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*The Parish Office will be open Monday to Friday 10.30am to 3pm this week*

**FEAST OF SAINTS PETER AND PAUL ( C )**

**29/30 JUNE 2019**

**Scripture Readings**

Acts 12:1-11

2 Timothy 4:6-8. 17-18

Matthew 16:13-19

**READERS: Please refer to Rota**

**2nd Collection**      29/30 June - St. Vincent de Paul (SVP)  
                                 6/7 July - The Apostleship of the Sea (AOC)

***ENTRANCE ANTIPHON:***

*Peter the Apostle, and Paul the teacher of the Gentiles,  
these have taught us your law, O Lord.*

***PSALM:***

*Their word goes forth through all the earth.*

***GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: (6pm Mass)***

*Alleluia, alleluia! Lord, you know everything; you know I love you. Alleluia!*

***VERSE FOR GOSPEL SUNG ACCLAMATION (9.30 & 11.30 Masses)***

*O God, to whom shall we go? You alone have the words of life.*

*Let your words be our prayer and the song we sing: Hallelujah, hallelujah!*

**SCRIPTURE REFLECTION** Knowing and keeping the faith is the strong message which underlines all three scripture readings on this great feast. But whilst they show that this may never be easy, the example given by Saints Peter and Paul will give us the courage and strength to persevere, even in our own periods of doubt and weakness.

Peter, as the Gospel reading tells us, had already been made the foundation and leader of Christ's Church, with all the power that was needed, but that did not prevent his denial of even knowing Jesus just a short time later. Even this, however, did not take away Jesus' love for him or his trust in Peter to build and lead his Church.

As Saul, Paul had come from the opposite direction, being a zealous persecutor of the early Church and feared by its members. But his "Damascus moment" brought him to the faith and subsequent use of his zeal and energy to preach and spread the Gospel to the wider world. "I have kept the faith" he wrote in his second letter to his co-worker, Timothy.

The message is just as true today in an increasingly materialistic and Godless society. We must keep the faith and trust in the Lord, knowing that he is always there to pick us up and forgive us when we fail.

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**22/23 JUNE 2019**

**311 People celebrated the Eucharist.**

**The Offertory collection was £630.88**

**The 2nd collection for Peters Pence  
was £216.73**

**From Standing Orders we collected  
£806.50**

***Thank you for your continued support***

***Please Gift Aid where possible***



**WELCOME**

Nova Margot Sseruwagi-  
Dhillon and  
Oluseyi Amiede Falase  
into our parish family  
through the Sacrament of Baptism.



**HOLY FATHER'S  
PRAYER INTENTIONS  
FOR JULY:**

***The Integrity of Justice***

That those who administer  
justice may work with  
integrity, and that the injustice which  
prevails in the world may not have the  
last word.

**HOLY HOUR - Friday 5 July** after  
9.15 Mass there will be a period of  
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament  
with Benediction until 10.15.

**EVENING PRAYER OF THE  
CHURCH & BENEDICTION -**

Sunday 21st July 2019 at 6pm.  
and every third Sunday of the month.



**SWOYSA SUMMER FAIR**

**Sunday 30th June 2019**

**12.30 - 2.30pm**

Please come and support our  
main fundraising event of the year!  
Lots of stalls, fun and games for  
everyone, Raffle with amazing prizes,  
Bottle Tombola, Bake Off style cake  
competition, Full Bar, BBQ, Bouncy  
Castles. Donations of books, cakes (on  
the day) and plants are needed please.

**HOW CAN WE KEEP FROM  
SINGING? An evening with Jo Boyce  
& Friends. - St William of York,  
Church - Sunday 30 June, 6.30pm**

Jo & Friends provide the music for  
many Catholic events in many Dioceses  
in England. Advance tickets: £6.00  
(£7.00 on the door) .tel: 01675 466254  
[www.cjmmusic.com/tickets](http://www.cjmmusic.com/tickets)

**LEWISHAM DEANERY  
BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT**

**GROUP** - If anybody is interested in  
starting a support group for  
Bereavement within the Lewisham  
Deanery parishes, please contact Mary  
in the Parish Office -  
[foresthill@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:foresthill@rcaos.org.uk)

020 8690 4549. A preliminary meeting  
will be planned in the next month or so.

**CATHOLIC SECONDARY  
SCHOOL (September 2020)**

**TRANSFER FORMS** - Please collect  
a yellow form from the Narthex after  
Mass if you will be applying for your  
child to attend a Catholic secondary  
school, and your child will be in year 6  
from this September 2019. Please  
return the forms to the presbytery by no  
later than **SUNDAY 30TH JUNE  
2019.**

## **SITE MAINTENANCE AND**

**CARETAKER** We are looking for someone to join our site maintenance and caretaking team at the Cathedral. The whole site comprises St. George's Cathedral, Amigo Hall, Archbishop's House, Cathedral House, the Finance and Safeguarding offices and includes residential and office accommodation, as well as public access spaces and a car park. The primary function of this role is to provide maintenance and caretaking services across the whole site, but in particular for the Cathedral and Amigo Hall. The job includes delivering on a schedule of planned maintenance, which includes painting and decorating; responding to emergencies such as broken locks or blocked drains; moving furniture; providing access to the Cathedral and hall, including setting up as required by users; clearing rubbish and security.

The successful applicant must have previous experience in a similar environment and ideally some knowledge of health and safety. This job also requires a DBS disclosure. Hours: 35 worked over a varying shift pattern to include some evenings and weekends. Salary: £21,500pa - £23,000 depending on skills and experience. Interviews will be on 10<sup>th</sup> July 2019. To apply please send you CV to [HR@rcaos.org.uk](mailto:HR@rcaos.org.uk) by 4<sup>th</sup> July 2019.

**HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS** - Due to rules and regulations regarding privacy in hospitals it is important to remember that if you or a relative are admitted to hospital it is your responsibility to let the staff know that you or they are a Catholic and would welcome a visit from the Catholic chaplain. It would also be helpful to let the Parish office know so that the Clergy and Parishioners can remember you and your relatives in their prayers.

## **SUPPORT ST. CHRISTOPHER'S**

**HOSPICE** - Next week, from 26<sup>th</sup> June, I and sixty others will be cycling 350 miles through four countries, from London to Amsterdam, to raise money for St. Christopher's Hospice. St. Christopher's provides care and support to over 6,500 people and their families across South East London, both at home and in the hospice. They need to raise £15 million every year to continue providing the best possible care, so we are trying to help them by gaining your sponsorship.

We should be grateful for any contribution you feel able to afford – please visit the website: [justgiving.com/patrickbentham](http://justgiving.com/patrickbentham) or catch me (I'm Patrick Bentham) after Mass or drop a marked envelope into the parish office. Thank you.

## **PASSAGE GARDEN PARTY**

Please support the excellent work which The Passage does for homeless people in Central London, by attending The Passage annual Garden Party in the beautiful and historic College Garden, Westminster Abbey on **Friday 19 July**, from 6.00 pm to 8.00 pm. Tickets at £45 each, include wine, soft drinks, buffet supper and live music. Tickets are available online through Eventbrite

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/the-passage-garden-party-2019-tickets-59008227196> or from The Passage, St Vincent's Centre, Carlisle Place, London SW1P 1NL. Tel: 020 75921856.

Email: [tickets@passage.org.uk](mailto:tickets@passage.org.uk)  
It will not be possible to purchase tickets at the Abbey. All proceeds in aid of The Passage.”

## **MASS INTENTIONS**

### **SAINTS PETER & PAUL ( C )**

#### **Saturday 29 June**

18:00 Giovanni Del Guercio RIP  
19:30 Polish Mass

#### **Sunday 30 June**

09.30 Chidozie & Eden Orih  
11.30 For the Parishioners

#### **Monday 1 July - Feria**

9:15 Katie Scanlon RIP

#### **Tuesday 2 July - Feria**

9.15 Abdel Ramane Daouda RIP

#### **Wednesday 3 July - *St. Thomas the Apostle***

9.15 Abdel Ramane Daouda RIP

#### **Thursday 4 July - Feria**

9.15 Abdel Ramane Daouda RIP

#### **Friday 5 July - Feria**

09:15 Anne Orieso Personal Intention  
Holy Hour until 10.15

#### **Saturday 6 July - Feria**

10:30 Deceased Member of the Chester  
& Morgan Families

### **FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN**

### **ORDINARY TIME ( C )**

#### **Saturday 6 July**

18:00 May Nelson RIP  
19:30 Polish Mass

#### **Sunday 7 July**

09.30 For the Parishioners  
11.30 John Douglas RIP

## **THE DIARY**

### **Sunday 30th June**

12.30 - SWOYSA Summer Fair  
(School)

18:30 - An Evening with Jo Boyce &  
Friends - "How can we keep from  
Singing" (Church)

### **Wednesday 3 July**

20:00 Singing Practice (Church)

### **Thursday 4 July**

18:00 Beavers & Cubs (Scout HQ on  
St. Germans Road)

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Road)

### **Friday 5 July**

09:15 Baby & Toddler Group (UH)

### **Saturday 6 July**

09:15 Instrumentalists (Church)

### **Scripture Readings 6/7 July**

Isaiah 66:10-14

Galatians 6:14-18

Luke 10:1-12. 17-20

### **Readers - 6/7 July**

18:00 Sonya

09:30 Please refer to Rota

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### **Flower Rota- 6/7 July**

Clare Thomson

### **Cafe York Rota - 6/7 July**

09:30 Volunteers required

11.30 Volunteers required

### **Sacrament of Reconciliation**

Saturday 11.00-12.00 noon