

## Offertory Collections

**Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2014**

**Envelopes: £404.80**

**Loose: £332.00**

**Standing Orders £699 (May./Week)**

*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 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.

# NEWSLETTER

## Church of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

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**Parish Office opening times for Admin**

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



## THE MOST HOLY BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST SUNDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> June 2014

### 'Presence'

Some videos doing the round of social media recently showed young people who had emigrated abroad returning home for a surprise to visit family members and friends. Their sudden, unexpected presence reduced their loved ones to tears, laughter, and the odd bout of swearing! There is no substitute for the presence of a loved one, in spite of how easy it is to stay in touch these days with the help of email, instant messaging and video chats. 'It's like you are in the next room@ is just not the same as a hug and some real live company.

We recognise the importance of the presence of our loved ones. But when the same word, 'presence', is used to talk about Christ in the Eucharist, we are not so sure what it means. We know of course that Jesus was present with his followers during his earthly life, and that he was present with them again after he rose from dead. But it didn't all end after ascended into heaven. We, too, have the gift of Christ's presence. We are not getting by on memories and stories. He is really present to us in the Eucharist.

*"He makes a gift of himself. We, too, are experiencing the solidarity of God with man, a solidarity that never runs out, a solidarity that never ceases to amaze us: God draws near to us. Let us ask ourselves, adoring the Christ truly present in the Eucharist: do I let myself be transformed by him?" Pope Francis. @intercom*

**Fr. John** – We welcome **Fr. John LaRocca S.J.** who has arrived to spend his summer in the parish. For thirty years, Fr. John has been coming to Sacred Heart in the summer in order for the parish priest to have his holidays. Fr. John is a History professor at Xavier University, Cincinnati Ohio with expertise in Tudor and Stuart England. Fr. Gideon is now away.

**Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> JUNE - Peter's Pence Collection (see article inside).**

### MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

<b>Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> June</b> <b>The Most Holy Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi)</b>  <i>(Next Sunday Peter Pence collection)</i>	<b>(6.00pm Sat. Vigil Mass)</b>	<b>Mary Heffernan R.I.P Anniv</b> <b>Keith Potter – R.I.P</b>
	<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>Mrs R.J.K – Intentions</b>
	<b>10:15 AM</b>	<b>Finlay Harper R.I.P</b>
	<b>12:00 PM</b>	<b>Julian Assange - Intentions</b>
<b>23<sup>rd</sup> June Monday</b> St. Etheldreda	9:15 am Mass	Mary and James Levins R.I.P Anniversary
<b>24<sup>th</sup> June Tuesday</b>	No Mass	
<b>25<sup>th</sup> June Wednesday</b> Feria	9:15 am Mass	Kathleen and Michael Clarke R.I.P
<b>26<sup>th</sup> June Thursday</b> Feria	9:15 am Mass	Finlay Harper R.I.P
<b>27<sup>th</sup> June Friday</b> <b>Most Sacred Heart of Jesus</b>	<b>10:00 am Mass</b> <b>School attending</b>	<b>For the Parish</b>
<b>28<sup>th</sup> June Saturday</b> <b>Blessed Virgin Mary</b>	<b>6:00pm:</b> <b>(Sat. Vigil Mass)</b>	For the Parish
<b>Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> June</b> <b>St Peter and St Paul Apostles</b> <i>(Peter's Pence collection)</i>	<b>8:30 AM</b>	<b>Bridie Gorman R.I.P Anniv.</b>
	<b>10:15 AM</b>	<b>Alice Kolka – Intentions</b>
	<b>12:00 PM</b>	<b>Jose Ocampo R.I.P Anniv</b>

*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:**

Mercy Dapaah, Cedric Cowell, Margaret Mulroy, Eileen Ely, Margaret Lonergan, Ashia Darr, Eileen Lucas, Helen Bradley, Tanya Obid, Alison McGoff, Martin & Margaret Cooke, Chris Eisen, Diana Johnson, Edwina Toson, Charlie Crane, Ben and Margaret Deignan, Mary Morrissey, Ernie Fisher, Stephanie Enepi, Michael Cole, Mrs. Tisseveransinghe, Clive Bromhill.

***, and all who are sick and housebound in the parish.***

**Anniversaries:**

Jose Ocampo, Teresa Ferguson, Keith Potter, Mary Heffernan, Bridie Gorman, Nora O'Reilly, George Johnson, Elizabeth Ellis, May Johnson, Eugene O'Keefe, Pierre Imbert, Martin Mc Carthy., Mary O'Neill, John Rainsford, Barney Doherty, James Morrissey, Anna Morrissey, Kevin O'Brien, Michael Houlihan,

**Please Pray for the Recently Dead:**

Ryan Grey, Keith Harding, Tanya Page, Teresa Rooney Maher, Henry Dolan, Eduard Donnelly, Madeleine Allen, Monica Devereux, Jerry Murtagh, Betty McMahan, Mary Costin, Bill Millet, Dora Tomson, Anson Gamy,

*"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](http://www.sacredheartchurchholloway.org.uk)  
Please do not confuse it with the old website's address which is now defunct:  
[www.sacredheartchurchholloway.co.uk](http://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 or Sr. Naomi. 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 god parents must attend some baptism preparation beforehand.

**Next parents' and godparents' meeting Tuesday 15th July at 7.30, meeting room.**

***Please be informed that the next meeting will be in the Autumn.***

**MARRIAGE**

Six months' notice must be given for marriage, whether here or elsewhere. The parish in which you are a resident has to do preparation and paperwork. Couples considering marriage should speak to the priest well in advance. To make an appointment email: [holloway@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:holloway@rcdow.org.uk)

**ENQUIRERS' GROUP**

If you are thinking of becoming a Catholic; or you would like to be Confirmed; or you would just like to know more about your faith, this group is for you.

**SUMMER'S MASS TIME SCHEDULE**

As usual, during Summer time, we will have a revised Mass schedule on Sundays. From Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July until Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> August, Sunday Masses will be at 6:00pm (Sat. Vigil) 8:30am and 11:00am only.

**MONDAY MORNING COFFEE**

After 9:15am Mass, for parents/carers and toddlers (but everyone welcome).

**NEW PARISH NOTICEBOARD**

There is a new noticeboard to the right of the main door which has details of parish events and activities. Please keep an eye on it and join our prayer & social events

**BRIGHTLIGHTS YOUTH FESTIVAL AT AYLESFORD 27-29 JUNE**

The Youth Ministry Team is laying on a coach to this event. Please see noticeboard.

**Thinking of a gap year?**

**SPEC**, the diocesan retreat centre for children and young people, has now relocated to Pinner in Middlesex. Each year a number of young adults (aged 18-25) join the resident community for a year as volunteer missionaries. Perhaps this is the ideal opportunity for you – or someone you know – to combine a year of service with a year of formation in faith in a supportive Catholic community. More details are available at: Email: [spec@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:spec@rcdow.org.uk)  
Web: [www.spec.org.uk/missionyear](http://www.spec.org.uk/missionyear)  
Phone: 020 3757 2500.

**VOCATION NOTICE TIME**

The June meeting of Vocation Discernment Group for adults (18-40) is on Friday 27 June, 7-9pm in the Hinsley Room next to Westminster Cathedral. Fr Richard Nesbitt will be reflecting on Chapter 5 of Pope Francis' Evangelium Gaudii - Spirit Filled Evangelizers. For more information contact Fr Richard at [richardnesbitt@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:richardnesbitt@rcdow.org.uk)

**UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS**

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

**EVENT FOR YOUNG ADULTS**

**The Climate is Changing...**

All are invited to this special campaign evening on Thursday 10th July. Come find out what CAFOD is doing to tackle climate change from guest speaker Antony Mbandi, Director of Caritas Kitui (Kenya), and learn how you can help!

Held from 6-8.30pm at Amigo Hall, St George's Cathedral, Corner of St George's Road and Lambeth Road SE1 6HR. Book online at [cafod.org.uk/campaignsummerevents](http://cafod.org.uk/campaignsummerevents) or call 0208 449 6970.

**CHURCH CLEANING**

Currently there are two teams of volunteers and they clean at different times. We need more volunteers. Please call Julian 07960 541 286. Thank you.

**PETER'S PENCE**

*"And with us too, don't we have to wash each other's feet day after day? But what does this mean? That all of us must help one another."* (Pope Francis, Homily for the Mass of the Lord's Supper March 2013)

In his address of March 20, 2013, Pope Francis spoke of our responsibility before the world and creation. **"There is much that we can do to benefit the poor, the needy and those who suffer, and to favour justice, promote reconciliation and build peace,"** he said. The Peter's Pence Collection unites us in solidarity with the Holy See and it's works of charity to those in need. Your generosity allows the Pope to respond to our suffering brothers and sisters.

The purpose of the Peter's Pence Collection is to provide the Holy Father with the financial means to respond to those who are suffering as a result of war, oppression, natural disaster, and disease.

Peter's Pence Collection will take place next weekend, 29<sup>th</sup> June, Feast of Sts. Peter and Paul.

**IN CASE YOU ARE ADMITTED TO HOSPITAL**

In light of data protection please indicate on entering hospital that your details are to be passed to the RC Chaplain. Also state that you would like the RC Chaplain to visit you

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