#### **Funeral Arrangements**

#### Marianna Pangras

Mass 10.00 am, Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> September, Visitation Church, to be followed by burial in Greenford Park Cemetery.

#### Hughie Joseph Coffey

Reception4.30 pm, Wednesday 27th September, Visitation Church.Mass1.00 pm, Thursday 28th September, Visitation Church, tobe followed by burial in Greenford Park Cemetery.

#### Advance Notice

#### Cecila Sampson

Mass 1.00 pm, Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> October, Visitation Church, to be followed by cremation at Breakspear Crematorium.

## Save the dates

Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> 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.

*EUCHARISTIC 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.



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The Twenty-fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year A) 24<sup>th</sup> September 2023 The readings for this weekend's Masses start on page 131 of the orange Mass books. Sunday Collection16th / 17th September£2,468.00Evangelii Gaudium£270.00

# Next weekend's second collection will be for the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

Next weekend, a representative of the St. Vincent de Paul Society will be talking to us at all masses, about the work of the Society. The SVP is a group of volunteer parishioners who set out to help anyone in need. There are families short of food, lonely people who need a friend, people struggling with financial hardship, or those facing illness. You can join them and work with them to help in whatever way you can. In addition, if you could make a donation that would also be a huge help. Please talk to SVP members in the church porch after Mass next weekend. The need now is greater than ever. Cardinal Vincent Nichols recently said *"The SVP provides much needed practical support to those living in poverty. More members are needed to ensure that this work continues to grow and flourish. I urge anyone who has time to offer, to work with the SVP by becoming a volunteer."* 

#### **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 30<sup>th</sup> September.** Parents will be contacted for meetings during the following week.

## Youth Summit at Ealing Abbey

There will be a Youth Summit at St. Benedict's Ealing Abbey on Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> October in their Parish Hall. All teenagers between 13 and 17 years are welcome. More details are on the poster in the Church Porch. Tell us if you would like to come – kim.olvgreenford@gmail.com

## **Baptism** Notice

If you would like your child to be baptised, you need to contact Kim at <u>kim.olvgreenford@gmail.com</u> to express your interest. She will then send you information about future Baptism Preparation dates.

## 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.

#### Getting involved

If you would like to get involved with any of the exciting events happening in our parish, please get in touch with Kim to register your interest. You can contact her at <u>kim.olvgreenford@gmail.com</u>

## **Expression of Gratitude**

Bernadine Lett and the Hazzard family would like to thank everyone who supported them with messages of sympathy, financially, Masses, flowers and visits on the sudden death of her niece in France. A Mass has been offered for your intentions.

#### Wonderfully Made Woman Open Day

This charity believes that every woman and girl has the potential to make a positive impact on her community. They are dedicated to supporting and empowering women and girls to build their confidence, skills and resilience. They will be hosting an event in the Parish Centre on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> September, from 12.00 noon to 2.00 pm. If you would like more information, please contact Tebi Ajerio on 07858 4885 667, or visit the website: wonderfullymadewoman.org