

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Envelopes 19 & 26 Sep £ 951

Loose: 19 & 26 Sep £ 645.16

Standing Orders £1,105.50 Jun/week

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

For online giving, please go to:

www.sacredheartchurchholloway.org.uk

and click support Or **VIRGIN Money Giving**. Thank you.

Parish Bank Account Details.

Account name: WRCDT Holloway

Sorting Code: 40-05-20

Account Number: 71308319

Address: HSBC, 69 Pall Mall, London

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Weekly envelopes can be mailed in or you can drop them in the parish house.

Mailbox outside the parish door.

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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Parish Office opening times for Admin-

Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 9:30am- 3:00pm (but emails are checked daily)

10th OCTOBER 2021

Twenty – Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

10 th October 2021 Twenty – Eighth Sunday in Ordinary Time CAFOD Family Fast Day	11:00 Mass First Communion Mass 6:00 (Sat. Vigil Mass) 8:30 am Mass 11:00 am Mass (live-streamed via ZOOM)	The First Communion Children Mossie O’Riordan R.I.P For the Parish Margaret Cooke R.I.P
11 th October Monday St John XXIII Pope	9:15 am Mass	Anna Rose McDonagh R.I.P Anniversary
12 th October Tuesday	No Mass	
13 th October Wednesday. St Edward the Confessor	9:15 am Mass 11:00 am Funeral Mass	Maggie Okator Georgina Moran R.I.P
14 th October Thursday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Josephine Oduah R.I.P
15 th October September St Teresa of Jesus	9:15 am Mass	Pierre Imbert R.I.P
16 th October Saturday. St Margaret Mary Alacoque	11:00 -12:00 Noon 6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Confessions or by appointment Mossie O’Riordan R.I.P
17 th October 2021 Twenty – Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:30 am Mass 11:00 am Mass (live-streamed Via ZOOM)	For the Parish Ben Deignan R.I.P Maria Jose Forti R.I.P.

Seeing your Life through the Lens of the Gospel

1. We often get satisfaction from the things we own, clothes, cars, homes, gadgets, or money. There would be something unnatural if we did not. But what happens to us when our possessions begin to ‘own’ us, when they take a hold of us, when we become obsessed with them? Jesus seeks followers who have the freedom to let go of possessions in order to be a servant of others. In whom have you seen this freedom? When have you experienced it yourself?
2. Growth implies change. That change sometimes means letting go of something we have at this moment: job, status, home, security, or something else we value. There can be an apparent loss in letting go. Yet have you ever found that you gained by having the freedom to let go of something to which you had previously clung?
3. The disciples thought that Jesus was making impossible demands of people following him. He acknowledged that discipleship was impossible to us on our own efforts alone. How have you experienced the benefits of the help of others and of God when you were faced with difficulties in life? John Byrne @intercom

CONGRATULATIONS TO OUR FIRST HOLY COMMUNICANTS- GROUP 2

*Alexander Doyle, Alfie Troy Turpin, Amari Martin,
Caitlin Danielle Feltham-Davis,
Callum James Robert Murphy, Elodie Elaine Harrison,
Fergus Goran & Maximus Laszlo George-Sparks,
Georgia Saide Geraghty, Mason-James Curran,
Oliver Thomas Kemp, Scarlett Elizabeth Taylor*

SACRAMENTS

Some of the following catechetical programmes have been delayed, or the meetings suspended due to pandemic precautions. We are now slowly starting with most of the 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

Due to a change in the law we are no longer able to issue civil marriage certificates for Marriages that took place in our church. These can now be obtained directly from the local Registrar in the Town Hall.

BAPTISM

Babies are usually baptised in the first 6 months after birth. 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 preparation course for Baptism will take place in the parish **on Saturday 30th October**. Please contact the office if you wish to attend.

FIRST COMMUNION PROGRAMME 2021-2022

If in September 2021 your child is in Year 3 at school or above, 8 years old or older then, your child is eligible to join the First Communion Programme.

Parents must apply for their children. Please get your application form TODAY after Mass or from the parish office during office opening hours.

The deadline to submit the application form is next Sunday 17th October- There are limited places. It will be first come first serve.

Please be informed that children will have sessions most Saturdays morning until May 2021. If you know a family who intends to enroll their child please bring this notice to their attention.

CONFIRMATION 2022

Young people who are 14 years old and above (Year 9 or above) are eligible to join the Confirmation Programme 2022. Applications forms will be distributed from in early 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 at home and in hospitals, the recently deceased and those whose anniversaries are at this time...

For the sick and the housebound and those who care for them:

Joyce Fleming, Madeline, Ludvinia King, Kathleen Wallace, Eric Ebo Essuman, Rachel Kennelly, Marie Dorrian, Sean Christian Elizabeth Feeley, Michael Bradley, Margaret Collins, Mary Ryan, Angeles Wong, Tony Reilly, Mary Egan, Colman Connelly, Ngozi Elong, Lil Traynor, Christopher Browne, Brian Conway, Crystal Green, Patrick Doolan, Margaret Toolan, Rosa Santos, Bridie Prior, Mary Wong, Michael & Cathy Bailey, Ada Bacarini, Martine Rainsford, Christopher Fradley, Charlie Crane, Barbara Baptiste, Margaret Mulroy, Alison McGoff, Martin Cooke, Stephanie Enepi, Chris Eisen and all who are sick and housebound in the parish.

Anniversaries

Zelpha Anderson, Margaret Cooke, Ben Deignan, Anna Rose McDonagh, Michael Brobbey, Dominador Solominio Solis, Ruperto Josef, Thomas Patrick Moran, Maria Speroni, Clara Quintero Vittoria Predetti, Lucy Ugoala,

Please Pray for the Recently Dead:

Seamus Costello, Gerogina Moran, Roslyn Lashley, Catherine Acholuno, Eliseo Delfin, Bridie Friel, Eileen Ely, Sherlito de la Cruz, Tony Yourell, Cesar Tabuzo, Giuseppe, Michael Reardon, Claire Hallmark, John Sweeney, Rose Otoo, Tirso San Juan Austria, Jose Arcanjo de Campos, Sophia Darr, Lily DeNobrega, Ruby Flynn, Derek Turner, James Donnelly, Gareth Bryant, Marcial Sta. Maria, Tom Kelly.

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

CAFOD Family Fast Day Climate Crisis Appeal

Our local experts are helping people all over the world to adapt to climate change and protect our common home. This Family Fast Day, donate in the parish using a CAFOD envelope or online through the [CAFOD website \(cafod.org.uk/climatecrisis\)](http://cafod.org.uk/climatecrisis) and help communities affected by the worst impacts of the climate crisis. You can also add your voice to our online [petition](#) calling for our Prime Minister to show leadership in tackling the climate/crisis, cafod.org.uk/climate.

And thank you for your generosity for our emergency appeals to support our sisters and brothers in crisis in Afghanistan and Haiti. You can read more about CAFOD's response at cafod.org.uk/emergencies.

FLIRTING WITH GOD:

Refreshing Sunday Homilies for all Cycles. This is a book by Fr Ugo, the outgoing parish priest of St Gabriel's Archway. It is a fruit of his 20 years of priestly ministry and covers homilies for all Sundays that helps to dispose us to get the most from the lessons of every Sunday. Fr. Ugo has left 25 copies for our parish on consignment. It has been significantly discounted at **£15**. Please put your payment in the box marked "Repository" or put your money in an envelope and write "payment for book" then drop it in the parish office mailbox.

OCTOBER – THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY

By tradition, the Catholic Church dedicates each month of the year to certain devotion. The month of October is dedicated to the Holy Rosary, one of the best known of all Catholic devotions. October includes the Join us to pray the Holy Rosary every Wednesday at 8:30 pm via Zoom. Meeting ID 744 445 Meeting Pass code: 597446 The link to join is also available on the parish website. <http://www.sacredheartchurchholloway.org.uk/event/pray-the-holy-rosary-together/>

NOVEMBER –MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

Pray for the Dead. They pray for you.

Holy Souls envelope are available in church. Include the names of your deceased Family and Friends – and a Mass offering- so that November Requiems can be offered for them throughout the Month of Holy Souls and also during 2021-2022. When completed put your envelope into the offering boxes or in the presbytery letterbox. On All Souls Day (Tuesday, 2nd November) the 10:00 am Mass will be a Requiem for All the Faithful Departed. Other Requiems will be offered throughout the ferial weekends of November.

Calling for New Catechists

Everyone is encouraged to prayerfully consider becoming a Catechist. Without the help of Catechists we cannot pass on our faith to the future of our Catholic faith...our children. Not only will you help share our faith and your love of God, you might be surprised to find that you will learn and grow in your faith just as much as the students. Please contact us to express your interest. holloway@rcdow.org.uk or contact Elizabeth in the parish office.

Virgin Giving- this organisation, which was advertised on our website, is now closing. If you give in this way you will not be able to do so from now. The easiest way is using your credit/debit card on our contactless machine in the church's foyer or by Standing Order. Please contact Elizabeth in the parish office for a form and bank details.

CONTACTLESS DONATIONS:

It has been 3 months since we started using the contactless payment terminal here at Sacred Heart parish.

It has proved to be easy and safe to use for donations, and It is practical, as we don't normally carry cash nowadays.

The donation which will be linked to your payment and will gift aid all future donations made using the same method.

Please refrain from using this system if you are already in planned giving via Standing Order or Weekly envelopes except for one-off donations. If you ever need help using this terminal, contact one of our volunteers.