



ST THOMAS MORE CHURCH

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Parish Priest: Fr Bartłomiej Dudek **Assistant Priests:** Fr Allan MacDonald, Fr George Opio

PARISH DIARY AND MASS INTENTIONS

Parish activities are in *italic*

Masses are held at the remaining times

Sun 26 October

- 08.30 People of the parish
- 10.00 for Gillian's return to full health
- 11.15 *Parish tea and coffee in John Paul Centre*
- 12.00 Judith and William Borg RIP
- 17.30 God's help for Stephen

Mon 27 October

- 09.30 Marjory MacDonald RIP
Rich blessings for Edita
(*possible to request one Mass intention*)

Tue 28 October (Sts Simon and Jude)

- 09.30 Mass (*possible to request 2 Mass intentions*)

Wed 29 October

- 09.30 Wellbeing of Philip Clarke
(*possible to request 2 Mass intentions*)
- 19.00 *Adoration and Confessions*

Thu 30 October

- 09.30 Mass (*possible to request 2 Mass intentions*)
- 19.00 *Alpha course in JPC*

Fri 31 October

- 09.30 Philomena Sullivan RIP
Simon Clavis on his Ordination

Sat 1 November

- 08.30 *Adoration and Confession*
- 09.30 Reparation to the Immaculate Heart of Mary
- 10.00 *Alpha course in JPC*
- 17.00 *Confessions*
- 17.30 Nan and Paul Lavelli RIP
Mr Joseph and Mrs Lourdes Emmanuel RIP
- 18.30 *Adoration and Rosary for the deceased*

Sun 2 November – All Saints

- 08.30 Emily, Jasmine and Lucas – for an openness of heart
- 10.00 William Boilson and Kathleen Heneghan RIP
- 11.15 *Parish tea and coffee in John Paul Centre*
- 12.00 People of the parish
- 17.30 RIP Mr and Mrs Kanchu Koo, Pemba, auntie and uncle, grandmother and grandfather

Second Collection on 25/26 October supports our parish Alpha Course: some costs of promotion and hosting. Organisers and participants are very grateful to our parish community for the support received. Thank you.

Financial update: the September 2025 collection was £10,466.53 out of which:

- Standing orders: £5,700.50
- Weekly cash collection, £2,500.37
- Weekly Gift Aid envelopes: £1,124.42
- SumUp cashless collection: £1,141.24

Second collections raised £618.80 for the Catholic Education Services, £589.79 for the Home Mission and £3,482.96 for the CAFOD – Gaza appeal. Thank you for your generous support.

Confirmation 2026: application forms (for youth in Yr9+) are now available on the parish website and at the back of the Church. Please email your form to dulwichconfirmation@rcaos.org.uk or hand it in to the parish office by 17 November. The course will start on 30 November. Thank you!

Applications for the First Holy Communion Programme will be available in November.

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 1, 8, 15 and 23 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 note the additional Masses to be celebrated on All Souls' Day, Monday 3 November: 8.00, 9.30, 12.30, 18.00, 19.30. This commemoration is not a Holy Day of Obligation – it's rather an encouragement to pray for our departed relatives and friends.

St Anthony's Catholic Primary School SE22 0LA, Nursery and Reception open days: invite prospective Nursery and Reception parents to visit the school on 11 and 27 November, 9 December and 8 January at 9.30. They warmly welcome enquires from families of all faiths and none. Please find leaflets in the porch.

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