



St. Margaret Clitherow's Catholic Church

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

Baptism, Marriages & Visits: please call.

22 October 2023: Twenty Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time [A] World Mission Day

Mass Intentions/Service Times

Saturday	21 Oct 06.30pm:	Elizabeth Goh RIP	
Sunday	22 Oct 08.30pm:	Brazilian Mass	
	10.30am:	Bernadette and Colin	
Monday	23 Oct 10.00am:	Margaret Toland RIP (17 th Anniversary)	Feria
Tuesday	24 Oct 10.00am:	Charles Eulentine (Birthday Blessings)	Feria
Wednesday	25 Oct 10.00am:	Holy Souls in Purgatory	Feria
		Mass followed by Exposition-Adoration-Holy Rosary-Benediction	
Thursday	26 Oct 10.00am:	People of the parish	Feria
Friday	27 Oct 10.00am:	Fr Luke's intention	Feria
		Mass followed by Exposition-Adoration-Divine Mercy-Benediction	
Saturday	28 Oct 06.30pm:	Anna & Billy RIP, Thomas & Annie Tiernan RIP	The Mass of Sunday
Sunday	29 Oct 10.30am:	Mia & Karin – special intention	30 th Sunday Ord Time (A)

Last Week...	Mass Attendance:	SMC Parish Community	79	Brazilian Community
	Offertory Collection:		£163.13	
	PACT (Prisoners Sunday):		£156.75	

Second Collection this weekend: For MISSIO, the Church's official organ for the support of foreign missions. This collection goes to support churches, hospitals and vocations in countries where the Church is new, young or poor.

- 'Promoting Racial and Cultural Inclusion in Our Parishes, Schools and Communities' seminar** - Amigo Hall, St George's Cathedral, Southwark, from 9.30am to 4.00pm on Sat. 28th October. Registration is FREE. For information and registration visit: <https://www.rcsouthwark.co.uk/mission/commission-for-promoting-racial-and-cultural-inclusion/what-we-do/> or write to us at: racialjusticecommission@rcaos.org.uk.
- Parish Stewardship and Planned Giving Drive:** The diocesan program for St Margaret Clitherow's parish
 Week 1: 5th November 2023 (Our Call to Stewardship): Meeting after the Mass in the Church. All are welcome!
 Week 2: 12th November 2023 (Our parish responsibility) ; Week 3: 19th November 2023 (My parish commitment)
- Christmas gifts:** Churches Together Crystal Palace are collecting toiletries to make up Christmas gifts for the asylum seekers staying in Crystal Palace Hotel. Much appreciated items would be: toothbrushes, toothpaste, tissues, razors, hairbrushes, combs etc. Kindly put them in the cardboard box provided in the porch. Thanks. Mary Ahearn
- Conclusion of October Devotion – Holy Rosary (23rd – 29th):** On weekdays Mass followed by exposition-Rosary-Benediction. On Sunday 29th Brazilian Mass followed by Rosary Procession, commencing at 9.45am. All are welcome!

ENTRANCE ANTIPHON: To you, I call; for you will surely heed me, O God; turn your ear to me; hear my words. Guard me as the apple of your eye; in the shadow of your wings protect me.

GLORIA: Glory to God in the highest, and on earth peace to people of good will. We praise you, we bless you, we adore you, we glorify you, we give you thanks for your great glory, Lord God, heavenly King, O God, almighty Father. Lord Jesus Christ, Only Begotten Son, Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father, you take away the sins of the world, have mercy on us; you take away the sins of the world, receive our prayer; you are seated at the right hand of the Father, have mercy on us. For you alone are the Holy One, you alone are the Lord, you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ, with the Holy Spirit, in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

FIRST READING: A reading from the prophet Isaiah (45: 1, 4-6)

Thus says the Lord to his anointed, to Cyrus, whom he has taken by his right hand to subdue nations before him and strip the loins of kings, to force gateways before him that their gates be closed no more: 'It is for the sake of my servant Jacob, of Israel my chosen one, that I have called you by your name, conferring a title though you do not know me. I am the Lord, unrivalled; there is no other God besides me. Though you do not know me, I arm you that men may know from the rising to the setting of the sun that, apart from me, all is nothing.'

The Word of the Lord. **All:** Thanks be to God.

RESPONSORIAL PSALM (95) **R:** Give the Lord glory and power

1. O sing a new song to the Lord, sing to the Lord all the earth.
Tell among the nations his glory and his wonders among all the peoples. **R.**
2. Give the Lord, you families of peoples, give the Lord glory and power,
give the Lord the glory of his name. Bring an offering and enter his courts. **R.**
3. Worship the Lord in his temple. O earth, tremble before him.
Proclaim to the nations: "God is king." He will judge the peoples in fairness. **R**

SECOND READING: A reading from the first letter of St Paul to the Thessalonians (1 1: 1-5)

From Paul, Silvanus and Timothy, to the Church in Thessalonika which is in God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ; wishing you grace and peace from God the Father and the Lord Jesus Christ. We always mention you in our prayers and thank God for you all, and constantly remember before God our Father how you have shown your faith in action, worked for love and persevered through hope, in our Lord Jesus Christ. We know, brothers, that God loves you and that you have been chosen, because when we brought the Good News to you, it came to you not only as words, but as power and as the Holy Spirit and as utter conviction.

The word of the Lord. **All:** Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION: Alleluia, alleluia! Your word is truth, O Lord, consecrate us in the truth. Alleluia!

GOSPEL: A reading from the Holy Gospel according to Matthew (22: 15-21)

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: Behold, the eyes of the Lord are on those who fear him, who hope in his merciful love, to rescue their souls from death, to keep them alive in famine.

Glorious Mysteries

1. He is Lord, He is Lord | He is risen from the dead and He is Lord.
Ev'ry knee shall bow, ev'ry tongue confess | That Jesus Christ is Lord.
2. Alleluia, not as orphans are we left in sorrow now; | Alleluia, he is near us, faith believes, nor questions how.
Though the cloud from sight received him | When the forty days were o'er,
Shall our hearts forget his promise, 'I am with you evermore'?
3. Veni Creator Spiritus, mentes tuorum visita, | Imple superna gratia | Quae tu creasti pectora. Amen
4. My soul proclaims the Lord my God, | My spirit sings his praise! (to the tune of 'amazing grace')
He looks on me, he lifts me up, | And gladness fills my days.
5. As I kneel before you, | As I bow my head in prayer, | Take this day, make it yours
And fill me with your love. **Ave Maria, gratia plena, | Dominus tecum, benedicta tu.**