

OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

Sunday 16th November

Envelopes: £514.45

Loose: £407.25

Standing Orders £671.50 (Sep./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 from 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 year 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.

CHURCH OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS, HOLLOWAY

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



Newsletter Sunday 23 November

Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe

The Deep End. 'Christ the King'

The feast of Christ the King is the final Sunday in the liturgical calendar. To understand more fully what this feast means we need to lay aside a lot of the cultural baggage about Kings and Kingdoms. Jesus' Kingship is very different to the kind we are familiar with. There are no trappings, no palaces, no pomp and ceremony. The picture painted by today's Gospel shows us Jesus as King who is found in those considered to be on the very fringes of society. This passage comes at the end of the Gospel of Matthew and it is a challenge, a call to *be* Christ in others.

With so much brokenness in the world, so much unrest, so much war and displacement, the Christian community are call to him by giving our own lives in service to those around us; we are called to be transformative through radical solidarity. There are no shortage of causes, Whether it be Gaza, Iraq, Syria, climate justice, austerity, local poverty, visiting the sick or those in prison, community initiatives...Jesus' Kingdom is built on a different kind of foundation.

'If now we have no peace, it is because we have forgotten how to see God in one another. If each person so God in his neighbour, do you think we would need guns and bombs?' Mother Theresa
JMellet@intercom

PARISH CHRISTMAS DRAW 2014

The annual Parish Christmas Draw will be held on Sunday 21st December after the 12:00noon Mass. All proceeds of the Draw will go towards furnishing/ signage of our new Parish Centre. Please collect your envelope of raffle tickets with your name on it at the back of the Church. The envelopes are arranged in alphabetical order. Please help us by taking envelopes that belongs to your neighbours and friends. By collecting your tickets, you will save us the cost of stamps if we are going to post the envelope of tickets to you.

MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

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| Sunday 23 November Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe Catholic Youth Service's Collection | (6.00pm Sat. Vigil Mass) 8:30 AM | Pat Costin - Intentions |
| | 10:15 AM | Beryl Genovese R.I.P |
| | 12:00 AM | Holy Souls |
| | | Bryan McNally R.I.P |
| 24th November Monday St Andrew and Companions | 9:15 am Mass | Theresa Kobacik R.I.P |
| 25th November Tuesday Feria | 10:00 am Funeral Mass | Patrick Cullen R.I.P |
| 26th November Wed. Feria | 9:15am Mass Year 6 P&M | Holy Souls |
| 27th November Thursday Feria | 9:15 am Mass | Deceased Members of the Labelleso Family |
| 28th November Friday Feria | 10:00am Mass Funeral Mass | Dean Michael Aka Samuel R.I.P |
| 29th November Saturday Blessed Virgin Mary | 10:00-11:00 Confessions (or by appointment) 6:00pm (Sat. Vigil Mass) | Otello Cavana – R.I.P Frank Kavaghner – R.I.P |
| 30 November 1st Sunday of Advent | 8:30 AM | Fr. Alan Ashton R.I.P |
| | 10:15 AM | Holy Souls |
| | 12:00 AM | Pat Naughton – R.I.P Ivy Ross – R.I.P |

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:

Frances Byrne, John Harkin, Leo Kilkenny, Yolanda Villegas, Edwina Toson, Helen Bradley, Eileen Ely, Joe Samuels, Taliah Sampson, Judette Palmer, Paddy McGravey, Maria Ward, Barbara Baptiste, Florence Collins, Cedric Cowell, Margaret Mulroy, Margaret Lonergan, Eileen Lucas, Tanya Obid, Alison McGoff, Martin & Margaret Cooke, Chris Eisen, Diana Johnson, Charlie Crane, Ben and Margaret Deignan, Mary Morrissey, Stephanie Enepi. **and all who are sick and housebound in the parish.**

Anniversaries:

Beryl Genovese, Margaret McGee, Ykaalo Michael, Sarah Toolan, Myra Richards Houlihan, Denis Lonergan, Sean Ahearne, Twiggy Baroquena, Jack Curley, Ted & Tom Connor, Margaret & Joe Reddington, Keith Potter, Pierre Imbert, Sarah Crosby, Peggy Crane, Kenneth Squires, John Danquah, Erning de la Cruz,

Please Pray for the Recently Dead:

Josie O'Brien, Patrick Cullen, Dean Aka Samuels, Janusz Suliga, Martin Beeny, Fr. Gilberto Hoyos, Molly Wilson, John Clemo, Robert Mowatt, Fr Alan Ashton, Canon Peter Phillips, Dena Adams, Vittoria Pedretti, Liam Lenihan, Andrea Justin, Johnny Patterson, Margaret Reynolds, Tish Smith.

"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

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 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 godparents must attend some baptism preparation beforehand.

The next parents' and godparents' meeting will be in 2015. Watch this space, new date will be confirmed early January 2015.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION
2014-2015

The next candidate's session is on Sunday **30th November**. Parents, please bring your children on time.

The next Parent's meeting (with children) is on **Wednesday 3rd December** from 7:00pm-8:00pm.

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

UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS
UCM renewal Mass will be on Sunday 7th December at 12:00 Noon Mass.

CHARITY BINGO NIGHT

In aid of HCPT – Group 147. (Raising funds to take disadvantage/handicapped children to Lourdes at Easter). William Street Community Centre, Parkhurst Road N7 (No children allowed). Saturday 6:00pm doors open at 7:00pm.

AN EVENING AF ADORATION AND INTERCESSION

Adoration of Blessed sacrament. Come and join us in Adoration and in prayers of intercession for our children and our families, ourselves and others. Tuesday 2nd December in the Lady Chapel, St Joseph's Church, Highgate at 7:30pm after 6:30pm Mass.

NATIONAL YOUTH SUNDAY

On the Feast of Christ the King we are asked to make a point of welcoming, encouraging and celebrating the young people around us. The theme for this year poses the question 'How happy are you?' It is intended to enable a reflection on how we can find true and lasting happiness. The postcards to be given to young people respond to this question with "Be Attitudes", inspired by the Beatitudes in Matthew's gospel. How can you take part in making this opportunity to reach out and bless our young people? Your prayers for young people are really important. If you would like to know more, please visit www.nationalyouthsunday.org.uk

VOCATION DISCERNMENT GROUP

For adults (18-30's) meets on Friday 28 November, 7-9pm in the Hinsley Room next to Westminster Cathedral. Fr Gianni Notarianni OSA on "St Augustine for today" For more info contact Fr Richard at richardnesbitt@rcdow.org.uk This is the third session in our series of monthly talks over the next 15 months to mark the Year of Consecrated Life, exploring the rich charisms of different expressions of religious life within the Catholic tradition and how we can all be nourished by them today, whatever our vocational path. I really cannot recommend this enough for all those thirsting for more in their lives of faith.

LOVE HEALS BODY MIND AND SPIRIT

One day Retreat of quiet Reflection on Saturday 29th Nov. 10:30am – 4:00pm at The Catholic Church of our Lady of Assumption & St Gregory Warwick Street, Piccadilly, W1F 9JR. More info: 0208 542 2476

CAROL CONCERT

At St Gabriel's Church, The choirs of St Joseph's Primary School and Mount Carmel College. 12 December at 6:00pm Tickets on the door

MUSINGS @intercom

' O King of the Sunday, come to my aid take away my pain [...]; O King of the Monday be always with me and never let me be parted from you; O king of the Tuesday[...] protect me on Judgment Day; O king of the Wednesday, don't suffer my imprisonment [...]; O King of the Thursday, forgive my trespasses [...]; O King of the Friday, remember not my foolish bad deeds; O King of the Saturday[...]carry me under the roof of your sanctuary, in the kingdom of the Mass, up to the holy paradise' (extracts from A Rí an Domhnaigh by Tomás Rua O Súilleabháin, 1975-1848).

PRAYER GROUP COCKFOSTERS

Meets at 8 pm every Monday for praise & worship, intercession, a talk and, finally, for personal prayer for those who desire this. People of all ages and denominations find both encouragement and fellowship. Some have also found physical, emotional or spiritual healing. We have been meeting for the last 42 years and thousands have come over the years, even from far away. New members are most welcome – just come and see! Enquiries: Ros Kraushar 020 8883 2665 Christ the King 29 Bramley Rd N14 (Oakwood Station)

THE SOLEMNITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST THE KING

This Sunday in the Catholic calendar is the Solemnity of Our Lord Jesus Christ the King, the last Sunday of the Church Year. (Next Sunday will be the First Sunday of Advent and the first day of the Church's calendar. The Feast of Christ the King is celebrated in honour of Jesus Christ as Lord over all creation. This feast was created by Pope Pius XI in 1925. This is a medieval feast which uses the metaphor "king", a powerful one in those days, to describe the role of Jesus. The kingdom of god is the central teaching of Jesus throughout the Gospels. Jesus begins His public ministry by preaching the kingdom. "The time is fulfilled, and the kingdom of God is at hand; repent, and believe in the Gospel (Mark 1:14)