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Daily Mass will continue to be live streamed at 9.30am Monday-Saturday and at 10am on Sunday until further notice. If you wish to receive the link, please contact Fr Anton by email.

TWENTY-SECOND SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:YEAR A : 30 AUGUST 2020
Birthday Prayers and Blessings for all those celebrating their birthdays this week.

Sunday, 30 Aug	6pm	Daniel Gough RIP	(Martin, Dolores and family)
	10am	Anthonia Achebe's intentions	(Catherine Azuka and family)
	5pm	People of the Parish	
Monday, 31 Aug	9.30am	In thanksgiving	(Moira Spilsbury)
	<i>Feria</i>		
Tuesday, 1 Sept	9.30am	Theo Foley RIP	(Catherine Azuka)
	<i>Feria</i>		
Wednesday, 2 Sept	9.30am	Breda Crouchman-good recovery and health	(Dorothy McEvoy and family)
	<i>Feria</i>		
Thursday, 3 Sept	9.15am	Chaplet of the Divine Mercy	
	9.30am	Well being of Catherine Azuka	(Lucy & Chaz)
		<i>Feast of Saint Gregory the Great, Pope and Doctor of the Church</i>	
Friday, 4 Sept	9.30am	Mary Coughlan RIP	(Noel Coughlan)
	<i>Feria</i>		
Saturday, 5 Sept	7.00pm - 8pm	Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction	
	9.00am	Rosary and Benediction	
	9.30am	Una McPartlin RIP - Sr Francis's sister	(Christine Foster)
	<i>Feria</i>		

TWENTY-THIRD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME:YEAR A : 6 SEPT 2020

Sunday, 6 Sept	6pm	For all suffering with Covid 19 in UK and abroad and for success in the development of a suitable vaccine
	10am	Fr Anton and parishioners
	5pm	People of the Parish

Please Remember to Pray for the Sick and the Housebound: Karon Phillips-Allen, Monica Whitaker, Rachel Camozzi-Jones, Jackie Rennie, Joe Grandy, Agnes Parker, Alan Fitzsimons, Trixie Durey, Sandra Newman, Margaret Bondareko, Lucas Lekule, Mike Harris, Catherine Leeper, Joanna Connors, Annette Bain, Angelita (Lili) Mendoza, Camillo Atampugre, Joseph Many, Doreen Grandon, Anthony O'Doherty, Thelma Harnett, Anna Mellon, Maria Mottau, Danielle Papie, Mary Grace Cruz, Tina Borland, Sadie Felton, Barbara Hills, Sean Needham, Olympia Balugay, Lewis Usher, George Mihalda, Luigi Rispoli, Winston Countinho, Sr Francis, Celia Hayward, Andrew Ronayne, Javier Carpentier, Colman Joyce, Kate, Iris Chase, Brian Kieran, Andrew Nkunika and all those not listed here.

We remember all those who have died recently and those whose anniversaries of death occur about this time. May their souls rest in peace.

Pope Francis Twitter message: "If we take care of the goods that the Creator gives us, if we put what we possess in common in such a way that no one would be lacking, then we would truly inspire hope to regenerate a more healthy and equal world."

Message from Fr Anton. Since the wearing of face masks are now compulsory at all masses, we can accommodate at least 100 people at each of our Masses. **So do please encourage parishioners who have not yet returned to Church to do so and let them know of the precautions we are taking.**

To give us an indication of the numbers we can expect at each mass, it would be helpful if you would go to the website and register your proposed attendance each week. **Please do ensure that your mouth and nose is covered and that you use the Hand sanitizer** which is available both on entry and departure from the Church. There is a book in the porch for completion of contact details of all attendees, again in accordance with Government guidelines. **Your continued patience is much appreciated and please continue to support the Stewards to ensure a smooth entry and exit from the Church.**

First Holy Communion: Parents of the children who had started preparation for the Sacrament prior to lockdown and now due to receive their First Holy Communion on **17th and 24th October 2020.** There will be 2 masses on Saturday, 17 October at 10am and 12 Noon (please note there will be no 9.30am mass on that day). The remaining children will receive Communion on Saturday, 24 October at 10.30am. Again there will be no 9.30am Mass that day. Parents are reminded that in advance of that there will be 3 preparatory sessions with the Catechists, via Zoom, starting on Saturday, 5 September at 10am. Please keep our children in your prayers.

Mass intentions: We are **desperately** short of mass intentions for the coming weeks. If you wish to offer a mass for a deceased friend or relative, for your own or another's intentions or indeed in thanksgiving, please drop your request and your donation through the Presbytery letter box or email the Parish on kidbrooke@rcaos.org.uk. We will do our best to meet the date requested or to give you the earliest available date.

Volunteers are needed to help clean the Church in preparation for the Sunday masses. If you can spare some time on a **Thursday or Saturday after the 9.30am morning Mass**, please have a word with Muriel or come along at these times. All help would be most appreciated.

Parish Finances: Our total weekly collection for the w/e 23 August = £599.48 including standing orders and Gift Aid. 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**. If you need the relevant form please contact the office.

Bank details: Stipends (donations for mass intentions) weekly offerings or donations towards the Church refurbishment Project, may be made via bank transfer or standing order. Please specify on the transfer the nature of your donation.

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



Church Building and Refurbishment Fund: the total raised thus far, stands at **£10,583.82**. Very well done everyone. Keep up the good work help us reach our target. And if you gift aid your donation, HMRC will give us 25p for every £1 you donate.

Donations **may be made in whichever way that suits you best.** There is a basket clearly marked "Refurbishment" at the end of the Church near the baskets for your weekly offering. If you prefer, you may wish to send a cheque made payable to St John Fisher, Kidbrooke (please make it clear that it is for the refurb) or arrange a bank transfer. Or go to the JustGiving page at <https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stjohnfisherkidbrooke>. I would appreciate it if you could promote this online fundraising, which is an effective way to fundraise during lockdown. **Please circulate this as widely as you can and, if you are a UK tax payer, remember to gift aid it!** We will keep you updated on how our fundraising is progressing. If you are doing anything interesting to help raise funds, please let us know and we will include details in the newsletter and I am sure others will be willing to support you. So come on and let's get fundraising!

Book of Remembrance: This is in a display case near the pillar of the Sacred Heart Chapel. The book, which is opened each day, will include the names of any of our deceased loved ones or friends whom we wish to be remembered especially on a particular day. If you wish to include the name of someone, please send their name and the relevant day (Printed in BLOCK capitals) to the office together with a donation of around £5 for every name. **All funds raised will go towards the refurbishment fund.**

May God Bless you all and keep you and your families safe. Fr Anton