

Our Lady of the Visitation Parish

Under the pastoral care of the Pallottines, Society of the Catholic Apostolate.
Registered Charity No. 252929

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COMMUNITY

Fr. Eugene Lynch SCA, Fr. Tom Daly SCA

Fr. John Egan SCA.

OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Saturday 9.00 am – 4.00 pm
Sunday 10.00 – 1.30 pm

MASSES

Monday - Friday	12.00 noon
Saturday	12.00 noon and 7.00 pm
Sunday	7.00 pm Saturday – Vigil Mass 8.00 am, 9.00 am, 10.30 am 12.00 noon and 7.00 pm
Confessions (Saturday)	11.00 am – 12.00 noon and 6.15 pm – 6.45 pm

It is with great sadness that we announce the death of
Fr. Bill Hanly, following a long illness.

Fr. Bill served in this parish for many years
His Requiem Mass will be in Ireland on this Monday at
12.00 noon.

There will also be a Requiem Mass here at Our Lady of the
Visitation this Monday 3rd July at 12.00 noon.

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Lord, support us all the day long, till the shadows lengthen and the
evening comes, and the busy world is hushed, and the fever of life is
over, and our work is done. Then in Your mercy may You give us a
safe lodging, and a holy rest and peace at the last.

(Cardinal John Henry Newman)

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My Lord God,

I do not know where I am going.

I do not see the road ahead of me.

I cannot know for certain where it will end.

nor do I really know myself,

and the fact that I think I am following your will
does not mean that I am actually doing so.

But I believe that the desire to please you
does in fact please you.

And I hope I have that desire in all that I am doing.

I hope that I will never do anything apart from that desire.

And I know that if I do this you will lead me by the right road,
though I may know nothing about it.

Therefore will I trust you always though

I may seem to be lost and in the shadow of death.

I will not fear, for you are ever with me,
and you will never leave me to face my perils alone.

(Thomas Merton)

THIRTEENTH SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME (Year A)

2nd JULY 2017

The readings for today's Mass start on
page 96 of the Mass book.

The Creed – page 11 The Lord's Prayer ~ page 56

The response to the Psalm:

I will sing forever of your love, O Lord.

The Acclamation is:

*We proclaim your death, O Lord, and profess your
resurrection until you come again.*

Second Collection – Restoration Fund

FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

*Next week's second collection will be for
The Apostleship of the Sea.*

*The refreshments after the 9.00 and 10.30 am Masses will be hosted by
our Parish's Knitting Group, who are busy making woolly hats for the
sailors. You would be more than welcome to come along and talk to the
ladies, and perhaps take away some wool and a pattern,
to help their efforts.*

BAPTISM MEETING

The Baptism meeting for July will take place THIS Sunday, 2nd July, (next meetings
6th August, 3rd September) at 10.00 am in the Church Meeting Room, which is
around the church and up the ramp near the car park. Please bring a copy of the
child's birth certificate.

RED BOXES

The Summer Collection for the red boxes has already started. If you would like
your box to be emptied ring Peter Foody 0208 575 0891.

FRIENDSHIP GROUP

This month's friendship group will meet on Thursday 6th July, at 12.30 pm, in the
Vincent Pallotti Room. Everyone welcome.

PARISH PILGRIMAGE to MEDJUGORJE

This year's parish pilgrimage to Medjugorje will be led by Fr. John Egan, and will
take place from Wednesday 6th September to Wednesday 13th September. The price
for 7 nights half board will be £509.00 per person. If you are interested in joining
this pilgrimage, please contact the Parish Office on 020-8578-1363. **Because of
limited seats, you are advised to book your place as soon as possible.**

NEW BABY GROUP

If you are expecting, or have just had a baby, it would be lovely to see you at our
New Baby Group, for a coffee and chat. We meet between 1.30 pm and 3.30 pm
every Tuesday, in the Parish Meeting Room, which is around the church and up
the ramp near the car park. The group continues to meet during the school
holidays. If you need any more information, please call Terry on 07971-821511.

FIRST FRIDAY DEVOTIONS

*Please note that there will be NO First Friday Devotions in July,
as Fr. John will be away. The next Evening of Devotions will be on
Friday 4th August.*

Michael Madigan

Mass 1.00 pm, Tuesday 4th July, Visitation Church, followed by
cremation in Breakespear Crematorium.

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*There will be a requiem Mass for Fr. Bill on Monday,
3rd July at 12.00 noon.*

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OUR LADY of the VISITATION SCHOOL

SUNDAY FUNDAY

SUNDAY 2nd JULY

1.0 pm to 4.00 pm

School Playground

*This is the school's biggest fundraiser
of the year and*

*a lot of preparation has gone into
making it one of the
best events in Greenford.*

*There will be many attractions,
including the grand raffle,
bouncy castles,*

*book stall, crazy pedal karts,
children's sumo wrestling,*

*cakes and teas, bbq,
and many more.*

Everyone welcome.