

WEEKLY COLLECTIONS:

First Collection (Cash): £235.07 Gift Aid Envelopes: £106.00
 Second Collection (Cash) £222.24 Gift Aid Envelopes: £35.00
 First Collection (Contactless): £280.00
 Second Collection (Contactless) £125.00
 Standing Orders: £960.00
Total for last wknd (Excl 2nd Collection for Peter's Pence): £1,581.07

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| Mass Intentions for this weekend: | | | 6/7 July 2024 |
| Sat 6 July | Vigil Mass | 6.00pm | People of the Parish |
| Sun 7 July | Family Mass | 8.30am 10.30am | Julia Cardozo Private Intention |
| Mon 8 July | Feria | 9.30am | *Holy Communion Service |
| Tues 9 | Feria | 9.30am 10-10 30am | *Holy Communion Service EXPOSITION |
| Weds 10 | Feria | 9.30am | *Holy Communion Service |
| Thurs 11 | St Benedict | 9.30am | *Holy Communion Service |
| Fri 12 | Feria | 9.30am | *Holy Communion Service |
| Sat 13 | Feria | 9.30am | *Holy Communion Service |
| Next Weekend: | | 13/14 July 2024 | Sunday Masses Fifteenth Sunday |
| Sat 13 July | Vigil Mass | 6.00pm | People of the Parish |
| Sun 14 July | Family Mass | 8.30am 10.30am | Dr Anna Bakowska Private Intention |

CONFESSIONS ON REQUEST Just ask.

**Please note that there is no 9.30am Mass on Mon 8, Tues 9, Weds 10, Thurs 11, Fri 12 & Sat 13 July, instead Readings, Prayers and Communion.*



QR CODE

Parishioners can use their smart phones to scan this QR code to make donations to any of our weekly collections. These donations can be gift-aided – just following the instructions on the screen. The QR code will take you to our parish Give A Little web donation page.

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| Gift Aid Contact: | Gillian O'Connell Email: wimbledonparktreasurer@rcaos.org.uk 020 8874 5989 | |
| Safeguarding: | If you have any worries or concerns about Safeguarding please email either Celine Duckworth at wimbledonparksg1@safeguardrcaos.org.uk or Simon Cowdry at wimbledonparksg4@safeguardrcaos.org.uk or alternatively ring/text 07845 428 871 | |

7th July 2024 14th Sunday in Ordinary Time year B



Jesus was rejected by His own townsfolk.

Do we feel rejected sometimes when we just want to pass on the truth to others?

CHURCH IS OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK 7.30 a.m. – 7.30 p.m.

UPDATE ON FR ANTHONY: Fr Anthony is doing well following his recent knee replacement surgery. He continues to follow a regimen of rest, physio & gentle exercise. And hopefully will be back saying masses very soon. But, to give him a bit more time to recuperate, this weekend the Sunday masses will be said again by Fr Ed O'Connell. (See below).



THANK YOU! Two weekends ago we welcomed back Fr Ed, a Columban Missionary who worked for many years in our Twin Parish of Nuestra Señora de las Misiones (Our Lady of the Missions) in Lima, Peru. Fr Ed Celebrated all of the weekend masses and updated us on the continuing work in the projects which we have helped to fund over the years. **Your generous**

contributions to the Retiring Collection for that work totalled a fabulous £1,100.00 (which included £71.50 cash contributions from the party and several subsequent bank transfers) This will be sent to the Columbans who will in turn make sure it is sent directly to fund the worthwhile projects in Lima.

SECOND COLLECTION next weekend will be for **STELLA MARIS (formerly the Apostleship of the Sea)**. A Catholic charity supporting Seafarers worldwide.

PARISH COUNCIL (PC) WHAT DOES IT DO? Please view the (green) notice explaining the role of the PC which is posted on the noticeboard in the church lobby, and is also on our website, our Facebook & WhatsApp groups. Also 'What we have done in the last year.'

DATES OF OUR PARISH COUNCIL MEETINGS 2024: Usually 3rd Tuesday of the month 7.30 – 9 p.m. Next meeting is on July 16th.

It is open to the WHOLE Parish. You can join in any time. We all have a responsibility to help our parish be more fruitful. Your ideas are worth sharing.

GIFT AID – ARE YOU REGISTERED ON THE PARISH SCHEME AS YET?

For those not yet on the scheme please do consider joining up. If you are a UK taxpayer, Gift Aid is a great way to make your offertory donation more valuable to CTK by an extra 25%! Also, you have the option of setting up a **Standing Order** which makes it even easier to make a regular contribution to the parish. *Please download & complete the forms which are available on our website - www.christthekingparish.org.uk. Or pick up the form(s) from the table at the back of church or from the Repository table at the Church entrance.* Completed forms can be returned either by email to our parish office or put through the Presbytery door.

SUNDAY LUNCHES My diary free from 30th June. Any kind offers? Or if you do not do lunch on Sundays, perhaps you could invite me for a cuppa any day? Lunches for my freezer are always welcome. **I have had my knee replacement surgery on 18th June. So rather bored afterwards, and not able to drive for 6 weeks.**



UPDATE ON PROJECTS IN OUR TWIN PARISH (FROM FR ED):

In San Benito township on the northern side of Lima, we continue with the homework, reading and therapy clubs, the participation of the Children and Adolescents' organisations in raising their voices at local council level and undertaking surveys of adolescents' opinions, regarding their needs, which they then feed into the municipal, education and health authorities, so as to impact their annual plans of action. What is new is that each adolescent has been challenged to work on their own personal life project, to give them support as they discern possible work opportunities and/or further studies after secondary school, be that technical or university. This includes continued socio-emotional skilling and accompanying the adolescent with the preparation of their CVs.

In the remote villages in the Province of Paucar del Sara Sara, Ayacucho, the Warmi Huasi team in coordination with the local education authorities, have selected 4 new rural schools in which to run a reading comprehension program, providing a box of reading books, mixture of Spanish and Quechua, and a methodology for the teachers (whereby the children write a brief summary of the book read and write a short story themselves) to maximise the comprehension process. As an incentive, at the end of the year, those schools that show interest, will the following year have a full reading club program, with more books. Altogether, we are now working in 7 primary schools, including socio-emotional skilling for students and parents, and in 3 secondary schools with the personal life project.

A short video that the Warmi Huasi team made on the project "Participation" with the background story of 4 of key adolescents: All four help out with the children and are key players in their communities. That is why I call them "**agents of change**", as they are role models for the younger ones and also the activities they organize improve the lives of children and adolescents and that of their communities. I hope you enjoy it. It is in YouTube format. Just click on the blue:

<https://youtu.be/Z876vKaSW9o?si=wtQqiTqsj4gw2UA8>

MOTHERS' PRAYERS: Join us in The Lady Chapel to pray for children every Thursday, (during term time), from 7-7.30pm in the Church. *Any queries please contact Anne-Marie Craven or Isabela De Abreu: mothersprayersctk@yahoo.com*

NEW PARISHIONERS: Welcome. Please take a Parish Directory Leaflet (light blue). Please also complete Parish Registration & Gift Aid Form at church entrance. & return to the Presbytery Letterbox at 9 Crescent Gardens.

BAPTISMS: Please see the poster in lobby for more info.

Please **DO NOT** choose your godparents without consulting Fr Anthony.

MARRIAGES: Please give at least six months' notice.

CTK FACEBOOK GROUP: has **182 members**. It is a private, 'closed' group, so please do ask to join if you are on Facebook, '**Parishioners & Friends of Christ the King, Wimbledon Park**'. Fr Anthony helps us know our Faith better by giving each week a very short comment on the various articles of our Faith. Have a look