

MASS TIMES w/c- 12th June 2022

Sunday: 9.30am & 11.30am
Monday: 9.30am
Tuesday: 9.30am
Wednesday: 9.30am
Thursday: 9.30am
Friday: 9.30am
Saturday: 6pm

Church will remain open during the day for private prayer.

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Parish website

Visit our website
parish.rcdow.org.uk/finchleynorth
 for all weekly updates and

CHILDREN'S LITURGY

Takes place at the Family Mass at 9.30 on Sundays.

REPOSITORY

Open after both Sunday Masses. New products in the Repository information can be found on our website.

ST ALBAN

Parish Newsletter – 12th June 2022
 + The Most Holy Trinity

First reading: Proverbs 8:22–31
Psalm: How great is your name, O Lord our God, through all the earth!
Second reading: Romans 5:1–5
Gospel: John 16:12–15

One of the most popular songs of recent times has come from the animated film The Lion King. It's called "The Circle of Life". The song celebrates the fact that there is an interconnectedness between every aspect of life and creation. It also tells of how we will probably never be able fully to appreciate that: "From the day we arrive on the planet and, blinking, step into the sun, there's more to see than can ever be seen, more to do that can ever be done." In short, the song helps us appreciate that life and our being are a mystery that cannot be easily explained. There will always be more than we can see, touch or understand.

As a working definition, this could be a good one for the word "mystery". A mystery is not an unfathomable puzzle; rather it is a thing to be lived and experienced. The whole of life is therefore a mystery, a wonderful unfolding of things not immediately apparent or obvious. God, the creator of life, is certainly a wonderful mystery and that's what we celebrate today.

CAFOD-WILL YOU TAKE THE FIRST STEP?

CAFOD's Gap year programme, Step into the Gap is a great opportunity for Young Adults aged between 18-30 to immerse themselves in interactive experiences, develop leadership skills while exploring their faith, and meeting new people.

This is a chance to reflect on your role in global society while spending a year inspiring other to act for the poor and most marginalised. Based in the UK in a retreat centre or Catholic Secondary school with accommodation, travel and stipend included.

Take the first step and find out more information and how to apply for September 2022 go to cafod.org.uk/gapyear

ST MICHAEL'S CATHOLIC GRAMMAR SCHOOL VACANCIES

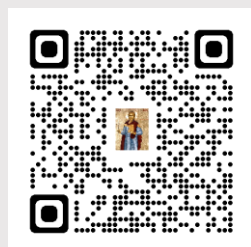
The Governors seeking to appoint a Teacher of Art. This is a part-time 0.2 FTE one year fixed-term position on Fridays only. This opportunity would ideally suit someone who enjoys teaching talented pupils and can communicate interest and enthusiasm for the subject in a school which is committed to the ideals of Catholic education.

Full details of this position can be found in the church porch and on our website: <https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/finchleynorth/>
 And an application form is available on the school website. Please send completed forms to applications@st-michaels.barnet.sch.uk

KEEP THE DATE SATURDAY 25th JUNE

Mass for the sick and housebound at 11am on Saturday 25th June followed by refreshments in the hall. More details to follow all are welcome

Parish QR code
For online donations



SACRAMENTS

BAPTISMS:

To arrange a baptism please contact Fr Dermot.

FUNERALS:

It is the normal procedure to first contact your chosen Funeral Director. They will liaise with Fr Dermot.

Weddings:

Preparation for marriage:
Six months' notice is required. Please contact Fr Dermot.

CONFESSIONS

Saturday from 5.15pm

REGISTRATION IN THE PARISH

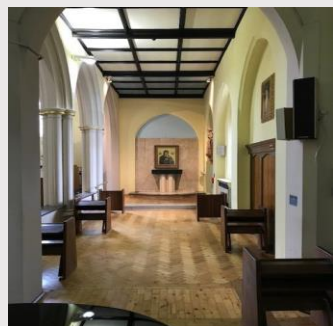
Registration forms are available from the porch. Complete and return to the Presbytery. Thank you.

ST BANABAS FOODBANK

Accepts donations of food each Saturday between 9.30 & 12.30. They are open for those in need on Monday's 12.30-2pm.
913 High Road, North Finchley.

NEWSLETTER

If you wish to receive a copy of our weekly newsletter by email, please sign up by using the website e-Alert or, email the parish office to request.



LORETO COLLEGE ST ALBANS

CENTENARY GARDEN PARTY Sunday 10th July 2022 12pm to 6pm (last admission 5pm) Admission £5.00 per person (FREE entry for children aged 5 and under). There will be live music by the popular local band Soulfish, BBQ, afternoon tea, bar, traditional games/stalls and much more including our Centenary Raffle. A link to the ticket page and more information can be found at www.loreto.herts.sch.uk

ST MICHAEL'S CATHOLIC GRAMMAR SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

St Michaels is first and foremost a Catholic School – we aim to transform society through our words and in our deeds- we are particularly interested in reaching out to underprivileged families as they are given preference in our admissions process. There is no distance criterion in our admissions process, St Michael's is a selective state school for girls.

ST MICHAELS CATHOLIC GRAMMAR SCHOOL-APPLICATION TO SIT THE ENTRANCE TESTS FOR YEAR 7 ENTRY IN SEPTEMBER 2023

Applications are now being accepted for girls currently in year 5 to sit the entrance tests for year 7 entry to St Michael's in September 2023.

Applications can be made through the online system available on our website

<https://www.st-michaels.barnet.sch.uk/admissions/admissions-2023-24/>

Parents should ensure that they read the Admissions Policy prior to making an application and provide the **original** Certificate of Catholic Practice signed by their Parish Priest by the closing date of 4pm on Tuesday 5 July 2022.

Our Year 7 Open Day will be held on Monday 27 June 2022 - 5-7.30pm.

FINCHLEY FOOD BANK

Over 400 people per week are supported with 3 days' worth of food & toiletries by Finchley Foodbank, but food donations have dropped a lot recently. If you're able to add a little extra to your shopping and bring an extra can or two each week, there's a box (& full shopping list) at the back of the church. Many thanks.

PARENT & TODDLER

The playgroup is now up and running from **9:45am – 11:15am** on Mondays. Further information can be found on our website.

MASS INTENTIONS AND PRAYERS

Sunday	12th June	9:30am	Con O'connor	RIP
		11:30am	Jack Cronin	RIP
Monday	13th June	9.30am	Eddie Smith	RIP
Tuesday	14th June	9.30am	Cornelius O'Connor	RIP
Wednesday	15th June	9.30am	Isabel Lam	INT
Thursday	16th June	9.30am	PEOPLE OF THE PARISH	
Friday	17th June	9.30am	Anne & Stanislaw Lisaj	RIP
Saturday	18th June	6pm	Emmanuel D'Silva	INT

Please remember in your prayers

All the sick

John Came, Terri McDermott, Mauria O'Connell,
Fr. John Buckley, Sister Mary Paul Burtonshaw PCJ

All the recently departed and their loved ones

Bridie Byrne, Monica Leeming

and the faithful departed whose anniversaries occur at about this time:

Patricia Eyre, John James Bradshaw, Alfredo Moruzzi