



# ST THOMAS MORE CHURCH

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## PARISH DIARY AND MASS INTENTIONS

Parish activities are in *italic*

Masses are held at the remaining times

### Sun 19 November

- 08.30 People of the parish  
10.00 Angela Woodland Wallis RIP  
11.15 *Parish tea and coffee in JPC*  
12.00 Deceased relatives of Belinda Brown  
17.30 Pius and Teresa Bahemuka RIP

### Mon 20 November

- 09.30 Deceased members of Balue, Morales and Celera  
09.30 *Baby & Toddler Group. Book via parish email*  
14.00 *John Paul Centre Association in JPC*

### Tue 21 November (The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary)

- 09.30 Deceased relatives of Breslin and Boyles families

### Wed 22 November (St Cecilia)

- 09.30 Deceased relatives of Anne Finnegan  
19.00 *Adoration and Confession*

### Thu 23 November (St Clement)

- 09.30 Deceased relatives of John May  
19.30 *Charismatic prayer time in JPC*

### Fri 24 November (St Andrew Dung-Lac)

- 09.30 Lilian Ntam - birthday  
Deceased relatives of Tam-Nguyen family

### Sat 25 November (St Catherine of Alexandria)

- 08.30 *Adoration and Confession*  
09.30 Michael, Lola and Fred Patrick RIP  
17.00 *Confession*  
17.30 Current and former pupils and staff of St Anthony's School  
18.30 *Adoration and Rosary for the deceased*

### Sun 26 November – Our Lord Jesus Christ the King

- 08.30 Patrick Finnegan RIP  
10.00 Neville and Logan Webley RIP  
11.15 *Parish tea and coffee in JPC*  
12.00 Peter, Prue and William O'Shea RIP  
17.30 People of the parish

**Second collection** on 26 November will be for the **Catholic Youth Services** that supports youth work in the diocese and beyond, especially the Southwark Catholic Youth Service.

**St Anthony's Primary School 140th Anniversary:** our parish school will celebrate with an 'Open Day' for all staff and pupils, past and present, on Saturday 25 November from 15.00-17.00. Former students and staff are asked to email photographs to [school@stanthonys.southwark.sch.uk](mailto:school@stanthonys.southwark.sch.uk) so a slide show of memories can be created. During the Open Day, visitors will have the opportunity to tour the school, reunite with friends and meet the current team. The 17.30 mass on Saturday 25 November will be dedicated to the school community and everyone is invited.

**Primary school supplementary forms:** Fr Bart will be in the JPC on Friday 1 December, 14.30-16.00 and on Saturday 2 December, 11.00-12.00. Please come with your forms and any other relevant information.

**Kitchen works:** we are happy to announce that the Presbytery kitchen works are now completed. Thank you to you all for your patience and understanding during this time. Fr Bart and Fr Joseph.

*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.*

**Advent and Christmas 2023:** the schedule for this year is at the back of the church and on the parish website.

**Our Christmas Carol Service** is on **Sunday 17 December starting at 15.00**. We would like to bring some parish festive cheer and refreshments and welcome all parishioners to come to the JPC after the service. We are looking for volunteers to help with this. Please speak to Fr Bart or contact the parish office on the above email if you can help. Thank you!

Our new **Parish Fundraising Committee** met last week to agree a charter and the fundraising needs of the parish. Naturally this is a BIG task. If anyone has any experience (or not!), in particular on making grant applications, we would love to hear from you to help achieve our fundraising commitments for the parish. Please contact [dulwich@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:dulwich@rcaos.org.uk) if you would like to help in anyway.

**Welcome to the Catholic Church and our parish** Sofia Alonso-Allende, Tolani Manty-Mariam Genesis Marah, Sophia Marie Needham, Aleksander Edward Chudy, Lucas Harvey Razo, Amber Sofia Decker, Reuben Obichukwu Iwuh and Finan Cook who were recently baptised at St Thomas More.