

## OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Envelopes 3 & 10 Oct £ 880.50

Loose: 3 & 10 Oct £ 576.94

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](http://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 SW1Y 5EY

**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 Priest: Fr. Gideon Wagay

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Parish Office opening times for Admin-

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

## 24<sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2021

### Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time

### MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

24 <sup>th</sup> October 2021 <b>Thirtieth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b> <i>World Mission Sunday</i>	6:00 (Sat. Vigil Mass) 8:30 am Mass 11:00 am Mass (live-streamed via ZOOM)	Sean Higgins- Intentions  Patrick Toolan R.I.P  Jeremiah O'Sullivan – R.I.P Anniversary Ykaalo Michael R.I.P
25 <sup>th</sup> October Monday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Georgina Moran R.I.P
26 <sup>th</sup> October Tuesday	<b>No Mass</b>	
27 <sup>th</sup> October Wednesday. Feria	9:15 am Mass	Luke Dowd R.I.P
28 <sup>th</sup> October Thursday SS Simon & Jude	9:15 am Mass	Larry Gahan R.I.P
29 <sup>th</sup> October Friday Blessed Martyrs of Douai College	9:15 am Mass	Gordon Witt R.I.P
30 <sup>th</sup> October Saturday. Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	11:00 -12:00 Noon 6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Confessions or by appointment  For the Parish
31st October 2021 + All Saints  <i>Next Week, Sick &amp; retired priests collection</i>	8.30 am Mass 11.00 am Mass (live streamed via ZOOM)	Alan Ashton R.I.P  Electra Adjodha

### A SYNODAL CHURCH – JOURNEYING TOGETHER

Pope Francis has launched a worldwide 'synod' process. Synod simply means 'journeying together'. The Holy Father is inviting us to listen deeply to one another and to discern what God is saying to the Church about how we 'journey together'. We will have our own synodal pathway, within our parishes and communities in the Diocese of Westminster, united with every diocese across the world. Then, after national and continental gatherings, the Synod of Bishops will gather in Rome in 2023 to reflect on what has been heard.

'The purpose of the Synod ... is intended to inspire people to dream about the Church we are called to be, to make hopes flourish, to stimulate trust, to bind up wounds, to weave new and deeper relationships, to learn from one another, to build bridges, to enlighten minds, warm hearts and restore strength to our hands for our common mission.' Vademecum, Vatican's Synod Preparation Document 32 #2.1

***"Pope Francis is inviting us to listen again to each other, hearing experiences of faith with all its joys and disappointments, and to find new ways of strengthening each other. It is an opportunity for us to show our care for the family of the Church. Please do take it up in whatever ways you can."*** Cardinal Vincent Nichols Pastoral Letter, 3 October 2021

### Synod Prayer

We stand before You, Holy Spirit, as we gather together in Your name. With You alone to guide us, make Yourself at home in our hearts; Teach us the way we must go and how we are to pursue it.

We are weak and sinful; do not let us promote disorder. Do not let ignorance lead us down the wrong path nor partiality influence our actions. Let us find in You our unity so that we may journey together to eternal life and not stray from the way of truth and what is right. All this we ask of You, who are at work in every place and time, in the communion of the Father and the Son, forever and ever. **Amen.**

## 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](mailto: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 30<sup>th</sup> October.** Please contact the office if you wish to attend.

### **FIRST COMMUNION PROGRAMME 2021-2022**

The First Communion programme 2021-2022 is now fully booked.

Parents/carers have been contacted via e-mail.

If you did not receive the email, kindly contact the parish office and let us know.

**The First parents/carers meeting is on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> November at 7:00 pm.** Please save the date.

### **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.

### **LITTLE AMAL**

You are invited at Westminster Cathedral at 1:45 on Monday 25<sup>th</sup> October to join Cardinal Vincent in welcoming AMAL, a 3.5 tall puppet of a girl refugee. Please be seated at 1:45 pm. Find out more at [www.walkwithamal.org](http://www.walkwithamal.org)

## 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

Jeremiah O'Sullivan, John McKenna, Mossie O'Riordan, Sheila & Patrick Connolly, Zelpha Anderson, Margaret Cooke, Ben Deignan, Anna Rose McDonagh, Michael Brobbey, Dominador Solominio Solis, Ruperto Josef.

**Please Pray for the Recently Dead:**

Patrick Toolan, Seamus Costello, Gerogina Jean 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, Derek Turner, James Donnelly.

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

## Today is World Mission Sunday

**World Mission Sunday** is being celebrated in every Catholic parish around the world today! It supports missionaries who work alongside communities that are poor or in need, regardless of their background or belief. By supporting Missio, the Pope's charity for world mission, you will help missionaries like Sister Veronica build peace in Nigeria and share the love of Christ with those most in need. Please pray for the mission of the Church throughout the world and give what you can to this very important collection which will sustain the future of our Church. Please call **020 7821 9755** (office hours) or visit Missio's website to give a single gift, set up a Direct Debit and Gift Aid your donation, if possible: [missio.org.uk](http://missio.org.uk)

### AFGHAN REFUGEE RESPONSE

Over the next few years 20,000 Afghan refugees will be seeking sanctuary in the U.K. Help is needed to finding accommodation (short terms in homes or long rented), teaching English, communicating in Farsi, Dari or Pashtu, psychotherapy or counselling. To find out more about the Afghan Refugee Response and how you can help, contact [caritaswestminster@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:caritaswestminster@rcdow.org.uk) or [cvs@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:cvs@rcdow.org.uk)

### Food-bank- Sacred Heart Community Response.

Contribution of non-perishable products are welcome. You can also contribute financially. Please put "Food Bank" as reference when donating. Thank you.

**The products most needed are:**

Rice, Pasta, Flour, tinned goods, tuna, tinned tomatoes, tea, sweetcorn, porridge oats, long life milk, etc.

Toiletries: Hand wash, shower gel, toothpaste, deodorant, washing up liquid, laundry detergent, nappies etc. If you would like to donate these items, please leave them at the back of the church and they will be taken by volunteers to the food bank room.

## 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, 2<sup>nd</sup> 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.

**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.

### OCTOBER – THE MONTH OF THE ROSARY

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/>