# NEWSLETTER

#### New Email: peckhamrye@rcaos.org.uk Web: www.stjamesthegreatpeckham.org

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#### Monday 6<sup>th</sup> August – Sunday 12th August 2018

# **Mass Intentions**

Monday Th	e Transfigura	ation of the Lord
	10:00am	Priest's Intention
Tuesday	10:00am	Holy Souls
Wednesday	10:00am	Liturgy of the Word
	7:00pm	Pope's Intention
Thursday	10:00am	Poor of the Parish
Friday	10:00am	Peace in the World
Saturday	6:00pm	Children of the Parish
Sunday A 08:30am 10:00am 12 noon	<i>Nineteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</i> People of the Parish Children's Thanksgiving Holy Souls	

#### Confessions 2–4pm every Saturday, or by Appointment

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## Parish Email

All Parishes in the Southwark Diocese have been allocated a new email address, ours is: peckhamrye@rcaos.org.uk It is now fully functional and replaces stjamesthegreatpeckhamrye@gmail.com.

## Peckham Festival

Would any choir, singing group, or individuals be interested in taking part in choral performances to showcase various faith communities in Peckham? The festival is taking place on 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> September at strategic spots around Peckham between 12 noon and 6pm. Please contact Rina Mushonga at:

peckhamfestivalpresents@gmail.com

For more information or to join in!

www.peckhamfestival.org

## Fr. Simon

**UBUNTU** is a very nice story from Africa...

The motivation behind the Ubuntu culture in Africa...

An Anthropologist proposed a game to the African tribal children...

He placed a basket of sweets near a tree And made the children stand 100 meters away. Then announced that whoever reaches first would get all the sweets in the basket. Then he said 'ready steady go! '..

Do you know what these children did? They all held each other's hands, ran together towards the tree, divided the sweets equally among themselves, ate the sweets and enjoyed them.

When the Anthropologist asked them why they did so,

They answered..."Ubuntu"

Which meant-

'How can one be happy when the others are sad?'

Ubuntu in their language means-

*"I am because we are"* A strong message for all generations.

Let all of us always have this attitude and spread happiness wherever we go.

Let's have an "Ubuntu" Life ....

# I AM BECAUSE WE ARE

## Welcome



A warm welcome to anyone new to the parish. Please stay for a tea and chat after the service.

## Parish Website

The Parish website is in the process of being redesigned, however the newsletters are now available to read online or print out and the Contacts page is now working.

In every walk of life, teamwork is the key to success.