

# ST MARGARET'S PAGE

7th SUNDAY OF EASTER - 21 May 2023- Year A



*Congratulations to all our First Holy Communion children who received the Sacrament on Saturday 13th May.*

*May you always know the peace of Jesus, the light of his love, and the joy of his life within you.*

*Many thanks to our Catechists, Lisa McDermott & Harry Mars-ton for leading the course.*



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St Margaret of Scotland Catholic Church

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Office Hours: Monday to Friday (9.30 am - 12.30 pm) Emails are not checked out of office hours.

## Mass Intentions Sat 20 May – Sun 28 May

20/05	Sat	10.00 am	Works of charity in the neighbourhood	
21/05	Sun	8.30 am	John Thompson RIP	Bernard & Maz
		10.30 am	David McCann RIP and his family	Maggie Thomson
		6.30 pm	Tom Cotter RIP	Tricia Corbett & family
22/05	Mon	10.00 am	James Green RIP	Jimmy Green
23/05	Tue	10.00 am	Eucharistic Service	
24/05	Wed	10.00 am	Matthew Green RIP	Catherine Sugrue
25/05	Thu	10.30 am	Eucharistic Service	
26/05	Fri	11.00 am	Matthew Green RIP	Davis family
27/05	Sat	10.00 am	Intentions of the Secular Clergy Common Fund	
28/05	Sat	<b>Pentecost Sunday</b>		
28/05	Sun	8.30 am	Dusan Hornik for God's blessing upon him and peace in the heart	Elizabeth Hobbs
		10.30 am	Teresa O'Leary RIP	Maggie Thomson
		6.30 pm	For you the people	

## Entrance Antiphon:

O Lord, hear my voice, for I have called to you;  
of you my heart has spoken: Seek his face;  
hide not your face from me, alleluia.

## Response to the Psalm:

I am sure I shall see the Lord's goodness in the land of the living. Cry out with joy to God all the earth.

## Mass Times & Liturgical Services (22/05–28/05)

<b>Weekend Mass</b>	Saturday	10.00 am
	Sunday	8.30 am, 10.30 am & 6.30 pm
<b>Weekday Mass</b>	Monday, Wednesday & Friday	10.00 am
	Tuesday & Thursday	10.00 am
<b>Eucharistic Service</b>	Tuesday & Thursday	10.00 am
	Saturday	10:30-11:00am
<b>Confessions</b>	Sunday	10.00–10.20am

## PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Cathy McKendry, Rose Blackman, Rachel Rose, Arthur Mathewson, Pat Friel, Mary Regan, Pauline Slawson, Ben, Carol Samba, Colin Bartram, Gerry McEntee, Rose Williams, Peter Coughlan, Hilary Sudell, Rose Lorden, William Hamilton, Mary Arnold, Cesar Juan Urrutigoity, Mary Ethel Arnolda, Sydney Parkes, Christopher Browne, Antonella Sesta, Margaret Master-son, Carmen Ruibal, Chris McLoughlin (son of Olga), Judith Thomas, Tony Tucker, Dr Christopher Khoo, John Wood-Collins, Eleanor Drew, Jim Polland, Theresa Bulpitt & Sue Rolph.

**Anniversaries** - Roland Bryant, Fridolin Straub, Johanna McCullogh, Dorothy Smithers, Stella Richards, Johanna Morgan, Timothy Murphy, Thomas Ward, Bridget McHugh, Doris Dommersen, Stephen Rendall, Gladys Bearman, Bill Richards, Brian O'Reilly, Sally O'Shaughnessy .

*May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the Mercy of God rest in peace. Amen*

From 13th May, there will be no Saturday evening Mass taking place, till the end of the year.

## Sacramental Programmes

Sacramental preparations are open for parishioners and those who attend Mass regularly at St Margaret's.

### Baptism

Should you wish to have your child baptised in this parish, attendance at our Pre Baptism course is compulsory. Please either speak to Fr Peter after Mass or contact the parish office. Dates for future courses—  
July 11th & 18th, Sep 5th & 12th and November 7th & 14th.

## Visits to the sick and housebound

If you are unable to attend Mass and would like to receive Holy Communion, please contact Deacon Joseph via the parish office.



7TH SUNDAY OF EASTER - 21 MAY 2023

Acts 1:1-11

Psalm 26

1 Peter 4:13-16

John 17:1-11

Pentecost Sunday - 28 MAY 2023

Acts 2:1-11

Psalm 103

1 Corinthians 12:3-7, 12-13

John 20:19-23



"I will come to you."  
John 14:18

### THIS EASTERTIDE ACROSS SOUTHWARK LIFE IN THE SPIRIT SEMINARS 2023

Explore what it means to be filled with the Holy Spirit.  
Weekly talks and discussion - Daily reflections - All day retreat

**When:** Tuesday evenings starting with a meal from 7.00 pm till 9.30 pm on the 2nd, 9th, 16th May & 6th June 2023 and Saturday 27th May 11 am—5.00 pm

**Venue :** St Margaret's Parish hall, 130 St Margarets TW1 1RL

**Contact:** 07717 473 160 for any queries.

**LEAFLETS AVAILABLE AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH.**

Life in the Spirit  
Seminars 2023

### 3rd Saturday of every month **Bereavement**

Save the dates



2.30 - 4.00 pm on the  
3rd Saturday of every month.

**17 June, 15 July, 19 August, 16  
September, 21 October, 18 November & 16 Decem-  
ber**

2.30—4.00 pm at St Margarets Church Hall, 130 St Mar-  
garets Road, Twickenham TW1 1RL

Everyone experiences grief in a unique way.

The Bereavement Café is a place to meet others who have  
had similar experiences to your own.

It is somewhere you can speak freely and share stories with  
others coping with losing a loved one. Want to join.. Call  
this number for any enquiries 07547 976 953

### Save the date

Enjoy warmth and good company here  
at St Margaret's at our much loved  
"Tea & Chat" every alternate  
Wed from 1:45 pm – 3:15 pm



Dates for your diary

**May - 24th, June - 7th & 21st**

All are welcome.

Please feel free to bring along a friend or a neighbour.

REPAIR CAFE

Twickenham Repair Café

Twickenham Repair Cafe - Save the date

**20 May, 17 June, 15 July, 19 August, 16 September,  
21 October, 18 November & 16 December**

From 10:30 to 13:00.

St Margarets Church Hall (opposite St Mar-  
garets train station)

130 St Margarets Road, St Margarets, Twicken-  
ham. TW1 1RL. Want to know more then give us

a shout: [info@twickenhamrepaircafe.org](mailto:info@twickenhamrepaircafe.org)

Have a look at our site:

[www.twickenhamrepaircafe.org](http://www.twickenhamrepaircafe.org).



### Lenten Project 2023

THANK YOU for all your donations for the parish Len-  
ten Almsgiving.

Charities supported: Spear + Santa Teresa Del Nino  
Jesus School, Madagascar

Last week we presented cheques to our chosen chari-  
ties who were very grateful for our generous support  
of their work.

We raised nearly £5900 with a further £1060 to come  
from Gift Aid. This was split between the two chari-  
ties. A parishioner has also generously donated a  
further £3,000 (+ £375 gift aid) directly to the Mada-  
gascan school project.



### St Margaret's Soup Lunch

A very big thank you to all those who came and enjoyed our soup lunch on 12th May, and to the volunteers who once again generously gave their time and expertise to make it such a success. A total of £125 was raised for the benefit of the educational initiatives of Fr Paul Bigirwa in Uganda, including sponsorship of older students - those in the equivalent of our 6th Form (16-19 years old.)

The difficult decision has been taken to cancel the next scheduled soup lunches in June and July due to a number of difficulties which proved too much to resolve at this time, and there are no plans at the moment to resume in September. Thank you to everyone who has supported the soup lunches over the past year, and GETA generally since our founding in 2015.



God Bless you all.

David Rose charity no 1167092 [www.geta.org.uk](http://www.geta.org.uk)

### Following the footsteps of the Saints



#### Called to action by our faith- Saturday

**10th June**

You are invited to CAFOD's International Office on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> June for a short time exploring our faith, why we Campaign & how you can help. The morning will include guest speakers & a chance for discussion in workshops to explore activities such as [Live Simply](#), Our unfair Food System and Liturgy resources. The morning will run from 10.30-1pm at CAFOD's Office in Lambeth North SE1. For further information contact Tony [tsheen@cafod.org.uk](mailto:tsheen@cafod.org.uk) or booking please see <https://cafod.org.uk/news/events>

**Did you know** that Church teaching says that we should not only support those in poverty but also tackle the root causes of poverty? Pope Benedict XVI said that "Love — caritas — is an extraordinary force which leads people to opt for courageous and generous engagement in the field of justice and peace." For decades CAFOD has spoken out against injustice. To find out more and get involved in tackling the root causes of poverty, please go to [cafod.org.uk/latestcampaigns](http://cafod.org.uk/latestcampaigns)



Tony Sheen, Community Participation Co-ordinator -CAFOD



### Parish Quiz Night

Saturday 17th June 7:30 pm  
£15 for ticket, includes supper

Tables of 8, or if you would like to join with others. Please contact the parish office to be allocated to a team.

Interval raffle - with lovely prizes

Tickets on sale after Mass or through the parish office

### Donations to Parish Funds

If you would like to set up a standing order, please complete a form available on the website or from the parish office or you can do this yourself through online banking.

The parish bank account is:

**Bank: HSBC**

**Account Name: WRCDT St Margarets on Thames**

**Sort Code: 40 05 20 Account No: 01094823**

For offertory giving, please use the bank reference: XOF your surname and initials.

For donations to the building fund and refurbishment project, please use the bank reference: XBF your surname and initials.

If you are a UK tax payer, please gift aid your donation which increases the amount the parish receives by 25% at no additional cost to you. Gift Aid forms are available from the parish office or on the website.

Thank you.