



# ST THOMAS MORE CHURCH

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## PARISH DIARY AND MASS INTENTIONS

### Sun 22 October (World Mission Sunday)

- 08.30 Tommy Donnelly RIP  
10.00 Deceased members of the Lucking family  
11.15 *Parish tea and coffee in JPC*  
12.00 People of the parish  
17.30 Maria Louisa Santos RIP

### Mon 23 October (St John of Capistrano)

- 09.30 Deceased family members of Patricia Donnelly  
09.30 *Baby & toddler group. Book via parish email*  
14.00 *John Paul Centre Association in JPC*

### Tue 24 October (St Anthony Mary Claret)

- 09.30 Graham Walsh RIP

### Wed 25 October

- 09.30 Thanksgiving on Ngozi's birthday  
Deceased members of the Amparado and Badura families and others  
11.30 Funeral Mass for Mary Cassar RIP  
19.00 *Adoration and Confession*

### Thu 26 October (Sts Chad and Cedd)

- 09.30 Michael Seriki and Joseph Adeloye RIP  
Intentions and welfare of Sr Madeline McCann

### Fri 27 October

- 09.30 Deceased relatives of Laura Rendell-Dunn  
Janet Carter RIP

### Sat 28 October (Sts Simon and Jude, Apostles)

- 08.30 *Adoration and Confession*  
09.30 Aiden Jerstice – happy Baptism day  
17.00 *Confession*  
17.30 Deceased relatives of Nalini and John Almeida

### Sun 29 October

- 08.30 People of the parish  
10.00 Deceased relatives of Eileen O'Keefe  
11.15 *Parish tea and coffee in JPC*  
12.00 Patrick Keenaghan RIP  
17.30 Amador Ramon Lopez RIP

Parish activities are in *italic*

Masses are held at the remaining times

The second collection this weekend on **21/22 October** will be for **Missio during World Mission Sunday**. Please support Missio in helping missionaries to work alongside communities throughout the world that are poor or in need, regardless of background and belief.

**Little Sisters of the Poor** - St Peter's Residence: Following The Little Sisters' visit to our parish in June, Elizabeth Rylance-Watson and Liz Donovan will be selling Christmas Raffle Tickets (£2 each) after each Sunday Mass on 4 /5 November. The Christmas Fete and Raffle Ticket Draw will be at St Peter's Residence, 2a Meadow Road, London SW8 1QH.

**Altar Servers:** we would like to invite our young people, who have made their First Holy Communion, to consider becoming an Altar Server with us. Please could parents fill in the form available in the sacristy or email the parish office. We look forward to arranging rehearsals in the near future.

**Refugees are at more risk of homelessness**, so JRS are looking for new hosts, including those that can offer short stays of around 2 weeks. If you are interested, please contact [amy-leigh.hatton@jrs.net](mailto:amy-leigh.hatton@jrs.net) who is arranging an information session on Zoom on Tuesday 1 November at 6.30.

*Please support us where possible. Please donate online through our yellow donate button at the bottom of our website (by card or paypal). There is also an option to set up a monthly standing order. Alternatively, our bank details are St Thomas More Church, NatWest, account 44136757, sort code 60-23-19 or we have contactless card/phone readers in the church.*

**Financial update:** the September collection was £8,671.66 out of which:

- Standing orders: £3,528.50
- Weekly cash collection, £3,271.69
- Weekly Gift Aid envelopes: £1,108.00
- SumUp cashless collection: £752.37

Second collections raised £608.85 for the Catholic Education Service, £482.26 for the Home Mission and £368.45 for the Evangelii Gaudium. Thank you for your generous support on all of these collections.

**Recently deceased:** please see above the funeral Mass dates and times for Mary Cassar RIP. We offer our prayers for their grieving family and friends.

**Holy Souls:** in November we remember those who have passed. We have scheduled the Mass intentions received last November during the coming months of October/November/December/January. If you would like to ask for Mass intentions for particular relatives to be said this year, these will need to be offered outside of the parish. In this case, please leave the Holy Souls envelopes (which are at the back of the church) with one of the priests or in the first collection bags. We will pray for these deceased during the Rosary Adoration every Saturday in November after the evening Mass.