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14/15 MAY 2022

FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER-YEAR C

Saturday	14th	5.00 pm		Hannah Taylor BD
Sunday	15th	9.00 am		Ryan Barrett BD
		11.00 am		People of the Parish
Monday	16th	9.30 am	Easter Feria	
Tuesday	17th	9.30 am	Easter Feria	Holy Souls
Wednesday	18th	9.30 am	Easter Feria	Helen Carey RIP
Friday	20th	9:30 am	Exposition and Mass (St Bernadine of Siena)	
Sixth Sunday of Easter Year C				
Saturday	21st	5.00 pm		
Sunday	22nd	9.00 am		
		11.00 am		
Sacrament of Reconciliation: Saturday 4:30-pm or telephone the presbytery for an appointment				

We pray for the sick in our Parish especially Mary Hynes, Gina, Maria Keith, Julia Abimbola, Peggy, Martin, Ramasaway, Jane and Marcianna Caltaux. We pray for the repose of the souls of all the faithful departed especially, Mary Bernard and Danuta Halsey, We also remember all those whose anniversaries occur at this time.

SUNDAY READINGS

First Reading: Acts 14:21-27 They gave an account to the church of all that God had done with them.

Second Reading: Revelation 21:1-5A A vision of the heavenly Jerusalem, the bride of the Lamb.

Gospel Reading. John 13:31-33A, 34-35 In the Son of Man, God has been glorified

THOUGHT OF THE WEEK- by our love all peoples will know that we are His

Until the end of time, the Church will declare to the world God's mighty deeds, blessing His holy name and giving Him thanks, singing of the glories of His kingdom.

In His Church, we know ourselves as His "faithful ones," as those Jesus calls "My little children" in today's Gospel. We live by the new law, the "new commandment" that He gave in His final hours. The love He commands of us is no human love but a supernatural love. We love each other as Jesus loved us in suffering and dying for us. We love in imitation of His love.

This kind of love is only made possible by the Spirit poured into our hearts at Baptism (see Romans 5:5), renewed in the sacrifice His priests offer in every Mass.

By our love we glorify the Father. And by our love all peoples will know that we are His people, that He is our God. Happy Easter season to you all

APPRECIATION

Second Collection last weekend (Priests' Training Fund) was £ 278.04. Thank you for your kind support of the training of Priests.

ABOUT BECOMING CATHOLIC- RCIA

The Parish has just started the course for those who want to become catholic or know more about the faith. This and every Wednesday between 7pm and 8pm. Speak to Fr. Clement on 01992629878.

ATTENDING MASS AT ST. PAUL'S PARISH

• That people displaying any symptoms of covid-19 should stay at home and not travel to church or participate in person. • That hand sanitiser is available to those attending the Church. • **Face coverings must be worn** by those attending public acts of worship unless there is a genuine exemption or the person is leading worship or participating in a role that requires the mask to be removed for a period of time. Let us be each other's keeper. **We pray the rosary each morning before Mass for an end to wars especially in Ukraine- Join us**

PERMANENT DIACONATE – COME AND SEE - 21ST MAY 2022

The Permanent Deacon is a man who serves the Church through ministry of Word, Altar and Charity, under the direction of the Bishop and Priest. For men who may be interested in learning more about the Permanent Diaconate, they are invited to a 'Come & See' Morning on Saturday 21st May, 10am - 12noon at Church of The Guardian Angels, 377 Mile End Road, E3 4QS. For further information please contact Deacon Adrian Cullen at adriancullen@rcdow.org.uk or 07961 594725 See also <https://rcdow.org.uk/vocations/permanent-diaconate/>

DIOCESE OF WESTMINSTER QUARTERLY MEETING OF DIOCESAN HOMELESS PROJECTS - Thursday 26 May, 3:30-5:00pm-Online

Join our growing community of volunteers and professionals who want to see the end of homelessness.

Find out more and sign up: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/diocese-of-westminster-quarterly-meeting-of-diocesan-homeless-projects-tickets-251110527347?aff=ebdsoporgprofile>

FINANCIAL RESILIENCE AND COST OF LIVING/COST OF LIVING HUB

The Mayor of London has launched a new Cost of Living Hub, which helps people access information, support and advice about claiming benefits, dealing with debt, financial management and mental health support. To explore the hub, please visit <https://www.london.gov.uk/cost-living-hub>

One-stop information for people in Herts

Useful links and resources for people living in Herts [Hertfordshire County Council | Help to manage the cost of living](#)

NOW ACCEPTING CONTACTLESS DONATIONS

You will find our new DIGITAL COLLECTION PLATE, contactless terminal in the church. Just use your contactless debit/credit card or smart phone/ device to make a donation. Simply choose the amount you wish to donate and hold your card onto the reader. Contactless donations are simple to administer, secure and convenient. There is also a link for donating to the Parish on our website <https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/cheshunt/>

WESTMINSTER DIOCESAN PILGRIMAGE TO LOURDES

Planning for the Westminster Diocesan Pilgrimage to Lourdes from 22nd to 29th July 2022 is well under way! The Grotto has in fact been open since spring 2020 and awaits the return of international groups of faithful pilgrims and rest assured, Our Lady is abundant in patience. Please remember to tick 'Yes' or 'No', and to read and sign the Privacy Statement before returning the form, and note, the completion of the Expression of Interest Form does not constitute a commitment to make a booking. An online link can be found via: <https://forms.rcdow.org.uk/lourdes-pilgrimage-2022-expression-of-interest/> on the Westminster Diocese Pilgrimages webpage.

APPRECIATION:

Thank you for your continuous support to the Parish in these challenging times especially to our stewards and to all of you, for your generous giving to the Parish. God bless you. **Happy Easter to you all.**