

NEWSLETTER

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Monday 1st April – Sunday 7th April 2019

The Annunciation of the Lord

Monday	10:00am	Special Intention
Tuesday	10:00am	Maria Appah
Wednesday	10:00am	Liturgy of the Word
<i>Stations of the Cross immediately after liturgy</i>		
	7:00pm	Fr Colin Murphy R.I.P
Thursday	10:00am	Intention of Eileen
Friday	10:00am	Fr David Goddard R.I.P
<i>Stations of the Cross immediately after mass</i>		
	5.30 – 6.30pm	Holy Hour
Saturday	6:00pm	School Intention
Sunday	<i>Fifth Sunday in Lent (C)</i>	
8:30am	Victims of Violence	
10:00am	Andy Effiom R.I.P	
12 noon	People of the Parish	

**Confessions 2 – 4pm every Saturday,
but can also be organised anytime,
text 07909 140867**

Bosco Camp

Applications for this year are now open. We would ask, where possible, that all applications are now completed with our new online application form. Please visit our **new** website <http://www.svpboscocamp.org.uk> to apply for a place at 2019 camp.

Support for Peckham Mosque

Thanks to all the parish members who showed their support for those worshipping at the local mosque, who are currently facing violence and prejudice, especially after the New Zealand disaster. Rye Lane Chapel is hosting a prayer meeting on the second Monday of each month from 7.30- 8.45pm, for our Muslim brothers and sisters in Peckham and across the world.

Fr Jack

An ambassador is someone who represents his or her country. Ideally they do not have opinions of their own. They represent their country and should carry the opinions of their government with them, pushing the good of their own country.

Paul tells us we are ambassadors for Christ. We represent Christ. An awesome task, but unlike countries' ambassadors, wherever we go Christ goes with us. This is the real difference, because when Christ is with us we are capable of achieving great things. Paul goes further and says we are reconciling ambassadors. That is the great contribution of the Catholic Church: To be reconcilers in the world.

Pope Francis is the master: A Christ like ambassador, going into the most dangerous and controversial countries, facing the challenges of their often hostile people and usually coming up smelling of roses. Yes truly, because Christ goes with him.

He is also with you and I and across the table with your partner.

Don't disappoint Him.

You cannot build a reputation on things you are going to do, but you can on the things you have done.

Help to Save Someone's Life

Blood donation sessions are being held at Rye Lane Chapel, 59a Rye Lane, SE15 5EX on Tuesday 2nd April & Tuesday 9th April 2019. Appointments are available between 2.00-4.30pm & 5.30-8.00pm. Book online at www.blood.co.uk or call 0300 123 2323.

Confirmation

There will be a Confirmation on 7th April. If any adult has not been confirmed, please come and see Fr Jack. a.s.a.p. It is a necessary requirement for marriage.