



CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST MARY & ST ANDREW

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Fr Michael O'Doherty – Parish Priest


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PENTECOST SUNDAY

28TH MAY 2023

MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 27 th	7.00pm	Timothy Rahilly 'A'
Sunday 28 th	9.00am	Martin Cosgrave 'A'
	11.00am	Peg & John O'Connell 'A'
Monday 29 th	9.30am	Salvatore Sardo RIP
Tuesday 30 th	9.30am	Jacqui Marshall INT'
Wednesday 31 st	9.30am	Steve O'Carroll 'A'
Thursday 1 st	9.30am	No service
Friday 2 nd	10.30am	Ethel Lawes - Requiem Mass
Saturday 3 rd	1.00pm	Marriage - Hannah Cox & Thomas Simon
	7.00pm	Helen McCarthy RIP
Sunday 4 th	9.00am	Elikkos Georghiades 'A'
	11.00am	Johnny & Kathleen Kilbane 'A'



The 7 Gifts of the Holy Spirit

- 1. WISDOM:** helps us see the world differently and from God's point of view.
- 2. UNDERSTANDING:** enables us to know more clearly the mysteries of faith.
- 3. COUNSEL** [also known as Right Judgment]: helps us to discern what is right and what is wrong.
- 4. FORTITUDE** [also known as Courage]: strengthens our will so that we can actually accomplish what is true, good and beautiful.
- 5. KNOWLEDGE:** enables us to discover God's will in all things.
- 6. PIETY:** helps us to love God, our merciful Father, and to obey his precepts out of love for him.
- 7. FEAR OF THE LORD** [also known as Wonder and Awe]: helps us to understand how we must depend on God for everything. In other words, he is God, we are not.

(Source: aleteia.org)

"As the Father sent me, so am I sending you: receive the Holy Spirit"
John 20:19-23

FUNERAL

Please pray for the soul of
ETHEL LAWES (RIP)
Requiem Mass:
Friday 2nd June at 10.30am



First Holy Communion 2024 Application Forms

Applications are now available from the parish office (Tuesday to Thursday 9.30am to 1.30pm) or from Fr. Michael on Monday 5th June between 5-6pm.

Please note that:

* Children should be in year 3 of primary school or over (from September) and families should be living within the parish boundaries and registered at this parish.

* Parents and children should be attending regular Sunday Mass at this parish! **If you attend another parish or church or live in another parish, please make your application there.**

* No Application will be accepted without a Baptism Certificate (unless baptised at St Mary & St Andrew). The fee is £40.

The closing date for handing in applications is Thursday 15th June 2023.

PLEASE NOTE - FIRST HOLY COMMUNION IS A PARISH CELEBRATION - NOT A SCHOOL EVENT.

30th MAY, 11am to 4pm
AT ST MARY & ST ANDREW
CHURCH HALL
216 DOLLIS HILL LANE, NW2 6HE



Brent Health Matters in partnership with The Brent Irish Advisory Service

Free Health And Wellbeing Event

- **Health Checks** (BMI, Blood Pressure and Diabetes Check)
- **Benefit Support**
- **Advice for Carers**
- **Health Talks**
- **Nutritional Advice**
- **Lasting Power of Attorney**
- **Exercise Taster Session**
- **Cancer Awareness Information**
- **Refreshments also available!**



COVID-19 Vaccinations

Spring booster programme

- Tuesday 30th May 10.30am to 4pm for ...**
- Adults aged 75+**
- Children aged 12+ who are immunosuppressed**

Repository (Piety shop)

Weekend of 27th/28th May

7pm: Marion McGirr

9.00am: Phyllis Lynch, Eileen Buckley

11.00am: Natalia Kasiaz & Julie Hamill

Weekend of 3rd/4th June

7pm: Lena Clinton

9.00am: Phyllis Lynch, Eileen Buckley

11.00am: Jayne Shaw & Esther Chapman



COUNTERS

27th/28th May

Theresa Rowley & Maria Roche

3rd/4th June

Rose Saker & Anne Kirk



AVAILABILITY - If you would like to see Fr Michael without having first made an appointment, he will next be available on **Monday 5th June between 5pm- 6pm**

The next Pre-Baptism meeting will take place on **Saturday 3rd June at 11.00am** in the side chapel for parents who wish to have their child baptised. Please see Fr Michael beforehand to fill in an application form. Please note:

*at least one parent should be baptised Catholic,
*parents should be attending regular Sunday mass

*they should be living within the parish boundaries, and be registered with St Mary & St Andrew Church.
*at least one Godparent should be a practising Catholic, both should be Christian.



Contactless Donations - You will find our DIGITAL COLLECTION PLATE (contactless terminal) in the church on the wall just inside the main doors. **PLEASE DO NOT STAND IN FRONT OF IT AND BLOCK IT.** 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. You can also opt-in for Gift Aid to increase your donation by 25%. If you are a UK taxpayer then donating with Gift Aid means that we can claim an extra 25p for every £1 received. Contactless donations are simple to administer, secure and convenient.



OR you can donate to the parish by scanning the QR code (on the right) with your smart phone or device.



Please continue to donate any non-perishable/tins of food and place in the Green box at the front of the Church. (Please ensure items are in date!)



Retrouvaille is a programme to support couples who have difficulties in their marriage. It brings a positive focus, new hope and helps nourish and grow your marriage. For confidential information about 'Retrouvaille' or to register for the next programme commencing with a Virtual weekend on 6 - 9 July 2023 or a Face to Face weekend in Welwyn Garden City on 13-15 October 2023, call or text 07887 296983 or 07973 380443 or email retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com - or visit www.retrouvaille.org.uk

PARISH ACTIVITIES/GROUPS

ZUMBA GOLD & TONING – *Mondays* at 10.30am in the parish centre – Book your place at www.fitter4u.co.uk
- Contact Maggie Hollowed on 07736 070 101

BIAS (Brent Irish Advisory Service) – Active Aging Social Club Tuesday 12noon to 3pm. Music, Bingo, Snacks and Refreshments. £5. For details contact Maggie Hollowed on 07514 945 095

TAE-KWON-DO CLUB – *Tuesdays* 6.00pm to 8pm & *Fridays* 6.00pm to 8.00pm
Contact **Julian Marton to book on 07947 689 304**

Rhyme Time with Gifty — For Babies & Toddlers – **please note that this is currently suspended due to low attendance.** If you are interested in bringing your child along, please contact Gifty on 07949 764 986
Wednesdays 10 to 11am **Term Time Only** - Contact Gifty for details on 07949 764 986

IRISH DANCING - *Wednesdays 4.30pm to 5.30pm* Beginners 4+ **Term time only**
Contact **Marian Keely on 07903 977 658**

SUPPLE STRENGTH AND CONDITIONING CLASS – Wednesday evenings– Book your place at www.fitter4u.co.uk
7.15pm to 8.15pm - Contact **Maggie Hollowed on 07736 070 101**

360 ARTS DRAMA CLASS – *Saturday* mornings in the parish centre 10.00am to 1.00pm
Contact **Carol Brophy on 07961 025 582**

The Parish Safeguarding Representative is: Theresa Rowley

Contact email dollishillsg1@safeguardrcdow.org.uk / contact number 07941 451 247