



St Margaret of Scotland

CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Parish Newsletter

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Twenty-Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

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SUNDAY MASS: 9.30 am and 11.00am. Also Saturday at 6.00 pm.

WEEKDAY MASS: Tuesday at 9.00 am, other Weekdays at 10.00 am.

No Mass on Thursday

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION: 10 am and 8 pm.

CONFESSIONS: Saturday: 10.30—11 am & 5.15—5.45 pm and at call.

VARIATIONS: Please see the Weekly Diary for any changes to the above times.

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Father Patrick will be available for parishioner consultations after Mass on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays until 1.00pm, and then from 4.00 pm until 8.00 pm. It is not necessary to make an appointment to see him at these times. The parish office is open from 9.00 am until 1.00 pm and from 2.00 pm until 5.00 pm each Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.

OCTOBER DEVOTIONS

During the month of October every Saturday Vigil mass and Sunday 9.30 am service will be preceded by the Rosary at 5.30 pm and 9 am respectively. We are looking for people to lead the prayers during these weekends. Please put your name down on the signing on list if you would like to support this devotion to Our Lady (one person per session).

DEANERY PRAYER GROUP

The Deanery Prayer Group meet on the 3rd Monday of each month at a different church within the Sutton Deanery. The next meeting is scheduled for 15th October at St Margaret's from 8 pm to 9 pm. All are welcome, but particularly St Margaret's parishioners.

PERSECUTED CHRISTIANS APPEAL Mike Quigley writes: Thanks to the usual kindness of St Margaret's in contributing earlier in the year, much needed items, including bedding and 2 kg of Calpol, were sent to persecuted Christians including children who fled Syria and other parts of the Middle East. These poor souls arrive at the 'House of Prayer' in Athens which includes Inter-alia, a drop-in café, which has requested donations of boxes of English Breakfast or Earl Grey tea bags and packets of biscuits, such as Oat Crunch, Rich Tea or similar. Also required are sanitary towels for the women. Apparently, such items are not readily available or affordable locally. Please can we, once again, ask our generous Parishioners to donate the above mentioned, before the last week in October when they need to be despatched. A receptacle will be placed in the meeting area for your gifts.

PRISONERS' SUNDAY is celebrated on 14th October and will mark the beginning of Prisons Week. The Prison Advice and Care Trust (PACT), is the only national Catholic charity dedicated to engaging with the issues that can arise from being in prison or the effect that it can have on loved ones. If you are interested in supporting the work of PACT, whether through volunteering (such as befriending) or fundraising, please see poster on the noticeboard and the accompanying literature. There are also envelopes in the foyer for any donations you might wish to make.

A DAY WITH MARY is a day of instruction, devotion and intercession, based on the message given at Fatima in 1917. If you wish to participate, there is a choice of two dates and venues; on 20th October at Westminster Cathedral and 27 October at Our Lady and St Peter, Wimbledon Common. Please see noticeboard for more details.

RED BOX COLLECTION will be collected at all masses on 20th and 21st October. The Association for the Propagation of the Faith (APF) assists every one of the Catholic Church's 1,069 mission dioceses through the Mill Hill Missionary Society - the only major missionary society formed in England. Mill Hill missionaries go to the most remote places on earth to show the love of Christ to those in need, both spiritually and materially. In England and Wales, funds are collected through the famous **Red Boxes** in over 200,000 homes. They have helped raise millions of pounds for the missionary Church. It was founded in 1822 by Pauline-Marie Jaricot, a young woman in Lyons, France. She persuaded local working people to give a farthing a week in support of overseas mission. A century later, the organisation was established in almost every country in the world. Pope Pius XI made it the official mission-funding society for the Catholic Church.

Diary for the Week STARTING 14th OCTOBER 2018 TWENTY-EIGHTH SUNDAY

IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY	6.00 pm	Saturday (Vigil) Mass
	9.30 am	Family Mass
	11.00 am	Holy Mass
MONDAY	9.00 am	SAINT TERESA OF JESUS (AVILA) Morning Prayer & Adoration
	10.00 am	Holy Mass
TUESDAY	9.00 am	Holy Mass
WEDNESDAY	9.00 am	SAINT IGNATIUS OF ANTIOCH, BISHOP & MARTYR Morning Prayer & Adoration
	10.00 am	Holy Mass followed by Coffee Club
	4.15 pm	Intercessionary Weekly Prayer meeting (please contact Parish Office for details)
	7.45 pm	The Big Picture (at St Margaret's)
THURSDAY		SAINT LUKE, EVANGELIST NO Mass today
	10.00 am	St Margaret's Mums & Toddlers
	7.30 pm	Folk Group Rehearsal
FRIDAY	9.00 am	Morning Prayer & Adoration
	10.00 am	Holy Mass
NEXT WEEKEND 20/21ST OCTOBER 4TH NATIONAL MASS COUNT		
SATURDAY	10.00 am	Holy Mass
	6.00 pm	First Mass of Sunday

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY 21 OCTOBER 2018.

COLLECTION AT ALL MASSES 20th/21st ON BEHALF OF MISSIO.

This does not qualify for parish gift aid, so please do not use Parish gift aid envelopes

MISSIO is the Church's official organ for the support of foreign missions. The collection taken on World Mission Sunday goes in its entirety to support churches, hospitals, schools and vocations in countries where the church is new, young or poor. Missio works through local bishops, churches and missionary congregations to ensure that resources are distributed equitably and justly on the basis of need. One beneficiary are ethnic groups in Ethiopia such as the Menja who are despised, feared and rejected by the majority. The Little Sisters of Jesus reach out by helping Menja families grow and sell coffee for food, aiding pregnant women deliver their babies safely and educating their youth.

MAKATON WORKSHOP FOR CATECHISTS CCF is offering a unique opportunity to be introduced to Makaton which can support communication with a wide range of children, young people and adults that have special needs (on Saturday 3 November 2018 from 9am—5pm, Tooting Bec) Please email the presbytery if you would like to attend this course; the fee will be paid by the Parish.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR: Graham Wright (Roz Wright's husband), Connie Harrington, (Lynn Pougher's mother), Angel Bridi, John Ryan (Richard Thomson's brother-in-law), Steven Conroy, Anne Pelham & Paul Field (Father Kevin's sister-in-law & Nephew), Mike Nolan, Laura Bannon (Mia's Mother), Stephen Martin, Joe Ryan, Juliana Amaral, Matthew Nelson (Ken's son), Peter Bushell (Marian Thurley's nephew), Jackie Sweeney & Ray Sweeney (Ita Haines' sister-in-law's sister-in-law & son-in-law), Liz Beddoe (Lynn Pougher's sister-in-law), Nora Chapman and Angela Kelly.

LATELY DEAD: Esta Fernandes (in Mumbai - Maria Furtado's mother) and Kathleen Grant (Mike Quigley's cousin)

ANNIVERSARIES: Fr. Vincent Comer, Fr Terry Quinlan, Daniel Sullivan, Agnes Daly, Elvira Spiteri, Lola Auletta, Rose O'Gorman, Margaret Sheerin, George Hayes, Michael O'Donnell, Norah Phillips, Baby Molly Capaldi, Bridget Wattam, Thomas Gallagher (ary's brother), Remo Berzolla, Leslie Cox, James Doherty, Harry Oladapo (Alice's husband), Gertrude Mortimer, Victor Jureidini, Molly Caulfield (Anne Mitchell's mother) and Catherine Finnerty (Manus' sister)

LAST SUNDAY: Last Sunday's attendance was 222 and the Offertory came to £580.96 shared between £297.36 in loose money and £283.60 in Gift Aid envelopes. The CAFOD family fast collection came to a total of 400.90. Many thanks.

SAINT MARGARET'S ALMANAC

20th/21st October	RED BOX COLLECTION (after all masses)
20th/21 October	KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBA, APPEAL FOR NEW MEMBERS
27th/28th October	ANNUAL MISSIONARY APPEAL
1st November	THE MAN WHO BUILT PEACE (FILM AT RUSKIN RD)
16th November	ST MARGARET OF SCOTLAND FEAST DAY
12th December	SENIOR CITIZENS LUNCHEON

MATHS TUTOR REQUIRED for GCSE Pupil. Please email St Margaret's if you are able to help and we will pass on your contact details to the family concerned

FOUNDATION GOVERNOR VACANCY has arisen at St Chad's RC Primary School in South Norwood. Applications are welcome from practising committed Catholics who are keen to work in close co-operation with the Headteacher and all staff. Training is provided. For more details, please contact Michelle Nze email: mnze.306@lgfmail.org

THE POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR OCTOBER: That consecrated religious men and women may bestir themselves and be present among the poor, the marginalized and those who have no voice.