

St Simon † St Jude

Roman Catholic Church Streatham Hill

Sunday 14th February 2010

6th Sunday of Ordinary Time [Year C]

Remembering especially the needs of the Parish

WELCOME TO OUR SUNDAY MASS

Please join in with the words below in bold.
You can also follow the prayers of the Mass
in the guide at each seat.

Hymn no. **105 Alleluia, Alleluia.**

Entrance Antiphon: **Lord be my rock of safety,
the stronghold that saves me. For the honour of
your name, lead me and guide me.**

Gloria: said or sung – hymn **29**

A reading from the prophet Jeremiah [17:5-8]
*A curse on the man who puts his trust in man,
a blessing on the man who puts his trust in the Lord.*

Responsorial Psalm [1]

Happy the man who has placed his trust in the Lord.

A reading from the first letter of St. Paul to the Corinthians
[15: 20] *If Christ has not been raised, your believing is useless.*

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia! [sung twice]

**Rejoice and be glad: your reward will be great in heaven
Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!**

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke [6:17ff]
How happy are you who are poor. Alas for you who are rich.

At the preparation of the altar and gifts:

Hymn no. **175 Blest are you (sung three times)**

Communion antiphon: **They ate and were filled;
the Lord gave them what they wanted:
they were not deprived of their desire.**

The second collection today is for the **Cabrini Children's
Society social justice and care work**

Taize music during collection: **862 Bless the Lord my Soul**

Closing Hymn no. **604 Seek ye first the kingdom of God**

Mass details		Intentions
Saturday	6.00pm	Richard Colaco RIP
Sunday	10.30am	Margaret Phelan RIP
	12.15pm	Frank Guilfoyle RIP
Monday	9.15am	Jack Elliot RIP
Tuesday	9.00am	Morning Prayer & Rosary
<u>Ash Wednesday</u>	9.15am and 7.30pm	Fr Adrian McKenna Thomas Brown
Thursday		The church is closed today
Friday	<u>9.30am</u>	Requiem mass for Kitty Carr
	Next weekend	Next Saturday & Sunday
Saturday	6.00pm	Jorge Degado RIP
Sunday	10.30am	John & Mary McElligott
	12.15pm	For the people of the Parish

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Weekend Mass:

Saturday 6.00pm Sunday 10.30am & 12.15pm

Weekday Mass:

Morning Prayer at 9.00am with Mass at 9.15 am,
but please check the Mass Intention List for details.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Mondays after Mass from 9.45am ending with
Rosary, Benediction and St Jude Novena at noon.

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)

Saturday 5.30 – 5.55 pm and by arrangement.

Baptisms and Weddings by arrangement

Please phone Fr Adrian to make an appointment.

Collections

Thank you, for our collections last week, we raised.

£474.63 for the running of the Parish and

£327.67 for the parish maintenance

*These sums include monies given in **Gift Aid**
envelopes. Our thanks also go to those who donate
by Banker's Order direct into the parish account.*

More than any other year so far I am left wondering where Christmas went, when Lent is so close around the corner. **This week we celebrate the start of Lent on Ash Wednesday** with Masses at 9.15 in the morning and 7.30 in the evening. The fact that this seems to have 'sprung upon us' is quite a sign that the world is a busy place and no less so our parish. With life live at a whirlwind pace of balancing one activity after another – school-runs, commuting, after-school clubs, housework, shopping for groceries and (hopefully), some leisure – it can seem hard to 'get a minute to yourself'. Lent is deliberately a time to try and shift that pace so, as well as trying to fast or abstain during Lent, why not take up a deliberate choice of spending a little extra time each day in prayer, even if it's just resting in the silence of the Lord and letting his pace bring a bit of rest and comfort to the soul. One extra activity that those who are around in the day might like to consider is a weekly scripture reflection during Lent. This will be on Mondays from 11am and I'll give more details next week, but I'll also make the prayer sheets available so that you might like to follow-along at your own pace at home. We'll be reflecting on God's gifts and how we use them in stewardship and part of our reflection will be at the Parish celebration on 27 February at 7.30pm. This will be an important growth-point in the life of our parish so I respectfully request that at least one member of each family in our parish comes along to that celebration (further details are overleaf). With my prayers as ever, God bless, *Fr Adrian*

PARISH MINISTRIES:

LITTLE CHURCH

14 Feb	Grant family	21 Feb	McDonagh family
28 Feb	Monk family	07 Mar	Children's Mass
14 Mar	Poulter family	21 Mar	Evans family
28 Mar	Abebrese family	04 Apr	Easter Sunday Mass

[Hall key-holders: Hudspeth & Karim Family]

HOLY COMMUNION 6pm 10.30am 12.15am

14 Feb	P. Hutchinson K. Maher	D. Karim B. Monk P. Sirr	R. Maria T. Ofogu
21 Feb	M. Esmonde M. Gonzy	S. Smith D. Abebrese T. Donoghue	R. Green J. La'val
28 Feb	P. Hutchinson K. Maher	N. Kalimira E Karim D. Karim	R. Maria E. Maria

NB: If you are unable to help one Sunday please exchange with another Extraordinary Minister from the list in the Sacristy.

COORDINATORS – READERS: D Abebrese **MUSIC:** L. Clarke

FLOWERS – NB no Lent flowers except for Laetare Sunday

13 Mar T. Dempsey, C. Baker, O. Adelekan, T. Donoghue

REFRESHMENTS (SUNDAY AFTER 10.30 MASS)

14 Feb	S Herbert & L Clarke
21 Feb	D Feasey & D Van Spall
28 Feb	T & A Court, M & A Knoop & S. Hayes
07 Mar	F Campbell & O Adelekan
14 Mar	Karim Family
21 Mar	Eastman Family

Please note: If you are unable to make a particular Sunday please exchange with another group so that we can continue to offer refreshments after the Family Mass. Thank you.

CHURCH CLEANING

Will everyone who's able to help clean please stay behind after the Tuesday morning Mass. Thank you.

COLLECTION COUNTERS

14 Feb:	K Gernon, L. Ungaretti	2 nd week
21 Feb:	R Ebite, B Kealy	3 rd week
28 Feb:	A Abel, J Sullivan	4 th week
07 Mar:	P Sirr, M Gonzy	1 st & 5 th week
14 Mar:	P Sirr, M Gonzy	

CHILD SAFEGUARDING DETAILS: Childline advice 0800 1111

Local Advisor: Teresa Dempsey 020 8670 7565
Diocesan Advisor: Helen Sheppard 020 7960 2504

SACRISTANS R Green, P. Hutchinson, J Mifsud, M. Abreu, K Gernon & L Ungaretti

OTHER FAITHS P Sirr **GIFT AID** J Fraser, R Ebite, M Gonzy

WEBSITE A Agbueze, B Chivers, T Duffy, M Knoop, J Kyaluzi, S McCorry

READERS

21 Feb Deuteronomy 26:4-10 Psalm 90
Lent 1 Romans: 10:8-13 Luke 4: 1-13
Paula Wynne: Dias-Hudspeth family: Alan Quinn

28 Feb Genesis 15:5-12,17-18 Psalm 26
Lent 2 Philippians 3:17-4.1 Luke 9: 28-36
Campbell Family : Feasey family : Lydia Ungaretti

07 Mar Exodus 3:1-8,13-15 Psalm 102
Lent 3 1 Corinthians 10:1-6ff Luke 13:1-9
John Burbage : Bieneosa Ebite : Chris Watts

14 Mar Joshua 5:9-12 Psalm 33
Lent 4 2 Corinthians 5:17-21 Luke 15: 1-3,11-32
John Fraser : Abebrese Family : Richard Hilliard

21 Mar Isaiah 43:16-21 Psalm 125
Lent 5 Philippians 3:8-14 John 8: 1-11
Paul Hutchinson: Bernard Family: Alan Quinn

28 Mar Isaiah 50:4-7 Psalm 21
Palm Sun Philippians 2:6-11 Luke 22: 14-23:56
Paula Wynne: Van Spall Family : Lydia Ungaretti

News this week

Please pray for the repose of the soul of Kitty Carr who died last week in Limetree Care Home. Kitty will be fondly remembered by many as she was a parishioner here for a number of years. **Kitty's requiem will be celebrated here at 9.30am on Friday 19 February, followed by a short service at West Norwood Crematorium at 11.00am, with refreshments in the hall afterwards provide by the St Matthew's Parish UCM.**

EXPOSITION AND ROSARY THIS MONDAY:

Fr Adrian has to be at a Diocesan meeting at Worth Abbey on Monday afternoon so there will be no Benediction. As usual, the Blessed Sacrament will be exposed after Mass, but at noon parishioners will lead the Divine Praises, the Sorrowful Mysteries of the Rosary and the St Jude Novena, after which the Blessed Sacrament will be reposed by an Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion.

Is the sound system any clearer? Our thanks go to Jeff D'Rozario who this week donated a new cordless microphone system to the church. It should be much clearer now for all to hear but, to help get the levels right, if you use the loop system, do please let Fr Adrian know if there needs to be any adjustment.

PARISH CELEBRATION Saturday 27 February, 7.30

As outlined on the front of the newsletter, please join in this celebration of our parish life by bringing along some food to share together so that we can **reflect on the joys and needs of our parish and have a meal together in the hall at 7.30pm on Saturday 27 February.**



Thank you, as always, for your contributions to the Parish collections. Our second collection this week goes to support the **Cabrini Children's Society.** Please remember if you contribute via the Gift Aid scheme to use the envelopes provided at the entrance to the church. To help plan your giving please take enough envelopes home for the month so that you can complete the details of the envelope beforehand and bring them with you to church.

PRAYING FOR THE SICK – Please remember that there is a file in the porch where you can request prayers for those in need: the sick and housebound are very much at the heart of the church and support us in their prayers as we do them.

SUPPORTING OUR PARISH COLLECTION

Please give what you can to the parish collections each week, as more money is spent in the upkeep of the church than we receive. If you can, please give upwards of one hour of your weekly income and please consider if you're able to help join one of the parish groups, e.g. counters, cleaners, refreshment team, etc. If you are a UK tax payer please also consider setting up a Gift Aid payment direct to the church bank account. Thank you for your generosity. **A proportion of our first collection goes directly to support the work of our Diocese, with all monies raised in our second collection going to the particular cause each week. Thank you.**