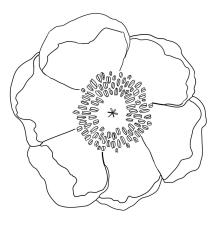
### **IN FLANDERS FIELDS**

### By John McCrae

In Flanders fields the poppies blow Between the crosses, row on row, That mark our place; and in the sky The larks, still bravely singing, fly Scarce heard amid the guns below.

We are the Dead. Short days ago We lived, felt dawn, saw sunset glow, Loved and were loved, and now we lie, In Flanders fields.

Take up our quarrel with the foe: To you from failing hands we throw The torch; be yours to hold it high. If ye break faith with us who die We shall not sleep, though poppies grow In Flanders fields.



### Our Lady of the Visitation Parish

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**OFFICE HOURS** 

 Monday to Saturday
 9.00 am - 4.00 pm

 Sunday
 10.00 - 1.30 pm

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

## THIRTY-SECOND SUNDAY in ORDINARY TIME (Year A)12th NOVEMBER 2017

The readings for today's Mass start on page 152 of the Mass book. The Creed – page 11 The Lord's Prayer - page 56

The response to the Psalm: For you my soul is thirsting, O God, my God.

The Acclamation is: Save us, Saviour of the world, for by your cross and resurrection, you have set us free.

The Second Collection is for Sick and Retired Priests.

Next week's Second Collection is for the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

### ADORATION of the BLESSED SACRAMENT

There will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament in the main Church on Fridays from 5.00 pm to 9.00 pm. Rosary at 5.00 pm and 9.00 pm. Everyone welcome.

*ROSARY and NOVENA to OUR LADY of PERPETUAL HELP* This Novena takes place on Wednesdays at 7.00 pm in the Side Chapel. Everyone will be made welcome.

### CHRISTMAS GIFTS

If you really don't know what gift to give to the person who has everything, why not choose a gift from the CAFOD World Gifts catalogue. Gifts start from as little as £4.00, and guarantee a smile when opened. Catalogues are available in the Church Porch, or you can order from:cafod.org.uk/worldgifts

### EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS and READERS

On Sunday, 26<sup>th</sup> November, at 11.30 am in the Parish Centre, there will be a meeting for *all* Readers and Eucharistic Ministers. The meeting will conclude with a recommissioning ceremony for the year ahead.

### VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Volunteers are needed to be Fire Marshalls for each of the Masses over the weekend. If you would like to help, please let the Parish Office know. There will be a training morning in St. Peter & Paul Centre, Camborne Avenue, Northfields W13 9QZ next Saturday, 18<sup>th</sup> November, from 10.00 am to 12.00 noon.

### 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. If you need any more information, please call Terry on 07971-821511.

# Christmas Novena cards, as well as gifts, calendars and parish diaries, are available in the Parish Office

### FUNERAL ARRANGEMENTS

### Margaret Plant

Service 3.30 pm, Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> November, <u>Breakespear</u> <u>Crematorium.</u>

### James Raymond Clancy

Service 2.00 pm, Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November, <u>Greenford Park Cemetery</u>

### Advance Notice

### James Dillon

Reception7.00 pm, Tuesday 21st November, Visitation Church.Mass10.00 am, Wednesday 22nd November, followed by burialin Greenford Park Cemetery.

### Brigid Doherty

Mass 1.00 pm, Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December, Visitation Church, followed by burial in Greenford Park Cemetery.

### Christmas Bazaar - Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> November from 1.00 to 4.00 pm

We would welcome donations, which can be left in the box in the Church Porch. Donations of items for the Bottle Stall and Irish Coffees (the whiskey doesn't have to be Irish) can be left in the Parish Office. You may be planning to have new decorations at home this year, if so, we would be very grateful for your old ones (tinsel, etc) to decorate the Parish Centre for the Bazaar. You can leave them in the box in the Church Porch or in the Parish Office.

If you would like to sell raffle tickets after the weekend Masses, please collect the box from the Sacristy.

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED !!!** 

Please note that the Devotions to Our Lady of Medjugorge will not be on the first Friday of December, but rather the following <u>Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December (the feast of the Immaculate Conception)</u> <u>beginning at 7.00 pm.</u>