

This Sunday (30th June) Readings

1st Reading – Acts 12: 1-11

Psalm –33

2nd Reading – 2 Tim 4: 6-8, 17-18

Gospel – Matthew 16: 13-19

Intentions

6pm Alex Clay RIP

9am Wellbeing of Kim Boulton

11am The People of the Parish



Parish Of St Simon Stock



30th June 2024

SS Peter & Paul Yr B

Newsletter

Hymns for 11am Mass: 602, 467, 285, 951, 72, 398

Entrance Antiphon

These are the ones who, living in the flesh, planted the church with their blood; they drank the chalice of the Lord and became the friends of God.

Communion Antiphon

Peter said to Jesus: You are the Christ, the Son of the living God. And Jesus replied: You are Peter, and upon this rock I will build my church.

Mon 10am Feria

Tue 10am Feria

Wed 10am St Thomas, Apostle

Thu 10am Feria

Fri 8pm Feria

Liturgy of the Word

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Eucharistic Adoration 2pm – 10pm

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Confessions:

Saturdays 5.15pm to 5.45pm

Next Sunday (7th July) Readings

1st Reading – Ezekiel 2: 2-5

Psalm –122

2nd Reading – 2 Corinthians 12: 7-10

Gospel – Mark 6: 1-6

Intentions

6pm Jozef Mihal RIP

9am The People of the Parish

11am Agnieszka Markowska RIP

Deaths and Anniversaries

Please pray for all those who have died recently, and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time of year: Fred Lichfield, Julie Byrne, Charles Grant, Kathleen Lyons, Christina Dobbs, Pat Strong, Evangelos Sarros, Margaret Drake-Brockman, Virgil Cain, Vera Murphy and John Donovan. 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. June Winners: £50 = No. 206 Marilyn Weiss £25 = No. 160 Alessandra Rocco

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. 2nd Collection this weekend is for Peter's Pence. There is no collection next weekend.
2. Please welcome Fr Neil Vincent who is saying 6pm Saturday Mass, and Fr Daniel Eteudoh who is saying 9am and 11am Sunday Masses.
3. There will be Liturgy of the Word every day next week at the usual times.
4. **The Sponsored Walk monies are now all in and counted. Fr Pawel raised £2,217. The Parishioners who walked raised £1023.** Thanks to them for taking part and a **BIG THANKYOU** to all those who sponsored all the walkers. **A total of £3240 raised by the Walk.**

INTERNATIONAL FOOD EVENING - SATURDAY 6TH JULY

Our International Food Evening will be on Saturday 6th July at 7pm. Tickets will be on sale this weekend - £3 single, £10 family ticket (including a raffle ticket) and on the door. Please bring a dish to share (*providing a list of ingredients in case of allergens*) & drinks. Tea, coffee & juice will be available. There will be a raffle.



Everyone welcome to a fun community evening.

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Parish News

APP FORMS FOR 2024/25 1ST RECONCILIATION & HOLY COMMUNION

We will be starting the next preparation in Sept for those children who are baptised Catholic and our parishioners, in Yr 3 and above in Sept 2024. Please ask for an application form after weekend Masses. Each application is numbered and it is one per child. Please do not take an application for any other family but your own. **The Meeting for parents to hand in the applications forms is Monday 15th July at 7pm and IS THE ONLY TIME YOUR APPLICATION CAN BE HANDED IN.**

PARISH BAPTISM COURSE

The next Parish Baptism Course will be held on Saturday 6th July 10am to 1pm. Please contact the parish office to apply.

NEW RCIA COURSE STARTING IN SEPTEMBER

Do you or anyone you know want to explore the Catholic Faith further or become a full member of the Catholic Church? Join us this year as we embark on another RCIA course (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults), where we will journey with you in faith exploration, as you get to know Jesus on a personal level, through scripture, witness and the teachings of the Catholic Church. For more info please speak to Fr Pawel.

SOUTHWARK YOUTH DAY 6TH JULY 2024 FOR AGES 10 – 14YRS

At St John Fisher School, City Way, Rochester ME1 2FA from 11am to 5.30pm. £5 with lunch and evening pizza provided. See noticeboard for details and how to book.

VACANCIES FOR FOUNDATION GOVERNORS AT ST THOMAS MORE

Please see noticeboard for details. Contact Mr Simon D'Souza for more info on 07925 326059 or dsous054@st-thomasmore.medway.sch.uk

GENERAL ELECTION 2024 – RESOURCES FOR CATHOLICS

The Prime Minister has called a general election for Thursday, 4 July. The General Election 2024 web resources from the Bishops' Conference are online and may be found here: <https://www.cbcew.org.uk/election24/> Also, please scan a QR code to access the election resources page.



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



Community Events

Sun 30 Jun	2 nd Collection this weekend for Peter's Pence Children's Liturgy at 11am Mass
Mon 1 Jul	Rosary on Zoom at 6pm
Tue 2 Jul	Evening Prayer on Zoom at 6pm
Wed 3 Jul	EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION 2pm to 10pm
Thu 4 Jul	Beavers/Cubs/Scouts from 5.30pm onwards term time only Adult Choir practice in the church at 8pm
Fri 5 Jul	Children's Choir practice in the church at 4.30pm
Sat 6 Jul	Baptism Course 10am to 1pm in the Parish Hall INTERNATIONAL FOOD EVENING AT 7PM
Sun 7 Jul	No 2 nd Collection this weekend
Mon 8 Jul	Rosary on Zoom at 6pm
Tue 9 Jul	THE PARISH OFFICE WILL BE CLOSED TODAY Evening Prayer on Zoom at 6pm Bereavement Support Group meeting in the parish hall at 7pm
Wed 10 Jul	EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION 2pm to 10pm
Thu 11 Jul	Beavers/Cubs/Scouts from 5.30pm onwards term time only Adult Choir practice in the church at 8pm
Fri 12 Jul	Children's Choir practice in the church at 4.30pm
Sun 14 Jul	2 nd Collection for Stella Maris this weekend 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.