

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

Sunday 07 June 2015.

Envelopes: £571.60

Loose: £361.80

Standing Orders £691.25 (Apr/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 at 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 2015

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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Parish Office opening times for Admin

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



MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

14th June 2015 Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time	6:00 pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Bridie & Theresa Wallis – Intentions
	8:30 AM	Frances Byrne R.I.P
	10:15 AM	Mary O'Neill R.I.P – Anniv.
	12:00 Noon Mass	James Morrissey R.I.P – Anniversary
15th June Monday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Francisca Baque R.I.P
16th June Tuesday	No Mass	
17th June Wednesday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Helen Bradley R.I.P
18th June Thursday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Nora Carroll R.I.P
19th June Friday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Tony Genovese R.I.P
20th June Saturday St Alban	11:00-12:00a.m. 6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	<i>Confession or by appointment</i> For the Parish Confirmation Celebration
21st June Twelfth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:30 am Mass	Keith Potter R.I.P – Anniv.
	10:15am Mass	Lilian Appino R.I.P
	12:00 Noon Mass	Demetrio Baque R.I.P Anniversary

NEWSLETTER 14th June 2015

Eleventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Deep End – Of its own accord

There is a mystery at the heart of the first parable told by Jesus in Today's Gospel. It is contained in a simple phrase: 'how, he does not know'. The farmer in the parable plants the seed and witnesses it sprouting and growing. Although he doesn't understand how it is happening, he is grateful and he is ready when the crop is ready. He 'loses no time' when it comes to reaping the harvest.

Like the farmer, we are aware that life can be full of mystery. Events unfold all around us, and we do not always understand how or way things happen as they do. Sometimes we can see God's hand in our lives, and sometimes it is all a bit more difficult to get our heads around. Do we recognise blessings when they find us, and are we ready to welcome them with joy and to learn from them?

Jesus precedes this parable by saying: 'This is what the kingdom of God is like'. These parables of seeds are growth remind us that God is at work in as usual and all around us, even when we are not aware of it. If we have patience and keep our eyes open, we might just be able to recognise God's blessings in our lives, and really appreciate them.

There's always room for a story that can transport people to another place.

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A BIG THANK YOU!

To Cardinal Vincent in visiting our Parish and School on our feast day yesterday 12th June to celebrate the Mass of Thanksgiving and to inaugurate the new building. Thank you too for your attendance and for all your support.

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:

John Mazzoni, Joan Neary, Mary Wong, Eileen Graham, Martine Rainsford, Gerry Johnson, Edwina Toson, Stelly Varela, Martin Rainsford, Sarah Lane, Christopher Fradley, Michael Long, Lily Chiwuoke, Charlie Crane, Rosa Nicholls Maria Louis, Stella Turner, Michael Cole, Steadman Descartes, Joe Samuels, John and Nora Harkin, Eileen Ely, Taliah Sampson, Judette Palmer, Paddy McGravey, Maria Ward, Barbara Baptiste, Margaret Mulroy, Margaret Lonergan, Eileen Lucas, Alison McGoff, Martin & Margaret Cooke, Chris Eisen, Ben and Margaret Deignan, Mary Morrissey, Stephanie Enepi.

and all who are sick and housebound in the parish.

Anniversaries:

Keith Potter, Mary O'Neill, Ann & Xavier Komaranchath, Demetrio Baque, Martin McCarthy, Elizabeth Martins, Ray Patterson, James Morrissey, Wayne Cosgrove, Andres Arbelaez, John Rainsford, Myriam & Pierre Imbert.

Please Pray for the Recently Dead:

Michael Prior, Francisca Baque, Antonio Genovese, Frances Byrne, Helen Bradley, Andrew O'Brien, Joe Samuels, Anne Morrissey, Fiona Mercy Ofori-Acheampong, David Pinto Quintanilla, Lillian Appino, Tanya Ba Obeid, Helen Bradley.

"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 autumn.**

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

The rehearsal for Confirmation Mass will be on Thursday 18th June at 7:00pm. **Confirmation Mass will be on 20th June at 6:00pm.** Candidates must arrive at 5:30p.m.

"THE LGBT CATHOLICS YOUNGER ADULTS GROUP"

(LGBT YAG) aims to provide support and fellowship for Catholics in their 20s, 30s and 40s who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual or transgender, and their families. We meet regularly for Mass at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Farm Street, as well as organizing monthly spiritual and social events. If you would like to know more, please contact us at: lgbtcatholicisyag@gmail.com

TAIZE, 15-24TH AUGUST 2015

Join Westminster Youth Ministry's Adventure to the heart of France. Young people aged 16-30 from around the world will come together for a week of friendship, helping others, learning about God and much more!

Contact us for more information: youth@rcdow.org.uk web: dowym.com

Mount Jesuit Centre, 114 Mount Street, W1K 3AH www.mountstreet.info 0207495 1673 is organising several talks and events in June. See website or call the above number for details.

SUMMER CAMP 2015

Ajofrin (Toledo Spain) 2-23 August

If you are a young person 17-25 Missionary Servants of the Poor invites you to join. Only the cost of travel to and from Ajofrin is required of you. Log on to website: www.msptm.com or see poster in porch.

The Role of Parents in the Sacramental Preparation of their Children

Date: 20 June - **Time:** 10:00am - 3:00pm
Venue: The Diocese Of Westminster, 46 Francis Street, London SW1P 1QN, Diocesan Study Days for Parish Catechists. (Attendance at a Study Day counts for 1 Credit towards the Archbishop's Certificate in Catechesis. If you are doing the Archbishop's Certificate in Catechesis, then kindly inform the Catechetical Co-ordinator by email after you attend the day. The Credit will be added to your Student Record. Email: catadmin@rcdow.org.uk)

'EVER ANCIENT, EVER NEW':

Men aged 18-40 with a passion for God and the Church are invited to consider a vocation to the men's branch of a new religious community. Join us on the weekend of 4th/5th July at Abbotswick House of Prayer, Brentwood, for a time of prayer, sharing and reflection. It will provide you with the opportunity to learn more about the Community of Our Lady of Walsingham's charism and how it may relate to your own faith journey. For further information call Jim on 01277 373848 or visit www.walsinghamcommunity.org.

SUMMER SCHEDULE OF MASSES

As people are going on their summer holidays, our times of Masses on Sundays will change. It will start on **Sunday 26th July** until **Sunday 30th August**. **Masses on Sundays will be: 6:00pm (Sat. Vigil), 8:30am, 11:00am.** We will be back to our normal schedule on Sunday, 6th September.

MUSINGS

'All the trees of the forest will know that I the Lord bring down the tall tree and make the low tree grow tall' (Ezekiel 17:24). Today's First Reading brings to mind one of Aesop's fables in which the tall fir tree on the hill boasts of its stature, all the while ridiculing the small bramble bush standing next to it. Until, that is, a woodcutter climbs the hill and ignoring the humble bramble, chops to the proud fir the ground. The second part of Ezekiel's verse is perhaps more relevant to our daily lives. How can we participate in God's raising up of the lowly? What words of encouragement can we speak today?

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ST. JOHN BOSCO SUMMER CAMP

Children's Summer Holiday Camp at Aldham, Essex.

www.svpboscocamp.org.uk

The boy's camp (ages 8-13) runs for 2 weeks from 25th July to 8th August.

The girl's camp (ages 9-12) runs from 8th August to 15th August.

Camping holiday which has enormous range of activities for the children to enjoy. The camp fee is £145 for a child's stay for a week.

See poster in porch for more info. Application forms at the parish office.

UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS ((UCM)

Meets on the 1st Sunday of the month after the 12:00noon Mass. All mothers are welcome.

LOVE HEALS, BODY MIND SPIRIT TEAM

One Day retreat of Quiet Reflection – **Saturday 27th June 2015 11:00am-5:00pm**

At the Church of our Lady of Assumption & St. Gregory Warwick Street, Piccadilly. Nearest tube: Piccadilly Circus Exit 2 Enquiries: Eileen & David Brum 0208 542 2476. (see poster in porch) or website: www.loveheals-bodymindandspirit.org