



St Mary's Catholic Church Clapham

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Served by the Redemptorists since 1848

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Sunday Mass Times: 5.30pm (Sat Vigil), 8am, 10am, 12 noon
Portuguese Mass: Sunday 5.30pm. Chaplain Fr Marcos Pinto 020 7587 0881
Weekday Masses: 7am and 12.30pm Saturday Masses: 9.30am and 12.30pm
Confessions on Saturday 10am-10.30am, 4.45-5.15pm, 6.30-7pm, 7.30pm
Novena to Our Mother of Perpetual Succour (Help) every Saturday at 7pm

Fourth Sunday of Easter (C)

World Day of Prayer for Vocations
to the Priesthood and/or the Religious Life



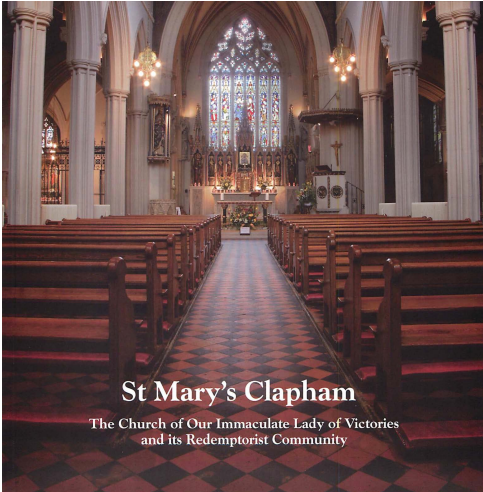
What else can I say? Please pray...

Peace! Fr Richard Reid CSsR PP

Office Hours for the Parish Office are **10am - 1.30pm** and **2.30pm - 6pm**. Directly contact **the parish secretary**, phone **0207 501 3961**

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The Parish Hall - there has been a lot of silence around the parish hall, not because we have lost interest in it, but it can now be announced that a buyer has been found who plans to develop the site and give us a brand new parish hall. At the present moment the plans have all gone to the Planning Permission Dept, and so we will have another short period before we can say anything else. Please pray that the plans are approved - and we shall soon be enjoying our new hall.



The New Book about St Mary's Clapham

Out this weekend is our very own Redemptorist Publications book about St Marys, or to give us our formal and official title., The Church of Our Immaculate Lady of Victories and its Redemptorist Community!

This excellent book was written by Fr Brendan McConvery CSsR, and he has done wonderful research and found out things we didn't even know about the church - e.g., the Stations of the Cross were given as a present from the ex King Umberto of Italy! Added to the great learner of our author the photographs in the book were taken by our very own parishioner Jess Esposito.

I genuinely feel very proud of this book of 85 pages and honestly think it is a steal at only £5.

Your financial contribution last Sunday

Gift Aid £ 432.11

Loose Plate £ 1,078.72

Thanks for your continued generosity.

Study Day for New and Potential Catechists -

Saturday 11 June 2016, 10.30am - 4pm,
Centre for Catholic Formation, SW17 8BS.

www.ccftootingbec.org.uk or 02086727284

Saints of Mercy Talks - this Thursday, **St Maria Faustian Kowalska**, 7.30pm Amigo Hall SE1 6HR

Be sure and keep your diary up to date!

Dates for your diary

PPC Meeting

17th April - Good Shepherd Sunday

25th - 30th April

Parish Pilgrimage to Rome

6th May First Friday Lunch

8th May - First Holy Communions

11th May - PPC Meeting

15th May - First Holy Communions

15th May - Pentecost

3rd June - First Friday Lunch

8th June - PPC Meeting

11th June - Br Charles makes Perpetual Profession

12th June - Br Charles' Ordination to the Diaconate

17th June - 25th June - Nine Days Prayers OLPS

25th June - Parish Garden Fete

1st July - First Friday Lunch

2nd July - Redemptorist Celebration of
150yrs of Perpetual Succour

6th July - PPC Meeting

9th July - Ace of Clubs 21st Birthday!

17th July - Holy Redeemer Feast Day

Have a good and peaceful week!

RCIA will be meeting this Tuesday at 7pm

ACE of CLUBS will be celebrating its 21st Birthday at the start of July. Have you got any photos or literature about the Ace of Clubs going back to its very beginning? If so, please speak to one of the Parish Fathers.

Parish Surgery - Mon 18th April - 4-6pm
All welcome to come along and see one of the priests - no appointment necessary.

Premier Christian Radio is holding a **free** reception on Thurs 21st April at the Omnibus Art Centre SW4 0QW doors open 5.30pm

Holy Communion Etiquette - A Reminder - when coming forward for Holy Communion: allow those in the back rows to come forward first; then please come down the centre aisle and return by the side aisles. Thanks.

The **Passage** who were holding a **Ceilidh** on the 23rd April have now had to **cancel** - sorry.

Please pray for all those who are sick:

Sr Chris Fealey, Paula Malone, Theresa Hunt, Joan Guillaumier, Rosalind Hunt, Rosalind Lewis Suelza Maria Angela Geraldine Christy, Joan Waldon Breda Barry, Patrick Sullivan, Patrick Daily and Jim Malone.

For those who have died recently

Paddy Patrick Brennan, Daniel Michael Ely, David Gillett, Eamon McCluskey and Michael Dotherty.

Let us also pray for those whose anniversaries are around this time

Evelyn McDonagh