

# 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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Sunday 11 April 2010

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Confessions: Saturdays 10.00am to 11.00am

## Mass Intentions - 11 April – 18 April 2010

Sat	10	9.30am	Michael Della Camera RIP
		6.30pm	Michael John Ronayne RIP
Sun	11	9.00am	Ivy Reid RIP
		10.30am	May's sister RIP
			Mrs. Amaka Ibemere God's protection & Guidance
		1.30pm	Misa en Espanol
		6.30pm	Sarah Mullay ANN
			Eamon, Maurice, Ann & Patrick Quinn ANN
Mon	12	9.30am	John O'Brian Months Mind Mass
Tue	13	9.30am	Teresa Burke sick
Wed	14	9.30am	Michael O'Brian Months Mind Mass
Thurs	15	9.30am	Communion Service
Fri	16	9.30am	Linda Murphy RIP
Sat	17	9.30am	Rita Palmer RIP
		6.30pm	Martin Lally RIP
			Margaret Cronin RIP
Sun	18	9.00am	Sean Connelly Months Mind Mass
		10.30am	Nan King 2nd ANN
		1.30pm	Misa en Espanol
		6.30pm	Bernard Mege Sweeney RIP

## The Easter Services

I would like to thank so many people to put in so much hard work, effort and time to the church over the Easter Season. There is such a lot of planning and preparation but thanks be to God there are so many people who are willing and wanting to get involved. I would like to thank everyone for his or her assistance in this Easter Season. All those who worked so hard in the preparation of the church, cleaning and polishing, preparing the altar, those who helped us have such wonderful liturgical celebrations from servers, those evolved in ministries of reader, special minister of the Eucharist, ministry of music and so many more. I would like also to thank Ultan and Chris for their help and support over the season. Thank you all so much. Finally I would like to wish you all the joys of Easter, may we all fully know "He is not here for He has risen as He said"

## Hall Renovations

As of last weekend the main hall is now closed and out of use for the renovations. Please pray that all will go well and we will not run into any unsuspected difficulties! Please remember that our meeting space is now limited and although we will do everything we can to accommodate you, there may be some disruption to your meeting time. If you have any concerns please ring David Smith.

## Christian Fathers

Formation of Christian Fathers Association. If you want to be a member please see or ring Alex on 07946889192 or Richard 07950203874.

## Ascent Group

Please note that the Ascent Group Meetings on Wednesdays will not resume on 14th April as previously announced but on Wednesday 21st after the morning mass.

## Confirmation

Please pray for the Confirmation Group who are on preparing to receive the Sacrament on Sunday 25 April. To all candidates please make sure you returned your form before next weekend many thanks.

## Mass in Support of Migrant Workers in London

Bank holiday Monday 3 May 2010 at 10.30am Westminster Cathedral, Victoria.

## RCIA Group

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

## Gift Aid

The new envelopes will be handed out over the next 3 weekends after Mass.

## CWL

CWL meeting will be on 18 April after 10.30am Mass.

## Some future dates for your diary: Traidcraft Stall

First Sunday of each month 6/7 March, 3/4 April and 1/2 May.

## Ghanaian Christian Mothers Association

Every 4th Sunday of the month after the 10.30am Mass. New members are welcome. Call Elizabeth on: 07828 787 062.

## 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.

Please note that for all events, numbers are strictly limited and early booking is strongly advised.

## Please Pray For

Please remember to pray for those people who have been bereaved and all who have died recently, including: Samuel Duodu Amoah (Bobra), 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 Aiyapong 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

Edith Brandon, Paul Mathurin, Patrick Convey, Raymond Cartland, Edidio Piscina, Rita Bright, Mary Powney, Catherine Aboh, George Irving, Baby Siobhan McQuade, Tom Donovan, Vega Diomedes, Elizabeth McMeekin, Violet Best, Terrance Payne, Terrance McGilly, Fred Johnson, Deborah McDonald.

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