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MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

12 th February 2023	6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Naneth Estrada – Thanksgiving
SIXTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	8:30 am Mass	Colette Patton R.I.P
	11:00 am Mass (live-streamed via ZOOM)	Andy Maguire R.I.P
13 th February Monday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Michael Toolan R.I.P Anniv Santolo Genovese R.I.P Anniversary
14 th February Tuesday	No Mass	
15 th February Wed. Feria	9:15 am Mass	Bruno Solari – R.I.P Anniv.
16 th February Thur. Feria	9:15 am Mass	Joyce Fleming - Intentions
17 th February Friday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Thomas Frawley R.I.P Remembrance Mass
18 th February Sat. Blessed Virgin mary on Saturday	11:00 am – 12:00 6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Confession or by appointment Klemens Krzenieniewsk R. I.P Anniversary
19 th February 2023	8.30 am Mass	Janet Turner – Intentions
SEVENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME	11.00 am Mass (live-streamed via ZOOM)	Mehiret Hasebu R.I.P Kidesti Zeray

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SIXTH SUNDAY OF ORDINARY TIME 12th February 2023

Seeing Your Life Through The Lens of The Gospel JohnByrne@Intercom 1. In this section of the Sermon on the Mount Jesus proposes standards that go beyond external ways of behaviour. He challenges our inner attitudes. When have you found that living out of inner conviction is more life-giving than keeping up appearances? 2. Jesus applies his teaching to feelings of anger and sexual desire. He suggests that if we do not keep an eye on our feelings and thoughts we will not be able to control our actions. Perhaps you have experienced the truth of this. What has helped you to integrate your feelings so that you were able to live in right relationship with yourself and others? 3. For Jesus, people with genuine authenticity do not need to swear an oath to be convincing. Their 'yes' or 'no' suffices. Recall people who had this kind of credibility for you. When have you found that your simple, direct and honest communication had a positive persuasive force? 4. In recent times public discourse sometimes has little respect for truth. What effect does this have on how you view politicians or other people in the public eye? What helps you to distinguish the truth from fake news?

PRAYER IS THE HEART AND SOUL OF ALL YOU DO. PRAYER FLOWS IN AND OUT OF YOU LIKE YOUR BREATH GIVING LIFE.

Fr. Anthony Musaala



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

Anniversaries

Mark Joseph, John Joe Ferguson, Harry Turner, Attilio Speroni, Helena Boltona, Claudio Rigolli, Mary Krzenieniewski, Margaret Keohane, Maria McEvoy, Beryl Genovese, Michael Costin, Joseph Ward, Maimie Rooney, Ann & Kathleen Rainsford.

Pray for the Recently Dead:

Alice Mansfield, Thomas Frawley, Brian O'Brennan, Carlos Castano, Victor Gonzalez Martinez, Patrick McGilloway, Eldridge Alexander, Carlos Castaño, Esther Joseph, Ferdie Vasquez, Martin Cooke Francis Formosa, Maria Ward, Joe Colgan, Josephine Horan, Maria Helena Colosso de Olivera.

Eternal rest grant unto them Lord, and let your perpetual 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: <u>holloway@rcdow.org.uk</u> 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 meeting will be on Saturday 18th February. Please contact the office if you want to attend.

LITURGY OF THE WORD WITH CHILDREN

Children aged 4 to 8 years old are invited to attend the Liturgy for Children on Sunday at 11:00 am Mass.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME

The next session for the children will be on Saturday 25th February from 9:30 to 11:00 am. Please remember that is very important that the children attend Mass every Sunday.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME 2023

This year, there are 24 candidates in the programme.

Next Confirmation session is on Thursday 23rd February.

Please keep them and the Confirmation catechists in your prayers.

RCÍA - Á JÓURNEY IN FAITH

Thank you for supporting the RCIA participants with your prayers and welcoming them into the parish community.

HOLY ROSARY ONLINE

Join us to pray the Holy Rosary every Wednesday at 8:30 pm via Zoom. Meeting ID 744 445 Meeting Pass code: 597446

Tea and Coffee and Biscuits after 11:00am Mass in the Parish Hall. All are welcome.

ASH WEDNESDAY is on 22nd February

This year, there will be two opportunities to receive the imposition of ashes. **10:00 am** Holy Mass (with Sacred Heart School's KS2 pupils). **7:00 pm** Holy Mass.

STATION OF THE CROSS

During Fridays of the season of Lent at 7:00 pm we will pray the Stations of the Cross, walking with Jesus in his final hours and his crucifixion on Calvary. We adore You O Christ, and we praise You because by Your Holy Cross you have redeemed the world!

CAFOD Syria-Turkey Earthquake Appeal

CAFOD is responding with support of provision of food, water, shelter, medical assistance and winter kits for survivors. Your donations in recent months have made that quick response possible. Let us join CAFOD in praying for our sisters and brothers affected by the earthquakes and the winter weather. Your support for CAFOD throughout the year allows our Catholic agency to act quickly when disasters strike. For more details visit CAFOD's Syria Turkey Emergency Appeal online at https://cafod.org.uk/give.

Christian Responses to the migration Crisis

18 February, 10am-4pm: Faith and Frontiers

Online Conference. Insights from the work of Dietrich Bonhoeffer. Speakers include Bishop Rose Hudson-Wilkin, Bishop of Dover, Dr Ulrich Schmiedel, University of Edinburgh, and Rev. Dr. Keith Clements, plus groups currently working to meet the needs of asylum seekers and refugees in Calais, Kent, and the North of England. Bookings at https://www.eventbrite.com/e/faith-andfrontiers-christian-responses-to-themigration-crisis-tickets-352547247307

SACRED HEART FOOD BANK

The next food bank distribution will be on **Saturday, 25th February 2023 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.

CONTACTLESS GIVING-

We have <u>two machines</u>, 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%.

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