



# ST THOMAS MORE CHURCH

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**Parish Priest:** Fr Bartłomiej Dudek **Assistant Priests:** Fr Joseph Gulliford, Fr Daniel Eteudoh

## PARISH DIARY AND MASS INTENTIONS

Parish activities are in *italic*

Masses are held at the remaining times

*Our church is open for individual silent prayer between Saturday-Wednesday 08.30-18.00*

### Sun 27 October

08.30 Beno Obano – birthday thanksgiving

10.00 People of the parish

11.15 *Parish tea and coffee in JPC*

12.00 Bon Mann RIP

17.30 Wellbeing of James Russell

### Mon 28 October (Sts Simon and Jude)

09.30 Justin Connelly RIP

Safety and wellbeing for Peter

### Tue 29 October

09.30 Michael Maunsell RIP

God's blessing upon Sophia's brother

### Wed 30 October

09.30 Theresa Woods RIP

Health and wellbeing for John and Eileen Grant

11.00 Funeral Mass for Josephine O'Rourke RIP

19.00 *Adoration and Confession*

### Thu 31 October

09.30 Health and wellbeing of Harry and Carmel Moffitt

18.00 Complete healing for Cheryl Saunders

19.00 *Alpha Course in the JPC*

### Fri 1 November (All Saints)

09.30 People of the parish

William Boilson RIP – Anniversary

19.30 Peter Rodrigues RIP

### Sat 2 November (All Souls)

08.00 Successful operation for Jasmine

08.30 *Adoration and Confession*

09.30 FM: The men of the parish killed in the war

12.00 *Alpha Course in JPC*

17.00 *Confession*

17.30 Caroline Keenaghan RIP

18.30 *Adoration and Rosary for the deceased*

### Sun 3 November

08.30 Health and wellbeing for Jasmine

10.00 Thanksgiving and blessing for Nicky Meredith and family

11.15 *Parish tea and coffee in JPC*

12.00 People of the parish

16.00 *Confirmation session in JPC and the church*

17.30 Patrick Finnegan and family RIP

**Financial update:** the September 2024 collection was £8,644.16 out of which:

- Standing orders: £3,664.50
- Weekly cash collection, £2,503.05
- Weekly Gift Aid envelopes: £1,093.00
- SumUp cashless collection: £1,383.61

Second collections raised £575.48 for the Catholic Education Service and £457.15 for the Home Mission.

Thank you for your generous support.

**Holy Souls:** in November we remember those who have passed. At the back of the church you will find the lists for the names of your deceased relatives and friends, which you can leave with one of the priests. We will pray for them during the Rosary Adoration on Saturdays 2, 9, 23 and 30 November after the evening Mass. If you would like to ask for the Mass to be offered in their intention in our parish, please leave the list with names and your donation in the Holy Souls envelopes with one of the priests or in the first collection bags. We will schedule them in the next 4 months.

*Please support us where possible: 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 or we have contactless card/phone readers in the church.*

*Our bank details are: RCAS St Thomas More Church A/C Dulwich, NatWest, account 44136757, sort code 60-23-19*

A bill to introduce **assisted suicide** will be voted on by MPs on the **29 November**. We know that assisted suicide laws in other jurisdictions have had devastating consequences for the poor, disabled and marginalised. This is the biggest threat to the vulnerable in a decade. **Please write/email/call your MPs to ask them to oppose this dangerous threat.** There are strict rules that MP's can only deal with their constituents' requests. To find your local MP please visit <https://members.parliament.uk/> and enter your home postcode. For example, Helen Hayes is our Church's local MP, her email is [helen.hayes.mp@parliament.uk](mailto:helen.hayes.mp@parliament.uk) or you can leave a voicemail on 020 7219 6971 to find out how you can attend one of her surgeries.

**Thank you** for coming to celebrate **Fr Daniel's 10<sup>th</sup> anniversary of his Ordination**. It was lovely to see the parish community in action and in celebration!

**Confirmation 2025:** application forms (for Yr9+) are on the parish website and at the back of the Church. The deadline for the forms is this weekend (27 October) and the course will start on 3 November. Thank you!