

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

Sunday 12 July 2015.

Envelopes: £413.13

Loose: £260.12

Standing Orders £684.5 (June/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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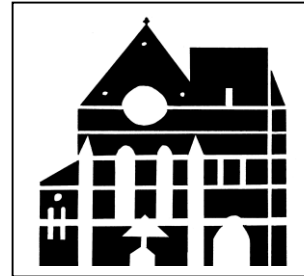
www.sacredheartchurchholloway.org.uk

Parish Priest: Fr. Gideon Wagay

Mrs. Elizabeth Ocampo- Admin Assistant

Parish Office opening times for Admin

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



MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

19th July 2015 Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	6:00 pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Ramon Restom – R.I.P
	8:30 AM	John Mazzone – R.I.P
	10:15 AM	Private Intentions
	12:00 Noon Mass	Andres Bedoya - Intentions
20th July Monday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Roberto Varela R.I.P - Aniv
21st July Tuesday St Apollinaris	11:00am Mass Funeral Mass	Jean Campbell R.I.P
22nd July Wednesday St Mary Magdalene	9:15 am Mass	Mark Lydon R.I.P
23rd July Thursday St Bridget	9:15 am Mass	Gordon Witt – R.I.P
24th July Friday Feria	9:15 am Mass	Jean Campbell R.I.P
25th July Saturday St James	11:00-12:00a.m. 6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass)	Confession or by appointment Dorothy Molinari R.I.P
26th July 2015 Seventeenth Sunday in Ordinary Time	8:30 am Mass	For the Parish
	11:00am Mass	Mary Morrissey - Intentions

NEWSLETTER 19th July 2015

Sixteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time

The Deep End – 'Nourishment'

Although today's Gospel is short, there is plenty of food for thought. The apostles have returned to Jesus after their mission. They are exhausted and we are told have not even had time to 'eat'. They are in need of rest and nourishment in body, mind and spirit. Jesus give good instructions to them and to us today: '*Come away to a deserted place all by yourselves and rest a while*'. Our world demands so much from us, everyone is so busy all of the time. Jesus's instructions tells us that time out is so important; we need to look after ourselves.

Of course it doesn't go to plan. The crowd are desperate for guidance. Jesus takes pity on them as they are like 'sheep without a shepherd'. Either they have no one to guide them or the leaders who are guiding them are offering a fruitless leadership. These people need to be listened to. What are they asking for? What do they need? As Church, are we offering people what they need or are we leading them to 'safe places' that no longer serve their needs? Where are people going for nourishment today? These are important questions. We must listen to the need in ourselves for rest and nourishment and also respond to the real needs of others.
Jane Mallet@ Intercom

Cardinal Vincent Asks for Urgent Action Against Assisted Suicide Bill

On Friday 11th September 2015 the House of Commons will be debating and voting on a Private Member's Bill to legalise assisted suicide. It would 'enable competent adults who are terminally ill to choose to be provided with medically supervised assistance to end their own life'. This means it would licence doctors to supply lethal drugs to terminally ill patients to enable them to commit suicide.

As a matter of urgency, Cardinal Vincent and the bishops of England and Wales are asking Catholics to write to their MP to oppose this dangerous bill.

For a model letter to your MP which can be downloaded, filled out and sent, please go to <http://rcdow.org.uk/news/cardinal-vincent-asks-for-urgent-action-against-assisted-suicide-bill/>

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:

Mary Harrington, 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, Judette Palmer, 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:

Roberto Varela, Daniel hagan, Michael Aka, Jose Ocampo, Paddy Gorry, Paddy and Mary Haffernan, Keith Potter, Mary O'Neill, Demetrio Baque, Martin McCarthy, Elizabeth Martins.

Please Pray for the Recently Dead:

Jean Campbell, John Mazzoni, 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
Suggestions to improve our website are welcome.

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 practice their faith and 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 a baptismal preparation meeting 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

PHOTOGRAPHS

We still have some photographs from First Holy Communion and Confirmation to be collected from the parish office. Please collect them in office hours

Deepening Our Awareness of God Within Us

Mount Street Jesuit Centre, 114 Mount Street, W1K 3AH
This very successful course, which has been running here for the past eleven years, offers experiences of different ways of praying, reflecting and listening, so as to foster the connection between life and prayer. It is an opportunity to discover and develop our understanding of the spirituality taught by St Ignatius of Loyola, that of 'Finding God in all Things' and it is experiential – you can only experience Ignatian Spirituality, you cannot be taught it. The 2015-16 course runs Wednesday daytime, 23rd September 2015 - 6th July 2016, 11 am – 1 pm or Thursday evening, 24th September 2015 - 7th July 2016, 6:30-8:30 pm. You can download an application from <http://www.msic.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2015/05/ApplicationForm2015-16v4.doc> or telephone 020-7495-1673

DAY FOR LIFE

Next Sunday 26 July is The 'Day for Life' is the day in the Church's year dedicated to celebrating and upholding the dignity of human life. The Church teaches that life should be protected and nurtured from conception to natural death. This year we look at how to cherish life while we can and accept death when it comes. Website: www.dayforlife.org
We will second collection for 'Day for Life' Next Sunday.

The Catholic Certificate of Religious Studies

The Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies (CCRS) is designed for people who are engaged in the communication of their Catholic Faith, whether directly or indirectly. It is open to catechists, people involved in liturgical work and other interested adults. More details about start dates, fees and your nearest centre please visit the CCRS Website www.brs-ccrs.org.uk or call us 0207 901 1900

PLANET AND PICNIC WATER WALK

Saturday 1st August between 12:00 to 15:30. Near New River Gate of Finsbury Park. Located on Endymion road N4. Buses to Endymion road or Piccadilly line to Manor House, or over ground to Harringay Green Lanes.

The water walk will follow the New River and finish back at the picnic site
Bring a picnic, a ball and fun things to do!
- johnchrysostom@btinternet.com.

SUMMER SCHEDULE OF MASSES

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

MUSINGS

The Second Reading today speaks of Christ as our peace, destroying the dividing walls of hostility between people through his death on the cross. It is ironic, of course, that the very city in which Christ was crucified has become synonymous with walls of hostility between peoples – as have cities such as Berlin and Belfast in the past. But in our daily lives most of these walls are not made of bricks, or indeed steel. They are more usually made up of unkind words squirreled away and retained for future airing; old grievances nursed and fed; slights unforgiven and allowed to fester. Where is Christ in these for us today?
Salvador Ryan@ Intercom

UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS ((UCM)

Next meeting will be on Sunday 6 September after the 12:00noon Mass. UCM members wish you a restful summer break.

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

SING WELL & PRAY TWICE

29 August at 10:00am - 4:00pm, St Augustine's Church, Hammersmith.
Sing well and pray twice: a day of music, prayer & fun with international composer Christopher Walker on Saturday 29 August from 10am to 4pm. Workshop, Celebration of Mass & Lunch.
Individual & Parish group bookings welcome. No charge but donations welcomed to the Parish Regeneration Project. St. Augustine's Catholic Church, 55 Fulham Palace Road, London W6 8AU N.B. Advance booking is required: staugustineshammersmith.eventbrite.co.uk or call 020 8748 3788.