

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION**

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2018.

**Envelopes: Weekly £712.35**

**Loose: £375.78**

**Standing Orders £946.50 (Feb/week)**

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

**Text Giving-** is quick and easy way to make donation towards the upkeep and running costs at Sacred Heart. Just text "PARISH HOLLO" to this number: 70800, to donate £5 automatically. This amount will be added to your phone bill.

**For online giving, please go to:**  
[www.sacredheartchurchholloway.org.uk](http://www.sacredheartchurchholloway.org.uk)  
 and click **support**. Thank you.

**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.

**Are you on our GIFT AID list yet?**

It is *important* to **gift aid** 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 in the office.

**CHURCH OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS, HOLLOWAY**



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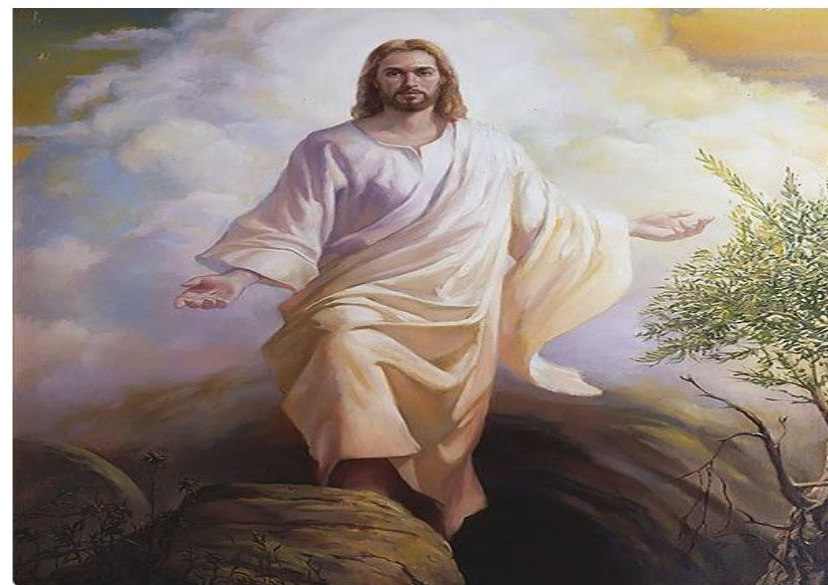
Parish Priest: Fr. Gideon Wagay

*Mrs. Elizabeth Ocampo- Admin Assistant*

Parish Office opening times for Admin

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

**Easter Sunday of the Resurrection  
 1<sup>st</sup> April 2018**



**ALLELUIA, ALLELUIA, ALLELUIA ... May the Lord Jesus bring you once again his promise and hope of new life!  
 HAPPY EASTER!**

**MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK**

<b>1st April 2018</b>  <b>Easter Sunday of the Resurrection</b> Holy Places Collection	<b>8:00pm: Easter Vigil &amp; First Mass of Easter</b>	<b>For the Parish Joy Odunewu - Ints</b>
	<b>8:30 am Mass</b>	<b>Frances Byrne – R.I.P- Anniv.</b>
	<b>11:00 am Mass</b>	<b>Ludvinia King - Thanksgiving</b>
<b>2<sup>nd</sup> April Monday</b> within the octave of Easter	<b>10:00 a.m Mass</b>	Meli A Nagaid Family Intentions
<b>3<sup>rd</sup> April Tuesday</b>	No Mass	
<b>4<sup>th</sup> April Wednesday.</b> within the octave of Easter	9:15 am Mass	Joan Neary R.I.P
<b>5<sup>th</sup> April Thursday.</b> within octave of Easter	<b>10:00 a.m Funeral Mass</b>	<b>Grace Stephens R.I.P</b>
<b>6<sup>th</sup> April Friday</b> within octave of Easter	9:15 am Mass	Overcoming Addictions
<b>7<sup>th</sup> April Saturday.</b> within octave of Easter	11:00- 12:00 noon	<i>Confessions</i>
	<b>6:00 pm Vigil Mass</b>	<b>Barney Morgan R.I.P</b>
<b>8<sup>th</sup> April</b>  <b>Second Sunday of Easter</b> (Divine Mercy)	8:30 am Mass	Frances Byrne – R.I.P- Anniv.
	11:00 am Mass	Kathy Keane R.I.P – Anniv.

*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:**

Lil Traynor, Christopher Browne, Baby Michael Ellitott, Keith Hunt, Maria Louis, Crystal Green, Dolores Crowley, Ludvinia King, Justino Villegas, Patrick Doolan, Margaret Toolan, John Regan, Rosa Santos, Tom Kelly, Mary Wong, Michael Bailey, Ada Bacarini, Eillen Graham, Martine Rainsford, Christopher Fradley, Edwina Toson, Charlie Crane, Nora Harkin, Eileen Ely, Barbara Baptiste, Margaret Mulroy, Alison McGoff, Martin & Margaret Cooke, Ben & Margaret Deignan, Mary Morrissey, Stephanie Enepi, Chris Eisen and all who are sick and housebound in the parish.

**Anniversaries:** Kathy Keane, Beryl Genovese, Frances Byrne, Arnel Bejosano, Sean Cullen, Michael Baylon, Margaret Lonergan, Isabel Lindo, Pauric Dolan, Helen Bradley, Clifford Price, Michael Houlihan, Nora Carroll.

**Please Pray for the Recently Dead:**

Ada Slater, Federico Gracilla, Joan Neary, Brian Harrigan, Bridget Gill, Brian Mpunga, Jose Ballesteros, Paddy Boylan, Thomas Clarke, Helena Bolotny, Veronica Manning, Patrick Hayes, Ellen Howard, Margaret Kinsella.

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

**Active Membership of the Parish** is determined by the following criteria: being properly registered for a sufficient period of time; faithful attendance at Mass on Sundays and Holy Days; use of the planned giving system (envelope or bank standing order) in regular support of the parish.

**CHOIR PRACTICE** is usually on **Thursdays @ 8:00pm** at the Parish house. The day however, is movable depending on the availability of most members. Please ask Peggy for more details. Everyone welcome!

## **SACRAMENTS**

### **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 preparation course for Baptism will take place in the parish, date to be confirmed.

### **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: [holloway@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:holloway@rcdow.org.uk)

### **CONGRATULATIONS!**

Congratulations, prayers and blessings to Margaret Waite and Samantha Rawlings who will/were baptised at the Easter Vigil. Please welcome them and their families next week, when the UCM are organising a 'bring and share' after the 11am Mass to welcome them into our Catholic family.

### **Is God calling you?**

Are you interested in sharing your faith through volunteering as a catechist? Do you have skills that you would like to offer? We are in need of catechists for a range of ages and sacramental needs but in particular for First Holy Communion preparation and Children's Liturgy of the Word. Please speak to Nali (Catechetical Coordinator or contact the parish office).

### **Beginning Experience Weekend**

There is a healing weekend for men and women who find themselves single again following separation, divorce or the death of a partner from 20th to 22nd April 2018 at the Domus Mariae Centre, Chigwell, Essex. For more details please telephone Freda 01322-838415 or Sandra 01293-783965 or email [johnbrotherton@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:johnbrotherton@hotmail.co.uk).

### **POPE FRANCIS INTENTIONS FOR APRIL.**

**Universal – For those who have Responsibility in Economic Matters**

That economists may have the courage to reject any economy of exclusion and know how to open new paths.

### **PLANNED GIVING**

The new boxes of envelopes for planned giving are now available at the back of the Church. If your name and address are incorrect on your box, please let the office know as soon as possible so that we can amend our records. If you are new to the parish or would like to join the Gift Aid Scheme or would prefer to pay by Bankers Order, please complete one of the pledge cards at the back of the church and post it through the presbytery letter box. These new boxes start on the 8<sup>th</sup> April.

**OFFERTORY COLLECTION-** With many of our registered members in the parish, relocating to another part of the country (or abroad), our offertory collection has been affected. With the money you saved in your efforts to give up, why not try to put a little extra in the Offertory collection on Sunday. With a little effort our collection could amount to £1000 per week which would make it a little easier to pay our heating and other bills. Thank you very much.

**Cardinal's Mass of Thanksgiving for the Sacrament of Matrimony at Westminster Cathedral – Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> May at 3:00pm-**

For all couples in the Parish who are celebrating their 5<sup>th</sup>, 10<sup>th</sup>, 25<sup>th</sup>, 30<sup>th</sup>, 40<sup>th</sup>, 50<sup>th</sup>, 60<sup>th</sup> (and every year over 60) wedding anniversary of Catholic Marriage in 2018. Any couples who qualify, please email Elizabeth the office [holloway@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:holloway@rcdow.org.uk) by 8<sup>th</sup> April.

### **Eucharistic Retreat with the Relics of St. Mary Magdalene- Soho Square**

The Retreat is from the 7<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> April 2018.

**Time:** 6:00pm - 7:00pm

**Venue:** St. Patrick, 21a Soho Square, W1D 4NR - Saturday 7th April at 6pm.

Divine Mercy Vigil Mass, followed by Adoration with music.

The relics of St Mary Magdalene will be present in the Church.

Fr. Sean Davidson of the Missionaries of the Most Holy Eucharist will be preaching at the Masses and will be sharing his reflections on Eucharistic Adoration.

### **MUSINGS: Be a person who sings life!**

Be people who sing life, who sing faith. This is important: don't just recite the Credo, recite faith, know faith, but sing faith! That's it. Tell faith, live faith with joy, and this is called 'singing faith'. And it's not me saying it! Saint Augustine said it 1600 years ago: 'sing faith!' Pope Francis, Address, 3 May 2014

### **Beginners' Guide to Ignatian Spirituality**

Tuesdays, 17th April - 22nd May, 7-8.30pm  
Andrew Kerr-Jarrett and Mitzi James  
Mount Street Jesuit Centre, 114 Mount Street, W1K 3AH [pathwaystogod.org](http://pathwaystogod.org) 0207-495-1673

This course is for those who are new to Ignatian spirituality, from any background. Its focus is primarily on Ignatian ways of prayer, within which we come to know more about the God who created us, who we are and who we were made to be. Just as there are a great variety of physical exercises for increasing our physical health, St. Ignatius believed that what he called the Spiritual Exercises would develop **our spiritual health, our relationship with God and the world.**

### **World Apostolate of Fatima Event**

The WAF England and Wales National Pilgrim Virgin Statue of Our Lady of Fatima and the Relics of Saints Jacinta and Francisco will be at Westminster Cathedral on **Saturday 21st April 2018, from 14.00 – 16.00.** This event will include a Procession of the National Pilgrim Virgin Statue and the Relics of Saints Jacinta and Francisco from Our Lady's Chapel to the Sanctuary, the recitation of the Rosary, Marian hymns, and talks by Fr Richard Nesbitt, the WAF diocesan Spiritual Director for Westminster, and Fr Jason Jones, the WAF National Spiritual Director. There will also be the opportunity to be Enrolment in the Brown Scapular, and this will be followed by exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction. The afternoon will conclude with a general blessing with the Relics of Saints Jacinta & Francisco (no individual veneration) and a Procession of the Statue and the Relics to St Paul's Chapel. For inquiries & reservations please contact: World Apostolate of Fatima –England & Wales Tel. No. 07782 661922. E-mail: [info@worldfatima-landwales.org.uk](mailto:info@worldfatima-landwales.org.uk)