

St. Bartholomew's Church

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7th March 2010

3rd Sunday of Lent

Mass Times and Intentions	Tuesday 9th:	Next Sunday 14th: 4th Sunday of Lent
Sunday 7th: 3rd Sunday of Lent 6.15 (Sat eve) All Parishioners (Hymns) 8.30 Daryl Desa 10.00 Donatus & Christina Muoghalu Wedding Anniversary (Family Choir) 11.30 Doris Weeds (Polyphony Choir) 4.00 Stations of the Cross 5.00 Richard Wallis	10.00 For Good Health Wednesday 10th: 10.00 Seamus Donaghey Thursday 11th: 10.00 Kathleen Fogarty Friday 12th: 7.30 Welfare of Josephine McCready 10.00 Doyle Family Saturday 13th: 10.00 Welfare of Teresa Harris	6.15 (Sat eve) Elizabeth Sheridan (Hymns) 8.30 Khen Sehinson 10.00 Peter Blaquiere (Family Choir) 11.30 Fr Leo Asciale (Hymns) 4.00 Stations of the Cross 5.00 All Parishioners
Monday 8th: 10.00 Private Intention		Confessions: Saturday 10.30-11.00am; 5.00-6.00pm Morning Prayer of the Church: Monday - Saturday 9.30am

Sick: Michelle Allotey-Cabalan, John Armstrong, Monica Casey, John Douglas, Brian d'Souza, Len Dunne, Antonio Fernandes, Christina Joel, Ajitha Mahatantila, Karl Maxwell, Pat & Jess Power, Albert Rego, Albert Steiert, Josef Szumilas, Magdalen Sunich, Chris Sweeney, Liz Tivey, Esmlin Williams.

Thank You:

Last week's collection was £1355 and £718 by Standing Order. The Collection for CAFOD was 1618.05

Life Group would like to thank you for the £96 that was raised at last Sunday's coffee, cakes and sale of baby goods morning.

Recently Deceased Please pray for the family of Simon Bekit, one of our First Communion children (aged 9) who died on Wednesday. Simon had been ill since birth and was just starting to improve. Our sincere sympathy to his parents Sara and Biniam, two brothers and sister.

His Funeral will be on Tuesday 16th March at 12.30pm.

Church Cleaning This Week: Group 1

Kathleen O'Toole, Eileen McCarthy, Sharon Leonidas, Ena Holland, Mary Icheke, Georgiana Correa, Aine Rodrigues

This Sunday

3rd Sunday of Lent

Coffee Morning after all Morning Masses with Bacon and Sausage sandwiches and pastries. Proceeds for St Andrew's School.

Next Sunday

4th Sunday of Lent

Laetare Sunday

Second Collection for Archbishop Kevin as an expression of our gratitude to him for the work he has done while in Southwark. The Diocese will be making a presentation to him at the Chrism Mass on Wednesday 31st March.

This Week

Monday 8th

Parish 2012 - There will be no Parish 2012 meeting this week. It has proved difficult for those parishioners who have participated in this programme to make all the meetings. In light of this Deacon Paul has decided to suspend the programme and look at alternate ways in which it might progress. We are very grateful to those parishioners who have participated and given of their time and we will stay in touch as our thinking progresses.

Churches Together in Norbury Lent Course 8pm Norbury Methodist Church. Pollards Hill North. Theme this week: Becoming Messengers

Wednesday 10th

Journey in Faith - meet at 8pm in the Priest's House - Justice & Peace issues

Baptism Course 8pm - 9pm in the Meeting Room.

Friday 12th

Over 55's Group meet at 2pm in the St Charles Room. The first meeting went very well with over 30 people attending.

Saturday 13th

First Communion Programme for Children 10am in the St Charles Room.

Confirmation

Saturday 19th June 2010

12 noon Mass

with Bishop Patrick Lynch

Age: Year 8 and above.

Introductory Meeting for Candidates:

Wednesday 21st April at 7pm in the Hall.

Meetings: Wednesdays 28th April to 12th June from 7pm until 8.15pm in the St Charles Room (excluding 2nd June).

Awayday (compulsory):

Saturday 8th May, 9am - 5pm.

The Kairos Centre,

Mount Angles Road, Roehampton.

Enrolling Mass: Sunday 9th May - 5pm

Rehearsal:

Wednesday 16th June - 7pm in the Church.

Meetings for parents:

Tuesday 20th April at 7pm

Enrolment forms are available from Fr Tom and Deacon Paul after Mass today.

Forms must to be returned by 14th March.

Mrs Molly Jones RIP

Molly died on Thursday 4th March in the Royal Marsden Hospital, Sutton. We offer our condolences and sympathy to her son, Christopher, daughter Anne, and their families.

Molly was a great lady, and the most wonderful, sensible and committed Catholic parishioner whom one could imagine or wish to know. Her strong Catholic faith, brought to birth and nourished in her original North Wales home was the mainspring of her long, loving adult life. It was evident in her happy marriage to Tom, in her children, in her Christian way of bereavement and in the way she gave of her time and energies to the person of Christ whom she knew to be present in her Church. We will all miss her greatly but are comforted by the faith she shared with us so generously. She will have no trouble in recognising her Lord and Saviour as he says 'Well done! Good and faithful servant! Enter into the joy of your Lord!'

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Molly's funeral will be on Monday 15th March at 11am.

Readers & Eucharistic Ministers

Please collect your new Rota at the back of the Church.

Thank you to all those who have let us know their availability for Palm Sunday, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Easter Vigil and Easter Sunday. If you know that you are available over this period please let Monica know by 15th March. Rota covering that period will be out on 16th March.