



# SAINT JOHN FISHER KIDBROOKE

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Hire of Church Hall - please contact Praetorium (01372457651) for cost and availability.

The weekday and Sunday 10am Mass will not be live streamed until further notice.

## THIRTY-FIRST SUNDAY: YEAR B: 3 NOVEMBER 2024

	6.00pm	<b>Ed and Barbara Walford RIP</b> (The Masters family) <b>People of the Parish</b>	
<b>Sunday, 3 Nov</b>	10.00am	<b>Deceased Priests and Parishioners of SJFK</b> (Salomé Paldano) <b>God's blessings &amp; special intentions of Margaret Queen and family</b> (Catherine Azuka)	
	5.00pm	<b>Deceased family and friends of the Paldano and Soris families</b> (Salomé Paldano) <b>Martin Wilson RIP</b> (Matt Wilson and Inca Mantarro)	
<b>Monday, 4 Nov</b>	9.30am	<b>Michael Kelly RIP</b> (Mary Greenfield and family) <i>Saint Charles Borromeo, Bishop, Memorial</i>	
<b>Tuesday, 5 Nov</b>	9.30am	<b>Tim Cott RIP</b> (Ellen Cott)	<i>Feria</i>
<b>Wed., 6 Nov</b>	9.30am	<b>Anne Romano and family's intentions</b> (Eileen & Leanne Usher)	<i>Feria</i>
<b>Thurs, 7 Nov</b>	9.30am	<b>Deceased relatives and friends of the Arnolda &amp; Bakelmun families</b> <i>Feast of The Dedication of the Cathedral Church of Saint George</i>	
<b>Friday, 8 Nov</b>	9.30am	<b>Sylvester Becker RIP - Month's Mind anniversary</b> (John Giltenan)	<i>Feria</i>
	7.00pm	<b>Adoration and Benediction</b>	
<b>Saturday, 9 Nov</b>	9.00am	<b>Rosary and Benediction</b>	
	9.30am	<b>Eternal repose of the souls of all departed members of the Muorah and Muoghalu families</b> (Eugenia Ogbah) <b>Birthday blessings &amp; Divine favour for Theodore Okonkwo &amp; Divine healing for Virginia Anyanwu</b> (Stella Okonkwo) <b>For Baby Elijah: blessings on his Christening</b> (Sheila and Sean Foley) <i>Feast of The Dedication of the Lateran Basilica</i>	

## THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY: YEAR B: 10 NOVEMBER 2024:REMEMBRANCE DAY

Collectors please note: Second collection for The Archbishop's Appeal (see overleaf)

	6.00pm	<b>Clothilde Lottin RIP- birthday</b> (Eric, Ernie & Nathan Lottin-Kingue)	
<b>Sunday, 10 Nov</b>	10.00am	<b>Rex Philips RIP</b> (Jacinta Philips and family) <b>Joan Spilsbury's intentions on her 90th birthday</b> (Catherine Azuka)	
	5.00pm	<b>For the repose of the souls of Samantha Pinto; Sylvestor Pinto, Charles D'Souza and all deceased members of the Pinto and D'Souza families</b> (Alice D'Souza)	

**Please Remember to Pray for the Sick and the Housebound:** Karon Phillips-Allen, Monica Whitaker, Rachel Camozzi-Jones, Jackie Rennie, Agnes Parker, Alan Fitzsimons, Sandra Newman, Margaret Bondareko, Catherine Leeper, Joanna Connors, Annette Bain, Angelita (Lili) Mendoza, Camillo Atampugre, Joseph Many, Anthony O'Doherty, Thelma Harnett, Anna Mellon, Maria Mottau, Mary Grace Cruz, Sadie Felton, Lewis Usher, Luigi Rispoli, Sr Francis, Celia Hayward, Andrew Ronayne, Colman Joyce, Kate, Andrew Nkunika, Bejaxin Noble Mesmin, Danny Connelly, Shane Kelly, Michael De Lima, Marian McGowan, Anne Kieran, Agnes Forde, Therese Rodrigo, Margaret Queen, Margaret Lucking, Carole Hayward, Dean Whelan, Eddie Azzopardi, Jackie Cooper, Antonia Igbodipe, Johnny Bouza Melotte, Kath and Tom Smith and all those not listed here.

**Please say a special prayer for Kath Smith who had an operation recently, that she may have a full and speedy recovery and for her husband, Tom.**

**Holy Father's intentions for November 2024 : For Those Who Have Lost a Child:** Let us pray that all parents who mourn the loss of a son or daughter find support in their community and may receive peace of heart from the Spirit of Consolation.

**Words of wisdom from Pope Francis:** "We may have plenty of good ideas on how to reform the Church, but let us remember: to adore God and to love our brothers and sisters with his love, that is the great and perennial reform."

**Message from Fr Anton:** There are a few 'thank you's' this weekend: to Benon for all his hard work sorting out the electrical works in the Parish; to Edward Owiny for mowing the lawns in the church and presbytery and also to ShoJa and Faith who regularly vacuum the carpet and church. Your hard work is very much appreciated. I wish you all a Holy and Blessed Week.

**Next week's second collection: The Archbishop's Appeal,** is a Diocesan second collection that funds key areas of ministry: Youth and Evangelisation, Our Faith in Action (Caritas) and Clergy Care and Formation. Your support will enable the Archdiocese of Southwark to support innovative projects taking place within Catholic parishes and Schools throughout South London and Kent that seek to invest Faith, Hope and Love into the communities they serve. Please be generous to the Archbishop's Appeal 2024. Every gift is welcome. Please **remember to pick up an envelope from the porch** which you can put into the second collection bag next weekend. If you wish to find out more or donate online: [www.rcaos.org.uk/archbishops-appeal](http://www.rcaos.org.uk/archbishops-appeal). There is also a QR code on the poster in the porch.

**The Terminally Ill Adults (End of Life) Bill** will have its Second Reading on 29 November 2024, and Archbishop John has asked that we, as an archdiocese, come together in prayer and action to uphold the dignity of human life. There will be a **Holy Hour at the Plenary Assembly of the Bishops of England and Wales on Wednesday 13 November 5.30pm-6.30pm** and they will pray before the Blessed Sacrament for the Dignity of Human Life. Archbishop John urges parishes and communities across the Archdiocese of Southwark to join in this hour of prayer, which will also be observed throughout other dioceses in England and Wales. We shall be observing this hour on the 13th November and I would urge you to make every effort to join in.

**Social Committee** - there will be tea and coffee in the Hall after this Sunday's, 10am Mass.

**The St John Fisher Church, Variety Show: Saturday, 16th November 2024 at Thomas Tallis School at 2pm.** It's not long to go now to our very own show 'Kidbrooke's Got Talent'. Please make sure you have purchased a ticket (£5 for adults and £3 for children. If you have any questions please speak to a member of the Social Committee or contact Leanne on 07725995570. Please note that there will be a Raffle on the day with all proceeds going to the Refurbishment Fund.

**The RCIA programme for 2024/25** is now underway. However, it is still not too late to join. If you, or anyone you know, is interested in finding out more about the Catholic faith, please have a word with Fr Anton. Application forms can be found in the porch.

**Mass Intentions for November:** Please submit your mass intentions for November as soon as possible so that we can have a reasonable spread throughout the month. We aim, whenever possible, to give you the date you request but are trying to avoid having several requests for one mass. Please also note that the Diocese has suggested a donation of at least £10 per Mass.

**Book of Remembrance** - the Book remains open throughout the year and names may be added at any time. If you wish to include the name of a deceased loved one or friend, please send their name and the relevant day (birthday or anniversary of death) printed in BLOCK CAPITALS, to the office together with a donation of around £5 for each entry. All funds raised will go towards the refurbishment fund.

**Parish Finances: w/e 27 October 2024: £749.49. Thank you for your generous offerings.** If you haven't already done so, please consider setting up a standing order (bank details below) as it is the easiest way to make your weekly donation and again if you are a UK taxpayer, please remember to **gift aid it**. The Parish bank details are as follows:

**Bank : NatWest. Branch: Blackheath and Westcombe Park**  
**Account name: RCAS Re: Kidbrooke Catholic Church**  
**Account number: 34 19 58 58                      Sort Code: 60-23-27**

**Gift Aid Envelopes:** your gift aid envelopes are available for collection from the Church porch. If your set of envelopes is not there, please have a word with Fr Anton, Shehan or Geraldine.

**200 Club: The winners of the September draw are as follows:**

**1st Prize (£40): No: 129: Marion McGowan**

**2nd Prize (£25): No: 67: Joseph Paldano**

**3rd Prize (£10): No: 100: Michael Spilsbury**

**Congratulations to all the winners. Your prize can be collected from the Presbytery.** It is still not too late to buy a share which costs £25. Forms available in the porch or speak to a member of the Social Committee. This is an important part of our fundraising programme which is dedicated to assisting the Parish with the on-going maintenance expenses for the upkeep of our Church. **Please support this fundraising effort.**

**New to the Parish - welcome to Kidbrooke.** Please introduce yourself to Fr Anton and to other parishioners and make sure you complete a form (which can be found in the porch) providing your contact details. Please join us for a coffee or tea after the 10am Mass.

**Hire of Church Hall:** the Hall is booked by the Nursery during weekdays but is available for hire in the evenings and at the weekend and usually during school holidays. The booking of the Hall is managed by **Praetorium (contact no: 01372457651) who should be contacted in the first instance about cost and availability.**