

## Offertory Collections: 2013

Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2013

Envelopes: £ 516.95

Loose: £ 470.80

Standing Orders: £ 662.50

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

### JUST MOVED in to the PARISH?

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

### PLANNED GIVING (OFFERING)

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 2013

#### **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

# The Voice of Eden Grove



## Church of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

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## THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST 2<sup>nd</sup> JUNE 2013

### MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

<b>Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June</b> <b>THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI)</b>	<b>(6.00pm: Sat. Vigil Mass)</b> <b>8:30am</b>	Wayne Cosgrove RIP (Anniv.)  Gloria Cabuhal R.I.P.
	<b>10:15 am</b>	Ann and Xavier
	<b>12:00 Noon</b>	James Morrissey R.I.P. (Anniv)
	<b>9:15am Mass</b>	Patrick (Intentions)
<b>Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June</b> Sts. Charles Lwanga & Co. Ugandan Martyrs	No Mass	
<b>Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June</b> (Ninth Week Yr. 1)		
<b>Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> June</b> St. Boniface, Martyr	9:15am Mass	Fr. Alan's Intentions (sick)
<b>Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June</b> Feria or St. Norbert	9:15am Mass	Martin McCarthy R.I.P. Anniv.
<b>Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus (Feast)</b>	<b>10:00AM Mass (with School)</b>	For the Parish and the School
<b>Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June</b>	11 – 12 noon <b>6:00pm: (Sat. Vigil Mass)</b>	Confession or by appointment  <b>Nancy Doyle R.I.P.</b>
<b>Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>10<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</b>	<b>8:30AM</b>	<b>Helen Bradley (sick)</b>
	<b>10:15AM</b>	<b>Firs Holy Communion Children</b>
	<b>12:00 Noon</b>	<b>Joe Neary R.I.P.</b>

## The Deep End. This is my body

The human body can be a fragile thing. I recently came across the TV series *Great Ormond Street*, which followed the stories of a number of very sick children and the doctors who treat them in this London's children's hospital. It was harrowing to watch the things these children go through. Some of them have spent the majority of their young lives in hospital and have never known a life without pain and suffering.

Many of us also know people who are sick and suffering and it can be hard to make sense of it all. In April this year, Kerry teenager Donal Walsh spoke about his battle of terminal cancer, and made a powerful plea to those considering suicide to think differently about their lives. He believed that his life, while short, could be a sign of hope for others.

'Please, as a 16-year old who has no say in his death sentence, who has no choice in the pain he is about to cause and who would take any chance at even a few more months on this planet: appreciate what you have, know that there are always other options,' was his plea.

On this feast of Corpus Christi, we recall how Jesus took bread and gave it to his disciples, saying 'This is my body'. He gave his own body over to suffering and death, for us. Our own bodies may be weak, but Jesus is with us in our frailty, united with us in our suffering. Let us bring our brokenness into the presence of Christ today. T. Doherty@intercom

*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:**

Lisa McKenna, Helen Bradley, John Breslin, Margaret Deignan, Michael Cole, Diana Johnson, Cedric Cowell, Alison McGoff, Michael Barber, Tanya Ba Obeid, Florence McGrath, Chris Eisen, Jim Spencer, Nicola Jacques, Margaret Hughes, Mary Egan, Ann Harvey, Anne Conway, Martin & Margaret Cooke, Peter Finn, Colman Connolly, Lil Traynor, Myrtle Hughes, Lillian Appino, Sarah Lane, Nessa Healy, Anne Franklin, Mary Morrissey, Roy Barton, James McNamara, Patrick Enright, Ernie Fisher, Celia Donovan, Erin Connor, Julia White, Mary Barry, Edwina Toson, Ana Shaw, Pauline Hunt, **and all who are sick and housebound in the parish.**

**Anniversaries:**

Barney Doherty, James Morrissey, Mary Gill, Remedios Solomon, Eugene O'Keefe, John Rainsford, Agostino Solari, Ann McKenna, Mary Gill, Beryl Genovese, George Johnson, Gordon de Nobrega, Maria Bright, William Crosby, Frank Dorrian, Wayne Cosgrove

**Please Pray for the Recently**

**Dead:** Joe Neary, Nancy Doyle, Gloria Cabuhal, Nelly O'Mahoney, Joseph David, Sarah Colgan, Gus Cryan, Claire Campbell, Mark Griffin, Tony Rooney, Anna Larotonda, Maria Ines Habib Oliveira, Margaret Cooney, John Danquah, John Murphy, *"Eternal rest grant unto them Lord, and let your light shine upon them. May they rest in peace."*

**MILLERS FUNERAL CATHOLIC UNDERTAKERS**

Essex Rd.N1 020 7226 3886

**BAPTISM:** To book a baptism for your child, please contact Fr. Gideon at the parish office at least 6 months before the Baptism date. At least one parent or guardian of the child needs to supply us with their Catholic Baptismal Certificate and the child's Birth Certificate. God parents **must** be practicing Catholics. Parents and god parents have to attend a meeting with the catechist or the priest before the baptism takes place.

**MARRIAGE: -Make your arrangements with the priest at least six (6) months before your wedding date.**

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME 2012-2013**

**Sunday, 9<sup>TH</sup> JUNE Mass of Thanksgiving at the 10:15 Mass. This will be followed by PTA sponsored breakfast in school All must attend. Certificates will be distributed on this day.**

**CONFIRMATION 2013**

**CAKE SALE on Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> June After the 12:00 Noon Mass.**

**REHEARSAL – Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> June at 7:00PM. ALL MUST ATTEND.**

**CONFIRMATION MASS**

**6:00pm on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> June.**

**SPIRIT IN THE CITY FESTIVAL**  
**12<sup>TH</sup>-15<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2013**

**[www.spiritinthecity.org](http://www.spiritinthecity.org)**

Catholic Faith Festival in the West end of London. Catholic parishes and communities and other Christian movements come together to pray, celebrate and evangelise in a variety of ways. On **Weds 12<sup>th</sup> June** they will present a dazzling opening show at 5:30pm **"AWAKENING"** in the Leicester Square Theatre (Leicester Place), an evening of uplifting Christian entertainment about a journey of discovery. for one night only: Tickets £15. tel. 08448733433 [www.bit.ly/bookawakening](http://www.bit.ly/bookawakening)

**QUESTIONS PEOPLE ASK @intercom**

**Q. My friend claims that Jesus didn't really multiply the loaves and fishes but, by giving everything the apostles had, he challenged everybody to share what they had. 'Give them something to eat yourselves.' Do you agree that the real miracle was the generosity of the people?**

**A. The Gospel clearly says that Jesus took the five loaves and two fish, prayed over them, broke them and handed them to be distributed. There is nothing in the Gospel to back up your friend's fanciful interpretation of the story, though, admittedly, it does bring out the challenge of the Eucharist to share generously with others. It recalls the theme of last year's Eucharistic Congress: Communion with Christ and with One Another. Fr. O'Flynn @intercom**

**Union of Catholic Mothers (UCM)**

meets on the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month after the 12:00 Noon Mass. All mothers are welcome.

**KOLBE'S GIFT**

**1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> October 2013 at Leicester Theatre**  
See poster in porch. To book, visit [www.kolbesgift.com](http://www.kolbesgift.com) or phone the theatre box office on 08448 733433

**DIVINE EUROPE FEST**

**3<sup>rd</sup> August 2013 10:00AM-5:00PM**  
**Venue: Worship Ville, 640 Ripple Road Barking Essex : A special banquet of God's word by famous Speakers. Musical Celebration. More info next week. See Poster in porch. Call 08007561053 (Divine TV)**  
**ENOUGH FOOD for EVERYBODY IF- Saturday, 8<sup>th</sup> June**

**CAFOD invites you to join together with others in prayer and witness in Central London on Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June, calling on G8 leaders to make a global hunger a priority when they meet in mid-June. The day will start at 11:30am with an ecumenical service in Westminster Methodist Central Hall where Archbishop Nichols will speak. There will then be a Walk of Witness at 1pm to Hyde Park for a rally at 2pm calling on the G8 to tackle world hunger. For more information, visit [www.cafod.org.uk/q8rally](http://www.cafod.org.uk/q8rally) or 02084496970**

**St. John Bosco Summer Camp 2013**

An opportunity for children to have an exciting week long camping holiday in a setting of over 40 acres of Essex countryside and is owned and maintained by SVP volunteers. The entire week is taken up with a full programme of planned and supervised activities. Children live in tents in groups of seven or eight. Cooked breakfast, lunch, dinner and evening snacks are provided, and all activities are also included in the cost. The camp fee is £140 for a child.

**Wk.1 for Boys Camp** is on **20<sup>th</sup>-27<sup>th</sup> July. Wk. II for Boys Camp** is on **27<sup>th</sup>-3<sup>rd</sup> August. Girls Camp** is on **3<sup>rd</sup>-10<sup>th</sup> August.**

**See Poster** for more information or ask Fr. Gideon for application forms.

**PILGRIMAGES 2013**

**14/15/16<sup>th</sup> June:** The National Shrine of St. Padre Pio at Pantasaph, Nt. Wales and St. Winifred's Shrine at HOLYWELL- Spiritual leader Fr. Timothy Gorham OSB. Full Board +coach- £130. Coach leaves Westminster Cathedral 9:00am Friday returning Sunday evening. Booking enquiries call **Maureen 0753 4407129 or Rose07957 585132.**

**Sat. 13<sup>th</sup> July from 11:00am till 4:30PM- Grandparents' Pilgrimage** (Faith and Fun for the Family). Bring grandchildren and their parents too. Plenty of activities for the children. Bishops John Hine and Kieran Conroy, Celebrants. The Friars, Aylesford Kent ME20 7BX. Tel. 01622 717272 ( Follow the signposts from M20 "The Friars")

**14<sup>th</sup>-21 October 2013:** Year of Faith Scriptural Pilgrimage to the Holy Land. It will be led by Fr. Robert Hill and will spend 3 nights in Nazareth & 4nights in Bethlehem. Visit Capernaum, Mount Tabor, Jerusalem, Jerico and Ain Karen. £1300 per person on half board sharing a twin room. Visit [www.palestinepilgrimage.org.uk](http://www.palestinepilgrimage.org.uk)

**18<sup>th</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> November 2013: 3<sup>rd</sup> Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Holy Land.** Led by Bishop Hopes and guided by Fr. John Farrell OP. Galilee-Bethlehem-Jerusalem £1495 sharing, £298 single supplement. [gerald@daly.org.uk](mailto:gerald@daly.org.uk) Contact Gerald Daly 02077989173; [rcdow.org.uk](http://rcdow.org.uk) or Gill at Tangney Tours: 01732 886666. See poster in porch.