



St. Mary Magdalen Catholic Church Archdiocese of Southwark

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INCORPORATED CHARITY NUMBER 1173050

10th to 17th July 2022

Baptisms and Weddings by arrangement
Please see Fr Adrian after Mass to make an appointment for a preparation course.
Parish Office Open: Monday 10 am to 1 pm and Wednesday to Friday 10 am to 1 pm
Our Cemetery is open daily from 9am to 3pm
365 days a year (except for emergency call-outs).

Sunday Masses: 9:30am, 11.00am & 6:30pm
Weekday Mass: the church opens at 9am with Mass at 9.30 am, but please check below for details.
Please note the church is closed on Tuesdays.
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament on Fridays from 9am, ending with Benediction before 9.30 Mass.
Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)
Saturdays from 10 am and by request.

THE PARISH COLLECTION UP TO SUNDAY 3rd July.
Our weekly income was £731 [an average of the last 4 weeks]
We are all in such extreme circumstances, many with reduced incomes that it is a blessing to be able to receive any donation you are able to give.
Please Note: no one is asked to give a specific amount as it all depends on individual income.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR CONTINUED SUPPORT

We can receive donations via the following methods:

- Download a Standing order form
www.stmarymags.org.uk/community
- Online Banking using the Parish Bank details:
NatWest Richmond, Surrey (A) Branch
NAME: RCAS Mortlake
Account number: 20224311
Sort Code: 60-07-20

(Please quote your Gift Aid Number if you have one.)

- The Donation Button on our website's Homepage:
www.stmarymags.org.uk
- Gift Aid Envelopes or Cash can be deposited in the blue donation buckets at the exit of the Church.
- Contactless Cards can be used at the Payment Points located by the Calvary Statue & Sacristy.

ON-GOING SUPPORT OF THE PARISH

Thank you for your continued support of the Parish, especially whilst we are unable to take basket collections in church as we used to. If you haven't yet signed up to contribute by Standing Order or online, then please help our 'Maintenance and Mission' fund by [clicking on this link](#) in the online version of the newsletter. **Thank you for giving what you can**, it will be a great blessing for the continued support of the church.

15th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Sea Sunday:

Parish Mass Book p. 108- 111

The 11am Mass today is our Celebration Mass for all the children who received their First

Communion in June. Please continue to pray for:

Alessio Arcari, Chloe Te Brake, Emilia Rose O'Reilly, Hugo Savas, Eric Wayne Rodrigues, Evelyn Couch, Evelyn Dolan, James Dolan, Jack Gallagher, Joshua Szymala, Kairo Nguyen, Julio Araujo Filardi, Tito Araujo Filardi, Louis Parletti, Lucia Newbold, Magdalena Wood, Matilda Harrison, Max Coleman, Morena Kodra, Nyah Christopher, Rafaele Hunter-Vernazza, Rose Maza, Ruairi Devine, Saoirse Freeman, Sofia Tilio, Ben Chomba, Abraham De LaCamara, Alexandra Katherine Cage, Matthew Robert Cage, Ching Mae Liu, Danny Harrington, Finlay Black, Emilie Ludvik, Evie Rose Beglane, Rosa Amechi, Joshua DeHavilland, Liam Trundle, Riley Monk, Rose Thistleton, Saoirse Ruane, Veronica Luzieto Siami. Please pray for Benjamin de Serra will make his First Communion soon.



A Prayer for Sea Sunday. O God the Father, who call man and woman to cooperate with their labour in the work of your creation, we thank you for the tireless dedication of the people of the sea, who in this period never stopped transporting from one port to another essential medical equipment and medicines to support the fight against the spread of the virus. Grant them strength in moments of weakness, unity in diversity, a safe and smooth sailing and, once the contract is over, happiness to be reunited with their loved ones. Through Christ Our Lord, Amen. Please see overleaf for ways to make a donation for this annual appeal.

| Liturgical Year C | Mass Details and Intentions | | 10 th to 17 th July 2022 |
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| Date | Time | Feria or Feast Day | Please join us on a Friday for the Rosary |
| 10th July Sunday | 9.30 am | | The Welfare of Stuart Whyte |
| | 11.00 am | 15th Week in Ordinary Time | Our Parish Family & 1 st Holy Communion Children |
| | 6.30 pm | | Jenny Grose Hodge RIP and family |
| 11 th July Monday | 9.30 am | St Benedict | Holy Souls |
| 12 th July Tuesday | Closed today | NB the church is closed | The church and Office are closed today |
| 13 th July Wednesday | 9.30 am | Feria | Mass of Thanksgiving |
| 14 th July Thursday | 9.30 am | Feria | The Intention of Gilly Best |
| 15 th July Friday | 9.00 am | Rosary and Benediction | Prayers for Ukraine: the Sorrowful Mysteries |
| NB after Benediction | 9.30 am | St Bonaventure | Lilly McGuire RIP |
| 16 th July Saturday | 9.30 am | Our Lady of Mount Carmel | Holy Souls |
| 17th July Sunday | 9.30 am | | Prayers for Ukraine and the Holy Souls |
| | 11.00 am | 16th Week in Ordinary Time | The Welfare of the O'Kelly Family |
| | 6.30 pm | | The needs of our Parish Family |

Continuing our Prayers for Peace for the People of Ukraine:

Loving God, we pray for the people of Ukraine, for all those suffering or afraid, that you will be close to them and protect them. We pray for world leaders, for compassion, strength and wisdom to guide their choices. We pray for the world that in this moment of crisis, we may reach out in solidarity to our brothers and sisters in need. May we walk in you



Today is Sea Sunday when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. We are taking the annual collection for the day in the Church's calendar dedicated to all seafarers. Seafarers and fishers play a vital role in all of our lives, but they often work in difficult, hazardous conditions. In the last year, more crews have been abandoned by their employers than ever before. Many seafarers are still being denied the right to leave their ships for even a short break away from the relentless noise and pressure on board. The war in Ukraine has added to crew shortages and shipping turmoil. If you would like to support the work of Stella Maris/The Apostleship of the Sea, please follow this [LINK](#) in the online newsletter, by texting 'SEA' to 70460 to donate £5, or by using the QR code on a smartphone.



Parish Music Group/Choir. As usual, there will be no Music Group during August but, we hope that the group can continue in September, however, in order to do so, we need volunteers. We used to have an organist for every Sunday, as well as a choir each week including the 11 am Mass. Before the Pandemic, we had our Music Group at 9.30 am however, after the Pandemic the group could only manage once a month. It would be wonderful if we could have, music at both the 9.30 and 11 am Masses each Sunday and though we can use digital music when we have to, it would be better if we could have volunteer music and musicians. If you would like to volunteer to join the music group or can, help the Parish please use this [LINK](#) in the digital newsletter, thank you.

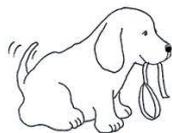


We have noticed lately that a number of white donation 'Gift Aid' envelopes are either empty or have not been written on at all. To help the environment and to save paper, if you do use one of these envelopes at Mass, please remember to add your name and/or Gift Aid number to the envelope so that your contributions can be allocated correctly, thank you.

Some Development News: please note that the Parish and Diocesan Finance Committee hope to carry out some improvement works to certain areas of the Parish Hall. As soon as news becomes available, further details will be posted via the newsletter, at Mass and in the church. It will mean that, for a period of months the Hall will be closed for a set time, at a date that is to be determined. The Parish is informing all Hall users of this as it is hoped that all evening users will continue this September and possibly into 2023 depending on the areas of the Hall being worked on at the time.

Our "Children's Liturgy" at the 9.30 am Mass on Sunday News. Next Sunday 17th July is the final day for our Children's Liturgy before the summer holidays. Thank you to Helena, our co-ordinator, and to our amazing volunteers for their help! We hope to resume the Liturgy especially for children, after the holidays again but, to do this, will require help from some extra volunteers. If you can give your time, please see Fr Adrian after Mass for an application, or please email both Mortlake@RCAOS.org.uk and Helena, our co-ordinator at htorralbar@gmail.com. Please remember: Pre School and Early Years children must be accompanied by an adult, children up to the age of 7 who haven't made their First Communion are very welcome but must be accompanied down to the Hall by a parent. Children cannot arrive in the Hall by themselves or be escorts for younger siblings, this role must be undertaken by a parent or carer.

St Mary Magdalen's Catholic Primary school currently has a Foundation governor vacancy. If you have a child or grandchild in the school or are a Parishioner and have a desire to serve our local Catholic primary school this voluntary role may be of interest to you. It does require an ability to give a few hours each half term to attend governor meetings and a willingness to undertake training. This is an unpaid role and Safeguarding needs require all governors to have a DBS check. Training and DBS checks are paid for by the school. Applicants are appointed by the Archbishop. For more information you are welcome to contact, Mrs Anna Brown, Chair of Governors, on 07950 021 042 or email annabrown@hotmail.com



A message from Clare Foster who runs Clare's Canines. Clare's Canines have availability for one-to-one dog walks. 'Clare's Canines' will pick up your dog in person (no vans are used) and offer a full hours walk and then settle your dog back into your home. Dogs are 'Clare's Canines' passion and know how important your 'furry friend' is within your family. They will visit you and complete a detailed questionnaire, to find out about your dog's routine to ensure they are safe and happy when Clare's Canines take care of them. Please contact them to set up an appointment: clarescaninesmortlake@hotmail.com

For those who would like to receive a catholic newspaper, the Universe is available in digital form on a weekly basis and called 'Universe Catholic Weekly'. For more information and please follow the online [LINK](#) in the digital newspaper.

Please pray for Parish Family and friends who are unwell:

The sick and house bound are very much at the heart of the church and support us in their prayers as we support them in our prayers at every Mass.

Please remember all the sick of our Parish, those who care for them and those in any kind of need. Individual names of the sick can be emailed to Fr Adrian for inclusion at Mass. These prayer petitions will be offered at every Mass as Fr Adrian keeps the private list of names at the altar.

"Rejoice that your names are written in Heaven." Luke 10:20

Please use Mass Intention envelopes from the church entrance to request a Mass for a family member or friend, or for a particular need and give these to Fr Adrian.

Please pray for the repose of the souls of

Patricia van Kuyk, Lily McGuire, Mary Sears and John Harwood-Stevenson who died recently and for Tony Gache, George Kent, Michael Martin, Kathleen Catlin, Lionel Wood, Michael Campbell and for all those whose anniversaries occur near this time. **May their souls and the souls of the faithful departed, through the mercy of God, Rest in Peace. Amen** The names of those who have died are taken from the Death Register, if you would like to include in prayer an individual whose funeral did not occur here please list their name in an email to Fr Adrian. Please also state if you would like their name to be added to the Book of Remembrance and to the list above for our prayers of intercession at our Sunday Mass