



# SAINT JOHN FISHER KIDBROOKE



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**Sunday Masses:** Saturday Evening: 6pm    Sunday: 10.00am & 5pm    **Sacrament of Reconciliation:** Saturday 5.15pm-5.45pm  
**Sacrament of Baptism:** 12noon Sunday contact the Parish Office    **Weddings:** Contact Parish Office: 6 months notice required

**Parish Office Opening:** Office hours are 10.30am to 2.30pm every **Wednesday, Thursday & Friday**. The office is **CLOSED** on a Tuesday due to Fr. Arbo's day of **REST** so please avoid contacting the office.

**THIRTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: Year A: 2 July 2017:**

*Happy Birthday to all those celebrating their birthday this week. Second collection next Sunday is for the Apostleship of the sea.*

<b>2 July, Sunday</b>	6pm 10am 5pm	<b>Raymond McGuirl</b> <b>Lucia Girandola RIP</b> <b>People of the Parish</b>	(Vincent & Sheila) (Anne Romano & Family)	
<b>3 July, Monday</b>	9.30am	<b>Sheila O'Reilly's Wellbeing</b> <i>St Thomas, Apostle,</i>	(Tim & Ellen Cott)	<i>Feast</i>
<b>4 July, Tuesday</b>	9.30am	<b>In Thanksgiving to God &amp; Our Lady for Peter Bui &amp; all souls in Purgatory &amp; the welfare of their relatives.</b>	(The Nguyen Family)	<i>Feria</i>
<b>5 July, Wednesday</b>	9.30am	<b>Jeanie Coughlan &amp; Family</b>	(Tim & Ellen Cott)	<i>Feria</i>
<b>6 July, Thursday</b>	9.30am	<b>Pearl Cockle RIP - anniversary</b>	(Bryan Cockle)	<i>Feria</i>
<b>7 July, Friday</b>	9.30am	<b>Manuel Lobo RIP</b>	(Emily Lobo)	<i>Feria</i>
<b>8 July, Saturday</b>	10 -10.30am 9.30am	<b>Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction</b> <b>Anna &amp; Andy Mellon's Wellbeing</b>	(Terry Mellon)	<i>Feria</i>

**FOURTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME: Year A: 9 July 2017: SEA SUNDAY -Second collection today for the Apostleship of the Sea, a charity supporting Seafarers worldwide regardless of nationality or belief.**

<b>9 July, Sunday</b>	6pm 10am 5pm	<b>Fr. Eric Nimo's Intentions - Birthday</b> <b>Grace Olurin - 70th Birthday</b> <b>People of the Parish</b>	(Catherine Azuka)	
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**Please Remember to Pray for the Sick and the Housebound:** Karon Phillips-Allen, Bob & Joan Driscoll, Monica Whitaker, Rachel Camozzi-Jones, Jackie Rennie, Fr John Lavery, Paul Foley, Joe Grandy, Dora Genga, Alice McMorro, Nora McCarthy, Agnes Parker, Alan Fitzsimons, Trixie Durey, Sandra Newman, Margaret Bondarenko, Fr Eric Nimmo, Lucas Lekule, Mary Coughlan, Mike Harris, Catherine Leeper, Brian D'Oliveira, Joanna Connors, Tony Tsangari, Annette Bain, Angelita (Lili) Mendoza, Anne Donnelly, Dolores Edwards, Gerard Quirke, Emily Longua, Alan and Vera Molloy, Camillo Atampugre, Joseph Many, Hilary Grandon, Doreen Grandon, Anthony O'Doherty, Angelito Cruz, Thelma Harnett, Louise Magill, Anna Mellon, Michael Needham, Celia Hayward and Maria Mottau.

**Please remember:** Those who have died recently especially **Karen Read, Dora Genga and Norman Spilsbury** and all those whose anniversaries occur about this time.

**Baptisms:** Please pray for **Didier Milan Many** who was baptized last week, **Georgina Liann Mellor and Millie Elizabeth Power** who will be baptized this weekend and **Modupeoluna Ajayi** who will be baptized in this Church shortly. May God's blessings and guidance be with their parents and godparents.

***A woman welcomed a stranger, and she was surprised by what happened next!***

One day a man was passing through a village, where a wealthy woman lived. She urged him to have a meal. So whenever he passed that way, he would stop there for a meal. She said to her husband, "Look, I am sure that this man who regularly passes our way is a holy man of God. Let's make a small room for him, and put there bed, a table, a chair, and a lamp, so that he can stay there whenever he comes to us."

The man took the offer. One day he asked himself what he can do for this kind and generous woman. She then discovered that she has no child, and her husband is old. He call the woman and said to her "At this season, in due time, you'll hold a son in your arms." She replied, "No, my lord, do not deceive me." Nine months later she had a son. The stranger was prophet Elisha, a man of God. Let us pray that this week, blessings may not pass us by, and that we may never ignore strangers among us.  
*Fr Arbo*



## ***At a Glance***

- **8th July 12pm - 3pm: Summer Fayre.**
- **15th July 10am - 5.30pm:** A Day of celebration of our Lady at St. John Fisher Churd, SW20.
- **22nd July 12pm - 5pm:** You Touch Africa Summer Party.
- **Amina's Delicious Pies** - will now be on sale outside the Church each **Sunday** after Mass.
- **7pm skillz@sjfk:** for those aged 16 or under every 1st & 3rd Wednesday in the Church Hall.
- **6pm Choir practice in Church:** every Monday.
- **10am Benediction & Adoration:** every Friday after the morning Mass. every Saturday before Mass.
- **9am Pray the Rosary** every Saturday before Mass.

### ***Parish Finances:***

**Offering: For the upkeep of the Parish: 25 Jun 2017:**

Total collection was **£850.65** including £276.50 from Standing Orders.

Potential Gift Aid **£90.87.**

**Thank you all for your generosity.**

If you wish to sign up for Gift Aid or donate by Standing Order, please complete a relevant form from the porch.

**Fr. Eric:** Please continue to keep him in your prayers and if you are able to pay him a brief visit, he would be pleased to see you but please first contact the Care Home: Fountain Lodge, Tunbridge Wells. Tel: 01892682290.

**Don't Miss - Tea & coffee after 10am Mass in the Parish Hall.** Do come along,

introduce yourself, meet your fellow parishioners & have a chat over a tea and biscuit!

**Rosary:** please join us for the Rosary every Saturday at 9am before the Morning Mass. The first Saturday of the month is devoted to the Fatima Rosary which is a special devotion to Our Lady.

**Clergy Support Fund Campaign:** If you would like to know more about the needs of our sick and retired priests, please speak to Keith Phillips or Fr Arbo - *Thank you.*

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Check out easyfundraising on the website: [www.sjfkcc.org.uk](http://www.sjfkcc.org.uk). If you shop online, please take part. Thank you to the 47 Parish supporters who are already signed up and who have raised an **amazing £506.78** so far. Please join their support for the Parish and make it 50! - It's easy and really there is no cost, no catch!

**Church Flowers:** Please post any requests and/or donations through the box in the porch. *Thank you*

**First Holy Communion 2018 Programme:** The registration forms for next year are now available in the porch and on the Parish website. Those wishing to register will need to be in at least Year 3 for the 2017/18 academic year. **Closing date for applications** will be the weekend of **30th Sept 2017.**

**You Touch Africa: Fr Arbo's** charity, is holding a Summer Party on **Saturday 22 July from 12 to 5pm** at: Berrylands Scout Group, Stirling Walk, Surbiton KT5 9HY. Please get your free ticket from [www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/you-touch-africa-summer-picnic](http://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/you-touch-africa-summer-picnic)

**SUMMER FAYRE:** The date for the Annual Summer Fair this year will be **Saturday 8th July from 12pm to 3pm.** A **BIG** thank you to all those who have volunteered to help, we are nearly all organised in who is doing what, **HOWEVER,** we do not have a great deal of things to do 'What' with! We are in desperate need of donations, so, please empty your cupboards, toy boxes, storage boxes and shelves, we need bottles, fancy goods, toys, sweets, cakes, drinks, raffle prizes etc. any of these would be most gratefully received, if you are not sure if something is suitable, please contact the office and we will be more than willing to help! - *A very BIG thank you!*

**Appeal:** if you know a company that can advice on Church installation of digital screens, please speak to Fr Arbo

**Becoming a Catholic: RICA Programme:** If you are not a Catholic, have never been confirmed or would like to study more about the Catholic Faith, please speak to Fr Arbo or call the Parish Office. The programme will start after the Summer break. Forms and leaflets are available in the porch. Please ensure forms are received by **30th September 2017.**

**Skillz@sjfk - What?** Community volunteering. Charity fundraising. Talks and discussions: **Who for?** Post confirmation under 16s. **When?** 6.30pm, 1st and 3rd Wednesday of the month in the Parish Hall **Why?** Help the Parish and Charities. Develop in faith and Add to your CV! **Want to know more?** Email: [dominiquetaylor@live.co.uk](mailto:dominiquetaylor@live.co.uk)/Phone office: 020 8856 4536 - *See you there!*

**NOTICE: Kidbrooke Park Road Closure:** To facilitate on-going improvement works as part of the Kidbrooke Village Development various restrictions are to be put in place: At present the road will be reduced to one lane in each direction from **Thurs 25 June until 3 Sept 2017.** Also Kidbrooke Park Road (both directions between Weigallrd and Post office Lane will be closed during bridge works.

**Pact Ambassadors:** Do you have some spare time and would like to put it to good use? Pact, the Catholic charity for prisoners and their families offers free training and support for parishioners interested in volunteering with them. No previous experience needed: **ParishAction@prisonadvice.org**

**A day with Mary** - to celebrate the Centenary of apparitions of Our Lady at Fatima, please come and join **St John Fisher Church, Cannon Hill Lane, SW20** for a day of celebration on **Saturday 15th July from 10am to 5.30pm.**

**A Thank You** word from parents: "I'd like to say a massive thank you to: catechists for all your hard work and sacrificing Saturday mornings for the (1st Holy Comm) kids... for organising last minute photographer,... for being supportive and attending meeting and I think it was a good group that will not be comparable to any other!..." **From a catechist:** "Your children were all wonderful and a pleasure to be with... thank you for the gifts..."