



St. Margaret Clitherow's Catholic Church

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Parish Secretary: Steve Pearce (available Wednesday/Friday 1-4pm)

Confessions: Monday-Saturday 30 minutes before the Mass or at call.

Baptism, Marriages & Visits: please call.

27 November 2022: First Sunday of Advent [A]

Mass Intentions/Service Times

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| Saturday | 26 Nov | 06.30pm: | Holy Souls (November list) | |
| Sunday | 27 Nov | 08.30am: | Brazilian Mass | |
| | | 10.30am: | John Doherty RIP (38 th Anniversary) | |
| Monday | 28 Nov | 10.00am: | Luke & Kathleen McGovern RIP | Feria |
| Tuesday | 29 Nov | 10.00am: | Alice Murphy (Thanksgiving) | Feria |
| Wednesday | 30 Nov | 10.00am: | Thanksgiving (Special Intention) | St Andrew, Apostle |
| | | Mass followed by Exposition-Adoration-Holy Rosary-Benediction | | |
| Thursday | Dec 01 | 10.00am: | Fr Luke's Intention | Feria |
| Friday | Dec 02 | 10.00am: | Laura & Kath (Wellbeing) | Feria |
| | | Mass followed by Exposition-Adoration-Divine Mercy-Benediction | | |
| Saturday | Dec 03 | 06.30pm: | People of the parish | The first Mass of Sunday |
| Sunday | Dec 04 | 10.30am: | Aaron Lewis Munn (1 st Birthday) | 2 nd Sunday of Advent (A) |

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| Last Week... Mass Attendance: | SMC Parish Community | 68 | Brazilian Community | 189 |
| Offertory Collection: | | £193.13 | | £244.28 |
| Catholic Youth Services: | | £ 78.91 | | |

- Repository:** Open after the weekend Masses.
- November Remembrance – Faithful Departed:** We invite you to either email (dulwichwoodpark@rcaos.org.uk), or post your lists in at the presbytery, of those whom you would like us to remember at Masses throughout the month of November. We shall place your lists in our Remembrance Book.
- Coffee/Tea after 10.30am Mass on Sundays:** In the Hall. All are welcome!
- Missio Red Box Collection:** In November, please bring in your Missio boxes for counting.
- Churches Together, Crystal Palace, Annual Forum Meeting:** Sunday 22nd January 2023, 4.00-5:30pm at Salvation Army (next to Sainsburys Upper Norwood). All are welcome. Refreshments will be provided!
- Escorted Pilgrimage to Knock Shrine, Ireland, 15th March 2023:** Details on the noticeboard.
- Lighting Christmas Tree outside the Church:** Saturday 10th December 2022 following 6.30pm Mass
- Christmas Party:** After 10.30am Mass on Sunday 18th December in the hall until 3.00pm. All are welcome! Those who would wish to come kindly put down your names on the list kept at the back of the church and also indicate what food/drink contribution you will be able to bring.
- Annual Christmas Carol Service:** Sunday 11th December at 6.00pm in St Stephen's Church. All are welcome!
- South-East Pastoral Area, Archdiocese of Southwark Christmas Carol Service:** Sunday 11th December at 7.30pm in St Peter the Apostle Catholic Church, Woolwich. All are invited. Details on the noticeboard.
- Carols for St Christopher's:** A Carol Service with multi-faith readings at St Stephen's Church on Monday 5th December from 7.00pm. All are welcome! Details are on noticeboard.
- Racial Justice Sunday:** 5th of February 2023. This event will begin with a Mass celebrated by Archbishop John Wilson in St George's Cathedral at 10.00am. All are invited! Details on the noticeboard.

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: To you, I lift up my soul, O my God. In you, I have trusted; let me not be put to shame. Nor let my enemies exult over me; and let none who hope in you be put to shame.

FIRST READING: A reading from the prophet Isaiah (2: 1-5)

The vision of Isaiah son of Amoz, concerning Judah and Jerusalem.

In the days to come the mountain of the Temple of the Lord shall tower above the mountains and be lifted higher than the hills. All the nations will stream to it, peoples without number will come to it; and they will say: 'Come, let us go up to the mountain of the Lord, to the Temple of the God of Jacob that he may teach us his ways so that we may walk in his paths; since the Law will go out from Zion, and the oracle of the Lord from Jerusalem.' He will wield authority over the nations and adjudicate between many peoples; these will hammer their swords into ploughshares, their spears into sickles. Nation will not lift sword against nation, there will be no more training for war. O House of Jacob, come, let us walk in the light of the Lord. The word of the Lord. **All:** Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (Psalm 121) **R:** I rejoiced when I heard them say: "Let us go to God's house

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And now our feet are standing within your gates, O Jerusalem.

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2. It is there that the tribes go up, the tribes of the Lord.

For Israel's law it is, there to praise the Lord's name.

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3. For the peace of Jerusalem pray: "Peace be to your homes!

For love of the house of the Lord I will ask for your good.

R:

SECOND READING: A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans (13: 11-14)

You know 'the time' has come: you must wake up now: our salvation is even nearer than it was when we were converted. The night is almost over, it will be daylight soon – let us give up all the things we prefer to do under cover of the dark; let us arm ourselves and appear in the light. Let us live decently as people do in the daytime: no drunken orgies, no promiscuity or licentiousness, and no wrangling or jealousy. Let your armour be the Lord Jesus Christ. The word of the Lord. **All:** Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! Let us see, O Lord, your mercy and give us your saving help. Alleluia!

GOSPEL: A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew (24: 37-44)

Jesus said to his disciples: 'As it was in Noah's day, so will it be when the Son of Man comes. For in those days before the Flood people were eating, drinking, taking wives, taking husbands, right up to the day Noah went into the ark, and they suspected nothing till the Flood came and swept all away. It will be like this when the Son of Man comes. Then of two men in the fields one is taken, one left; of two women at the millstone grinding, one is taken, one left. 'So, stay awake, because you do not know the day when your master is coming. You may be quite sure of this, that if the householder had known at what time of the night the burglar would come, he would have stayed awake and would not have allowed anyone to break through the wall of his house. Therefore, you too must stand ready because the Son of Man is coming at an hour you do not expect.' The gospel of the Lord. **All:** Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.

PROFESSION OF FAITH

I believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible. I believe in one Lord Jesus Christ, the Only Begotten Son of God, born of the Father before all ages. God from God, Light from Light, true God from true God, begotten, not made, consubstantial with the Father; through him all things were made. For us men and for our salvation he came down from heaven, and by the Holy Spirit was incarnate of the Virgin Mary, and became man. For our sake he was crucified under Pontius Pilate, he suffered death and was buried, and rose again on the third day in accordance with the Scriptures. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again in glory to judge the living and the dead and his kingdom will have no end. I believe in the Holy Spirit, the Lord, the giver of life, who proceeds from the Father and the Son, who with the Father and the Son is adored and glorified, who has spoken through the prophets. I believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic Church. I confess one Baptism for the forgiveness of sins and I look forward to the resurrection of the dead and the life of the world to come. Amen.

COMMUNION ANTIPHON: The Lord will bestow his bounty, and our earth shall yield its increase.