout the year, and for in-year transfers. The form copes with all such eventualities.

### THE SYNOD PRAYER

We stand before You, Holy Spirit,  
as we gather together in Your name.

With You alone to guide us,  
make Yourself at home in our hearts;

Teach us the way we must go  
and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful;  
do not let us promote disorder.

Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path  
nor partiality influence our actions.

Let us find in You our unity  
so that we may journey together to eternal life  
and not stray from the way of truth and what is right.

All this we ask of You,  
who are at work in every place and time,  
in the communion of the Father and the Son,  
forever and ever. Amen.

### PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Gracious and loving God, we thank you for the gifts of  
our priests; help them to be strong in their vocation and  
become instruments of your love and grace.

Send your Holy Spirit to give courage and guidance to  
all those you are calling to the priesthood,  
diaconate and religious life in our Archdiocese. May  
those called hear your voice and respond wholeheartedly  
to become the person you created them to be.

Heavenly Father, form us all in the likeness of your Son,  
Jesus Christ the Good Shepherd,  
so that we may love you more deeply and  
serve you more faithfully.

We ask this through Christ, Your son,  
the Eternal High Priest. Amen.

### NEW GIFT AID ENVELOPES

Gift Aid envelopes be collected from the main porch.

White envelopes are for Standing Order givers.

**NB: Some Gift Aiders have new Box Numbers.**

Information and forms are available for the Gift Aid  
scheme. Both Gift Aiders and non-Gift Aiders are asked  
to consider a standing order to help us in our budgeting.

**You are advised to check your tax position with  
HMRC to ensure that you pay sufficient tax in  
relation to Gift Aid. The golden rule is:**

**'If in doubt, leave it out!'**

### MASS REQUESTS & OFFERINGS

Please post your Mass Offering Envelopes through the  
presbytery door. Offerings are voluntary. As a guide, people  
tend to give £10.00, where they can afford to.

Mass offerings may be Gift Aided too (see envelopes).

**No date or time can be guaranteed. Also, where a  
funeral occurs at 10am, this will take precedence.**

### NORBERTINE RETREAT, PECKHAM

The Norbertine community in Peckham is holding a  
Vocations Day for young men to visit their priory and  
discover more about the life of a Norbertine canon. The  
"Come and See Day" will take place on Saturday 15th July  
2023 from 10am-4pm. If you are thinking about a vocation  
and are curious about the Norbertine Order and religious  
life please book a place: [community@norbertines.org.uk](mailto:community@norbertines.org.uk)

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PHOTOS

The photographs taken by John Taylor may be viewed in two  
albums on the window sill nearest the Repository.

Please write your choices on the order form provided.

Payment may be made upon collection of your order.

Incredibly, we still have a number of uncollected photos from  
various First Holy Communion and Confirmations in past years,  
and these are also in the porch for collection and payment,  
despite numerous attempts to contact those who ordered them.

Please see if any belong to you, or somebody you know.

### CAFOD

The livelihood of small-scale farmers across the world have  
come under threat, with big business wading in to control  
what farmers can and cannot do, as influenced by the

World Bank. CAFOD is raising awareness of the  
seriousness of this situation and its consequences through  
its 'Fix the Food System'. See: <https://bit.ly/3qN6l8c>

### FLOWERS

Please place offerings in the dedicated wall box in the  
main porch. Thankyou for your continued generosity.

### UNWANTED NOTES, COINS AND CURRENCY

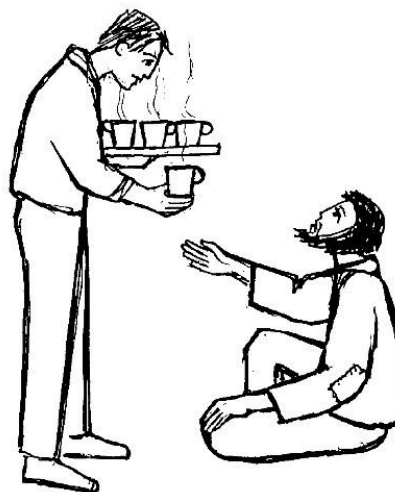
Please deposit any old notes and coins, including UK and foreign  
currency, in the special basket on the windowsill of the main  
porch. The SVP can gain some value from such currency.

### Marriage Celebration on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> September 2023 at 3pm at St George's Cathedral, Southwark.

If you are celebrating your 1<sup>st</sup>/10<sup>th</sup>/25<sup>th</sup>/40<sup>th</sup>/50<sup>th</sup>/60<sup>th</sup> +  
please let us know **by the end of July 2023.**

You can email: [mflse@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:mflse@rcaos.org.uk)

In the subject box of your email, please enter 'Norbury'.  
Please give your full details and state which anniversary.



**"Anyone who welcomes you welcomes me; and those  
who welcome me welcome the one who sent me."**

(Matthew 10:40) Picture courtesy of: [www.salfordliturgy.org.uk](http://www.salfordliturgy.org.uk)

### OPPORTUNITIES IN THE CATHOLIC SPHERE

For current information, please see the brown folder in  
the main porch, which contains details of employment  
opportunities in the Catholic world, including schools, and  
charities, as well as forthcoming school open days. Most  
job offers have closing dates, and these are clearly marked  
where provided. Items will then be removed so that only  
current items remain. Beware out-of-date information!