

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 15th May 2016.
Envelopes: £ 458.16
Loose: £ 325.00
Standing Orders £ 921.08 (Apr/W/Week)
Catholic Communications Appeal _
 £177.15

Your generosity enables us to pay the parish bills. Thank you!

FORGOTTEN to bring some money for the collection? Just text "PARISH HOLLO" to this number: 70800, to donate £5 automatically. This amount will be added to your phone bill.

JUST MOVED in to the PARISH?
 Welcome! Please register by completing a registration form at the parish office.

STANDING ORDER

It is not always possible to attend Mass in your own parish every week, like when you're on holiday. The most effective way to give is via a standing order from your bank account. All you need to do is fill in our Planned Giving Form, sign it, and return it to the office.

Are you on our GIFT AID list yet?

It is *important* to gift aid your offering to the church (whether Sunday envelopes or through standing order). This means that the government will top up your offering by 25p for every £1 at no extra cost to you, the giver. You have to be a UK taxpayer to qualify and you have to fill in a declaration form. For more information, please call the office or ask Fr. Gideon.

CHURCH OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS, HOLLOWAY

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 Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 9:30am- 3:00pm.



MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

22nd May 2016 THE MOST HOLY TRINITY	6:00 pm (Sat. Vigil Mass) 8:30 AM	Myriam Imbert R.I.P Patricia Shambler
	11:00AM	John Rainsford R.I.P. Wayne Cosgrove R.I.P Jamie Taylor – R.I.P Anniversary
23rd May Monday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Claudy Brian Loemba - Ints
24th May Tuesday	No Mass	
25th May Wednesday St Bede the Venerable	9:15 am Mass	Martin O'Hagan – R.I.P Y 6S-6G From School at Mass
26th May Thursday St Philip Neri	9:15 am Mass	Rosa Nicholas - Intentions
27th May Friday St Augustine of Canterbury	9:15am Mass	For the Parish
28th May Saturday Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	11:00 – 12:00 am 6:00pm(Vigil Mass) (Sat . Vigil Mass)	Monica Wims R.I.P –Anniv.
29th May 2016 The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)	8:30 am Mass 11:00am Mass	Rose McNamee – R.I.P Teresa Ferguson R.I.P- Anniversary

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THE MOST HOLY TRINITY

The Deep End. 'Making space'

Do not try to save the whole word

Or do anything grandiose.

Instead, create a clearing in the dense forest of your life

And wait there patiently, until the song

That is your life falls into your own cupped hands

And you recognize and greet it.

Only then will you know how to give yourself

To this world so worthy of rescue.

There is deep wisdom in this poem. The advice to 'create a clearing in the dense forest of your life' particularly resonates with me. It can be difficult, with our hectic lives and all the noise of the world around us, to have time to take stock of things. Of course we feel a call to be good people, to be positive force in the world, but where we do start?

Well, Jesus tells us to start small. In today's Gospel, he is careful not to overburden his disciples. He has lots more to say and to teach them, but it would 'too much' for them now. Instead he gives them a space. After he is gone, when the time is right and they have had time to reflect, he will send his Spirit to lead them in the right direction. That same Spirit is with us now, if we can make a space to listen. TrionaDoherty@Intercom

A Prayer to our Lady (Salve Regina)

Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of mercy, hail, our life, our sweetness and our hope. To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve: to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn then, most gracious Advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us, and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus, O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary!

We ask for your charitable prayers for those who are sick, recently deceased and those whose anniversaries are at this time.

For the sick and the housebound:

Frankie Alfante, Domenica Solari, Mary Wong, Lucrecia Martinez, Michael Bailey, D'Shaun Louis, Ada Bacarini, Lucy Ugoala, Rosa Nicholas, Eillen Graham, Martine Rainsford, Edwina Toson, Sarah Lane, Christopher Fradley, Michael Long, Charlie Crane, Stella Turner, Michael Cole, Steadman Descartes, Joe Samuels, Nora Harkin, Eileen Ely, Maria Ward, Barbara Baptiste, Margaret Mulroy, Eileen Lucas, Alison McGoff, Martin & Margaret Cooke, Margaret Deignan, Mary Morrissey, Stephanie Enepi, **and all who are sick and housebound in the parish.**

Anniversaries:

Teresa Ferguson, Monica Wims, John Rainsford & Wayne Cosgrove, Sean McDermott, Sr Elisa Vanin, Agostino Solari, John Joseph Walsh, Lisa Dolan, Stanley Richards, Noel Daly, Joe Neary, Jimmy Gribben, Frances Byrne.

Please Pray for the Recently Dead:

Michael Lau Yu Kan, John Harkin, Joel Roque, Kevin Nugent, Gerry Johnson, Bernard John Peter Fear, Annie Murtagh, Nancy Cullen, Anne Finden, Michael Gill, Mary Tisseverasinghe, Florencio Fusin, Paulus Awondata, Sam McKinney.

"Eternal rest grant unto them Lord, and let your light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen."

A NEW WAY TO SUPPORT

Sacred Heart Church is now available to us – through text giving on your mobile phone! Just text PARISH HOLLO to 70800 to donate £5 automatically. This amount will be added to your phone bill. An easy way to make offerings or to top-up your regular giving, or to give if you're visiting. No more need to search your pocket for loose coins either. Thank you.

NEW PARISH WEBSITE:

www.sacredheartchurchholloway.org.uk

BAPTISM

Babies are usually baptised in the first 6 months of life. To book a baptism for your child, please contact the parish office. Parents of the child must practice their faith and registered members of the parish. At least one parent of the child and the godparent must supply us with their **Catholic baptismal certificate** and the child's **birth certificate**. Parents and godparents **must** attend a baptismal preparation meeting beforehand.

The next parents' and Godparents' meeting will be after summer holidays.

MARRIAGE

Six months' notice must be given, even if you're marrying elsewhere, we must do preparation and paperwork. Please contact Fr. Gideon. To make an appointment email: holloway@rcdow.org.uk

PREPARATION FOR CONFIRMATION:

Candidates will attend a retreat led by SPEC on Saturday 28th May. Confirmation candidates and catechist will meet at the parish at 8:30a.m. Do not forget your packed lunch. We will leave together. Please be punctual!!!

LOVE HEALS BODY MIND AND SPIRIT TEAM

Welcome you to come on a one day Retreat of quiet Reflection

Saturday 28th May 2016 11:00am – 5:00pm

The Catholic Church of our Lady of Assumption & St Gregory. Warwick Street, Piccadilly, W1F 9JR.

'Encounter Jesus Christ'

A weekend of prayer and discernment in this Year of Mercy for single women in their 20s and 30s with the Ursulines of Jesus.

Friday 3rd – Sunday 5th June 2016 -London

Email: cornerstone1802@gmail.com

Consecrate your family to the Sacred Heart of Jesus

Vigil Mass for the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart. 2 June 7:30pm - 9:00pm at St Patrick's Church, Soho Square, London W1D 4NR.

After the successful conclusion of the Montessori based approach of the Catechesis of the Good Shepherd, to the religious formation of children aged 3-12 which has been run over 4 sessions at St Patrick's, the Vigil Mass for the Solemnity of the Sacred Heart of Jesus will offer families the opportunity to consecrate themselves to the Sacred Heart of Jesus. All are welcome

SPIRIT IN THE CITY (1-4 June 2016)

Catholic festival of Mercy in the West End of London. Join the programme of prayer, talks, and celebrations in Notre Dame de France and the all day festival in Leicester Square gardens on Saturday.

For details visit: www.spiritinthecity.org
FULL OF GRACE - a new Catholic film about Mary's last days on earth. Join the opening night of Spirit in the City festival for this cinematic prayer experience in the Prince Charles Cinema on Wednesday 1st June 2016 at 6.30 pm followed by panel discussion Tickets: £15 (£12 conc.) book online: www.bit.ly/bookfullofgrace.

An evening with Mary McAleese

Thursday 23rd June (7:00pm – 9:00pm) Westminster Cathedral Hall This evening will explore the vision of the Church which Pope Francis is urging us to embrace. Pope Francis has said "I want a happy Church with the face of a mother, who understands, accompanies, caresses."RSVP to ACTA Southwark, actasouthwark@yahoo.com A donation of £10 on the day will be welcome. The front entrance is in Ambrosden Avenue, SW1P 1QH.

SVP ST. JOHN BOSCO SUMMER CAMP

The St John Bosco Centre provides an opportunity for children to have an exciting, activity-packed camping holiday in the Essex countryside setting.

The site is set in over forty acres of Essex countryside and is owned and maintained by SVP volunteers. Children live in tents, in groups of seven or eight and the entire week is taken up with a full programme of planned and supervised activities.

Application for Camp 2016 are now open.

Boys camp Week 1 (Ages 8 – 13)

23 July – 30 July

Boys camp Week 2 (Ages 8 – 13)

30 July – 6 August

Girls Camp (Ages 9 – 12)

6 August – 13 August

For more info, please see poster in porch or ask Fr. Gideon.

MUSINGS

As a child in Dublin, the story of St Patrick and his use of the shamrock to explain the mystery of three persons in one God was frequently repeated in homilies. The shamrock and symbols of The Trinity are frequently used in Celtic art and something that we especially associate with our Irish Church. The Book of the Kells and other early Irish Gospel manuscripts are beautifully adorned with these sacred symbols. I often think of this great Trinitarian art while I pray the words of today's Alleluia verse 'Glory be to the Father and to the Son and to the Holy Spirit'. The response is completed by the words 'the God who is, who was, and who is to come' which remind me of the difficult concept of infinity. My prayer today is that the God who created me, lived on earth like me, will continue to inspire me to higher things.

Health and Safety –Children under 12 years old will not be allowed in the gallery at all times. Children should be supervised by their parents when they are in the toilets and when crossing the road to the parish community centre.

Church Cleaning- The church gets a lot use and so needs to be cleaned regularly. We are appealing for more volunteers TO JOIN THE TEAM. Please contact the parish office 02076073594 or Juliana 07960541286 to volunteer. Also Sacristy laundry – we need volunteers.

VOLUNTEER CATECHISTS: the parish needs catechists for children, young people and adults. **Training will be given in September 2016.** An opportunity to Share your God-given talents.

Vocations Discernment Group: Missionaries of Charity 27th May

7:00pm-9:00pm

Venue: The Hinsley Room on Morpeth Terrace. Westminster, London SW1P 1EW. The Vocations Discernment group is open to adult (18-30s) wishing to discern what God is calling them to do in their lives. This month the Missionaries of Charity will speak on the Corporal Works of Mercy For more information, contact Fr Richard: richardnesbitt@rcdow.org.uk

SUMMER ACCOMODATION IN LONDON

Allen Hall Seminary in Chelsea offer comfortable rooms in Central London in July August. Beautiful Gardens and chapel. Rooms from £50/night incl.breakfast. Website: www.allenhall@rcdow.org.uk Email: allenhall@rcdow.org.uk or 02073495600