

## Offertory Collections

Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2014

Envelopes: £499.66

Loose: £278.84

Standing Orders £699 (May./Week)

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

### JUST MOVED in to the PARISH?

Welcome. Please register by completing a registration form from the office.

### PLANNED GIVING (OFFERING)

It is deciding how much of your income to regularly give to the work of your Parish. This will help us **budget** for the years ahead.

## 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.

### PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES 2014

#### Gift Aid? It's worth it!

It is important to **gift aid** your offering to the church (envelopes or standing order). This means that the government will top up your offering by 25p for every £1 at no extra expense 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.

# NEWSLETTER

## Church of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

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Parish Office opening times **for Admin**

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



## 14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time 06<sup>th</sup> July 2014

### 'All you who are wary...'

Jesus had little success with the 'professionals' of his day. Yet today's Gospel he bursts into a prayer of thanksgiving for revealing wisdom to those who are considered 'infants'. In the context of these chapters of Matthew, it is stressed that the poor are the only ones who truly understand the wisdom of God and they do so under the weight of great oppression and demands placed on them by religious authorities. For example, the 'wise' place their particular interpretation of the law on the 'ritually unclean' by excluding them from meals (9:10-13) or place restrictions on the Sabbath that ignore human need (12:1-14).

Jesus wants people to leave aside these oppressors and learn from him; find rest in him. His focus is on mercy, compassion and love. This passage shows the tenderness with which Jesus welcomes and accepts. Jesus knows the reality of people's suffering. He is not saying that there are no burdens in life; but that he will help people to find wisdom. This wisdom gives consolation, tenderness, acceptance and the rest for which the soul yearns.

*'Lowliness is humility, and that means down-to-reach realism. I accept myself as the raw material God has chosen to work through. For God can use me if I am ready to be me. God cannot do much with me as I wish I were, and even less with me trying to be someone else. In supple strength and cheerful self-acceptance lies the secret of a calm and restful spirit.'*  
@ Intercom

### SEA SUNDAY

Next week is Sea Sunday, when the church prays for all those who live and work at the sea. There will be a second collection for Apostleship of the Sea, The official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church in Great Britain. It provides practical and spiritual support to seafarers visiting our ports. Please give generously to support its important work. For more information about this work visit [www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk](http://www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk)

### MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

<b>Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> July</b> <b>14<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>  <i>(Next Sunday, Apostle of the Sea's Collection)</i>	(6.00pm Sat. Vigil Mass)	Michael Lonergan R.I.P Anniversary
	8:30 AM	Eddie and Bridie Gorman R.I.P Anniversary
	10:15 AM	Columbus Itoya Iyayi R.I.P Anniversary
	12:00 PM	For the Parish
<b>7<sup>th</sup> July Monday</b> Feria	9:15 am Mass	Patrick Folan - Intentions
<b>8<sup>th</sup> July Tuesday</b>	No Mass	
<b>9<sup>th</sup> July Wednesday</b> St Augustine Zhao Rong	9:15 am Mass	Swan Family R.I.P
<b>10<sup>th</sup> July Thursday</b> Feria	9:15 am Mass	Theresa Kobacik R.I.P
<b>11<sup>th</sup> July Friday</b> St Benedict	9:15 am Mass 2:00pm Mass	Helena Forgo R.I.P School leaver's
<b>12<sup>th</sup> July Saturday</b>  Blessed Virgin Mary	1:00 – 5:00pm  6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Lumen Dei Prayer Meeting Fr. Antony Peggy Doran R.I.P - Anniversary
<b>13<sup>th</sup> July</b> <b>15<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time,</b>  <i>Apostle of the Sea's Collection</i>	8:30 AM	Mrs R.J.K – Intentions
	10:15 AM	Richard Houlihan R.I.P- Anniversary
	12:00 PM	For the Parish

*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:**

Joseph Quill, Pat Ritchie, Cedric Cowell, Margaret Mulroy, Eileen Ely, Margaret Loneragan, Ashia Darr, Eileen Lucas, Helen Bradley, Tanya Obid, Alison McGoff, Martin & Margaret Cooke, Chris Eisen, Diana Johnson, Edwina Toson, Charlie Crane, Ben and Margaret Deignan, Mary Morrissey, Ernie Fisher, Stephanie Enepi, Michael Cole, Mrs. Tisseveransinghe, Clive Bromhill, **and all who are sick and housebound in the parish.**

**Anniversaries:**

Daniel Hagan, Jose Ocampo, Teresa Ferguson, Keith Potter, Mary Heffernan, Bridie Gorman, Nora O'Reilly, George Johnson, Elizabeth Ellis, May Johnson, Eugene O'Keefe, Pierre Imbert, Martin Mc Carthy., Mary O'Neill, John Rainsford, Barney Doherty, James Morrissey, Anna Morrissey, Kevin O'Brien, Michael Houlihan, Michael Loneragan, Columbus Itoya Iyayi.

**Please Pray for the Recently Dead:**

Hilda Camozzi, Ryan Grey, Keith Harding, Tanya Page, Teresa Rooney Maher, Henry Dolan, Eduard Donnelly, Madeleine Allen, Monica Devereux, Jerry Murtagh, Betty McMahon, Mary Costin, Bill Millet, Dora Tomson, Anson Gamy, Keith Harding

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

**PARISH WEBSITE**

[www.sacredheartchurchholloway.org.uk](http://www.sacredheartchurchholloway.org.uk)  
Please do not confuse it with the old website's address which is now defunct:  
[www.sacredheartchurchholloway.co.uk](http://www.sacredheartchurchholloway.co.uk)

**BAPTISM**

Babies are usually baptised in the first 6 months of life. To book a baptism for your child, please contact the parish priest or Sr. Naomi. Parents of the child must be **registered** members of the parish. At least one parent of the child needs to supply us with their Catholic baptismal certificate and the child's birth certificate. Parents and godparents must attend some baptism preparation beforehand.

**Next parents' and godparents' meeting Tuesday 15th July at 7.30, meeting room.**

***Please be informed that the next meeting will be in the Autumn.***

**MARRIAGE**

Six months' notice must be given for marriage, whether here or elsewhere. The parish in which you are a resident has to do preparation and paperwork. Couples considering marriage should speak to the priest well in advance. To make an appointment email: [holloway@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:holloway@rcdow.org.uk)

**ENQUIRERS' GROUP**

If you are thinking of becoming a Catholic; or you would like to be confirmed; or you would just like to know more about your faith, this group is for you.

**LUMEN DEI PRAYER - FELLOWSHIP DAY**

Come and join Fr. Anthony Musaala for a day with Jesus, adoration, prayer and healing, here at, Most Sacred Heart of Jesus Parish, this Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> July from 1:00 to 5:00pm finishing with Mass at 6:00 for Lumen Dei Network.

**SUMMER'S MASS TIME SCHEDULE**

As usual, during Summer time, we will have a revised Mass schedule on Sundays. From Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July until Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> August, Sunday Masses will be at 6:00pm (Sat. Vigil) 8:30am and 11:00am only.

**MONDAY MORNING COFFEE**

Sr.Naomi is back. Please come and enjoy coffee/tea after 9:15am Mass, for parents/carers and toddlers (but everyone welcome).

**NEW PARISH NOTICEBOARD**

There is a new noticeboard to the right of the main door which has details of parish events and activities. Please keep an eye on it and join our prayer & social events.

**ASSISTED DYING BILL**

Please write to a member of the House of Lords The Bill to legalise "assisted dying" - meaning assisted suicide - will be debated in the House of Lords on 18th July 2014. There will be a free vote because it is not government legislation. If passed, this Bill would place vulnerable people at serious risk. Especially if you have direct experience of caring for a dying person, either as a family member or as a health or social care professional, please write before 18th July to a Peer to tell them your views. For more information, including details of how to write to a Peer, please visit [www.catholicchurch.org.uk/assisted-dying-bill](http://www.catholicchurch.org.uk/assisted-dying-bill)  
**IT IS VERY IMPORTANT TO WRITE AS SOON AS POSSIBLE AND CERTAINLY BEFORE 18TH JULY.**

**PILGRIMAGES to WALSINGHAM**

National Catholic Grandparents Association Pilgrimage to Walsingham on Saturday 26 July. A day of faith and fun for all generations starting 11am. Make your own way, all welcome. Contact Tel: 01328 560 333. Or [sona@catholicgrandparentsassociation.org](mailto:sona@catholicgrandparentsassociation.org)

**PAX CHRISTI SEMINAR**

First World War what peace-making message can Christians contribute to remembrance and commemorations. With speakers Fr Rob Esdail and Rev Richard Carter. On Monday 14 July 3.30-6.30pm at The Centre, St Aloysius Church, 20 Phoenix Road, Euston NW1 1TA . Please RSVP, donations welcome on the day. More information at [www.paxchristi.org.uk](http://www.paxchristi.org.uk) (News & Events: 1st World War Peace Plans)

**INEQUALITY AND FARCE IN CONTEMPORARY BRITAIN**

Reflections from the Medieval Carnival and the biblical concept of *Shalom*. A **Justshare** lecture with Andy & Carol Kingston-Smith of the [jusTice Initiative](http://www.jusTice Initiative). 8<sup>th</sup> July, 6:05pm, at St Mary-le-Bow Church Cheapside, EC2V 6AU. See [www.justshare.org.uk](http://www.justshare.org.uk) for more information.

**A DAY WITH MARY**

St Cedd High Road, Goodmayes, Ilford IG3 8SH. on Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> July, from 10:00am – 5:30 pm.

**MUSINGS**

A Humorous email was circulated widely some years ago containing prayers written to God by children. Their easy familiarity challenges us to ask whether we have made our own prayer to complicated: 'Dear God, instead of letting people die and having to make new ones, why don't you just keep the ones you've got now?' / 'Dear God, I am American, What are you?' / 'If you watch in church on Sunday I will show you my new shoes.' / 'May be Cain and Abel would not kill each other so much if they had their own rooms. It works with my brother.' @ Intercom

**IN CASE YOU ARE ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL**

In light of data protection please indicate on entering hospital that your details are to be passed to the RC Chaplain. Also state that you would like the RC Chaplain to visit you

**UCR( Universe Catholic Radio)**

Is a mixture of contemporary music, news, features, interviews, religious instructions and information from the team that brings you the Catholic Times and the Universe.

**CATHOLIC SINGLES**

Catholic Singles is an organisation which helps single adult Catholics of all ages meet, either one to one or through social events. Please tel. 0161 941 3498, visit the website [www.catholicsingles.org.uk](http://www.catholicsingles.org.uk) or email [info@catholicsingles.org.uk](mailto:info@catholicsingles.org.uk)

**UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS**

Meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month after the 12:00noon Mass. All mothers are welcome.

**CHURCH CLEANING**

There are two teams and they clean at different times. We urgently need more volunteers. Please call Julia 07960 541286

**MASS FOR THE HEALING OF THE FAMILY TREE**

Mass with Fr. Eamon Power at St. Joseph's Church Highgate. Highgate Hill, London N19 5NE. at 2:00pm. Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> July. For more information please call: 07808 2970783