

# St. Thomas the Apostle

A member of the Churches Together in Nunhead and Hatcham



# NEWSLETTER

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**MASS TIMES:** (Vigil Saturday 6.30pm) - Sundays - 9.00am, 10.30am, 6.30pm  
Weekdays - 9.30am Every Sunday - 1.30pm: Mass in Spanish

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Confessions: Saturdays 10.00am to 11.00am

## Mass Intentions - 21 March– 29 March 2010

Sat	20	9.30am	Bridie Connelly RIP
		6.30pm	John Quinn ANN Patrick Lally ANN Michael Staunton ANN
Sun	22	9.00am	Winnie Edwards RIP Mrs. Clara Adesuyi 9th ANN Mrs Bekky Parker 9th ANN
		10.30am	Brede Lynch RIP (Bishop Pat's mother)
		1.30pm	Misa en Espanol
		6.30pm	Pat Looney RIP
Mon	23	9.30am	Martin Wallace's int
Tue	24	9.30am	Carmelita Beckford ANN Czeslaw Lelek RIP
Wed	25	9.30am	Kit Murphy 2nd ANN
Thurs	26	9.30am	Communion Service
Fri	27	9.30am	Joan & Alan Bond's 50th wedding anniversary
Sat	28	9.30am	Bridie Connelly RIP
		6.30pm	Kit Murphy 2nd ANN
Sun	29	9.00am	Joan & Alan Bond's 50th wedding anniversary
		10.30am	Violet McQueen's int
		1.30pm	Misa en Espanol
		6.30pm	Betty Kennedy's int

## Hall renovation

The Main hall will be closing on the weekend of 27 and 28 March and will be closed for a period of four (4) weeks. This will increase the demand on the back hall and any other meeting space. I hope it will not be too much of an inconvenience to the many groups and clubs that use the hall. We will be doing all that we can to accommodate, please check with David Smith with regard to your booking if you have any concerns.

## Help wanted

We hope to have two skips here on Saturday 27 to get rid of a lot of rubbish, broken tables and chairs etc. Many hands make light work, so if you can give us a hand it will be greatly appreciated.

## Deanery Penitential Services for Easter

The Sacrament of Reconciliation for Easter will be held again on a Deanery level, on Friday 26 March 7.30pm at Sacred Heart Church Camberwell and on Monday 29 March in St. Thomas More East Dulwich at 7.00pm.

## Stations of The Cross during Lent

Stations of the Cross on Friday mornings during Lent at 9.00am before the Mass and Adoration. All are welcome. We still need volunteers to lead the Stations on Friday evenings at 7.30pm

## Coloma is 140

Mrs. Marin, head teacher, and all the Coloma Community, would welcome any friends of the school and anyone interested in the life of Coloma, to join us for our 140th Anniversary Celebration on Thursday 25 March at the Royal Festival Hall. Tickets are now available to purchase from Southbank Centre.

## Confirmation Class

Please remember the candidates for Confirmation this year. There is a very big group which is wonderful, but the group being so big, and by the fact that the course is now up and running we no longer have any possibility of taking on any more people. Please watch out for next years notice in the newsletter and get the application in early to avoid disappointment.

## RICA

Please pray for the RICA group who are now preparing to be received into the Church at Easter.

## Churches Together Updates

1. **Weekend Retreat to Wychcroft, Surrey** - 30 April to 2 May. The cost is £80. There are only limited spaces for this Retreat so please book early. See Joan Bond for more information.
  2. **Day Trip to Bury St. Edmunds** - Saturday 19 June. The cost is £10, again to book and pay for this trip see Joan Bond and again early booking is advised to avoid disappointment.
  3. **Passover Service** - Tuesday 30 March. Please sign up on the list on the notice board opposite the holy shop if you will be attending the Passover.
- Please note that for all three events, numbers are strictly limited and early booking is strongly advised.

## Beginning Experience

The Beginning Experience are holding a weekend for those who find themselves alone again through bereavement, divorce or separation. Taking place from 26 March at Emmaus Centre, West Wickham. For details phone Nicky on 01296 488 289.

## CWLAGM

After 10.30am. Mass this Sunday 21 March.

## Please Pray For

Please remember to pray for those people who have been bereaved and all who have died recently, including: Frank Deegan, Ben Ikejiaku, Margaret Cronin, Bridie Connolly, Sonny Fernandez, Michael Onyali, Margaret Gunn, Jimmy Boyle, Rita Palmer, Andrea Saide RIP, Roger Hill, Pauline Coleman & Josephine Edwards, Linda Murphy (daughter of Maura McDonagh) and Joe McDonagh, Margaret O'Hara, Olga Proust mother of Michel Proust, Elise Alcoba-Perez, Helen Hayes, Alison May Norris, Carol Anne Mitchell, Prince Ajaypong RIP, Sr. Teresa's brother John, Joan Green, Peggy Simpson, Bailey Thomas Loader, Julie Shelton.

## Sick

Please remember to pray for all who are sick in our Parish, including: Miss Cox, Antonio Neto, John Cox, Wilma Power, Agatha St. Clair, Mrs Angela Roberts, Betty MacLean, George Kirby, Alma Fernandes, Margaret and Tom Wyse, Mary Rellis, Caroline Knight, Carline Onyekwere, Sarah Kayaga.

## Anniversaries

Bernadette George, Mary Andersen, Florence Burr, Thomas O'Shea, Matthew Dunstan, Edward Eldon, Elizabeth Cullen, Carmelita Beckford, Stefan Gosciminski, Patrick (Maxi) Duffy, James Kelly, Mary Connolly, Baby Angelica Kouakou, Kit Murphy, Ann Mitchell, Emma Reidy, Marjorie Warboys, Danny Olliffe, Patrick Sheil, John Wylie.

## Executive Assistant (Voluntary) to the Director of Development

The Apostleship of the Sea, is looking for a voluntary assistant to help at its head office in Moorgate one or two days a week. If you have good IT skills, some experience in business together with a willingness to share in the Churches outreach to seafarers contact John Green on 020 7012 8606 or email [johngreen@spostleshipofthesea.org.uk](mailto:johngreen@spostleshipofthesea.org.uk)

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