



OUR LADY OF THE VISITATION PARISH NEWSLETTER

MASS TIMES

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

"It is not sufficient for me to love God if I do not love my neighbour. I belong to God and to the poor."

St. Vincent Pallotti

Valentines Celebration for Married Couples

On Saturday 14th February, we will celebrate a special Mass at 12.00 noon for Married Couples in our parish. All couples are warmly invited to attend. As part of the celebration, we ask you to bring a wedding photograph, which will be placed before the altar during the Mass as a sign of gratitude for the gift of your marriage. During the liturgy, couples will have the opportunity to renew their marriage vows. After Mass, everyone is invited to gather in the Old Church Hall for tea, coffee, and a simple celebration together. We look forward to sharing this joyful occasion with you.

Funeral Arrangements

Teresa Esprit

Mass at 10am, Monday 19th January, Visitation Church to be followed by burial at Greenford Park Cemetery.

James Sinnott

Mass at 10.00 am, Tuesday 20th January, Our Lady of the Visitation Church to be followed by a cremation at Breakspear Crematorium.

Kazimiera Duffy

Mass at 10am, Wednesday 21st January, Visitation Church to be followed by burial at Gunnersbury Cemetery.

Eileen Mannion

Reception at 7pm, Thursday 22nd January, Visitation Church. Requiem Mass at 10am, Friday 23rd January, to be followed by a burial at Greenford Park Cemetery

Alison Griffin

Mass at 10.00 am, Tuesday 27th January, Our Lady of the Visitation Church.

James Galvin

Service at 1.30 pm, Friday 30th January, East Chapel, Breakspear Crematorium.

Michelle Louise Johnson

Mass at 1.00 pm, Monday 2nd February, Visitation Church, to be followed by burial at Greenford Park Cemetery.

Pauline Evans

Service at 12.00 noon, Thursday 5th February, Breakspear Crematorium.

Bingo Night – Saturday 31st January

Our Lady of the Visitation Parish Centre. Adults only (18+). Teams can be made up on the night. Doors open at 7.30pm for 8.15pm prompt start. Cash bar, tea/coffee, snacks available. Ticket price: **£8.00** including 6 bingo cards. **£13.00** including 6 bingo cards & hot food. **Tickets available after all masses**

Cardinal Wiseman Vacancy

The Cardinal Wiseman School currently has a vacancy for a School Cleaner. Salary: £16,287 - £16,513 20 hours per week / All Year round. Hours of work: Monday - Friday 06:30-08:30 & 15:15 - 17:15 (During term-time). 08:00-12:00 (School holidays). The closing date for applications is 20th January at 9am. The application form can be downloaded from the school website: Completed application should be sent to recruitment@wiseman.ealing.sch.uk

Friendship Club

Please note that the Friendship Club WILL NOT be meeting this Thursday, 22nd January, the Feast of St. Vincent Pallotti. To celebrate this feast, Cardinal Wiseman School will be hosting a cooked lunch. Everyone welcome.

Sunday Collections

Weekly Collection – 10th / 11th January £2,630.00

December

Standing Orders / online donations £,4,786.00
Donations by Card £1,1,661.00
Christmas Crib Donations to the Catholic Children's Society £456,00

Next week's second collection is for PAX CHRISTI.



CATECHESIS NEWS & EVENTS
Email: kim.olvgreenford@gmail.com

Baptism

If you would like to have your child baptised, contact Kim at least six weeks before your proposed Baptism date.

Little Sunday Liturgies

For all children before they start First Holy Communion Preparation. Twice a month - every 1st and 3rd Sundays during term time. The next session this Sunday 18th January, followed by Sunday 1st February.

Youth Groups

Ignite (ages 9-13, post-First Holy Communion) - Sundays at 10:30 am, twice a month.

Echo (ages 12-17)- Sundays 10:30-11:30 & Thursdays 7-8 pm, twice a month. Next sessions on the 22nd January in the Parish Centre.

Leap (ages 14-17, post-Confirmation) - Thursdays 7-8 pm, twice a month
Next sessions on the 22nd January | Parish Centre

Young Adults Social Evening

Starting with Mass at 7.30 pm, then in the Old Church Hall. Next evening: **Friday, 20th February.**

Rosary for Revival

If you have a heart for prayer and would like to pray for the revival within the hearts of all members of the Greenford community, please join us in praying the Rosary every Wednesday at 7.00 pm in the church, during Adoration.

RelationShape

Introducing RelationShape - a brand-new, FREE 14 session-long programme launching right here in the parish! Designed just for 16-19-year-olds, it's all about:

🗨️ Building real, healthy relationships

📈 Gaining confidence for the future

🧠 Learning life skills that actually matter

Whether you're figuring out friendships, dating, or just want to feel more ready for what's next - this is for YOU.



✅ Officially backed by the Diocese 🙏 Bring a friend - or come and make new ones!

🌟 Come curious. Leave confident. Let's shape something amazing together.

Feast of St. Vincent Pallotti

The feast day for St. Vincent Pallotti will be on Thursday 22nd January.

Please join us at 11am for Adoration and Rosary with Pallottine reflections followed by a blessing with the relic of St Vincent. Mass will be celebrated at 12:30. After Mass all are invited to the Cardinal Wiseman school for lunch.

The Novena to St Vincent Pallotti will begin on Tuesday 13th January at the 12.00noon Mass.



Novena Prayer to St. Vincent Pallotti

Almighty and ever living God, you glorified Vincent Pallotti and made him a powerful intercessor in heaven. We come before you with our petitions and place before you all our needs and cares. Trusting in your divine providence, we place ourselves like Vincent Pallotti in your loving care seeking your protection.

O God of all consolations, have compassion on all those who suffer and are in need. We beg you today through the intercession of St. Vincent Pallotti to inspire all Christians to join in the work of the Catholic Apostolate. Remind us of our call to be apostles everywhere and to bring the whole of humanity as one flock under the one Shepherd Jesus Christ. May your kingdom extend to the ends of the earth. Above all we place before you our special needs ... (pause).

O glorious St. Vincent, intercede for us before the Lord and obtain for us all the graces which we seek. Merciful Father, St. Vincent glorified you before all while here on earth. Now glorify him, by answering his prayers on our behalf. We make this prayer through Christ Our Lord. Amen.