

Save the dates

Saturday 23rd September

Bingo Night in the Parish Centre,
for more details please see the notice in the Church
Porch.

Saturday 25th November

Christmas Bazaar

Sunday 31st December

New Year's Eve Dance

USEFUL INFORMATION

MASS TIMES: Sunday Masses on Saturday at 7.00pm and on Sunday at 8.00 am, 10.00am, 12.00 noon and 2.00 pm. Daily Mass from Monday to Saturday at 12.00 noon.

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays 11.00 am to 12.00 noon and 6.15 pm to 6.45 pm or on request or by appointment with one of the priests.

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION: Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday from 6.00 pm to 8.00 pm, and Friday from 5.00 pm to 9.00 pm.

PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS: Monday to Saturday from 9.00 am to 4.00 pm and Sunday from 11.00 am to 1.30 pm.

*There are only two ways to live your life.
One is as though nothing is a miracle,
the other is as if everything is.*

Albert Einstein 1879 - 1955

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COMMUNITY

Fr. Liam O'Donovan SCA, Fr. Joe McLoughlin SCA,

Fr. Marcellus Ochola SCA, Fr. Tom Daly SCA,

Rev. Deacon Jayson Wingrove



**The Twenty-third Sunday in Ordinary Time
(Year A)**

10th September 2023

**The readings for this weekend's Masses
start on page 125 of the orange Mass books.**

Sunday Collection
2nd – 3rd September £2,896.00

Restoration Appeal for new kneelers
To date £4,575.00

Confirmation and First Holy Communion 2024

Families whose children do NOT attend Our Lady of the Visitation Primary School and want them to receive their First Holy Communion, and parishioners who are in year 10 or above, residing in the parish community, interested in being confirmed, please contact kim.olvgreenford@gmail.com for application forms and details about timings. **Closing date 30th September.**

Baptism Notice

Before your child is baptised you are required to attend three preparation sessions. These will take place on the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Sunday of each month at 11.00 am in the Parish Centre. On the third Sunday we will arrange a date for the baptism to take place. **The dates for September are 3rd, 10th and 17th. The dates for October are 1st, 8th and 15th. Please bring a copy of your child's birth certificate to the first meeting.**

Coffee Drop-in

The Coffee drop-in for September will take place this weekend, 9th and 10th September after all the Sunday Masses in the Old Church Hall. Since starting, the Drop In has proved to be very popular. However, we would appreciate more volunteers to help run it. If you could spare some time after Mass once a month and would like to join the team, please leave your name and contact details in the Parish Office or send an email to kim.olvgreenford@gmail.com.

Friendship Club

The first meeting of the Friendship Club after the holidays will be THIS Thursday 14th September, from 1.00 pm. The club needs volunteers to keep it open, so if you would like to join the team, please speak to David or Mary Gill on the day or leave your name and contact details in the Parish Office. Many thanks.

Visitation Youth Ministry

There will be a Praise and Worship Evening on Friday 22nd September, from 7.30 pm to 9.30 pm, in the Parish Centre. We will have a social afterwards. All are welcome, especially adults between 18 and 35 years of age. Please save the date, spread the word and bring a friend so our Youth Ministry can grow. We look forward to seeing you.

Ealing Winter Night Shelter December 2023

Due to the wonderful team of volunteers who supported this endeavour last winter, we have been asked to host this December's Friday nights for Ealing Churches Winter Night Shelter. If you would like to join our team of volunteers, please leave your name and telephone number in the Parish Office, or text it to 07922 551108.

Funeral Arrangements

James (Jim) Campion

Mass 1.00 pm, Thursday 14th September, Visitation Church, to be followed by burial in Greenford Park Cemetery.

Dallas Gill

Mass 1.00 pm, Friday 15th September, Visitation Church, to be followed by burial in Hortus Road Cemetery.

Advance notice

Kathleen (Kay) Sweeney

Mass 10.00 am, Monday 18th September, Visitation Church, to be followed by burial in Greenford Park Cemetery.

Danny McNaughton

Mass 1.00pm, Tuesday 19th September, Visitation Church, to be followed by cremation at Mortlake Crematorium.

Josephine McInerney

Mass 1.00 pm, Wednesday 20th September, Visitation Church, to be followed by cremation at Breakspear Crematorium.

Maria Virginia Braganza

Mass 1.00 pm, Thursday 21st September, Visitation Church, to be followed by burial in Greenford Park Cemetery.