

## OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> Oct 2019.

Envelopes: Weekly £535.42

Loose: £351.42

Standing Orders £1,177.81 (Jul/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](http://www.sacredheartchurchholloway.org.uk)  
and click **support**. Thank you.

**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

### 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 Elizabeth in the office

# CHURCH OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS, HOLLOWAY

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



## TWENTY EIGHTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 13<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2019

### MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

<b>13<sup>th</sup> October</b>  <b>Twenty – Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>6:00pm Saturday Vigil Mass</b>	<b>Iza Holmes R.I.P Anniv.</b> <b>Ray Patterson – R.I.P Anniv.</b>
	<b>8:30 am Mass</b>	<b>Sam McKinney R.I.P</b>
	<b>11:00 am Mass</b>	<b>Leteghebreal Natabay – R.I.P</b>
14 <sup>th</sup> October Monday St Callistus	9:15 am Mass	Ana Gutierrez and Alfredo Silva R.I.P - Anniversary
15 <sup>th</sup> October Tuesday	<b>No Mass</b>	
16 <sup>th</sup> October Wednesday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Kunle Odunewu R.I.P Anniv Years 3F&3S from school at Mass
17 <sup>th</sup> October Thursday St Ignatius of Antioch	9:15 am Mass	Marie Dean R.I.P
18 <sup>th</sup> October Friday St Luke	9:15 am Mass	Christine Mukasa-Musaala R.I.P
<b>19<sup>th</sup> October Saturday Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday</b>	<b>6:00 pm Vigil Mass</b>	<b>11:00-12:00 noon Confessions</b> <b>Sheila Connolly R.I.P- Anniv</b>
<b>20<sup>th</sup> October</b> <b>Twenty – Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>  World Mission Sunday Collection	<b>8:30 am Mass</b>	<b>Janusz Oikula R.I.P Anniv.</b>
	<b>11:00 am Mass</b>	<b>Sheila Connolly R.I.P – Anniv</b>

### The Deep End - I wish you goodness

'Gratitude unlocks the fullness of life. It turns what we have into enough, and more. It turns denial into acceptance, chaos to order, confusion to clarity. It can turn a meal into a feast, a house into a home, a stranger into a friend.' *Melody Beattie*

What a difference an 'attitude of gratitude' can make! Pope Francis has spoken of the importance, in family life, of saying 'thank you.' Of course, it is not the words that are important but the intention and meaning behind them. To say thank you means 'I appreciate you.' The Irish for thank you, *go raibh maith agat*, is much more expressive than the English. It translates, 'May you have goodness,' or, 'I wish you goodness'. It serves to soften and deepen a relationship.

Today's Gospel is often described as a story about faith, and it is true that Jesus emphasises the faith of the man who was healed. But it is also very much a story about gratitude. The man who turns back to Jesus has had his life transformed, and he is eager to thank him. I was always puzzled by the meaning of the last words spoken by Jesus: 'Your faith has saved you.' Surely he had already been saved from his illness, as indeed had the other nine who showed no gratitude? They all received the same gift. But by thanking Jesus, the Samaritan man has entered into a relationship with him; he has become his friend and disciple. That is what Jesus means when he says he has been saved.

Gratitude is an important part of faith. What blessings do you have to be grateful for today? Have you let God know?  
TrionaDoherty@Intercome

### NOVEMBER...THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

**All Souls Envelopes are available at the back of the church. Please write the names of your deceased relatives and friends and place the envelope in the baskets after Mass when you collect your newsletter. Mass will be offered for them during the month of November.**

### OUR MISSION STATEMENT

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

*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:

Br Kilian Keaney, Maria Louise, Mary Ryan, Angeles Wong, Amor Marcelo, Tony Reilly, Mary Egan, Colman Connelly, Catherine Wright, Mario Marshall, Ngozi Elong, Lily de Nobrega, Lil Traynor, Christopher Browne, Keith Hunt, Crystal Green, Ludvinia King, Patrick Doolan, Margaret Toolan, 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**

Janusz Oikula, Kunle Odunewu, Ana Gutierrez, Alfredo Silva, Zelpha Anderson, Iza Sheila Connolly, Holmes, Ray Patterson, Gerard Balingit, Maria Speroni.

#### Please Pray for the Recently Dead:

Christine Mukasa-Musaala, Fr. Barry Ffrench, Alfred Bearman, Anne Roche, Elizabeth Cole, Senen Juan, Julia Bandola, Mark Joseph, Margaret Deignan.

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

### 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](mailto: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 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: [holloway@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:holloway@rcdow.org.uk)

#### Baptism or Confirmation of an Adult

Are you an adult seeking to be baptized or Confirmed? Join our program, preparation will start in November. Speak to Fr. Gideon about this on 02076073594.

#### CONFIRMATION 2020

Young people who are 14 years old and above (Year 9 or above) are illegible to join the Confirmation Programme 2020. Applications forms will be distributed from today.

The deadline to submit your Confirmation form is **Sunday 1st December 2019.**

**We anticipate that the course will begin in January 2020.**

#### LITURGY OF THE WORD FOR CHILDREN

We are very happy to invite children who are **4 to 8 years old or who are at school in Reception to year 3** to participate on Sunday at 11:00 am Mass, in the 'Liturgy of the Word with Children'. Unfortunately, due to limited resources, we are not able to invite younger or older kids to the Children's Liturgy.

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME 2019-2020

**First Parents' meeting is on Thursday 17th October at 7:00 pm. (children do not need to attend this meeting).**

Children will have their first session on Saturday 2nd November at 9:30 a.m.

#### The Summit

Date: 18th Oct from 6:30pm to 8:00pm

Venue: Westminster Cathedral, Westminster, London SW1P, UK

An event for young people aged 13 and above. The evening will include Exposition and a reflection from Cardinal Vincent Nichols. Guest speaker Brenden Thompson of Catholic Voices. With a live praise and worship band. All are welcome!

#### Family Holiday Club – 22nd October 2019

This half term Caritas Westminster will be holding a new Family Holiday Club at Blessed Sacrament Primary School. The club will include lots of fun activities for families to enjoy, followed by a hot nutritious lunch and food to take home and cook together. The club will be held from **11am-2pm, on Tuesday 22nd October** at Blessed Sacrament Primary School, Boadicea Street, Kings Cross, N1 0UF. The club is for children from ages 4-11, accompanied by a parent or guardian. The club is completely free to attend but advance booking is required. **Please text 0752 5812 508 or email [cfc@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:cfc@rcdow.org.uk) to book a place.**

#### JOIN THE CHOIR

The choir is looking for new members to join us.

All you need is a love for music and a love for our Lord.

Come up to us after 11:00 am Mass and introduce yourself, we would be delighted to meet you.

We practise on Thursdays at 8:30pm in the Parish house.

### Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel! Luke 17:11-19

1. The cure of the lepers is not just a physical cure, it also brought the people healed back from exclusion into the community. Perhaps you have experienced the movement from exclusion to inclusion. What was it like for you to be accepted once again when you had felt excluded?

2. Who were the 'Jesus people' for you who brought about this change? For whom, and how, have you been able to do this? Perhaps by healing a rift with a friend, or by listening to the opinion of someone you had dismissed out of hand, or by opening the door to another in some other way?

3. Some people work hard at breaking down barriers in society, seeking inclusion for those who find themselves labelled as lepers. Where have you seen this happening? Who has been doing this kind of work? Where is the good news in such action?

4. When we do good for another, we may not do it for the thanks we hope to get, yet it can hurt when no gratitude is shown. How have you experienced the positive effects of thanks given and received?

#### UCM- Union of Catholic Mothers

UCM meets every second Sunday of the months after 11:00 a.m. Mass. All mothers are welcome to join!

Beginning Experience Weekend- a healing weekend for men and women who are separated, divorced or widowed will be held from 18th to 20th October 2019 at the Domus Mariae Centre, Chigwell, Essex. For details contact Freda 01322-838415 or Maura 01322-551503 or email [johnbrotherton@hotmail.com](mailto:johnbrotherton@hotmail.com).

#### SAVE THESE DATES!!!

**Please book in your diary the following events.**

**26th Oct** 4:00 pm –Catechists Reflection time – By Fr. Bogdan

**1st Nov** 7:00 pm -Film night – God's NOT Dead. 12 Years +.

**14th Dec** Christmas Celebration. Time TBC.

**31st Dec** 11:30 p.m. to 12.30 am Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament.