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MASS INTENTIONS

Monday	10:00am	Denis Turner RIP
Tuesday	10:00am	Int of Bernadette Byrnes
Wednesday	10:00am	Peter & Patricia Girardi FM
	7:00pm	RCIA Meeting All Welcome
Thursday	10:00am	Liturgy of the Word
Friday	10:00am	Louise Dien FM
Saturday	6:00pm	Steve Oesai RIP
<i>Twenty-seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>		
Sunday	8:30am	Int of Zachariah
	10:00am	People of the Parish
	12:00noon	Catherine Onpike RIP

Readers and Eucharistic Ministers

This year's formation / retreat day takes place at Bishop Thomas Grant School, Streatham on Saturday 15th October from 10am until after the 3pm mass at approx. 4.30pm. Please put your name on the sheet on the notice board, if you are able to attend.

The World Day for Migrants and Refugees 2022

First celebrated in 1914, **The World Day for Migrants and Refugees 2022 (WDMR)** is an *International Day of Prayer* which offers an occasion to express concern for different vulnerable people on the move; to pray for them in the challenges they face; and to increase awareness about the opportunities that migration offers. This year, it will be celebrated on 25 September 2022, and both the [Bishops' Conference](#) and the [Vatican](#) have websites dedicated to Migrants and Refugees.

Pope Francis' theme for this year's WDMR is "**Building the Future with Migrants and Refugees.**" The Holy Father asks us to proclaim the message that full citizenship of God's Kingdom does not exclude those most vulnerable, as we recognize the value each of them can bring to the process of construction.

Charismatic Group

There have been mixed reactions about starting a charismatic prayer group and I have mixed feelings myself. However, let's give it a chance, maybe the Spirit is speaking to us. So, on Monday 3rd October at 7 – 8pm, for one month, we will give it a try.
Your support is appreciated.

FR JACK

Our first reading today is from the prophet Amos and is all about the poor. It is the favourite reading of all who care about the poor, Martin Luther King, Helder Camerar, Oscar Romero just to name a few. They were always on the side of the poor. I feel embarrassed myself because of often being aligned with the rich. We all have to find a way to deal with it.

As British Rail say, "Mind the Gap." Surely that is the issue. When a few people own more wealth than the whole world put together. Problem is we live in different worlds. We do not understand each other. The rich man is not necessarily a bad man, but he just does not seem to notice. It's mine, I'm entitled to it, I've worked for it, I earned it. And God says it is all gift. We haven't a clue how other people live.

And maybe the poor are not any better. They also aspire to be rich, famous, celebrities to be at the top and may often despise people at the bottom. But God sees things very differently and has a different arrangement.

The scraps are given to the poor whether it be scraps of food, leftover clothing, or the change in the bottom of my pocket/purse.

Pray for enlightenment.

WELSH GREETING

Hail guest we ask not what thou art
If friend we greet thee, hand on heart
If stranger, such no longer be
If foe our love shall conquer thee.

MARRIAGE PREPARATION PRESENTERS

Job vacancy: a married couple, both being practicing Catholics, to present 6 courses a year in various locations in South London and Kent, as well as providing cover in case of colleagues' illness.

Salary: £30,000 pro rata (£7,000) for the couple. Mileage paid in addition. All training given.

For full job description and further details, please contact liamgallagher@rcaos.org.uk
Closing date for applications: October 14th.