

## OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Envelopes 9<sup>th</sup> Oct £508.43

Loose: 9<sup>th</sup> Oct £ 200.67

Standing Orders £1056 Sept/week

Contactless 16/17Oct £105

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**.

Weekly envelopes can be mailed in or you can drop them in the parish house's letterbox (front door)

Parish Bank Account Details.

**Account name:** WRCDD Holloway

**Sorting Code:** 40-05-20

**Account Number:** 71308319

Address: HSBC, 69 Pall Mall, London SW1Y 5EY

## 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

Mrs. Elizabeth Ocampo – Lead Catechist and Administrator

Parish Office opening times for Admin-

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

## THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

23<sup>rd</sup> October 2022

### MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

23 <sup>rd</sup> OCTOBER 2022  THIRTIETH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	6:00 (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Sheila & Patrick Connelly – Anniversary
	8:30 am Mass	Babu Kalathara – Intentions
	11:00 am Mass (live-streamed via ZOOM)	Teckle Lebab R.I.P Michael Rico – R.I.P
24 <sup>th</sup> October Monday St Anthony Mary Claret	9:15 am Mass	Patsy Toolan R.I.P – Anniv.
25 <sup>th</sup> October Tuesday	No Mass	
26 <sup>th</sup> October Wednesday. Feria	9:15 am Mass	Curran Family - Intentions
27 <sup>th</sup> October. Thursday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Paul Joyce R.I.P
28 <sup>th</sup> October Friday SS Simon & Jude	9:15 am Mass	Maggie Cooke R.I.P - Anniv
29 <sup>th</sup> October Sat. Blessed Virgin Mary on Saturday	11:00 am – 12:00 Noon 6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Confession or by appointment  Peter Joyce – R.I.P
30 <sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2022  THIRTY – FIRST SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8.30 am Mass	Ann Joyce R.I.P
	11.00 am Mass (live-streamed via zoom)	Alexia Castillo - Intentions

### Seeing Your Life Through the Lens the Gospel

John Byrne OSA@Intercom

1. We are often defensive in our relationships with others. We are reluctant to let another see us as we see ourselves. Occasionally we meet someone with whom we can be totally open and know we will be accepted. With whom have you had that kind of a relationship? What was it like for you to have that freedom?
2. Likewise with God, when we come to prayer pretending to be better than we are, we are hiding from God. What difference does it make when you pray to God, acknowledging your faults and limitations? Have you ever found that when you are humble in this way in prayer, God lifts you up?
3. The parable is also a cautionary tale against judging others negatively on the basis of externals. Perhaps God, who looks into the heart, sees them differently. When have you discovered there was more to another person than the negative picture you got from first impressions? What lessons did you learn for yourself from this?

### Today is World Mission Sunday - MISSIO

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 Maria witness to their faith and offer vulnerable women in Ethiopia hope for a better future. 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 **use the donation envelopes to give by credit/debit card, and return the envelopes.** 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)

## 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:**

Emma Pacana, Ann Walsh, Nelia De Los Reyes Espejo, Freddie Hamdy, Marilyn Edwards, Joyce Fleming, Ludvinia King, Kathleen Wallace, Eric Ebo Essuman, Rachel Kennelly, Elizabeth Feeley, Michael Bradley, Margaret Collins, Mary Ryan, Angeles Wong, Tony Reilly, Mary Egan, Colman Connelly, Ngozi Elong, Christopher Browne, Brian Conway Crystal Green, Patrick Dolan, Margaret Toolan, Rosa Santos, Bridie Prior, Mary Wong, Michael Bailey, Ada Bacarini, Martine Rainsford, Christopher Fradley, Charlie Crane, Margaret Mulroy, Alison McGoff, Stephanie Enepi, Chris Eisen *and all who are sick and housebound in the parish.*

### **Anniversaries**

Maggie Cooke, Patsy Toolan, Pierre Imbert, Sheila and Patrick Connelly, Mossie O'Riordan, Zelpha Anderson, Bridie Kearns, Anna Rose Mc Donagh, Michael & Lucie Ugoala, Michael Brobbey, Georgina Jean Moran, Thomas Moran, Jim Neary, Manuel Cachero, Teresa Suporn Kusumratana,

### **Pray for the Recently Dead:**

Martin Cooke Francis Formosa, Maria Ward, Joe Colgan, Josephine Horan, Maria Helena Colosso de Olivera, Arnulfo Autencio, Mario Celozza Genovia, Kevin Doherty, John Curley, James Ryan, Kathy Bailey.

*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) 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.

### **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME**

We are looking forward to welcoming all the children in the First Communion Programme.

**The First Children's session is on Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> November at 9:30 am in the parish hall.**

**RCIA – A JOURNEY IN FAITH** -The RCIA, Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults is a programme that we run in the Parish every year. It is an invitation to people who might want to explore the possibility of becoming a Roman Catholic as well as a refresher course for those who are already baptised but did not complete the Sacraments of Initiation, i.e. Eucharist and Confirmation. Sometimes people like to attend the RCIA to find out more about the faith they were baptised into and they see it as an opportunity to go deeper and explore the riches of the Catholic tradition. If you would like to find out more then please contact Elizabeth in the office, [holloway@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:holloway@rcdow.org.uk)

### **SACRED HEART FOOD BANK**

The next food bank distribution will be on **Saturday, 5<sup>th</sup> November from 11:00am-1:00pm.** Please leave your donations in kind at the back of the church, or contact the parish office.

Donate non-perishable goods such as: Rice, Pasta, Flour, tinned goods, tuna, tinned tomatoes, porridge oats, long life milk, etc. Toiletries: shower gel, toothpaste, deodorant, washing up liquid.

You can donate cash on an envelope, just write 'foodbank'. **Donations can also be done via bank transfer, please specify 'Food bank' in the reference field.**

### **PARISH CHRISTMAS DRAW 2022**

The annual Parish Christmas Draw will be held on Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> December after the 11:00 am Mass. All proceeds of the Draw will go towards the parish maintenance.

Please sell as many books of raffle tickets as possible and return the counterfoils and cash in an envelope to the Presbytery letter box. Cheques must be payable to Sacred Heart Church Holloway Account. We welcome donations of unwanted new gifts, wine bottles, to have as consolation prizes.

### **CONTACTLESS DONATIONS:**

We have **two machines**, at the entrance and by the baptismal font near St Peter's statue. This donation method has proved to be easy and safe, and it is practical, as we don't normally carry cash nowadays. If you give your Sunday offering using the contactless machine at the entrance of the church, please give your offering if you're a taxpayer. You can take a photo on the QR code displayed in the machine – you can then fill in the online form at home. At no extra cost to yourself, this will increase your donation by 25%.

### **HEALTH SAFETY VOLUNTEER WANTED**

Health and safety is crucial at the parish. We are looking for a volunteer to help us doing monthly inspections in order to make sure that all regulations are met. This task will take about 2-3 hours a month. Kindly contact the parish office if you think you can help with this.

### **St Bernadette Relics**

28 October 2022 - 30 October 2022, 4:00pm - 9:15am

Our Lady of Willesden R C Church, 1 Nicoll Rd, London NW10 9AX, UK

For details please visit the [Shrine website](#)

**Tea and Coffee and Biscuits after 11:00am Mass in the Parish Hall.** The main purpose of this is to bring parishioners together and welcome new parishioners. All welcome

### **NOVEMBER - MONTH OF HOLY SOULS**

We ask our friends to pray for us - our loved ones very much hope that we will pray for them once they leave this world. This weekend at the back of the church are envelopes marked "Month of the Holy Souls" for you to write the names of the deceased members of your family and others who you would like to pray for. With your offering it should be returned through the letterbox of the presbytery or the Second Collection basket. (Please do not put it to the Offertory Collection). During the month of November, these lists will be placed in a box at the foot of the altar so that they may be a reminder to us to pray for our dead during Mass. Many of the November Masses, and other Masses throughout the year, will be offered for the repose of these Holy Souls.

### **Witness to Hope**

The Prayers and Readings for the Sundays of Advent Year A

*Description: An online series of 4 talks given by Fr John Deehan. The latest under the banner of 'The God Who Speaks'.*

*Date: Thursday 17th, 24th November, 1st and 8th December*

Time: 7.30pm – 8.30pm Venue: Online. Register via Eventbrite or by Phone: Anna Dupelycz 020 7798 9026 or e-mail [annadupelycz@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:annadupelycz@rcdow.org.uk)

### **Grants to help pay off energy debts-**

People who are in debt to their energy supplier might be able to get a grant from a charitable trust to help pay it off. See <https://fuelpovertyresource.org.uk/focus-on/fuel-debt-and-trust-funds/>

### **Marriage Encounter Weekend** 18-20<sup>th</sup>

November in Coventry: are you looking for an opportunity to invest in your marriage. This well-crafted resource is designed to deepen, enrich & refresh your relationship.

<https://wwme.org.uk/weekend/me-weekendrugby18th-to-20th-november-2022/>