

## OFFERTORY COLLECTIONS

Sunday 21 June 2015.

Envelopes: £457.20

Loose: £361.15

Standing Orders £691.25 (Apr/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 at 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 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 2015

**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 28<sup>th</sup> June 2015 St Peter and St Paul

### The Deep End – Weeping and wailing

'At night tears, but joy comes with dawn.' This line from today's Psalm tells us something about the theme of our readings, which focus on death and resurrection. It tells us that darkness and death are not the end; there is morning and there is hope. There were plenty of tears in the house Jesus visited today's Gospel. Jairus' 12 years old daughter, who was ill, had died. People were weeping and wailing. We can imagine the scene; every death is painful and sorrowful occasion, but the death of a child is all the more tragic. Worse still, Jairus had come to Jesus looking for help while his young daughter was still alive, but Jesus had got there too late.

However in this case, death does not have the last word. Jesus raises the child from death. It is a very dramatic story that foreshadows his own death and resurrection. Jesus overcomes death here, just as he will overcome his own death, and ours.

For those of us who doubt, and who find it hardtop accept the harsh reality of death- and that is surely all of us at times- Jesus has some words of consolation: 'Do not be afraid; only have faith'. Death is not the end; it is the gateway to new life. Those who have passed from this life, he takes by hand and invites into their new life with him with a gentle word of welcome: 'I tell you get up'.  
Triona Doherty@ Intercom

### SEA SUNDAY, 5<sup>TH</sup>-12<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2015

In the next two Sundays, the Church prays for all those who live and work at sea. Without them we would not have most of the items we buy in the shops. The second collection is for the Apostleship of the Sea (AoS), the Church's official maritime welfare agency. It supports seafarers both practically and spiritually. This annual collection is absolutely vital to enable it to continue its work, so please give generously and remember seafarers in your prayers. Thank you.

For more information on the work of AoS please visit [www.apostleshipofthe sea.org.uk](http://www.apostleshipofthe sea.org.uk)

## MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS THIS WEEK

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| <b>28<sup>th</sup> June</b><br><br><b>St Peter and St Paul</b><br>(Peter's Pence collection)                                | 6:00 pm<br>(Sat. Vigil Mass)                   | Mary Lee – Intentions                          |
|                                                                                                                             | 8:30 AM                                        | Paddy Mc Anee – R.I.P                          |
|                                                                                                                             | 10:15 AM                                       | Patgo and Mary Hassenan R.I.P Anniversary      |
|                                                                                                                             | 12:00 Noon Mass                                | Paddy Gorry R.I.P - Anniversary                |
| <b>29<sup>th</sup> June Monday</b><br>Feria                                                                                 | 9:15 am Mass                                   | Jose Ocampo R.I.P - Anniv                      |
| <b>30<sup>th</sup> June Tuesday</b>                                                                                         | No Mass                                        |                                                |
| <b>1<sup>st</sup> July Wednesday</b><br>Dedication of the Cathedral                                                         | 9:15 am Mass                                   | Michael Phelan R.I.P                           |
| <b>2<sup>nd</sup> July Thursday</b><br>Feria                                                                                | 9:15 am Mass                                   | Private Intentions                             |
| <b>3<sup>rd</sup> July Friday</b><br>St Thomas                                                                              | 9:15 am Mass                                   | Faye Baloyot R.I.P                             |
| <b>4<sup>th</sup> July Saturday</b><br>Blessed Virgin Mary                                                                  | 11:00-12:00a.m.<br>6:00pm<br>(Sat. Vigil Mass) | Confession or by appointment<br>Fort he Parish |
| <b>5<sup>th</sup> July</b><br><b>Fourteenth Sunday in Ordinary Time</b><br>(Next Sunday- Apostleship of the Sea Collection) | 8:30 am Mass                                   | Helen Bradley R.I.P                            |
|                                                                                                                             | 10:15am Mass                                   | Maura Fallon R.I.P                             |
|                                                                                                                             | 12:00 Noon Mass                                | John Mazzone 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:**

Joan Neary, Mary Wong, Eillen Graham, Martine Rainsford, Gerry Johnson, Edwina Toson, Stelly Varela, Martin Rainsford, Sarah Lane, Christopher Fradley, Michael Long, Lily Chiwuoque, Charlie Crane, Rosa Nicholls Maria Louis, Stella Turner, Michael Cole, Steadman Descartes, Joe Samuels, John and Nora Harkin, Eileen Ely, Judette Palmer, Paddy McGravey, Maria Ward, Barbara Baptiste, Margaret Mulroy, Margaret Lonergan, Eileen Lucas, Alison McGoff, Martin & Margaret Cooke, Chris Eisen, Ben and Margaret Deignan, Mary Morrissey, Stephanie Enepi.

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

**Anniversaries:**

Jose Ocampo, Paddy Gorry, Patgo and Mary Hassenan, Keith Potter, Mary O'Neill, Demetrio Baque, Martin McCarthy, Elizabeth Martins.

**Please Pray for the Recently Dead:**

John Mazzoni, Michael Prior, Francisca Baque, Antonio Genovese, Frances Byrne, Helen Bradley, Andrew O'Brien, Joe Samuels, Anne Morrissey, Fiona Mercy Ofori-Acheampong, David Pinto Quintanilla, Lillian Appino, Tanya Ba Obeid, Helen Bradley.

*"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)  
Suggestions to improve our website are welcome.

**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 practice their faith and **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 a baptismal preparation meeting beforehand. **The next parents' and godparents' meeting will be in the autumn.**

**MARRIAGE**

Six months' notice must be given for marriage, whether here or elsewhere. Please contact Fr. Gideon. To make an appointment email: [holloway@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:holloway@rcdow.org.uk)

**NEW ENCYCLICAL. LAUDATO SI:** Pope Francis has issued a new encyclical on climate change and the environment. As usual, there has been misinformation from pressure groups on all sides of the debate. Read the Catholic papers and or magazines, displayed at the back of church or you can read it yourself at <http://catholicnews.org.uk/laudato-si> where there is a summary as well as the full document. As stewards of the planet, this document is a challenge for us to reflect on what kind of world we want to leave for those who come after us.

**TAIZE, 15-24<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2015**

Join Westminster Youth Ministry's Adventure to the heart of France. Young people aged 16-30 from around the world will come together for a week of friendship, helping others, learning about God and much more! Contact us for more information: [youth@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:youth@rcdow.org.uk) web: [dowym.com](http://dowym.com)

**MISSIO RED BOX – MORE THAN JUST A RED BOX :** Many members of our community have a Red Box in their homes. It's a way to support the Pope's official charity for overseas mission and the Mill Hill missionaries, If your Red Box hasn't been emptied for a while, please bring it to church or to the parish office on weekdays. Thank you to everyone who is a Red Box holder.

**'EVER ANCIENT, EVER NEW':**

Men aged 18-40 with a passion for God and the Church are invited to consider a vocation to the men's branch of a new religious community. Join us on the weekend of **4<sup>th</sup>/5<sup>th</sup> July** at Abbotswick House of Prayer, Brentwood, for a time of prayer, sharing and reflection. It will provide you with the opportunity to learn more about the Community of Our Lady of Walsingham's charism and how it may relate to your own faith journey. For further information call Jim on 01277 373848 or visit [www.walsinghamcommunity.org](http://www.walsinghamcommunity.org).

**NATIONAL GRANDPARENTS**

**PILGRIMAGE**

The English National Grandparents Pilgrimage to the Roman Catholic Shrine to Our Lady, Walsingham will be this year it will be celebrated on the feast of St Anne and St Joachim on, **Sunday 26 July from 11:00am to 5:00pm.**

During the day there will be a performance of the 'Walsingham Story', a play performed by local actors and children which tells the story of 'England's Nazareth' and why this site is so important in the story of our Catholic Christian heritage and our national identity as the Dowry of Mary. A day of Faith & fun for all the family.

**SEA SUNDAY 2015**

This year, Sea Sunday is the 1<sup>st</sup> and 2nd Sunday of July, when the church prays for all those who live and work at sea. There will be a second collection for Apostleship of the Sea on Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> and 12<sup>th</sup>, the official maritime welfare agency of the Catholic Church in Great Britain. It provides practical and spiritual support to seafarers visiting our ports. Please give generously to support its important work. For more info about its work visit [www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk](http://www.apostleshipofthesea.org.uk)

**Summer Break**

Whilst Fr. Larocca is here I will go away tomorrow for my summer break. When I get back in early August, I'm sure many of you too, will already have gone away for your holidays. I wish you all a safe and restful summer.

*Fr. Gideon*

**MUSINGS**

Roland Rolheiser has a lovely way of using the story of the woman touching the hem of Christ's garment to encourage parents whose children no longer practice the faith or who find themselves estranged from the Church. He stresses that what each of us does for others (as the Body of Christ, his Church and in Christ's name), is an extension of Christ ministry. When we forgive someone, we communicate Christ's forgiveness; when we comfort someone, we extend Christ's comfort to them. When parents continue to love, care for, comfort, listen to, and forgive their adult children, these family members, although no longer practicing are nevertheless touching them with Christ's garment.

Salvador Ryan@ Intercom

**UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS ((UCM)**

Meets on the 1st Sunday of the month after the 12:00noon Mass. All mothers are welcome.

**"THE LGBT CATHOLICS YOUNGER ADULTS GROUP"**

aims to provide support and fellowship for Catholics in their 20's, 30's 40's who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual or transgender, and their families. We meet regularly for Mass at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Farm Street, as well as organising monthly spiritual and social events. If you would like to know more, please contact: [lgbtcatholicsvag@gmail.com](mailto:lgbtcatholicsvag@gmail.com)

**SUMMER SCHEDULE OF MASSES**

As people are going away on their summer holidays, our times of Masses on Sundays will change. These changes will start on **Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> July** until **Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> August** **Masses on Sundays will be: 6:00pm (Sat. Vigil), 8:30am, 11:00am.** We will go back to our normal schedule on **Sunday, 6<sup>th</sup> September.**

**SUMMER CAMP 2015**

**Ajofrin (Toledo Spain) 2-23 August**

If you are a young person 17-25 Missionary Servants of the Poor invites you to join. Only the cost of travel to and from Ajofrin is required of you. Log on to website: [www.msptm.com](http://www.msptm.com) or see poster in porch