

## OFFERTORY COLLECTION

Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> Oct 2017.

Envelopes: £661.60

Loose: £381.35

Standing Orders £990.00 (Aug/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 the office or ask Fr. Gideon.

# CHURCH OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS, HOLLOWAY

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



## Twenty-Ninth Sunday in Ordinary Time

22<sup>nd</sup> October 2017

### MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

<b>22<sup>nd</sup> October</b> <b>Twenty-Ninth</b> <b>Sunday in Ordinary</b> <b>Time</b> World Mission Day - Collection	<b>6:00 pm Sat.</b> <i>Vigil Mass</i>	<b>Jeremiah O'Sullivan R.I.P-</b> <b>Anniversary</b>
	<b>8:30 am Mass</b>	<b>Gerardo Balingit – R.I.P</b> <b>Anniversary</b>
	<b>11:00 am Mass</b>	<b>Gavin McFadyen R.I.P –</b> <b>Anniversary</b>
23 <sup>rd</sup> October Monday Feria	<b>9:15 am Mass</b>	Dshaum Louise - Intentions
24 <sup>th</sup> October Tuesday	<b>No Mass</b>	
25 <sup>th</sup> October Wednesday Feria	<b>9:15 am Mass</b>	Ronald Trussed R.I.P
26 <sup>th</sup> October Thursday Feria	<b>9:15 am Mass</b>	Kathleen O'Gorman R.I.P
27 <sup>th</sup> October Friday Feria	<b>9:15 am Mass</b>	In Reparation for the 50 years of Abortion.
<b>28<sup>th</sup> October Saturday</b> <b>Sts. Simon &amp; Jude</b>	11:00 – 12:00 am  <b>6:00 pm</b> <i>Vigil Mass</i>	<i>Confessions</i>  <b>Laurence Wims- R.I.P-</b> <b>Anniversary</b>
	<b>29<sup>th</sup> October</b>  <b>Thirtieth Sunday in</b> <b>Ordinary Time</b>	<b>8:30 am Mass</b>
<b>11:00 am Mass</b>		<b>Sir Harold Hood &amp; Ferelith</b> <b>Hood. R.I.P - Anniversary</b>

### The Deep End – The third side of the coin @Intercom

Most of us has been raised to believe that there are two sides to every issue. So often we hear the term 'there are two sides to every story' or 'two sides of a coin' but there is, in fact, a third. A story always has your version, their version, and the truth. When it comes to a coin, there is the head side, the tail side, and the edge of the coin! One side of the coin may represent a particular point of view; the other its opposite. However, if we just stand the coin on its edge, we can see both sides more clearly and, more often than not, at third way.

What a loaded question the Pharisees' disciples and the Herodians asked Jesus. If Jesus said the taxes shouldn't be paid, he would have pleased the Pharisees but then they could report him and have him arrested as a rebel. If he said they should be paid, he would have gained the support of the Herodians but almost certainly lost all support from his followers.

But Jesus did not come into the world to discuss Roman taxation, temporal revolutions or political action. Neither did he come to only see two sides of a coin! He neither endorses Caesar as divine sovereign (as the inscription on the coin indicates) nor does he discourage the paying of taxes. He simply reminds his questioners that these are worldly kingdom but there is another kingdom yet to come with a much higher authority. 'Give to Caesar what belongs to Caesar and to God what belongs to God'.

### Today is World Mission Sunday

World Mission Sunday is your chance to support missionaries and the Church in proclaiming the Gospel of peace to those who suffer around the world. By supporting Missio, the Pope's official charity for overseas mission, you will be sharing the peace and love of Christ with all people by helping everyone in need, regardless of background or belief. Today, your prayers and your donation will help a spirit of peace spread across South Sudan and around the world. Please give what you can, and if possible, please use the Gift Aid envelopes if you are a taxpayer. Thank you.

*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:**

Edgar and Josefina Losa, Keith Hunt, Baby Michael James Elliot, Maria Louis, Crystal Green, Dolores Crowley, Helena Bolotny, Ludvina 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:**

Sir Harold Hood & Ferelith Hood, Laurence Wims, Kunle Odunewu, Pierre Imbert, Nora Ginty, Monica Wims, Gavin McFadyen, Gerardo Balingit, Jeremiah O'Sullivan, Luciano Teriote, Michael Brobbey, Pierre Imbert, Anne Nugent, Constanca Delfin.

**Please Pray for the Recently Dead:**

Sheila Lasok, Diana Johnson, Grace Ann Lewis, Mary Ann, Marcella and Sean Wilson. Lee Turnbull, Lucy Ugoala, Michael Fleming,

*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 over 2 sessions on Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October and Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> November at 7 PM.**

### 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)

### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION PROGRAMME 2017-2018

**Parents must attend the first meeting, which is on Wednesday 8th November at 7:00 pm in the parish hall.** This meeting is without the children.

**Children will have their first session on Sunday 12th November.**

Please be aware that children will have sessions most Sundays morning until May 2018.

**DO YOU KNOW OF SOMEBODY who is interested in knowing more about Christianity and the Church?**

Please submit your name to Elizabeth or Fr. Gideon and we will contact you for the initial meeting in the autumn.

There could be somebody just waiting for you to invite them. For more Information please talk to the priest.

### **LOVE HEALS BODY MIND AND SPIRIT TEAM**

Welcome you to come on a one day Retreat of quiet Reflection

Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> October, 11:00am – 5:00pm

The Catholic Church of our Lady of Assumption & St Gregory. Warwick Street, Piccadilly, W1F 9JR

**CAFOD HARVEST FAST DAY-** Thank you so much for your continued support and generosity. The collection will remain open for another couple of weeks. Please drop your envelopes in the collection basket after Mass.

### **THIS IS MY BODY: EXPERIENCING THE POWER OF THE MASS**

6 Monday evenings of DVD's based talks. starting: Monday 23rd October until Monday 27th November in the Parish Room at 6:45pm. All welcome, please see poster on the noticeboard at the back of the church.

1. Meditation 1&2 What is the Mass? How to get more out of the Mass? The Eucharist Makes Us Holy, Eucharistic Amazement. Venue: St Anselm and St Cecilia, 70 Lincoln's Inn Fields. WC2A 3JA.Tel: 020 7405 0376.

### **Walk with me**

"Walk with me" is a day workshop to be held on the 4th of November in central London for Catholic family members of Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender people. Mgr. Keith Barltrop, chaplain to the Westminster LGBT+ Catholic community, will be speaking alongside family members of LGBT+ people. More information and a registration form for the event can be found on <http://www.lgbtcatholiccyag.org.uk/workshop-2017>.

### **DIVINE MERCY RETREAT**

Saturday 4 November 11:00 am - 4:30 pm  
Sacred Heart RC Church, Edge Hill, Wimbledon - London SW19 4LU.  
More info: DIVINE MERCY APOSTOLATE - MARIAN FATHERS. 1 Courtfield Gardens, London W13 0EY.phone: 020 89980925; email: [info@divinemercury.org.uk](mailto:info@divinemercury.org.uk)

### **Prayer Vigil**

On Friday 27 October there will be a Prayer Vigil in the Cathedral in the form of a Holy Hour immediately following the 5.30pm Mass, which will be celebrated by Bishop John Sherrington. This marks the **50th Anniversary of the Abortion Act 1967** passing through Parliament. Please note the date and join in the Church's prayer for the unborn and for those who have undergone abortions during these years.

### **Solemn Pontifical Mass on All Souls' Day**

A Solemn Pontifical Mass in the Ordinary Form for All Souls' Day will be celebrated at 6:30pm at Corpus Christi, Maiden Lane by Bishop Robert Byrne, Auxiliary in Birmingham, who will also be preaching. All are most welcome

### **November – Month of the Holy Souls IN MEMORY OF YOUR DEPARTED LOVED ONES**

If we accept death with resignation, as St. Francis de Sales says, we may go STRAIGHT to Heaven because death is the great and most perfect penance imposed on us by God for sin. The death God sends us is the very best we can possibly have. It would be madness to think that we could choose a better moment to die. Let us offer all our sufferings, the very smallest and the greatest, in union with the Passion of Our Lord, in penance for our sins that we may have a holy death.

When we love, we remember, and this memory - the effect of love- is not a barren thought. It resolves itself into Deeds for the loved one.

Enroll your Departed Loved Ones in this month's Remembrance Masses in our parish. The names you send will be placed upon the Altar during this time. Place the names on the Holy Souls envelope with your donation and it will be collected after Mass.

**Praise and Worship and Charismatic prayer** service follows the tea and coffee at around 2:00pm every Sunday. All are welcome.

**Job Vacancies in the Diocese log in to:** <http://rcdow.org.uk/diocese/jobs>

### **Making Moral Choices**

Facilitated by Michael Smith SJ  
Mondays, October 23rd - November 6th 7-8.30pm. 114 Mount Street London, W1K 3AH  
We mostly try to live good and upright lives, and we think others should too. This workshop or course looks at where morality comes from, and whether everyone should follow the same set of moral principles. And then these principles have to be applied to our lives, both in major decisions and day-to-day goodness. Tel. 020 7493 7811

### **CATHOLIC HISTORIC WALKS**

**The King's Good Servant Wednesday 25th October, 2pm.** The story of heroic St Thomas More. Meet at the Church of Our Most Holy Redeemer and St Thomas More, Cheyne Row. SW3 5HS. Nearest Tube: Gloucester Row or South Kensington.

### **Guy Fawkes and Bonfire Night**

**Sunday 5th November, 3pm. Special! - Join Joanna on the 5th November as we explore the story of Guy Fawkes and the Gunpowder Plot.** Meet on the steps of Westminster Cathedral at 3pm. Nearest Tube: Victoria.