

JOB VACANCIES

St Chad's Catholic Primary School

St. Chad's is a popular and successful inner city Catholic primary school, graded GOOD by OFSTED (Sept 2018). We are a happy, caring, two-form entry school. We celebrate the rich diversity of our multicultural community and are committed to providing a safe and inclusive learning environment. Our children are keen to learn and we enjoy supportive parents and a highly professional, creative team of teaching and support staff.

We are looking to appoint Teaching Assistants. Please visit our website for more details on the role and application forms - www.stchadsprimaryschool.com - closing date 15th January 2023. Please phone 020 8771 3470 to arrange a visit to the school.

Laleham Lea School

We the Governors, staff and pupils of Laleham Lea School are seeking to appoint a Deputy Head teacher for our school with effect from the 19th April 2023 / 1st September 2023. Please visit <https://lalehamlea.co.uk/about-us/staff-vacancies/> for more information or contact Mrs Strachan sbm@lalehamlea.co.uk or telephone 0208 660 3351 for an application pack. *The Governing Body and the Diocese are committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young persons, and the Head Teacher ensures that the highest priority is given to following the guidance and regulations to safeguard children and young persons. The successful candidate will be required to undergo an Enhanced DBS Disclosure and reference checks.*

New Years Eve Dance

SATURDAY 31ST DECEMBER 2022

8PM TO 12:30AM

@ ST CHAD'S HALL, BURGoyNE ROAD, SOUTH NORWOOD

MUSIC BY THE SHADES

TICKET £25. BYO food and drink

Please purchase a ticket from the back of the church. We appreciate all your support to the parish in different forms.

CONFIRMATION 2023: The date for the confirmation is Saturday 15th April. If you have filled the form you must also have seen the dates for the confirmation classes. Parents of confirmation candidates are asked to attend a first parent meeting on the 6th of January in the church hall. Time 7pm.

VISITORS ARE ALWAYS WELCOME AT ALL OUR MASSES. PLEASE ASK FOR INFORMATION ABOUT HOW TO REGISTER.

ST CHAD'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

5 WHITWORTH ROAD, SE25 6XN

Tel: 020 8653 2806

E-mail: norwoodsouth@rcaos.org.uk Website: saintchads.org

Parish Priest: Fr Ambrose Ohene C.S.Sp.

Assistant Parish Priest: Fr Terkura Igbe C.S.Sp.

Parish Secretary: Karen Maria Dadson *Office Hours: Mon—Fri, 9:30am—12:30pm*

Hall enquiries: stchadshallbookings@gmail.com



WE WISH YOU A MERRY CHRISTMAS 2022

SUNDAY MASSES: VIGIL—6:30PM, 8:30AM, 10:30AM & 6PM

DAILY MASSES: 9:30AM (MONDAY TO FRIDAY); 10AM (SATURDAY)

WEDNESDAY EVENING MASS FOR THE SICK: 7:30PM

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: **TUESDAY:** 10—12NOON

WEDNESDAY: AFTER EVENING MASS: **SUNDAY** 4:30PM— 6:00PM

CONFESSIONS: DAILY—BEFORE OR AFTER DAILY MASSES;
6PM-6:25PM (SATURDAYS)

ROSARY: EVERYDAY AFTER MORNING MASS (EXCEPT TUESDAY & SATURDAY)

BIBLE STUDIES: THURSDAY 7:30PM (GUILD ROOM)

DEVOTIONAL GROUPS

MONDAY—CHARISMATICS (7:30 PM); WEDNESDAY—LEGION OF MARY (6:30 PM);

* TUESDAY—DIVINE MERCY (6:30PM); SATURDAY (FORTNIGHTLY)—SVP (7:30PM ON ZOOM).

Contact: presidentA190305@svp.org.uk 07305119836.

PLEASE SEE NOTICE BOARD .



Sick and Housebound: Cherlez Philip; Lucy Martin; Henry Aboagye-Brobbe; Beautilyn Awe; Alice Berkoh; Paddy O'Shea; William Curran, Roy Alleyne.

Recently Deceased: Bernard Onajite Bakpa, Fr Patrick Haran, Michael Hayland, Fr Geoffrey Baka, Jairo Antonio Zapata Cardona, Fr Michael Murphy CSSp, Canon Acton.

*This is a gentle reminder that cheques to the parish are no longer made out to St Chad's Church but to RCAS Norwood South.
Thank you for your generosity and God Bless You.*

CHRISTMAS DAY, YEAR A (25/12/22)

CHRISTMAS DAY MASSES <i>PLEASE NOTE: NO 6PM MASS</i>	8:30AM 10:30AM	Joao and Filipina Leitao Thanksgiving: Avril Carver & family Thanksgiving for the Nativity: Luu family Birthday: Margaret Atindaley
MONDAY 26TH DECEMBER FEAST OF ST STEPHEN	10:00AM	ALTAR SERVERS' DAY
TUESDAY 27TH DECEMBER FEAST OF ST JOHN ADORATION & BENEDICTION	9:30AM 10-12PM	Estelle Ande: Thanksgiving
WEDNESDAY 28TH DECEMBER THE HOLY INNOCENTS MASS & ADORATION	9:30AM 7:30PM	Intention and Guidance of Maggi Rudd Birthday: Christopher Otokito All sick & Housebound Parishioners
THURSDAY 29TH DECEMBER ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY	9:30AM	Health, safety & guidance of David O'Donnell
FRIDAY 30TH DECEMBER FEAST OF HOLY FAMILY	9:30AM	Estelle Ande: Thanksgiving & God's protection in new year for family, friends & relatives
SATURDAY 31ST DECEMBER 2022 NEW YEAR'S EVE SATURDAY	10AM 6:30PM 11PM	Patrick Murray: Guidance & health Patricia Church People of the Parish
1ST JANUARY 2023 MARY MOTHER OF GOD PLEASE NOTE: NO 6PM MASS	8:30AM 10:30AM	Joao & Filipina Leitao (RIP) Luu family: Thanksgiving for the Solemnity; Birthday: Keith Asare
MONDAY 2ND JANUARY ST GREGORY & BASIL	USUAL WEEKLY PROGRAMME	
TUESDAY 3RD JANUARY MOST HOLY NAME OF JESUS		
WEDNESDAY 4TH JANUARY BEATIFIED MARTYRS OF THE DIOCESE		
THURSDAY 5TH JANUARY		
FRIDAY 6TH JANUARY EPIPHANY OF THE LORD		
SATURDAY 7TH JANUARY ST RAYMOND OF PENYAFORT	USUAL WEEKEND TIMES FOR MASSES	
SUNDAY 8TH JANUARY THE BAPTISM OF THE LORD		

Donations of Food stuff and other items for the less privileged this Christmas Season

I would most sincerely want to thank all the parishioners who brought donations of food-stuff and other items to be distributed to the poor and less privileged people this festive period. Anybody else who would like to place offerings before they are eventually taken away for the poor is more than welcome. Very many thanks also to all those who have shown much concern to those among us who are housebound or ill, or who have been very welcoming to people visiting us. *May the infant Jesus grant us all in abundant measures infinite graces which only God can bestow on his children.*

1ST COLLECTION: £ 236.21 GAD: £ 357.54 DONA /ONLINE DONATIONS : £ 272.23
TOTAL: £ 865.98 DONATION: £2500

LAST SUNDAY'S COLLECTION: WORLD YOUTH DAY £146.17

WORLD YOUTH DAY

Our 2nd Collections towards raising money for sending 2 young parishioners to represent us at the WYD Lisbon 2023 with the Archdiocesan Team so far has yielded £957.25. I thank you so much for all your sacrifices and patience. However the cost per person is £1295. If anybody would like to donate towards the cost you are more than welcome. We are counting on your generosity and thanking you immensely.

STANDING ORDERS AND ONLINE DONATIONS

We wish to encourage more people to make their donations via Standing Order. If you need help using Dona Machines, please ask. Society is becoming more cash-less and it's our desire not to over labour the money counters especially as the nearest branch of the Parish bank—Addiscombe—will be closing down in January. Please would you seriously consider this option? If you need help in setting this up please consult the Parish Office or your bank. Thanks so much for your understanding.



THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR DONATING TO ST CHAD'S PARISH. GOD BLESS YOU

New Auxiliary Bishop for the Archdiocese of Southwark

On Monday 28 November 2022, it was announced that His Holiness Pope Francis has appointed Monsignor Philip Moger as an Auxiliary Bishop for the Archdiocese of Southwark.

A priest of the Diocese of Leeds for 40 years, Bishop-elect Moger has, until now, been the Rector of the National Shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham in Norfolk.

The date for his Episcopal Ordination is Tuesday 21 February 2023 in St George's Cathedral, Southwark.

FLAME 2023: Are your children going to **FLAME** on the 4th of March at Wembley Arena? Please submit your completed form with your full payment of £24 or deposit of £10 to the presbytery. Please address the envelope to: "FAO Tom Caluori Flame coordinator"