



# CATHOLIC CHURCH OF ST MARY & ST ANDREW

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Fr Michael O'Doherty – Parish Priest

Luisa Rayworth - Parish Secretary

## FOURTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

### 28<sup>TH</sup> JANUARY 2024

## MASS INTENTIONS

Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup>	7.00pm	PJ Mahoney 'A'	
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am	Doreen Mulvihill 'A'	
	10.30am	Kathleen Canney 'A'	
	12noon	Berney Rowley RIP	
Monday 29 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Anthony Reilly RIP	
Tuesday 30 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Mary Molloy RIP	
Wednesday 31 <sup>st</sup>	9.30am	Rosa Ferraroni RIP	
Thursday 1 <sup>st</sup>	9.30am	No service	
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	9.30am	No service	
Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	7.00pm	Clare McGushan 'A' & Patrick Sheehan RIP	
	Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup>	8.30am	Teresa O'Hagan RIP
		10.30am	Mark McCourt 'A'
	12noon	Eileen Kilcoyne 'A'	



*"He taught them with authority"*  
Mark  
1: 21-28

**AVAILABILITY** - If you would like to see Fr Michael without having first made an appointment, he will next be available on

**Monday between 5pm- 6pm**



### **Annual Mass of Our Lady of Lourdes, 10th February**

On Saturday  
10<sup>th</sup> February 2024,  
2.30pm, Cardinal Vincent will celebrate the Annual Mass of Our Lady of Lourdes here at the Cathedral, during which anointing of the sick will be offered.



Please note, entry is by ticket only.

Tickets are in three categories:

1. Wheelchair users who require anointing
2. Walking sick who require anointing
3. Those assisting the sick, who **do not** require anointing.

If you would like to go, please email the parish office ([dollishill@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:dollishill@rcdow.org.uk)) with your name, contact number and number of tickets (and which category) required.

**Closing date is 30th January.** Thank you.

*Congratulations to  
Cara Anna McCabe &  
Buddy Benjamin George  
McDowell  
who received the Sacrament of  
Baptism at the weekend!*



## CONGRATULATIONS

Our Lady of Grace Infant school has been rated **OUTSTANDING** in all areas in a recent OfSTED report. It is a fantastic achievement for every member of the school community.



Some of the highlights are:

- 1, Pupils thrive and love attending this warm place to learn. Parents and carers valued that their children are safe and happy at the school. Pupils flourish academically and in their wider personal development. They are supported exceptionally well by caring staff. Pupils develop a passion for learning. They are proud of their achievements.
2. Pupils behave impeccably in lessons and at social times. They are polite, courteous, and well mannered. They act respectfully towards adults and towards each other. Right from the start of early years, children concentrate fully on the activities that they are taking part in.

The full report is on the school website.

<https://www.ologinfants.brent.sch.uk/>

**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. For standing orders, the Parish bank account details are: Name: **WRCDT St. Mary and St Andrews Church** Sort Code: **40-05-20** Acct Number: **21308211**

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



**CAFOD**  
**Israeli-Palestinian**  
**Crisis Appeal**

Donate to CAFOD's Israeli-Palestinian Crisis Appeal at [cafod.org.uk/ipc](http://cafod.org.uk/ipc) or call 0303 303 3030 to support those affected and get funds to local trusted experts in Gaza and southern Israel who have been working alongside communities helping those most in need. Your donation will help support aid workers providing urgent humanitarian aid including food, water and emergency shelter to those in need.

Thank you for your prayers.

**Repository (Piety shop)**

**Weekend of 27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> January**

**7pm:** Lina Clinton  
**8.30am:** Phyllis Lynch, Eileen Buckley  
**10.30am:** Natalia Kasiaz  
**12noon:** Julie Hamill

**Weekend of 3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> February**

**7pm:** Marion McGirr  
**8.30am:** Phyllis Lynch & Eileen Buckley  
**10.30am:** Natalia Kasiaz  
**12noon:** Julie Hamill



**COUNTERS**

**27<sup>th</sup>/28<sup>th</sup> January**

Theresa Rowley & Maria Roche

**3<sup>rd</sup>/4<sup>th</sup> February**

Maria Cosgrave & Stefan Vnuk



The next Finance Committee meeting will be held on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February at 7pm in the presbytery.

**Our Lady of Grace Infant School Admissions for September 2024, Nursery and Reception**

Applications now available on the website at [www.ologinfants.brent.sch.uk](http://www.ologinfants.brent.sch.uk) for children due to start Nursery or Reception in September 2024

**Pilgrimage to Westport, Knock & Co. Mayo**

Escorted Tour to Knock & Co Mayo, 10<sup>th</sup> March 2024. £899.00 pps. Price includes flight, 10kg hold luggage, 5 nights' in 4\* Castlecourt Hotel, Westport with Dinner, Bed & Breakfast. Lunch on three days. All entertainment, excursions and transport included. Visit Knock, Galway City, Kylemore Abbey, Croagh Patrick & Ashford Castle. Single supplement on Enquiry. Contact Patricia or Natali on 01268 762 278 or 07740 175557 or email [knockpilgrimages@gmail.com](mailto:knockpilgrimages@gmail.com).

***PARISH ACTIVITIES/GROUPS***

**ZUMBA GOLD & TONING** – *Mondays* at 10.30am in the parish centre – Book your place at [www.fitter4u.co.uk](http://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**

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

**PILATES CLASS** – Wednesday evenings– Book your place at [www.fitter4u.co.uk](http://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**

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