

## OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Envelopes 25<sup>th</sup> Sept. £466.76

Loose: 25<sup>th</sup> Sep £ 208.41

Standing Orders £1056 Jul/week

Contactless 11 Sept £165

Home Mission: £278.49

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)



## TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2022

### MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

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| 2 <sup>nd</sup> October 2022<br><b>TWENTY-SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>  | 6:00 (Sat. Vigil Mass)<br>8:30 am Mass<br>11:00 am Mass (live-streamed via ZOOM) | Joyce Fleming – Intentions<br><b>For the Parish</b><br><b>Michael Brobbey R.I.P Anniversary.</b> |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> October Monday<br>Feria  | 9:15 am Mass   | Ann and Xavier Kalathara   |
| 4 <sup>th</sup> October Tuesday  | No Mass  |  |
| 5 <sup>th</sup> October Wednesday.<br>St Faustina                              | 9:15 am Mass   | Daphne Bedingfield R.I.P   |
| 6 <sup>th</sup> October. Thursday<br><b>Funeral Mass</b>                       | 11:30 A.M. Mass  | <b>Funeral Mass – Joseph Patrick Colgan R.I.P.</b>   |
| 7 <sup>th</sup> October Friday- Our Lady of the Holy Rosary (Harvest Fast Day) | 9:15 am Mass   | Agnes Alexander R.I.P. (Anniversary)   |
| 8 <sup>th</sup> October Saturday   | 11:00 am – 12:00 Noon<br>6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)                                | Confession or by appointment<br>For the Parish   |
| 9 <sup>th</sup> OCTOBER 2022<br><b>TWENTY-EIGHT SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b>    | 8.30 am Mass<br>11.00 am Mass (live-streamed via zoom)                           | <b>For the Parish</b><br><b>Michael &amp; Lucie Ugoala R.I.P.</b>                                |

### THE GIFT OF FAITH

Faith is a gift. When the disciples asked Jesus to increase their faith, they were going to the source of that faith with their request. God is the giver of all good gifts, including faith. When we put our faith in Christ, we believe that God is with us, even though we cannot physically see God. Or can we? If we are attentive, we see the evidence of God's presence in the love of family and friends, care poured out in service of our neighbours, the living beauty of creation. This is not blind faith, but rather is the result of seeing with the eyes of faith. Followers of Jesus look beyond what is apparent to see what is possible with the power and presence of the Holy Spirit within and among us. copyright@ J.S.Paluch Co.

### CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY- WORLD CRISIS APPEAL

Millions of families are facing a food crisis that could be the worst in living memory. As each day goes by, the situation worsens. As people of faith we must act. Your donations can help CAFOD's local experts to provide emergency food supplies to families in the worst affected countries of East Africa and support communities around the world working hard to put food on the table. Please give today. You can use the envelopes provided especially if you are gift-aiding your donation. Or you can give your cash donation to the second collection basket. You can also do this by going to: [Cafod.org.uk/fastday](http://Cafod.org.uk/fastday)

Finally, thank you for your prayers and donations to our DEC Pakistan Appeal. Cafod has been able to deliver immediate food and medical relief to flood affected communities in Sindh Province in Pakistan and will continue to do so.

## 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:

Fernanda Solari, Nelia De Los Reyes Espejo, Freddie Hamdy, Marilyn Edwards, Joyce Fleming, Ludvinia King, Kathleen Wallace, Eric Ebo Essuman, Rachel Kennelly, Sean Christian 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, Catherine Wright, Ada Bacarini, Martine Rainsford, Christopher Fradley, Charlie Crane, Margaret Mulroy, Alison McGoff, Martin Cooke, Stephanie Enepi, Chris Eisen *and all who are sick and housebound in the parish.*

### Anniversaries

Michael Brobbey, Georgina Jean Moran, Thomas Moran, Jim Neary, Manuel Cachero, Teresa Suporn Kusumratana, Ruperto Josef, Estelly Varela, Miryam Imbert, Bridie Friel.

### Pray for the Recently Dead:

Maria Ward, Joe Patrick Colgan, Josephine Horan, Maria Helena Colosso de Olivera, Arnulfo Autencio, Mario Celoza Genova, Kevin Doherty, John Curley, James Ryan, Kathy Bailey, Khue Nguyen.

*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.

Next preparation meeting for parents and godparents will be on **Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> October at 10:00am-11:45 am.**

### SACRED HEART FOOD BANK

More and more people are experiencing food poverty. We are very glad to announce the resumption of our foodbank on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> September. The next food bank distribution will be on **Saturday, 8<sup>th</sup> October from 11:00am-1:00pm.**

Your donations in cash or in kind continue to be essential for this project.

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: Hand wash, 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.**

**. Volunteers are most welcome, please get in touch with the parish office.**

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME

If your child is 8-year-old or he/she is in year 3 at school, your child qualifies to be enrolled in the First Communion programme. Application forms are available at the back of the church. The deadline to submit the application will be **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> October.**

### Baptism or Confirmation of an Adult R.C.I.A.

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

### ESSENTIAL TOWER REPAIRS

I am pleased to announce that there is a limited start to the construction works of the tower due to the generosity of the Diocese's Trinity Fund in providing grant aid and a few donations from our parishioners. The works will involve placing the base course of stone and bricks for the construction of the belfry to follow on (in the future). The plan to start raising funds for the continuation of the works will soon be implemented, however, it is likely that the works can only move ahead in phases as funds permit. Each phase will be announced when possible.

### 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 gift aid 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%.

**REFRESHMENTS** will be available in the Parish Community Centre after the 11:00am Mass.

**Congratulations** to the families of Billy Collin Raby and Natalia Isabel Gallardo who were baptised here this weekend.

### Catholic Chaplaincy to London's Universities

Are you a student at one of the universities or colleges in London, or in Hatfield? Our Catholic Chaplaincy is for you! It's based at Newman House, 111 Gower Street, WC1E 6AR. We have Sunday Masses for students and regular events during the week. And in many of the universities and colleges we also have campus-based Catholic societies and activities. Go to: [www.universitycatholic.net](http://www.universitycatholic.net) to find out more. You will be made very welcome at our Catholic community here, a 'home from home.'

### Beginning Experience Weekend:

If you have suffered a divorce, separation or the death of your partner, a residential weekend to help you to heal will be held from 14th to 16th October 2022 at the Sion Community, Brentwood, Essex. If you would like more details, please ring Freda 01322-838415 or Maura 07795-498445 or email [besouthofengland@gmail.com](mailto:besouthofengland@gmail.com).

**SYCAMORE- Rediscovering** the Catholic Faith. Highly recommended to see the short and engaging films that can be found on SYCAMORE for refreshing your knowledge and love for the Catholic Faith-SYCAMORE-What do you believe? Or [www.sycamore.fm](http://www.sycamore.fm).

### FOOD FOR THE JOURNEY Scripture - 'God Who Speaks' - 'Journeying through Advent'

We are delighted to offer a series of 4 online talks by Fr John Deehan, Thursday evenings, 7.30pm – 8.30pm. Registration [www.godwhospeaks.uk](http://www.godwhospeaks.uk)  
17th November, Hasten to Meet Him! The Mass Prayers for Advent  
24th November, A Prophet in Waiting, Isaiah. The Old Testament Readings for Advent Year A.  
1st December, Unfinished Business – Paul and James. The New Testament Readings for Advent.  
8th. December, Waiting in Expectation. The Gospel Readings of Advent.