



ROMAN CATHOLIC ARCHDIOCESE OF SOUTHWARK
ST FRANCIS DE SALES & ST GERTRUDE CHURCH

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The Weekly Newsletter is available in our Parish Website

9th August 2026: 19th Sunday in Ordinary Time -Year A



Office Hours: Tuesdays & Thursdays: 10:30am – 1:30pm

1st Reading: Kings 19:9a, 11-13a. **Psalm:** 85:9ab, 10, 11-12, 13-14. **2nd Reading:** Romans 9:1-5. **Gospel:** Matthew 14:22-33.

2nd Collection:

NEXT: (13th September-Catholic Education Service)

PASTORAL TEAM

Fr Michael Faneye, MSP: Parish Priest;

Mr Charles Madden: Chair PPC / Mrs Catherine Biney: Finance; Mrs Sade Onile-Ere: Safeguarding, Catechist / Mr Patrick Sanniez: Sacristan

WEEKDAY AND WEEKEND MASS SCHEDULE			ORDER OF MASS	
DAY	TIME	INTENTIONS	I Confess	p.8
Saturday:08/08	18.30	People of the Parish	1 st Reading	p. 114
Sunday:09/08	09.00	Mr & Mrs Sanniez-RIP	Resp. Psalm	p.115
	11.00	Catherine Ikwueme-Birthday	2 nd Reading	p.115
Monday:10/08	NO MASS		Gospel	p.116
Tuesday:11/08	09:30		I believe in	p.11
Wednesday:12/08	09:30		Our Father	p.56
Thursday:13/08	09:30			
Friday:14/08	09:30			
Saturday:15/08	18.30			
Sunday:16/08	09.00	For the Helpless Souls in Purgatory		
	11.00	People of the Parish		

STANDING ORDERS/DIRECT DEBIT

Offerings can be made by envelope, contactless machine, direct debit or standing order.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION – 02/08/2026

Gift Aid	Loose	Total
£226.00	£240.29	£466.29

PARISHIONERS' BIRTHDAYS

Winta Girmay/10th, Yumeika Cudjoe/11th, Anwyll-Joseph Essien/12th, Paulina Ajavon/12th, Dorothy Amaka-Otchere/13th, Sean E. Barrett/14th

ANNOUNCEMENTS

EVANGELIUM CONFERENCE: A conference on Catholic faith, life, and culture for young adults, at the Oratory School, Reading from **21-23 August, 2026**. This will enable faithful young Catholic adults effective for Mission. Over the years, hundreds have ignited their faith through Evangelium. Many have met lifelong friends and spouses, joined apostolates or discovered a vocation. Speakers include: Canon Marcus Holden and Fr Mark Wharton. £165 full price (£149 concession), all-inclusive.

LOURDES PILGRIMAGE WITH BISHOP PAUL: Join Bishop Paul on pilgrimage to Lourdes, 21–28 August 2026, with the Catholic Association marking 125 years of Lourdes pilgrimages. Visit catholicassociation.co.uk/join2026 to book.

SUMMER STILLNESS RETREAT: The Friars, Aylesford. A time for going into the desert and listening to the voice of God with Fr Ged Walsh O. Carm and Angela Black from 10–14 August 2026. £582pp single/£542pp shared, all meals included. £30 deposit to book. Call 01622 717272 or email reception@thefriars.org.uk

MARCH FOR LIFE UK: Join Archbishop John Wilson at the March for Life UK, Saturday 5 September, 10am–5pm in London, including the Pro-Life Family Summit and Youth Summit. Find out more at marchforlife.co.uk

UPCOMING EVENTS

10th August - **St. Lawrence, Deacon, Martyr -Feast**
 16th August - **The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary – Solemnity**
 24th August – **St. Bartholomew – Feast**

PARISH REGISTRATION: Parishioners who have still not yet registered into the Parish data are encouraged to collect a registration form at the Parish Atrium or download from on-line and register with the Parish.

SOUTHWARK CATHOLIC YOUTH SERVICE: The Southwark Catholic Youth Service has a number of upcoming activities for youth and young adults. For regular updates on forthcoming events, sign up for its network at tinyurl.com/scysnetwork. For queries on youth activities, email youth@rcaos.org.uk

THE DIVINE MERCY APOSTOLATE: The Divine Mercy Apostolate, London is holding a Celebration of St Faustina Birthday at Aylesford Priory, Aylesford, Kent on Bank Holiday Monday 31 August 2025 from 10:30 am to 4pm. The reflection day will include teachings on the Message of Divine Mercy, Holy Mass, Hour of Mercy with Adoration and Benediction and Veneration of the Image of Merciful Jesus. All welcome. Call Millie on WhatsApp 07957594646 for more information. Coaches from Slough, Ealing Broadway and Victoria.