



## ENGLISH MARTYRS CHURCH

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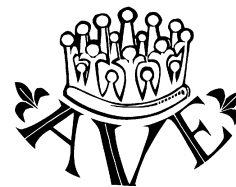
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Fr Albert Ofere

**The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

**15th August 2021**



**Pope Francis Prayer Intention for August:** **The Church** - Let us pray for the Church, that She may receive from the Holy Spirit the grace and strength to reform herself in the light of the Gospel.

Sat 14th	6 p.m.	J & D Wimberley R.I.P.	
Sun 15th	9.00 a.m. 11.00 a.m.	V Ferrao R.I.P.; F O'Sullivan R.I.P. M Padden R.I.P. Fr Albert & Mary Int; J Ankrah Int	<b>No Evening Mass</b>
Mon 16th	Feria	P Fernandes Int	
Tues 17th	Feria	Andrew & Nathan Thanksgiving	
Wed 18th	Feri	7 p.m. C D'Mello R.I.P.	
Thurs 19th	Feria	R Fernando R.I.P. <b>Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament</b>	
Fri 20th	St Bernard	C & M Colaco R.I.P.	
Sat 21st	St Pius X	B Moran R.I.P. ; Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour	<b>Reconciliation 10.40 a.m. &amp; 5.15 p.m.</b>

**Spiritual Prayer Reflection:** Lord, we pray that our Church communities will be your dwelling place on earth

where the lowly ones of the world  
- the poor, the aged and the children, those who are  
shunned by the wider society,  
strangers, immigrants, refugees, minorities from different religious or ethnic groups –  
are welcomed; where they will exult because they are called blessed,  
and the great things you have done for them are celebrated;

where the proud of heart are routed, those who set themselves up as princes  
over others  
are pulled down from their thrones and the lowly are exalted,  
the hungry are so filled with good things that those of us who thought we were rich  
now realize that we have been sent away empty.  
We pray that your Church, the true Israel your servant,  
will always remember your preferential love for the poor  
and the promises you made to Abraham and his descendants forever are fulfilled.



### Prayer to Our Lady

Almighty and eternal God,  
who hast taken up into the glory of Heaven,  
with body and soul,  
the immaculate Virgin Mary, Mother of thy son:  
grant us, we pray,  
that we may always strive after heavenly things  
and thus merit to share in her glory.  
Amen.

### Dates for your Diary:

- **Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist** will meet on Wednesday, 22nd September after 7 pm. Mass.
- **Readers** on Thursday, 23rd September at 7 p.m.
- **Altar Servers** on Saturday, 25th September at 11 a.m.
- **Everyone is expected to attend their appropriate meeting.**

**Coming to Mass:** It is important that we continue to ensure our church remains a place where people feel safe to gather to worship. To enable us to do this we ask that every parishioner to follow the guidelines given by the Bishops of England and Wales. We continue to take these precautions for the common good to protect the people around us.

**Please use** sanitisers as you enter and leave the church.

**Wearing a face mask is strongly recommended**

**Track & Trace:** we are still obliged to keep record of people attending, there are a number of ways you can do this – 1. **You can** use QR code in porch. 2. **You can** write your details on sheet in porch or if you prefer **you can** register online for weekday and weekend masses.

- **First Communion Certificates** will be presented to the children on Sunday, 19th September at 11 a.m. Mass.
- **First Communion & Confirmation 2021:** Photographs are available to be viewed and purchased please follow link. <http://emwp-photography.blogspot.com/> **Tel: 020 8200 0854**

- **Church Offerings:** Thank you to everyone who continues to support the parish financially. If you wish to donate by standing order our details **WRDCT English Martyrs** Sort Code: 40-05-20 Account Number 71308335. Your generosity is very much appreciated.

- **Marriages:** If you are planning to get married in this parish or elsewhere you will need to give the parish **at least six months' notice**. Engaged couples can find up to date information on Marriage Preparation Courses in the diocese at [www.rcdow.org.uk/pastoralaffairs/marriageandfamilylife](http://www.rcdow.org.uk/pastoralaffairs/marriageandfamilylife)

- **Church Cleaning on Monday and Saturday's after morning mass.** Many hands make light work. If you have an hour to spare, please come along. **Thank you.**

#### Act of Spiritual Communion:

My Jesus,

*I believe that you are present in the Holy Sacrament of the altar.*

*I love you above all things*

*and I passionately desire to receive you into my soul.*

*Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally,  
come spiritually into my soul  
so that I may unite myself wholly to you now and  
forever.  
Amen*

#### Anima Christi

Soul of Christ, sanctify us.

Body of Christ, save us.

Blood of Christ, inebriate us.

Water from the side of Christ, wash us.

Passion of Christ, strengthen us.

O Good Jesus, hear us.

Within Thy wounds hide us.

Suffer us not to be separated from thee.

From the malicious enemy defend us.

In the hour of our death call us.

And bid us come unto Thee,

That with all Thy saints,  
we may praise thee

Forever and ever.

Amen