



CHURCH OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS, HOLLOWAY

A Parish of the Roman Catholic Diocese of Westminster

62 Eden Grove, Holloway, London N7 8EN

THIRTY-THIRD WEEK IN ORDINARY TIME

(16th November, 2025) Parish Newsletter



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Parish Office opening times

Mon, Thurs, & Friday:

10:00 am - 3:00pm

Registered Charity 233699

Mass Times:

Monday 9:15 am

Wednesday 9:15 am

Thursday 9:15 am

Friday 9:15 am

Saturdays at 6.00pm (Vigil Mass)

Sundays at 8.30am and 11.00am

Bank holidays and Holy days of
obligation 10:00 am

Sunday Mass Readings:

1st Reading: Malachi 4:1-2a

Psalms 98(97):5-6.7-8a.8b-9b.9cd.R.cf.9

2nd Reading: 2 Thes 3:7-12

Gospel: Luke 21:5-19

Eucharistic Adoration:

First Friday of every month, 7pm

Confessions:

Saturdays, 11am -12 (noon)

Or by appointment

Holy Rosary:

Wednesday 8.30pm
(via Zoom)

Meeting ID:744 4459425

Passcode: 597446

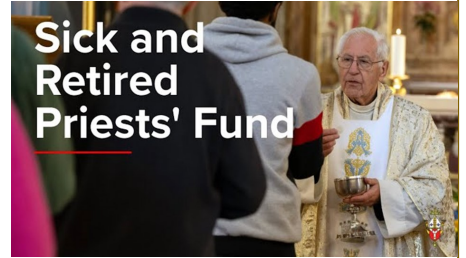
Our mission: *"We are a welcoming, nourishing living parish, inspired by the Sacred Heart to serve and radiate this love to all"*

Second collection - Sick & Retired Priests' Fund.

Today's second collection is for the Sick & Retired Priests' Fund. Please give generously and help ensure our sick and older priests are financially supported, having given us a lifetime of dedicated service. They have baptised us, welcomed us into the church, and offered comfort and prayer at times of sorrow. Now we have a chance to give back and ensure they have peace of mind during their senior years, when they may be facing failing health and declining mobility.

Please give generously using the envelopes in the church. You can make a one-off donation or set up a regular donation and become a **Patron** by completing section 4 on the envelope form. You can also donate online at www.rcdow.org.uk/donations -the envelopes and posters feature a 'QR Code' that you can scan with a phone camera to give online.

Sick and Retired Priests' Fund



NOVEMBER, THE MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

If you would like to include people in the Holy Souls List, which will be placed near the altar during November, please use one of the envelopes available on the table in the Church and return it to the Parish Office. Any offering you wish to make towards the masses offered for the Holy Souls can be included in these envelopes or in a plain envelope marked **'Holy Souls'**. During November and throughout the coming year, we will say several masses for the Holy Souls.

MESSAGE FROM FR. FRANCIS

As we all know, November is the month of the Holy Souls during which we pray for those who have died. There will be a **special Mass** on the last Friday of **November, 28th at 7.30pm**. At this Mass we will remember all those who have died since **1st November 2024 to 31st October**. During this Mass, the names of all who have died during this period will

be called out, and a candle will be lit by a member from each family and brought to the Altar in prayer and remembrance.

According to our records, those who have died from 1st November to 31st October are:

Mamoud Deen Oluwa	Maria Louis
Ludvinia King	Evelyn Quinn
Jacqueline Ansley	Kathleen Philomena Norman
Nancy Curran	Kathleen Daly

However, if you have lost a family member or close friend during the above-mentioned year, and wish to be included in this celebration, please contact Fr. Francis or the office as soon as possible.

Events (for more info reach our webpage or email)

Today
Second Collection
Sick and Retired
Priest Fund

Next Sunday
First Holy
Communion Mass
of Inscription

13 Dec at 02:00 pm
Next Baptism
Seminar

SACRAMENTS

First Holy Communion: The Mass of Inscription will take place on Sunday, 23rd November, during the 8:30 am Mass. Attendance is mandatory for both parents and children.

Baptism: Our next Baptism Seminar will be held on Friday, 13th December at 2:00 PM. For more information, please contact Aileen at hollowaycat@rcdow.org.uk

Confirmation: Registration for Confirmation are now out. Registration forms are placed at the back of the church. For more information contact Aileen at hollowaycat@rcdow.org.uk

Be a registered member of our parish!!!

Have faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days? Then fill up our registration form at the parish office. And regularly support your parish with the planned giving system (bank standing order).

If you are a UK taxpayer, we can claim back from the Inland Revenue 25p of every £1 you give, at no cost or inconvenience to you. Setting up a Gift Aid arrangement helps our parish to increase its income (contact the parish office).

Financial support

Monthly standing order: £996.50 Aug/week

Last offertory collection

Envelopes: 26 Oct £220.28	02 Nov - £284.25
Loose: 26 Oct £444.67	02 Nov - £409.76
Contactless: 26 Oct £223.19	02 Nov - £ 98.27
Total	£888.14 £792.28

Your generosity enables us to pay the parish bills. Thank you!

1) For online giving, please go to:
www.sacredheartchurchholloway.org.uk
and click **Support**.

Or Scan this QR and Give.

2) For standing orders or regular donations,



Parish Bank Account Details

Account name: WRCDT Holloway

Sorting Code: 40-05-20

Account Number: 71308319

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

3) For contactless giving, it's pretty easy! there are 2 machines at the entrance and baptismal font, please gift aid your offering if you're a taxpayer.

You can also scan the QR that you find on each bench.

PRAYER INTENTIONS

We ask for your charitable prayers for those sick at homes, in hospitals, recently deceased, and those whose anniversaries are at this time.

FOR THE SICK: Helen Hambridge, Leon King, Manuela Conrado, Phobe and David Ekong, Yolanda Villegas, Isaac Antwi-Darkwah, Estelita Rizado, Jill Kennedy, John Finn, Lilly & Gertrude McDermot, Madge Smith, Gerald Dorrian, Sean Christian, Mary Duungu, Mary Ryan, Maureen Frawley, Catherine Rainbow, Samantha Johnston, Roisin Duffy, Fr. John La Rocca, Ann Walsh, Joyce Fleming, Kathleen Wallace, Eric Ebo Essuman, Elizabeth Feeley, Michael Bradley, Angeles Wong, Tony Reilly, Mary Egan, Colman Connelly, Christopher, Brian Conway Crystal Green, Patrick Dolan, Margaret Toolan, Rosa Santos, , Carmel McComarck, Michael Bailey, Christopher Fradley, Stephanie Enepi, Chris Eisen and all who are sick and housebound in the parish (**and those who care for them**).

RECENTLY DEAD: Mary Wong, Rolando Valmonte, James Mclaughlin, Cathy Oconnor, Evelyn Quinn, Maria Benavides, William Salomon, Mowunmi Fadipe, Bishop Edemekong S Ekong, Loan Cheung, Eunice Ebuzoaju Cletus, Peter Sabryan, Maria Porto Gonnella, Jerry Ponce, Maria Louise.

DEATH ANNIVERSARIES: Anna Speromi, Irene Rounah Asang, Sean Aherne, Mary Rosina, Ykaalo Michel, Mary Morrissey, Funbi Adekunle, Patrick Toolan, Mossie O'Riordan, Geoffrey Bedingfield, Jeremiah O'Sullivan, Maria Ward, Elisa Vanin, Michael Brobbey, James Neary, Gean Moran, Bridget Burns...

Eternal rest grant unto them, Lord, and let your perpetual light shine upon them. May they rest in peace. Amen.

Mass intentions for the forthcoming week (Please contact the office to book your Mass intentions)

16th November 2025 Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time	Sat 6:00pm	Patrick Kiernan †
	8:30 am	Holy Souls †
	11:00 am	Irene Rounah Asang † Anniv
17th November, Mon. Feria	9:15 am	Maria Ward †
18th November, Tues.	No Mass	
19th November, Wed. Feria	9:15 am	All deceased members of Gorman Family †
20th November, Thur. Feria	9:15 am	Theresa Suporn Kusumratana †
21st November, Fri. The Presentation of the Blessed Virgin Mary	9:15 am	Kaltra - Birthday
22nd November, Sat. Saint Cecilia (Vigil Mass)	6:00 pm	Anna Speromi † Anniv
23rd November 2025 Thirty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:30 am	Bishop Hudson Intentions (First Holy Communion)
	11:00 am	Andrianoi Olivia Kenesha

PLEASE NOTE VERY IMPORTANT!

We warmly invite parishioners to donate any suitable, unwanted gifts for the Christmas Raffle Tickets. If you have items to contribute, your generosity would be greatly appreciated. Thank you!

The roof of the Church, where there has been a leak, has now been repaired. A scaffold will be placed in front of the entrance to facilitate the roof repairs of the Priests' house. I humbly request that you use the main entrance of the Church for the Masses to avoid any accidents until the work is completed, please. Thank you very much for your co-operation. *Fr. Francis.*