



# HOLY CROSS CATHOLIC CHURCH

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PARISH OFFICE HOURS: MON – WED- FRI 09AM TO 2PM



## EASTER SUNDAY

## RESURRECTION OF THE LORD (A)

SAT 04 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL	18:30	INTENTIONS OF MR & MRS PINTO FOR ARNAUD PINTO JERRARD & O'SHEA FAMILY - INTENTIONS
SUN. 05 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL	08:00	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
	09:30	THANKSGIVING & BLESSINGS DAREK O. BD MU ZHANG – BD INTENTIONS
	11:00	THANKSG. 75 YEARS OF LOVE, CHILDREN & GH
MON. 06 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL	18:30	INTENTIONS OF THE FAMILIES: E MCDONALD, S. LUIS & A OMEARA
	08:00	
TUE. 07 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL	10:00	WILLIAM OKON & FAMILY - INTENTIONS
	08:00	
WED. 08 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL	10:00	CHERRYL HOWLETT – BD INTENTIONS
	08:00	
THU. 09 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL	10:00	FOR THE CLERGY
	17:00	ADORATION
	08:00	
FRI. 10 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL	10:00	JOHN & KATHLEEN FRIEL - INTENTIONS
	08:00	
SAT. 11 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL	12:00	NICOLA WRIGHT & FAMILY - INTENTIONS
	08:00	
SUN. 12 <sup>TH</sup> APRIL DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY	18:30	GARCIA FAMILY - INTENTIONS
	08:00	INTENTIONS OF IAN CAMERON
	09:30	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH
	11:00	
	18:30	GUIHO FAMILY - INTENTIONS

**Confessions:** Saturday - 10.30 am to 11:15 am; 6pm to 6.25pm

**Adoration Of The Blessed Sacrament:**

**Every day:** 7am-8am

**Wed.:** 5pm-8:00pm & Sat. 9am.

### Easter Offerings

Your personal gift to the Priests of the Parish, envelopes are at the back of the Church. You may know that the Clergy do not receive a salary as such and rely upon the Christmas and Easter Offerings to supplement any donation received through Mass Stipends.

### Second Collection Next Weekend for the Maintenance of Saint George's Cathedral:

Saint George's Cathedral, Southwark, is the mother church of the diocese. This collection helps meet the cost of the upkeep of the cathedral.

### Divine Mercy Sunday Prayer here at Holy Cross 3pm on Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> April.

Divine MERCY Novena started on GOOD FRIDAY and finishes on Divine Mercy Sunday. Please join us on weekdays before 10.00 am Mass to recite the Chaplet of Divine Mercy or you can say the Chaplet privately at a time which fits with your work, study hours.



### Thank You

We thank everyone who has assisted us to have a wonderful Easter Triduum, the Clergy, Altar Servers, Sacristans, Choir

Members, Media unit, Cleaners, Flower Team, Readers, Eucharistic Ministers, Stewards, Maintenance Team, Counters and All Volunteers. Thank you for the help and support you give us.

### Children's Liturgy Group – Sunday 9.30 am Mass

Our Children's Liturgy Group is on an Easter break. **We resume on Sun 19<sup>th</sup> April.** To volunteer or help the group, please contact Esme via the Parish Office.

[carshalton@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:carshalton@rcaos.org.uk). Thank you for your support!



### BIBLE STUDY: Monday 20<sup>th</sup> April at 7.30pm, Parish hall.

All welcome. For more information, (cherryl)

[carshaltonplf@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:carshaltonplf@rcaos.org.uk)



### Youth group: Sunday 19th April from 12pm -2pm:

FAITH, FOOD and FUN: Holy Cross 11-17 group.

The 11am Mass will be dedicated to our youth. In the hall a light lunch will be provided followed by opening prayer, games, table tennis, pool, table football, craft table etc. The session

will conclude with music and praise from our youth music leader. Please let me know if your children also play instruments.

Contact for more info -co-ordinator: Cheryl Howlett (Parish Lead for Formation).

[carshaltonplf@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:carshaltonplf@rcaos.org.uk)

### Young Adult Mass: Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> April

Come along to the Young Adults Group after 6:30pm mass.



**Food Bank Donation:** The Young Adults group is organising a food bank donation drive. These food banks provide emergency food and support to people in crisis. Please donate if you can. Items that are needed include: Shower gel, Shampoo/conditioner, Deodorant, Sanitary pads, Toilet roll... UHT milk, Tinned meat, Tinned fruit, Sponge/rice puddings, Coffee...

### March Missio Collection

The next **Red Box collection** is due at the end of March. Please collect your envelope from the back of the church. It contains the latest Mission Today which gives news of the work of missionaries in Myanmar in supporting displaced people. It is dangerous work due to continuing conflict. Please pray for them.

### Zoom Prayer Group

The **Monday Prayer Group** has been led by Holy Cross parishioners for a few years. It is held over Zoom at **8 p.m.** every two weeks and members also come from other Catholic parishes.

If you are interested, please use the enquiry form on the Parish website or email the Parish office or contact Alex.

### Build A Better Marriage

This is a one-day marriage-enrichment course aimed at couples whether married five years or 55 years. There is **no charge and no group sharing**. Couples have the opportunity individually to explore their relationship and levels of communication, which is the key to relationship. It starts at 9am and finishes by 4.30pm. Dates and venues in South London are: **May 23 (Wallington) and October 3 (West Norwood)**. But there are also other dates elsewhere in Southwark diocese. More details – T: 07983 524 727 or E: [mflkent@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:mflkent@rcaos.org.uk)

### The Annual Marriage Mass - on July 11 at 3pm

at St George's Cathedral. Couples celebrating special anniversaries this year - their first, 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th, 60th or any later - are invited to apply for places. They will then receive a personal invitation to the Mass from Abp John Wilson and have an opportunity to renew their marriage vows. Apply to: [mflsw@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:mflsw@rcaos.org.uk)

### Walsingham Pilgrimage : 27 June 2026 at 8am

Join Archbishop John for the Archdiocese of Southwark Day Pilgrimage to the National Catholic Shrine of Our Lady at Walsingham, Norfolk On the Feast of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Archbishop John will be leading the Archdiocesan pilgrimage to Walsingham.

For further details or to register your parish, please email

[jamesclark@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:jamesclark@rcaos.org.uk)

### Vocations Weekend for Women (20s and 30s) -Discerning God's Call in your life 15<sup>th</sup> - 17<sup>th</sup> May, Liverpool

The weekend is organised by the Sisters, Faithful Companions of Jesus (FCJ).

Jesus invites each of us to 'Come and See' - this weekend will give the opportunity to explore the vocation to religious life and to reflect on God's call to you.

If you are wondering if God is calling you to religious life and would like to find out more why not come along?

There will be opportunity for prayer, reflection and input, chance to live alongside the religious community and to ask questions and to meet others who are also wondering where God is calling them.

For more information contact Sr Lynne fcJ at [fcjvocationeurope@gmail.com](mailto:fcjvocationeurope@gmail.com) or visit our website [www.fcjsisters.org](http://www.fcjsisters.org) To register: <https://bit.ly/Vocation2026>



## Alleluia! Christ is risen!

*Frs Vincent, Luke, Philip and  
Deacon Sandy  
wish you and your family a very  
Happy Easter*

*filled with joy, peace and a  
renewed hope of the  
Resurrection.*

### Holy Father's Prayer Intention March: For priests in crisis.

Let us pray for priests going through moments of crisis in their vocation, that they may find the accompaniment they need and that communities may support them with understanding and prayer.

### May they rest in peace:

Remember those who died recently, Joe Finnerty, Lawrence Taggart, Cecil Dias, Cheryl Yiu, Rajan Raman, Maureen Arnold, Lena Edwardes, Louis Mann, Stanley Bewick, Bridgid Murphy, Maria Leggett, Margaret Morton, Doreen Mary Charlish, Pat Flannery, Annie Dona, Harvey Watson, Margaret Collier, Francesca Morreale, Pope Francis, Fr Henry Tiku, Mary Coghlan, ...

**Remember to pray for those who are sick**, the isolated, and their carers, especially those within our own Parish Community: Maria Spence, Catherine Main – Ian, Pat Walmsley, Sidney Brown, Norah Sheridan, Kathleen Brown, Mary Piere, Edna Thornton, Mary Dolan, Doris D'Souza, Clara Pinto...