

This Sunday (19th May) Readings

1st Reading – Acts 2: 1-11

Psalm –103

2nd Reading – 1 Corinthians 12: 3-7, 12-13

Gospel – John 20: 19-23

Intentions

6pm Ron Morris RIP

9am Health & Wellbeing of Joan & Richard Smith

11am The People of the Parish



Parish Of St Simon Stock



19th May 2024

Pentecost Sunday B

Newsletter

Hymns for 11am Mass: 126, 261, 125, 585, 388

Entrance Antiphon

*The love of God has been poured into our hearts
through the Spirit of God dwelling within us, alleluia!*

Communion Antiphon

*On the last day of the festival, Jesus stood and cried out:
If anyone is thirsty, let him come to me and drink, alleluia.*

Mon 10am Mary, Mother of the Church

Tue 10am Feria

Wed 10am Feria

Roger Guezenec RIP

Private Intention

Louis McNulty RIP

Eucharistic Adoration 2pm – 10pm

Thu 10am Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest

Fri 8pm Feria

Healing of Joshua Trujillo

Health & Wellbeing of Suzy Garner

Confessions:

Fridays 7.15pm to 7.50pm and Saturdays 5.15pm to 5.45pm

Next Sunday (26th May) Readings

1st Reading – Deut 4: 32-34, 39-40 6pm Georgina & Liam Widdows on 1st Wedding Anniversary

Psalm –32

2nd Reading – Romans 8: 14-17

Gospel – Matthew 288: 16-20

Intentions

9am The People of the Parish

11am Pat & Roger Massey RIP

Deaths and Anniversaries

Please pray for all those who have died recently, especially Richard de Verteuil and Denis Manley (his funeral will be on Fri 31st May at 11am.) and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time of year: Jess Cavanagh, Ian Hall, Harry Polter, John Molloy, Edith Dwyer, John Kerrigan, Leonard Wilkins, Patrick Alvares, Julie Clark, Peggy Rambajunsingh, Frank Egan, Roger Massey and Patricia Hogg. May their souls, and the souls of all the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, rest in peace. Amen

Sick and Housebound: We pray for all those who are sick and the housebound. We pray especially for all those in our parish and their families. **St Simon Stock, keep them in your care**

Mass Intentions: Please make cheques payable to St Simon Stock Church. See website for details of how to make a bank transfer.

100 Club (Parish Lottery) - Cash Prizes to be won monthly! Annual Subscription £12 per number. May winners: £50 = No. 258 Kevin Leahy £25 = No. 144 Dermot Bassett.

Parish Gift Aid Scheme: If you wish your offertory and other donations to be gift-aided please contact Sandra Rocco on 07720 772089

Parish Notices:

1. There is no 2nd collection this weekend. Next weekend it is Development Fund.
2. On Monday 20th May at 7.30 pm in the Parish Hall the 6th meeting about The Lord's Prayer we will reflect on the words: *Give Us This Day Our Daily Bread.* All are welcome!
3. Next Sunday at 11am we will have our Confirmation Mass. Please pray for our candidates: *Maxwell Burford, Shannon & Stephanie Leathwhite, Michelle Ogwueleka, Ivy Omoregbee, Elaina Paddy and Logan Upton.*

Today we are celebrating our parish patronal Feast of St Simon Stock. It is a great opportunity for us to get together in prayer and thanksgiving and have a family fun time. I hope that everyone who join us for this celebration will be spiritually uplifted.

PARISH FEAST CELEBRATIONS

AFTER 11AM MASS

Join us for an afternoon of food, fun and games.

Sponsored Walk at 12.30 pm,

BBQ * Home Made Cakes* Games * Plant Stall

ALL ARE INVITED!!!

There is still time to sponsor Fr Pawel who will do 50 laps of the field & walk to Aylesford Priory and back.

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Parish News

DIVINE MERCY RECOLLECTION DAY AT WALSINGHAM 1.6.24 11AM TO 4.30PM

The Recollection Day will include teachings on the Message of Mercy, Holy Mass, Stations of the Cross, Hour of Mercy with Adoration and Benediction and Veneration of the Image of Merciful Jesus. All welcome. Pls call Millie on [07957594646](tel:07957594646) for more information. Coaches from Ealing Broadway and Victoria.

WE NEED MORE READERS AT ALL MASSES

If you would like to join the reader's rota for Saturday 6pm, Sunday 9am or 11am Masses please contact Josie in the parish office or email her on walderslade@rcaos.org.uk. Many thanks.

STELLA MARIS

(formerly Apostleship of the Sea) is very grateful for this parish's prayer and financial support of its work on Sea Sunday last year. To report back on the use of those funds, it invites parishioners to join an **online update and thank you webinar on Tuesday 28th May from 7:30pm to 9:00pm**. You will hear about the impact of your generosity on the lives of seafarers, fishers, and their families over the last year. Its CEO and chaplains will share inspiring stories of how they have helped seafarers and fishers through your support. To register for this virtual event, please visit www.stellamaris.org.uk/thankyou2024

VACANCIES AT THE ARCHDIOCESE

Vacancies for an Episcopal Vicar and Bishop Group Secretary and a Priests' Welfare & Wellbeing Officer. See main noticeboard for details.



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| 1. An Introduction to Our Father prayer | 8 th April |
| 2. Our Father, Who art in heaven | 22 nd April |
| 3. Hallowed be Thy Name | 29 th April |
| 4. Thy Kingdom come | 6 th May |
| 5. Thy Will be done, on earth as it is in Heaven | 13 th May |
| 6. Give us this day our daily bread | 20 th May |
| 7. And forgive us our trespasses, as we forgive those who trespass against us | 27 th May |
| 8. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil. Amen. | 3 rd June |

All are welcome!

Sessions led by:
Fr. Pawel Sobol



St Simon Stock RC Parish
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Community Events

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| Sun 19 May | PARISH FEASTDAY CELEBRATIONS AFTER 11AM MASS |
| Mon 20 May | Let's Play For God (formerly Messy Church) at 8.45am in Hall Rosary on Zoom at 6pm An Evening with the Lord's Prayer 7.30pm in Parish Hall |
| Tue 21 May | Evening Prayer on Zoom at 6pm |
| Wed 22 May | EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION 2pm to 10pm |
| Thu 23 May | Beavers/Cubs/Scouts from 5.30pm onwards term time only Adult Choir practice in the church at 8pm |
| Fri 24 May | Children's Choir practice in the church at 4.30pm |
| Sun 26 May | 2 nd Collection for the Development Fund CONFIRMATION MASS AT 11AM |
| Mon 27 May | Rosary on Zoom at 6pm An Evening with the Lord's Prayer 7.30pm in Parish Hall |
| Tue 28 May | Evening Prayer on Zoom at 6pm |
| Wed 29 May | EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION 2pm to 10pm |
| Thu 30 May | Beavers/Cubs/Scouts from 5.30pm onwards term time only Adult Choir practice in the church at 8pm |
| Fri 31 May | Requiem Mass for Denis Manley RIP at 11am Children's Choir practice in the church at 4.30pm |
| Sun 2 Jun | No 2 nd Collection FIRST COMMUNION THANKSGIVING MASS AT 11AM Children's Liturgy at 11am Mass |

Prayer for Peace

Father in Heaven, have mercy on us and on the whole world! You sent Your Son, the Prince of Peace, for the salvation of the world. We pray that the Peace of Christ will reign in the whole world. Please protect and send aid to those who are at-risk. We pray for peace - we pray for all who are working towards it and for all who are in danger from these conflicts. We pray for an end to violence and war, we pray for wisdom for all leaders who have a hand in this. Lord God, please help those in most need of your mercy. Blessed Virgin Mary, Queen of Peace, pray for us! Saint Joseph, Protector of Mary, Jesus and the Church, pray for us! Lord Jesus, Prince of Peace, may your kingdom reign in all the world. Amen.

In these difficult times when finances are stretched to the limit, it is our Christian duty to help others. If you need financial support, please call. Fr. Pawel on the parish mobile or speak to him confidentially in person.

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