

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

Sunday 25th January.

Envelopes: £375.64

Loose: £346.10

Standing Orders £ 671.25 (Dec./Week)

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

JUST MOVED in to the PARISH?

Welcome Please register by completing a registration form from the parish office.

PLANNED GIVING (TITHING)

It is deciding how much of your income to regularly give to the work of your Parish. This will help us **budget** for the years ahead.

STANDING ORDER

It is not always possible to attend Mass in your own parish every week, like when you're on holiday. The most effective way to give is via a standing order from your bank account. All you need to do is fill in our Planned Giving Form, sign it, and return it to the office.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES 2014

Gift Aid? It's worth it!

It is *important* to **gift aid** your offering to the church (envelopes or standing order). This means that the government will top up your offering by 25p for every £1 at no extra expense 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 the office or ask Fr. Gideon.

CHURCH OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS, HOLLOWAY

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Tuesday, Thursday & Friday: 9:30am- 3:00pm.



NEWSLETTER 1st February

Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

1st February Fourth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Catholic Education's Collection)	(6.00pm Sat. Vigil Mass)	Theresa Kobacik- R.I.P
	8:30 AM	Nora O'Reilly R.I.P –Anniv.
	10:15 AM	For the Parish
	12:00 AM	Philip Lonergan R.I.P Margaret Lonergan R.I.P
2nd February Monday The Presentation of the Lord	9:15 am Mass	Lido Zuccolini R.I.P
3 rd February Tuesday	No Mass	
4 th February Wednesday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Decesed members of the Gorman Family
5 th February Thursday St Agatha	9:15 am Mass	Nora O'Reilly R.I.P- Anniv.
6 th February Friday St Paul Miki and Companions	9:15 am Mass	Liam Leniham R.I.P
7 th February Saturday Feria	6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Doreen - Ints
8th February Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:30 AM	Margaret and Paddy Rooney R.I.P
	10:15 AM	Justino Villegas - Ints
	12:00 AM	Ijeoma Arnado - Ints

CATHOLIC EDUCATION SUNDAY

Bishop John Sherrington writes:

'The Catholic school is called to witness with joy and simplicity to the goodness of each and every person, especially the vulnerable and disadvantaged. The school is called to be a beacon and witness to God's gracious gift of mercy shown us by the actions and words of Jesus Christ who is the Way, the Truth and the Life. Christ is at the centre of the Catholic school.'

'Together with the Cardinal, I thank you all for your dedication and service to the call of Catholic education. We pray that God will answer our prayers and provide for our needs.'

Copies of the whole of Bishop Sherrington's letter are available to take away with you today.

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

For the sick and the housebound:

Andrew Rodriguez, Helen Bradley, Joe Samuels, Carlo Mazzoni, Frances Byrne, John and Nora Harkin, Leo Kilkenny, Edwina Toson, , Eileen Ely , Joe Samuels, Taliah Sampson, Judette Palmer, Paddy McGravey, Maria Ward, Barbara Baptiste, Margaret Mulroy, Margaret Lonergan, Eileen Lucas, Tanya Obid, Alison McGoff, Martin & Margaret Cooke, Chris Eisen, Diana Johnson, Ben and Margaret Deignan, Mary Morrissey, Stephanie Enepi.

and all who are sick and housebound in the parish.

Anniversaries:

Nora O'Reilly, Margaret Lonergan, John Joe Ferguson, Harry Joseph Turner, Mary Krzemieniewski and Margaret Keohone, Pat Naughton and Ivy Ross, John O'Rourke.

Please Pray for the Recently Dead:

John Breslin, Rodolfo Espejo, Ann Collins, Marek Szymansky, Shirley Dolan, Philip Lonergan, Morris Flores, Angela Tabone, Josie O'Brien, Angelita Nogoy, Patrick Cullen, Dean Aka Samuels, Janusz Suliga, Martin Beeny, Fr. Gilberto Hoyos, Molly Wilson, John Clemo.

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

PARISH WEBSITE

www.sacredheartchurchholloway.org.uk

Please do not confuse it with the old website's address which is now defunct:

www.sacredheartchurchholloway.co.uk

BAPTISM

Babies are usually baptised in the first 6 months of life. To book a baptism for your child, please contact the parish priest. Parents of the child must be **registered** members of the parish. At least one parent of the child needs to supply us with their **Catholic baptismal certificate** and the child's **birth certificate**. Parents and godparents must attend some baptism preparation beforehand. **The next parents' and godparents' meeting will be in the church at 7:30 on 24 February 2015.**

MARRIAGE

Six months' notice must be given for marriage, whether here or elsewhere. Please contact Fr. Gideon. To make an appointment email: holloway@rcdow.org.uk

CONFIRMATION

Young people who are 14 years old and above (Year 9 or above) are illegible to join the Confirmation Programme 2015. Please collect you application form at the end of Mass. If you have not submitted your application yet, you still have the last chance. **We are extending the closing date until Thursday 5th February. Come to the parish office at the regular opening times to return your application form.**

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The next Parent's meeting (with children) is on **Wednesday 11th February** from 7:00pm-8:00pm.

Then next candidate's session is on Sunday 15th February January. Parents, please bring your children on time.

Is there anything you can do for your Church? Help is always required!

Church Cleaning- The Cleaning Team urgently need new members. If you can offer a little of your time to assist with this very important role please contact **Juliana – 07960541286**.

Visiting the Sick- This is a ministry for all the baptised. We have a number of housebound who would love a visit from a fellow member of the parish. Contact Fr. Gideon.

Lifts to Church- there are people who struggle to get to Mass. If you have a car with spare seats

ONGOING SPIRITUAL FORMATION

At Vaughan House, 46 Francis St.

SW1 1QN – 7:00pm-8:30pm

THIS IS MY BODY- For Eucharistic Ministers and anyone else. Sr. Anne Walsh OP and others (Facilitators) on **Thursdays 5th February, 7:00-8:30pm Vaughan House**. Register at www.rcdow.org.uk/events/ or livingfaith@rcdow.org.uk or call 02079316078.

The Privilege of Proclaiming the Word :For parish readers and anyone else. **Thurs. 12th Feb, 7:00pm-8:30pm**. Facilitators: Sr. Ann Walsh OP Sr. Karen d'Artois OP. Register at rcdow.org.uk/events/ or livingfaith@rcdow.org.uk or call 020 7931 6078

FAITH MATTERS TALKS: Lent 2015.

At Vaughan House, 46 Francis St. SW1 1QN – 7:00pm-8:30pm

This is a joint project of the Agency for Evangelisation and the Dominican Priory.

24th February Fr. Richard Ounsworth OP on Jesus.

3rd March Fr. John Farrell OP on The Church and the Christian Life.

10th March Fr. Aidan Nichols OP on How to write theology.

17th March Fr. Timothy Radcliffe OP on Tolerant and Free despite being Catholic?

Booking is required. Register at rcdow.org.uk/events/ or call at 020 7931 6078 to leave your details. Suggested donation is £3 per talk.

BEGINNING EXPERIENCE.

There is a healing weekend for people who find themselves single again following divorce, separation or the death of a partner from 20th to 22nd March 2015 at the Emmaus Centre, West Wickham, Kent. For more information please ring Freda on 01322-401243 or Sandra on 01293-783965.

MUSINGS

A lovely story in a 7th century *Life of Brigid* tells of how a thieving boy approached the saint for alms seven times on the same day (in different disguises each time), to be given on each occasion one sheep. However that evening, when the sheep were counted, no one was found to be missing. The perpetrator, baffled by this, finally returned the seven sheep after which the number in the flock had still not changed. A generous heart rarely diminishes the giver.
Salvador Ryan@ Intercom

Valentines Catholic Speed Dating - only 40 places available!

Come along with friends and enjoy the chance to meet lots of other like-minded people. Register with Gabriella@austin-forum.org beforehand and come to Austin Forum, Hammersmith on Fridat 13th February at 7.30pm, £5 only. Cash bar.

You can find more info on Facebook at https://www.facebook.com/events/1524001144541596/?context=create&previousaction=create&source=49&sid_create=717093477

COCKFOSTERS ECUMENICAL PRAYER GROUP

We meet at 8 pm every Monday for praise & worship, intercession, a talk and, finally, for personal prayer for those who desire this. People of all ages and denominations find both encouragement and fellowship. Some have also found physical, emotional or spiritual healing.

We have been meeting for the last 42 years and thousands have come over the years, even from far away. Recent speakers include Baroness Cox, Lord Alton, Anne Coles, Sr Josephine, Ken Stallard, John Ryeland, Paul Cowley, a Bethel group, etc. New members are most welcome !
Chaplain : Dom Benedict Heron OSB
Enquiries : Ros Kraushar 020 8883 2665
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