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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	12:00noon	Intention of Regina Appah
Tuesday	10:00am	Holy Souls
Wednesday	10:00am	Liturgy of the Word
	7:00pm	Intention of Valerie Appah
Thursday	10:00am	Care of Creation
Friday	10:00am	Pray for Sri Lanka
Saturday	6:00pm	Pray for Political Leaders
<i>Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>		
Sunday	8:30am	William Sollis RIP
	10:00am	People of the Parish
	12:00noon	Cecil Didi RIP

March for Life UK

March for Life UK campaign to raise awareness on the issue of abortion. On Saturday 3rd September there will be a protest championing the right to life of the unborn child held in London. This is an important cause, so the more parishioners who can attend the better. Archbishop John Wilson will be attending.

The itinerary for the day is:

10:30am - meet at 9-23 Emmanuel Centre, Marsham Street, London, SW1P 3DW

11am - a Catholic Mass will then be held at St. George's Cathedral Southwark

2pm - the march will take place at from the Emmanuel Centre and will end at Parliament Square at 4:30pm.

The nearest tubes to the Emmanuel Centre are St James' Park and Westminster which are just a short walk away. You can see it on the map from their website by using the following link:

<https://www.emmanuelcentre.com/location>

For more information:

<https://www.marchforlife.co.uk/>

As long as there is money to be made from war, sadly it will never end.



FR JACK

The key word of today's readings is humility. If I live in a castle or people put me on a pedestal there is always a great fear I will be toppled. Often as a priest people want to put me on a pedestal. I've always resisted. For some of us life is a drama. And like Shakespeare says, "Do I have to play all the parts." And yes, some of us feel we do. I am the writer, the director and the lead actor. And it is everybody's else's job to make me look good. Let's get it right, God is the writer, (not the controller). So, relax and don't take yourself too seriously. Nobody else does. When we live our lives in relationship with God, we realise our lives are not about us. And that is a very liberating experience. We get rid of the monkey on our back. That Super Inflated EGO of mine which makes life impossible. And like today's gospel, as in a drama, the least likely character is the hero.

Your self-belief either supports or undermines you.

RCIA – Right of Christian Initiation of Adults

This is a course for people who would like to know more about the Catholic faith and may eventually want to become Catholic. Please talk to your family and friends and invite them. Details to be confirmed next week.

Camboni Missionaries

Next weekend Fr Mario will be coming to talk to us about their work worldwide. There will also be a second collection and your generosity will be appreciated. Thank you very much.

World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation

Next Thursday, 1st September marks the World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation. Please make a special effort and come to the 10am mass.