

Collections
2nd / 3rd March £3,127.00

Standing Order and
Online payments for February £4,338.00
Card Donations £ 633.00
This week's Second Collection is for Mary's Meals

The Planned Giving envelopes will be available for collection this weekend, Saturday (9th March) after the 7.00 Mass and Sunday (10th March) ONLY, from the Old Church Hall.

Times of Services over the Easter Period

11.00 am - 3.00 pm - Saturday 23rd March,
Reconciliation Day

HOLY WEEK

Maundy Thursday - 28th March NO mid-day Mass
7.30 pm - Mass of the Last Supper

Good Friday - 29th March

10.00 am - Walk of Witness from OLOV
to Holy Cross Church

12.00 noon and 3.00 pm - Passion of the Lord -

7.30 pm - Stations of the Cross

Holy Saturday - 30th March

10.00 am to 1.00 pm - Blessing of Easter Food

7.30 pm - Easter Vigil

Easter Sunday - 31st March

Masses at 8.00 am, 10.00 am, 12.00 noon and 2.00 pm

Easter Monday - 1st April - Mass as usual at 12.00 noon

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MASS

Weekdays 12:00 noon
Saturday 12:00 noon &
Vigil 7:00 pm
Sunday 8:00 am, 10:00
am, 12:00 pm & 2:00 pm

CONFESSIONS

Saturday
11:00am - 12:00 noon &
6:15pm - 6:45pm
or available on request

ADORATION

Tuesday, Wednesday,
Thursday
6:00 pm - 8:00 pm
Friday
5:00 pm - 9:00 pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS

Monday to Saturday from 9.00am to 4.00pm & Sunday from 11.00am to 1.30pm

COMMUNITY

Fr. Liam O'Donovan SCA, Fr. Joe McLoughlin SCA, Fr. Marcellus Ochola SCA,
Fr. Tom Daly SCA, Rev. Deacon Jayson Wingrove



What's coming up.

NEWS & EVENTS

Interested in joining a team? Visit our website to learn more.

Baptism Preparation

Parents and Guardians interested in baptising their child, please contact Kim at kim.olvgreenford@gmail.com to express interest. Our recommendation is to contact us at least six weeks prior to your child's proposed baptism date.

First Holy Communion (8-14 yo)

Next session will be on Tuesday, the 5th of March.

Family of Faith (FHC Parents & Family sessions)

We believe that parents are the primary and most influential educators of their children. For this reason, we have introduced Family of Faith, to encourage, enable and provide parents with tools they need to help their family grow in faith. All families are very welcome to join us in our Family of Faith sessions. Our next session will be **TODAY 10th of March, from 10:45 am to 11:30 at the Parish Centre**. Please let us know you will be joining us by registering on our website, under upcoming events.

Confirmation Preparation (15-17 yo)

We will not have sessions this Sunday, the 10th of March. We will resume sessions next Sunday, the 17th of March. **Auditions for the passion play will be held on Wednesday, the 13th of March at 4:30 pm.**

Visitation Young Adult Ministry (18 yo+)

We will take a short break and resume in April. We invite all Young Adults of the parish to join us next month, the 26th of April at 7.00 pm for a time of connection and encounter. We look forward to seeing you all there.

Exploring Catholicism (18 yo+ RCIA)

This programme is for Adults interested in exploring the Catholic Faith and/or in being baptised and Confirmed. Please get in touch with us by speaking to a priest or Kim for more details.

Cafe Catechism

Join us for a 15-minute session after the 10.00 am and 12.00 noon Mass to understand more about our faith, teachings of the Church and coffee/tea, followed by stimulating discussions and conversations.

Lenten Reconciliation Day

On Saturday 23rd March, the Divine Mercy Fathers will be offering a mini Reconciliation retreat from 11.00 am to 3.00 pm. This will include adoration, mass, reflections and devotions. The Sacrament of Reconciliation will be offered throughout.

Youth Festival in Medjugorje

We are now taking names for the Youth Festival in Medjugorje 2024. Our pilgrimage will be from 29th July to 5th August. The cost for adults will be £675.00 and under 18's will be £300. Please note that under 18's need to be accompanied by an adult. All are welcome for this life-changing experience. Registration begins now.

Annual Mass of Thanksgiving for the Sacrament of Matrimony

Westminster Cathedral, Saturday 25th May, 2.30 pm

The Cardinal is inviting to this Mass all couples in the Diocese, who are celebrating their 5th, 10th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th and 60th (and every year over 60) wedding anniversary of Catholic marriage. If you are celebrating an anniversary, please give your parish clergy the following details: husband and wife's names, wedding date, full postal address and email (or telephone number, if no email).

Coffee Drop-In

The Coffee Drop-In for March will be this weekend, 9th and 10th March, after all the Sunday Masses, in the Old Church Hall.

Greenford Pilgrimage to Fatima

Some spaces have become available on this pilgrimage, to be led by Fr. Liam O'Donovan, from 10th to 14th June (4 nights). Price is £629.00 per person sharing. For more details, please see poster in Church Porch. For booking forms and more information, please contact the Parish Office (020-8578-1363).

Funeral Arrangements

Patrick Joseph McCann

Service 12.45 pm, Wednesday 13th March, Breakspear Crematorium.

Victor Suppiah

Mass 10.00 am, Thursday 14th March, Visitation Church, to be followed by cremation at South Middlesex Crematorium.

Beryl Elizabeth Way

Mass 10.00 am, Thursday 21st March, Visitation Church, to be followed by cremation at Breakspear Crematorium.
