

12 JULY 2026 - FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME (A)

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The Holy Father's Prayer Intention - That everyone might have food

Let us pray that everyone, from large producers to small consumers, be committed to avoid wasting food, and to ensure that everyone has access to quality food.

SUN 09:30	Entrance: 747 Gloria: Glendalough Offertory: 605 Post-Communion: 944 x3	Kyrie: Glendalough Gospel Accl.: Celtic Alleluia Sanctus: 576 German Mass Final: 721 verses 1 and 3-4
SUN 11:00	Gathering: 872 Gloria: 489 - GLORY TO GOD Offertory: 735 Communion: 631	Entrance: 865 Gospel Accl.: SING ALLELUIA Sanctus: 490 - HOLY, HOLY, HOLY Post-Communion: 979
		Kyrie: 488 - LORD HAVE MERCY (MASS OF CREATION) Memorial Accl.: <i>We Proclaim Your Death</i> Final: 856

Mass Times, Intentions & Feast Days

SAT 11 09:30 18:30	SAINT BENEDICT, ABBOT, PATRON OF EUROPE, FEAST People of the Parish <i>First Mass of Sunday</i> Jimmy McElroy - RIP
SUN 12 09:30 11:00	✕ FIFTEENTH SUNDAY (A) Special Intention All Parishioners who are ill in Hospital - Wellbeing
MON 13 09:30	Aldwin Borgonha - RIP Rosary
TUE 14 09:30	Christine Corboy - RIP Rosary
WED 15 09:30	SAINT BONAVENTURE, BISHOP AND DOCTOR OF THE CHURCH Betty, Martin Fallon - RIP Rosary
THU 16 09:30	OUR LADY OF MOUNT CARMEL, MEMORIAL Biddy, Christy Gleeson - RIP Rosary
FRI 17 09:30	Brian Murray - Wellbeing Exposition
SAT 18 09:30 18:30	[RED BOX APPEAL] Cannon Alan McClean - RIP <i>First Mass of Sunday</i> Joe Bridie Steven & Patrica Munay - RIP
SUN 19 09:30 11:00	✕ SIXTEENTH SUNDAY (A) - [RED BOX APPEAL] CWPT - Anniversary Theresa Hector - RIP

*** THERE ARE STILL AVAILABLE PLACES FOR MASS INTENTIONS *****PRAYER REQUESTS**

If you request for yourself or an immediate family member to be listed in the Parish Newsletter. Please send an email to: gregoryackron@rcaos.org.uk

Please Pray for the wellbeing of:

Geoff Brady, Margaret Ann Baker, Henry & Philomena Hutcheon, Nkechi Roberts, Germani Vemalaragni, Carol Bonehill, Kamila Silke, Elizabeth De Masi, Matilda Ogutu, Irene Clarke, Denise Sullivan, Bridget Carberry, Pat Travers and John Curran, Rodneal Dyer.

Please Pray for those who have died recently:

Heather Browne, Sally Kennedy, John McSweeney, John Kennedy (Esther Bell's brother), Kathleen Edkins, Bruno Leonardi, Nathan Powell, Augustus Leroy Clarke, Zoila Noto.

SICK & HOUSEBOUND

If your neighbour or anyone you know is unable to attend Mass because of poor health, please inform Fr Gregory and he will take them Holy Communion

REPOSITORY

Cards and gifts are available in the Repository on Sundays

CATHOLIC WOMEN PRAYING TOGETHER (CWPT)

Join CWPT Group at Our Lady & St. Philp Neri Church every 4th Sunday of the Month, after 11am Mass. See you all there.

GIFT AIDERS

When you use Gift Aid envelopes for first, special and second collections, you must write your Gift Aid number on the envelope. There is a supply of envelopes at the back of the church.

If you have forgotten your number, please email the treasurer on sydenhamtreasurer@rcaos.org.uk

SDC BIBLE STUDY MEETINGS

Join us for our weekly SDC Bible group meetings on Fridays at 19.30. These are hybrid meetings so some join online on ZOOM while others meet in person at the SDC House at 38 Ryefield Road, Upper Norwood SE19 3QU. The main focus this year will be the BIBLE TIMELINE.

To join us online go to the Zoom website at pwa.zoom.us/jc and enter the Zoom ID: 4454292726. All are welcome! For more information email us at sdcm meetings@gmail.com

SOUTHWARK DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

I warmly invite you to join me on this year's SOUTHWARK DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES: 21 to 28 August 2026. Details for booking travel and accommodation can be found at <https://www.tangney-tours.com/diocese-pilgrimages/diocese-ca/>. We also ask pilgrims to complete a form with details including medical requirements (if any) at:

<https://www.catholicassociation.co.uk/join2026>

For more information, please contact Canon Edward Perera (edwardperera@rcaos.org.uk) or Deacon John Fogarty (johnfogarty@rcaos.org.uk) or myself, Bishop Paul Hendricks (paulhendricks@rcaos.org.uk)

YOUNG ADULTS GROUP

The Young Adults group are to host a fundraising movie night to raise money for St. Vincent De Paul (SVP) this Saturday, 11 July 2026.

The event is for young adults aged 18-35. Venue: Conference room, (Parish House). The Movie will begin at 7:45pm. The requested donation will be £5.

BANNNEUX ND GB PILGRIMAGES 2026

Bannneux ND GB Pilgrimages invite you to join our pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Banneux, Belgium, a major Catholic Marian pilgrimage site. It marks the spot where the Blessed Virgin Mary appeared eight times between January 15 and March 2, 1933, to an 11-year-old girl, Mariette Beco, calling herself the "Virgin of the Poor".

During the visions, Mary indicated a stream, stating, "This spring is reserved for all nations to relieve the sick". The shrine was officially approved by the Roman Catholic Church in 1949 and was famously visited by Pope John Paul II in 1985.

We will be travelling by luxury coach on the 12 August and returning on the 18 August. A full program of daily Holy Mass, Rosary, Talks, Divine Mercy devotions is available and a day trip to Beauraing, another Marian apparition site is included in the price. Hotel and full board included. Pls call Millie on WhatsApp 07957594646 for more information.

Summertime 2026: 11th August - 14th August: Altar Servers Trip to Westminster Pastoral Centre, £199. For aged 11-15

We commend this excellent residential trip for altar servers and those who regularly attend mass on the weekend. It is a few days for deepening one's catholic faith, in a great social atmosphere, including football, sports and visit to Thorpe Park. For more details of how to get to the venue, with a coach laid on at St. Anselm's Dartford, see your parish priest for a form, or contact Fr. Stephen Boyle, chaplain to the Guild of St. Stephen, Dartford@rcaos.org.uk, [Tel:01322 220075](tel:01322220075).

LEWISHAM INTERFAITH PEACE WALK 2026

THIS SUNDAY 12th JULY

2:00 PM CATFORD & BROMLEY SYNAGOGUE

2:45 PM LEWISHAM CIVIC SUITE

3:15 PM LEWISHAM ISLAMIC CENTRE

[LIGHT REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED AT LEWISHAM ISLAMIC CENTRE]

4:00 PM ST SAVIOURS

4:45 ST STEPHEN'S

OUR LADY & ST. PHILIP NERI CHURCH SOCIAL & FUND RAISING COMMITTEE

Dear Volunteers, Helpers and Parishioners

On behalf of the Social & Fund Raising Committee, I would like to extend our sincere thanks to everyone who contributed to the success of this year's Parish Summer Fair and Barbecue.

Whether you helped in the weeks leading up to the event, gave your time on the day by setting up, running stalls, serving refreshments, helping with the barbecue, clearing away afterwards, or simply came along to enjoy the day and support the parish, thank you. Every contribution, large or small, helped make the day such a success.

I'm sure everyone will agree that it was a wonderfully friendly, enjoyable and welcoming occasion. *We are delighted that, together, we raised around £1,800 for our parish!*

A very special thank you goes to the Our Lady and St. Philip Neri School Band, led by Mrs. Leslie Ewens, with the invaluable support of her husband, Russell.

Their performance was undoubtedly one of the highlights of the day and greatly added to the wonderful atmosphere.

Events such as these are about much more than fundraising. They help bring our parish community closer together, strengthen friendships and create new ones. We hope to build on this success and look forward to organising more enjoyable parish events in the future. Once again, thank you all for your generosity, enthusiasm and support.

Kind regards Robert

WORLD YOUTH DAY KOREA 2027

Join Archbishop John Wilson for the Archdiocese of Southwark's pilgrimage to World Youth Day in Seoul, South Korea, from 2 to 9 August 2027 for young adults aged 18-35.

World Youth Day brings together over one million young Catholics from across the world with Pope Leo XIV for prayer, catechesis, pilgrimage, and celebration of the faith. It is a unique opportunity to deepen your faith and experience the joy of the universal Church.

Package prices:

• Full package including flights: £3,270

• Ground package only: £1,870

A £400 deposit is required by close on Monday 29 June.

For full details, fundraising information, and booking, please visit:

www.tinyurl.com/wydhomel

LAST WEEK

Offertory:

Mass Count:

Average Week Standing Orders **£406**

Gift Aided **£180.50**, Not Gift Aided **£351.93**

Sat 18.30 (33), Sun 09.30 (79), 11.00 (85)

SECOND COLLECTION

Last week: None

This week: Stella Maris, (Apostleship of the Sea) - (Not GA)

Next Week: None

DONATE

Gift Aid: Tax payers, please sign up, using the white envelopes at the back of the church, so we can claim 25p for every £1 donated

Card: Card Machine in Church Foyer or www.olspn.church

Standing Order: Email Treasurer for details

Cheque: Payable to 'RCAS Sydenham'

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**IS GOD
CALLING
YOU?**



PERMANENT DIACONATE

DIACONATE DAY - 12 JULY 2026



ARCHDIOCESE *of*
SOUTHWARK