

THIS WEEK:

Mon — Sat: 10am Mass
Exposition and Confessions to
11am, followed by Rosary.
Monday (Day Chapel) and Friday:
Mass also at 6.30pm
ALPHA COURSE: Saturday from
10.30am

READINGS: Exodus 17:8-13; 2 Timothy
3:14-4:2; Luke 18:1-8.

SUNDAY OFFERTORY/TITHES

SEPTEMBER Total: £13,899.93

Standing order/online and
contactless: £7,037.72

Week average: £3,475

Evangelii Gaudium: £257.73

CAFOD: £522.17

First Holy Communion: class meets
today after 11am Mass.

Little Sisters of the Poor from their
community and nursing home in
Stoke Newington will give their
appeal at all Masses next
Weekend.

A **missionary from Bethlehem** will
visit us on the weekend 2 November
to briefly talk about the Holy Land and
sell religious articles made out of Olive
Wood to help and support the poor
Christian families.

CLOCKS BACK ONE HOUR

Saturday night.



NORMAL CHURCH TIMES

Saturday Evening 6.30^{pm} (Vigil);

Sunday Mass: 8, 9:30, 11

Polish (po polsku): 12.30^{pm}, 6:30^{pm}

Mass in Spanish: 4.30^{pm}

Monday—Saturday: 10am Mass

Monday and Friday: 6.30pm Mass

Padre Pio and Divine Mercy Masses:

2nd and 4th Tuesday each month

6.30pm

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

after 10am Mass each weekday

Saturdays, or *by appointment*.

Rosary: 11am each weekday.

PARISH STAFF & TEAM

Contact them on: 020 8800 2121

Parish Priest: Fr. Andrew Cameron-Mowat SJ.

Assistant Priests: Fr. John McCabe SJ,
Fr. Piotr Kropisz SJ

Resident Jesuits: Fr. Anthony Aduaka SJ
(ANW, KCL), Fr. Roseller Atilano SJ (PHI, LSE)
Fr. Harry Elias SJ, Fr. Jean Nyembo SJ (ACE,
Arise Project), Fr. Michael Smith SJ (JRS).

Music: Ann Bennett

Sunday Sacristan: Axel Rejas

Parish Secretary: Judy Bronson.

Tel: 020 8800 2262 . T-Th 9am — 1pm

Catechetics: Aga Wiecek 020 8800 2202

*If you have any concerns about safety of a
child or vulnerable adult in the parish, please
contact our Safeguarding Representatives:*

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Bernadeta Dymek

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WORLD MISSION SUNDAY

On this World Mission Sunday, the Holy Father calls us all to be
missionaries of HOPE.

On this special day in the Church's year, Pope Leo XIV asks people in
every Catholic parish around the world to support Missio, his charity for
World Mission. We stand united in prayer and solidarity with our sisters
and brothers in need, as together we strive to make God's love more
visible in the world.

As part of the global Missio family, Missio England and Wales invites
every parish, school, and community to join this special event through
prayer and giving. Catholic parishes worldwide are called to play their
part through their prayers and offerings. Everyone plays their part so
that those in greatest need receive support. In 2024, Catholics in
Rwanda raised £12,000; Ecuador raised £197,000; Italy raised £3.3
million; and here in England and Wales we raised £790,000. A heartfelt
'Thank you' to everyone who so generously got involved! World Mission
Sunday reminds us that we are personally called by Jesus to bear witness
to his words in our everyday lives. We are called to reach out to those
who are lost, oppressed and discouraged and to care tenderly for those
who suffer. In January this year, Pope Francis chose 'Missionaries Of
Hope Among All Peoples' as the theme for this year's World Mission
Sunday, reminding us of our calling to be 'messengers and builders of
hope' in this Jubilee Year. The hope we share, rooted in the resurrection
of Christ, has the power to transform lives and heal our world. Pope Leo
has reinforced this call: asking us to be 'a missionary Church that opens
its arms to the world'.

World Mission Sunday is a lifeline for thousands of missionaries, like
Father Stephen and Sister Regina in Myanmar, who bring Christ's love to
some of the most challenging places in our world. These missionaries are
often the first to respond in times of crisis and the last to leave the

Responsorial Psalm: Our help is in the name of the Lord, who
made heaven and earth.

communities they serve.

Myanmar is just one of many countries where the presence of missionaries is a symbol of hope: that in the face of war, poverty and injustice, God's goodness endures.

For the past four years, the people of Myanmar have been enduring such violence that many have given up hope of ever going back to a 'normal' life. Villages and churches are being bombed, schools and hospitals destroyed, families forced to flee.

At Saint Joseph Camp in Mandalay, Sister Regina of the Good Shepherd Sisters cares for over 500 people. She explains: 'We try to provide hope by just being with them, listening to them and telling them "I am with you, you are not alone". Many are suffering from fear, anxiety, uncertainty. But despite all this, some say, "We will go home, even if we don't have a house, we will build a small hut and share together what we have".'

Sr Regina insists: 'We will never give up. We will strive for a better life for our poor people who have suffered so much.'

Father Stephen adds: 'The presence of Priests and Religious among the displaced is a true source of hope. But to be truly effective messengers of hope, they too need support – our prayers and our practical help.'

This World Mission Sunday, and throughout October, Missio England and Wales invites every parish to give what they can, and to pray for missionaries and faith communities around the world. Together, we can bring lasting change –whether it's helping to build a simple chapel, providing vital healthcare to mothers and babies, setting up a school for disadvantaged children or supporting vocations where the Church is just beginning to take root or is struggling to survive.

Our mission is to proclaim the coming of God's Kingdom, serve those in need, promote peace with justice, and share the hope of Christ's resurrection; a gift meant to be shared with the whole world.

If you are able to donate please use one of the special MISSIO envelopes, available at the entrance to the church.

Thank you so much for your generosity.

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS: Prayer morning **Saturday 22 November**. 10am Mass—1pm. Could all EMHCs please attend.



Pope's Worldwide Prayer Network



POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION OCTOBER:

For collaboration between different religious traditions

Let us pray that believers in different religious traditions might work together to defend and promote peace, justice, and human fraternity.

ALPHA COURSE: NO Wednesday meeting this week. We meet this Saturday beginning at 10.30am

RCIA PROGRAMME: Thursdays at 6.30pm. Please join this group if you are a non-baptized seeking Baptism, or a catholic adult seeking First Holy Communion or Confirmation in the Catholic Church. Each person goes at their own pace until ready to receive the sacraments. Baptised non-Catholics wishing to join the Catholic Church are also welcome. For further information call AGA at 020 84422202



Children servers for 9.30am Mass:

We are recruiting new servers for the 9.30am Sunday Mass. Candidates should have received their First Holy Communion. This is a wonderful opportunity for children to be closer to our sacred worship every Sunday.

Planned Giving: Huge thanks to the many people who have enrolled in the planned giving campaign for the parish. Please complete the green form if you took it home with you last week, and return it to the parish as soon as possible.

WEEK OF GUIDED PRAYER: 14—20 December. Based here and online. Enroll next week.