#### OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June 2019. Envelopes: Weekly £445.30 Loose: £434.93

Standing Orders £1,184.60 (Apr/week) Your generosity enables us to pay the parish bills. Thank you!

**Text Giving-** is quick and easy way to make donation towards the upkeep and running costs at Sacred Heart. Just text "PARISH HOLLO" to this number: 70800, to donate £5 automatically. This amount will be added to your phone bill.

For online giving, please go to: www.sacredheartchurchholloway.org.uk and click support. Thank you.

#### 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 <u>gift aid</u> 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 Elizabeth in the office

# MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

7 <sup>th</sup> July'19	6:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass	Columbus Iyayi R.I.P – Anniv Fr Anthony Musaala Celebrant
Fourteen Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:30 am Mass	Michael Lonergan R.I.P – Anniversary
	11:00 am Mass	Michael Ugoala – R.I.P Anniv. Fr Anthony Musaala Celebrant
8 <sup>th</sup> July Monday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Deceased members of the O'Gorman Family
9 <sup>th</sup> July Tuesday	No Mass	
10 <sup>th</sup> July Wednesday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Joe Sullivan R.I.P
11 <sup>th</sup> July Thursday St Benedict	9:15 am Mass	Ferelith Hood – R.I.P – Anniv.
12 <sup>th</sup> July Friday Feria	9:15 am Mass	For the Parish
13 <sup>th</sup> July Saturday St Henry		11:00-12;00 noon Confessions
	6:00 pm Vigil Mass	Bartley Hickey R.I.P
14 <sup>th</sup> July 2019	8:30 am Mass	John Bradley – Intentions
Fifteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time Apostleship of the Sea Collection	11:00 am Mass	Sean Harrington – R.I.P Anniversary

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# The Deep End Synergy

Earlier in Luke's Gospel, Jesus sent out the Twelve disciples to heal disease and to teach about God's Kingdom. Here he sends out a much larger group ahead of him, in pairs to every town and place where He himself intended to go. Being sent in pairs reminds us of the value of team work. In order for communities to grow and flourish the gifts of many people are needed. Synergy is needed. This happens when individual talents are harvested and aligned, as in the beauty of a choir singing in perfect harmony, or a sports team at the peak of their performance. Synergy is like a power of the Spirit that rewards collaborative efforts. It is when we can dream and strive for the possibility of things before they happen. Synergy promotes collaboration, not competition or exclusion.

Jesus gathered his followers around him, men and women, who were enthused by his vision. He sends his followers out in pairs so that they can support one another. In all our different roles, we too are sent out ahead of him, as parents, ministers of various kinds, politicians, educators, social workers, nurses ... In any team – a parish council, a ministry group, a choir, we need a type of synergy. We are all responsible for our Church, not just a select few. We all have different roles to play, we all have responsibilities. When we promote collaborative team work and strive for synergy, we embrace each other's stories and work for the common good. Then, exciting things are possible! TríonaDoherty@Intercom

# Sunday 14th July - Sea Sunday

Next week is Sea Sunday, when the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. There will be a second collection for Stella Maris, Apostleship of the Sea, the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church. It provides practical and spiritual support to seafarers visiting our ports. As it is dependent on voluntary donations, please give generously. For more information about its work, visit www. apostleshipofthesea.org.uk

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:

Angeles Wong, Amor Marcelo, Tony Reilly, Mary Egan, Colman Connelly, Catherine Wright, Mario Marshall, Ngozi Elong, Lily de Nobrega, Lil Traynor, Christopher Browne, Daithi Sweeney, Keith Hunt. Crystal Green. Ludvinia King, Patrick Doolan, Margaret Toolan, John Regan, Rosa Santos, Tom Kelly, Mary Wong, Michael Bailey, Kathy Bailey, Ada Bacarini, Eillen Graham, Martine Rainsford, Christopher Fradley, Edwina Toson, Charlie Crane Nora Harkin, Eileen Ely, Barbara Baptiste, Margaret Mulroy, Alison McGoff, Martin & Margaret Cooke, Ben Deignan, Stephanie Enepi, Chris Eisen and all who are sick and housebound in the parish.

Anniversaries: Lazaro Laron, Ferelith Hood, Michael Ugoala Michael Lonergan, Columbus Iyayi John Mazzoni, Edgar Ocampo, Mary O'Neill, Brian King, Teresa Ferguson, James Morrissey, Maeve Martin, Sean Harrington.

# Please Pray for the Recently Dead:

Tommy Canvil, Sean Burnage, Teresa McCormack, Margaret Nicole-Sey, Elijah Dolan, Sita Radomkit, Mark Joseph, Clara Lwembe, Margaret Deignan, Eva Buchalska, Edward Power.

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

# **Active Membership of the Parish**

is determined by the following criteria: being properly registered for a sufficient period of time; faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days; use of the planned giving system (envelope or bank standing order) in regular support of the parish.

#### **SACRAMENTS**

**MARRIAGE-** Six months' notice must be given, even if you're marrying elsewhere to gather and process the paper work. Please contact Fr. Gideon. To make an appointment email: holloway@rcdow.org.uk

# BAPTISM, FIRST HOLY COMMUNION, CONFIRMATION, R. C. I.A.

For details on being baptised, First Reconciliation & First Holy Communion preparation (year 3 and above), youth confirmation (14-18 year olds), being confirmed as an adult or for details about becoming Catholic, please pick up a leaflet from the back of the church or speak to Fr Gideon or Elizabeth.

Have you got a child for Baptism? Please call Elizabeth, the parish secretary in the parish office, on 0207 607 3594 on Tuesdays, Thursdays, Fridays between 9:30am and 3:00pm. Or email: <a href="mailto:holloway@rcdow.org.uk">holloway@rcdow.org.uk</a>

#### SACRED HEART VOLUNTEERS DAY

The foundation of the work done during the volunteers' day was the Parish Mission:

We are a welcoming, nourishing living parish, inspired by the Sacred Heart to serve and radiate this love to all.

With your help we can make many exciting things happen. For more info contact Elizabeth.

# **Cathedral Adult Confirmations 2019**

Congratulations to Diane Uwera and Didi Massaya who were Confirmed this Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July at Westminster Cathedral by Bishop John Sherrington. Please keep them in your prayers.

#### **PARISH DIARY**

<u>Children's Rosary</u> after the 11:00 am Mass-<u>Coffee and Tea</u> after the 11:00am Mass -<u>UCM Meeting</u>- Second Sunday of the Month after 11:00 am Mass.

Through your attention to the little ones and to the poor, you can kindle stars in the night for those who suffer. - Pope Francis

### **Catholic History Walks in July**

Islington Tuesday 9th July, 6.30pm. Enjoy this corner of London, with its history, and links to Charles Dickens, and a forgotten Catholic heroine. Meet at St John the Divine Church, Duncan Terrace, Islington London N1 8AL. nearest Tube: Angel.

Wintershall Education are looking for budding actors to take the story of Jesus into local schools as part of a free assembly program. This is a unique opportunity for parishioners experience something extraordinary for their own faith and be part of sharing this with others whilst supporting schools in understanding more about Jesus. Training and costumes provided. All you have to give is some time. What you get in return is incalculable. To find out more, come to our information morning on 9<sup>th</sup> July **11am-1pm** in the Hinsley Room, Morpeth Terrace behind Westminster Cathedral in London. For enquiries contact Lucy at education@wintershalleducation.com

# Young Seekers Meetings God in Football & Sport

The Vocations Promotion Team has begun a new group called Young Seekers. Led by Fr Mike Maguire, the Assistant Vocations Promoter, this group aims to attract men in their late teens and early twenties to meet regularly and share their hopes and maybe their uncertainties about the call of the Lord.

The next meeting will be held on Thursday 25th July from 6.45pm up until 8.30pm. The topic for the evening is 'God in Football & Sport' led by Fr Marc Lyden-Smith.

Each session to end with night prayer, followed by a visit to the pub. For details, contact Fr Mike Maguire, Assistant Vocations Promoter at vocations@rcdow.org.uk.

# Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel: Luke 12:32-48

- 1. Jesus sent out his disciples on a mission to let people know that 'The kingdom of God has come near to you.' Recall when you have reached out to another, in word or in deed, to help them realize that they were cherished, perhaps by a word of sympathy or encouragement, or by giving a hand with a difficult task. What was it like for you to experience yourself as a person bringing help and encouragement to another?
- 2. Jesus sent the disciples out two by two. When have you found it beneficial not to be working alone, but with another by your side? How did companionship change the experience? What you were able to achieve together that you could not have done on your own?
- 3. The instructions Jesus gave the disciples suggest appropriate attitudes for the one who 'goes before Jesus.' Let the images speak to you and evoke memories of times when you were welcomed and times when you were not. When have you found that it was good news to have the attitudes Jesus describes?
- 4. When the disciples returned, Jesus warned them not to focus on the thrill of what they had been able to achieve. It was more important that their 'names are written in heaven.' Sometimes we too need reminders that who we are is more important than what we do. Who have been the people who brought this home to you? Have there been experiences that helped you to appreciate this?

## Visiting of the Sick or Homebound

If you know of anyone who is sick or housebound and would like to be visited or receive Holy Communion. Please email or call the parish office to give us your information as well as the information of the person who wishes to be visited. They must reside in the parish area.