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# 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)

## MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

<b>5th March 2023</b> <b>SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	4:30 – 5:30 pm	Holy Hour and Adoration
	6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Bridie Gill R.I.P
	8:30 am Mass	Tommy O'Connor R.I.P
	11:00 am Mass (live-streamed via ZOOM)	Joan Neary R.I.P Elisio De los Santos R.I.P
6th March Monday Lent Feria	9:15 am Mass	John Gorman R.I.P
7th March Tuesday	No Mass	
8th March Wednesday.	9:15 am Mass	Margaret & Paddy Cooney R.I.P
9th March Thursday. Lent Feria	9:15 am Mass	Gordon Witt R.I.P
10th March Friday Lent Feria	9:15 am Mass	Holy Souls
<b>12th March Saturday.</b> <b>Lent Feria</b>	11:00 am – 12:00 6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Confession or by appointment Tommy O'Connor R.I.P
<b>13th March 2023</b> <b>THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT</b>	8.30 am Mass	For the Parish
	11.00 am Mass (live-streamed via ZOOM)	Alan Chick R.I.P Anniv.

## SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT 5th March 2023

### PRAYER

Whatever you do with love is already a prayer.

Whoever lives in love, finds God and that is why we must love, to be one with the God of love.

If I do not love, my prayer is void because prayer is the loving surrender of my heart, mind and will to the One who is Love itself.

What good is prayer, if no trace of God's love is found in me?

Father 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 Reyes Espejo, Freddie Hamdy, Marilyn Edwards, Joyce Fleming, Ludvinia King, Kathleen Wallace, Eric Ebo Essuman, Elizabeth Feeley, 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 Rainsford, Catherine Wright, Christopher Fradley, Charlie Crane, Margaret Mulroy, Alison McGoff, Stephanie Enepi, Chris Eisen *and all who are sick and housebound in the parish.*

### **Anniversaries**

Alan Chick, Elisio de los Santos, Fr. David Irvin, Magdiel Campo, Margaret Lonergan, Mark Joseph, John Joe Ferguson, Harry Turner, Attilio Speroni, Helena Boltona, Claudio Rigolli, Mary Krzenieniewski, Margaret Keohane, Maria McEvoy, Beryl Genovese, Michael Costin.

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

Martine Rainsford, Estela Saavedra, Tommey O'Connor, Alice Mansfield, Thomas Frawley, Brian O'Brennan, Carlos Castano, Victor Gonzalez Martinez, Patrick McGilloway, Eldridge Alexander, Carlos Castano, Esther Joseph, Ferdie Vasquez, Martin Cooke Francis Formosa, Maria Ward.

***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: [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 meeting will be on the spring term. Please contact the office for more information.

### **FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME**

The children will have their First Reconciliation on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> March. Please keep all the children and their families in your prayers.

### **CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME 2023**

The next session is on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> March. The candidates have started volunteering in the foodbank and helping out during Mass. Well done all! Please accompany them with your prayers.

### **RCIA - A JOURNEY IN FAITH**

All the participants in RCIA continue their journey after the rite of election. We continue to pray for them.

### **EASTER RENEWAL**

We had a meeting last Tuesday, when some parishioners shared how it feels to be part of this parish and what new goals should be pursued. It is not too late to have your say. You will be invited to a follow up meeting, where you will be welcome to participate.

### **CAFOD Family Fast Day – Lent Appeal**

*This Lent, your donations to CAFOD's Family Fast Day Appeal will help families fighting the climate crisis and ensure that our Church network can quickly respond to emergencies, like the recent earthquake in Syria and Turkey. Give today using the envelope or at [cafod.org.uk/give](http://cafod.org.uk/give) and please join us in praying for CAFOD's development and emergency response work all over the world.*

### **LENT & EASTER STATION OF THE CROSS**

Every Friday of the season of Lent at 7:00 pm.

Come and 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!*

### **FOOD FOR THE SOUL**

Come and share deeply the word of God.

Every Wednesday during Lent at 7:00 pm in the church.

### **HOLY HOUR AND ADORATION**

Fr. Anthony is inviting everyone to join him in prayer.

There will be Holy Hour and Adoration every first Saturday of the month, from 4:30 to 5:30 pm.

Come and be in the presence of the Lord.

### **EVANGELIZATION LONDON**

#### **FAMILY EFL**

Invites to a Lenten Recollection.

Guest Speaker: Fr. Anthony Musaala.

Date: Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> March at 2:00 pm

Venue: Parish Community Centre

Everyone is welcomed!

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

### **Cardinal's Lenten Appeal 2023**

Funds raised this year will be shared between the four pillars of the Cardinal's Lenten Appeal: Marriage & Family Life; Youth & Evangelisation; The Education Service and Caritas Westminster. The effects of the pandemic, followed by the cost of living crisis, are still making daily life harder for all. Price rises last year meant many families faced an impossible choice: HEAT or EAT? And this crisis is far from over. The Church continues to respond, with thousands of people putting their faith into action by serving those in need. Cardinal Nichols has expressed his gratitude to everyone who supports the Appeal, with whatever they can afford. And for those who can't give financially, your time is a priceless commodity – please see the posters on how you can volunteer in the diocese and help those in need. Please take a donation envelope today, for more information. You can use the QR code to make your donation online. Thank you for your generosity.

### **CONTACTLESS GIVING-**

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 scan the QR code at the back of this newsletter to donate. You can fill in the online form at home.

At no extra cost to yourself, this will increase your donation by 25%.

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