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Are you on our GIFT AID list yet?

It is *important* to <u>gift aid</u> 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 Tues, Thurs, Fri, **02076073594**.

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK		
2nd April 2023	6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Teresa de Jesus R.I.P Anniv
PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF	8:30 am Mass	Frances Byrne R.I.P Anniv
THE LORD	11:00 am Mass (live-streamed via ZOOM)	Ludvinia King - Intentions
3 rd April Monday Monday of Holy Week	9:15 am Mass	John Harte R.I.P
4 th April Tuesday Tuesday of Holy Week	12:00 Noon Funeral Mass	Peter Dollan R.I.P
5 th April Wednesday. Wed. of Holy Week	10:00 Funeral Mass	Martine Rainsford R.I.P
THE PASCHAL TRIDUUM		
6 th APRIL - MAUNDY THURSDAY		
MASS OF THE LORD'S SUPPER AT 7:00 pm		
7 th APRIL - GOOD FRIDAY		
Station of the Cross for Children 11:00 am		
The Celebration of the Lord's Passion at 3:00 pm		
8 th APRIL – HOLY SATURDAY EASTER VIGIL AND FIRST MASS OF EASTER at 7:00 pm		
	8.30 am Mass	Paddy Price R.I.P
9 th April 2023	0.50 atti ivia55	Fauly FIILE N.I.F
Easter Sunday the Resurrection of the Lord	11.00 am Mass (live-streamed via ZOOM)	For the Parish

CHURCH OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS, HOLLOWAY

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PALM SUNDAY OF THE PASSION OF THE LORD 2nd April 2023

PALM SUNDAY IS ALSO CALLED PASSION SUNDAY.

When Jesus entered Jerusalem riding on a donkey, the crowds hailed him as their King, waving branches and shouting 'Hosana to the son of David'.

David had been their greatest king. The crowds laid down their cloaks as for royalty, recognizing in that moment the one who had come to save them

Today we welcome Jesus here in Holloway, into our hearts as our Lord and God, to give us victory over sin, death and the Evil one.

We welcome him into our homes and our nation to bring healing and justice though our own commitment.

The passion of Jesus, his suffering and death, are replicated in our own lives. We join all our pain and emptiness and that of the world to the event of Christ's passion.

We begin Holy Week desiring the victory of 'the Kingdom of God'. We walk with Christ the 'royal road' of the passion, so we too can pass from death to life.

Father Antony 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:

Samantha Johnston, Annette Goulding, Nathan Froud, Roisin DuffyJohn La Rocca, Emma Pacana, Ann Walsh, Dino Grande, Nelia De Los Reyes Espeio, 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, 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

Teresa de Jesus, Beryl Ann Genovese, Quiterio Pineda, Frances Byrne, Alan Chick, Elisio de los Santos, Fr.David Irvin, Magdiel Campo, Margaret Lonergan, Mark Joseph, John Joe Ferguson, Harry Turner, Attilio Speroni, Helena Boltona.

Pray for the Recently Dead:

Nelia de los Reyes Espejo, Rita Forde, Peter Dollan, Bishop Dave O'Connell, Martine Rainsford, Estela Saavedra, Tommey O'Connor, Alice Mansfield, Thomas Frawley, Brian O'Brennan, Carlos Castano, Victor Gonzalez Martinez.

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 the spring term. Please contact the office for more information.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME

The next children will be on Saturday 22nd April. If you are not going away this Easter holidays, please join us for the Easter celebrations.

STATION OF THE CROSS FOR CHILDREN ON GOOD FRIDAY AT 11:00 AM.

The team of catechist is preparing a child friendly station of the Cross. All families, young people and children are invited to attend on Good Friday.

CONFIRMATION PROGRAMME 2023

The next session is on Thursday 20th April.

ALTAR SERVERS

It's time to start restoring our team of altar servers. If you have a son or daughter who have done his/her First Holy Communion and who wish to become an altar server at the 11:00AM on Sundays, please send your contact details to the parish office or give them Fr. Anthony or Elizabeth after Sunday Mass.

Diocesan Jobs- for information on vacancies and application details https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk/

PLNNED GIVING CAMPAIGN

Thank you very much to everyone who supported and committed to help the parish.

Kindly, remember to return any outstanding forms to the parish office. There are more forms available at the back of the church; please take one if you were not here last weekend or have misplaced it.

The Chrism Mass

Tuesday 4th April at 12: noon – The Chrism Mass in Westminster Cathedral. All the priests of the Archdiocese renew their vows and the Cardinal blesses the Holy Oils for use in the Sacraments for the coming year.

Mass for Migrants

1 May, 12pm: Mass for Migrants - St Antony of Padua Church, Forest Gate, E7 9QB The Mass this year is hosted by the Diocese of Brentwood on behalf of the Dioceses and Ethnic Chaplaincies of Brentwood, Southwark and Westminster. The celebrant is Bishop Alan Williams, sm, Bishop of Brentwood.

Who is my neighbour?'

19 April, 2-3.30 p.m: Westminster Cathedral Interfaith Group – 'Who is my neighbour?' Monthly discussions on Fratelli Tutti, the encyclical on fraternity and social friendship by Pope Francis. Hinsley Room, Morpeth Terrace, SW1 1EN. This session: Chapter 4 "A heart open to the whole world". For more details contact John Woodhouse woodhousesopten@btinternet.com

Pope's April prayer Intentions

For a culture of peace and non-violence We pray for the spread of peace and non-violence, by decreasing the use of weapons by States and citizens.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES

The new boxes of envelopes for planned giving are available for collection at the back of the Church before or after every Mass. Please take a few minutes to collect your box. If you are new to the parish or would like a box of envelopes, or to join the Gift Aid Scheme, or would prefer to pay by Bankers Order, please complete one of the pledge forms (or Parish Commitment forms) at the back of the Church and post it through the Presbytery's letterbox. These new boxes start on 8TH/9TH April.

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 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%.

SACRED HEART FOOD BANK

The next food bank distribution will be on <u>Saturday, 8th April from 11:00am-</u> <u>1:00pm.</u>

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.

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