



Diocese of Westminster
Our Lady, Queen of Apostles
 Served by the Society of the Divine Vocations
 - Vocationists -



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The Office is open to the public on Monday to Thursday 9 AM to 1 PM

14 MAY 2023 – 6th Sunday of Easter

MAY 2023	TIME	MASS INTENTION
Saturday 13th	7 pm Vigil Mass	Eddie McConingley and wife Mary RIP
Sunday 14th 6th Sunday of	8 am Mass 9:30 am Family Mass 11:30 am Mass 5:30 pm Mass	Santana Raposo, Thanksgiving Lucas and Ana Piedade Rodrigues RIP Felicio Eleuterio Mendes RIP Joseph Rozario RIP
Monday 15th	9 am 9:30 am Mass 7 pm Mass	Prayer of the Rosary Hill members of the Fernandes Family John and Nevita, Thanksgiving
Tuesday 16th	9 am 9:30 am Mass 7 pm Mass	Prayer of the Rosary Cruz and Natalina Fernandes RIP Isaura Martins Fernandes, RIP
Wednesday 17th	9 am 9:30 am Mass 7 pm Vigil Mass	Prayer of the Rosary Christalina Fernandes RIP Inacio and Remediana, Wedding Anniversary
Thursday 18th THE ASCENSION OF THE LORD	9 am 9:30 am Mass 7 pm Mass	Prayer of the Rosary All Souls of Gandaulim Village Julieta Fernandes, Good Health
Friday 19th	9 am 9:30 am Mass 7 pm Mass	Prayer of the Rosary Thanksgiving, 1 st Birthday Savio Fernandes RIP
Saturday 20th	9:30 am Mass 10-10:30 am 7 pm Vigil Mass	Antonio and Maria Fernandes RIP Exposition and Adoration / Confessions Louis and Minoos Afonso RIP
Sunday 21st 7th Sunday of Easter	8 am Mass 9:30 am Family Mass 11:30 am Mass 5:30 pm Mass	Thanksgiving for Aidan Braganca Birthday Soul of Anthony Pereira Mona Pacheco and Pradeep Bhandare RIP Ronny Afonso RIP

Let us pray for the sick people of our Parish

Catherine Jennings, Peter Wade, Ann Duckmanton and Grace Gauci.

Let us pray for Maureen McDermott and for those whose anniversaries occur around this time:
 Henry Bernard Mulqueen, Ray Perry, Jack Randall-Adams, Angela Kenna, Ernest Tuck, Mary O'Shea,
 Joseph Augustine Creagh, Gerald Hegney and Thomas Ward.

*Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord and let perpetual light shine upon them;
 may they rest in peace. Amen.*

***** NOTICES *****

DAY OF OBLIGATION: On Thursday 18 May, we are celebrating the Solemnity of the Ascension of the Lord, this is a holiday of obligation and therefore, as Catholics, we all are expected to attend Mass. The 7 pm Mass on Wednesday is a Vigil Mass for the Solemnity and on Thursday the Masses are celebrated at the usual times. Please note that on Thursday we are going to welcome the children for The Rosary Catholic Primary who will be attending Mass.

CHURCH MAINTENANCE: The Insurance Company has arranged for dehumidifiers to help prevent damages inside but also to speed up the process of drying the Church after the water ingress after Easter. Please be careful when visiting the Church and notice that the Church will close at 1 pm, if you are attending the evening Mass, please use the side door in the car park to access the Martyrs' Chapel.

SECOND COLLECTION: Next Sunday there will be a second collection for the Catholic Communications Network to celebrate World Communications day.

MAUREEN MCDERMOTT RIP: We offer our prayer for the soul of Maureen McDermott who sadly passed away on Friday 28 April, may God grant her eternal rest. The funeral service will take place on Friday 26th of May at 11.30am.

REPOSITORY: The Repository is open after Mass on weekends, there is new stock available and also cards and gifts for Holy Communion and Confirmations.

SUMMER FAYRE RAFFLE: Tickets for the Summer Fayre Raffle are now on sale £1 per tickets or £5 for a book, tickets can be bought after Masses or from the Office. If you wish to help us selling them, please ask the helpers for books. For those who take books to be sold, please ensure that stubs and money are returned to the Parish Office in time. The Raffle will be drawn at the end of the Summer Fayre on Saturday 15 July.

CAFOD: Did you know that Church teaching says that we should not only support those in poverty but also tackle the root causes of poverty? Pope Benedict XVI said that "Love — caritas — is an extraordinary force which leads people to opt for courageous and generous engagement in the field of justice and peace." For decades CAFOD has spoken out against injustice. To find out more and get involved in tackling the root causes of poverty, please go to cafod.org.uk/latestcampaigns

VOCATION DISCERNMENT: On Wednesday 17 May, there will be an open evening at St James, Spanish Place, for any men interested in learning about or discerning a vocation to priesthood. The regular evening Mass will be at 6.00pm, followed by a gathering downstairs in the Social Centre for a short presentation and informal conversations and refreshments. Do come and join us if you can. The nearest tube stations are Bond Street and Baker Street.

CONFIRMATION RETREAT AT SPEC: Fr Ritche and the Catechists will meet with the Confirmation candidates at 8:45 am outside by the front of the Church to make sure everyone is present. The bus will leave Heston at 9 am prompt; the group will not wait for anyone who will be late. Parents make sure your children have their packed lunch, also remember that SPEC does not allow any food containing nuts on their premises.

'MY SON CARLO': Bishop Nicholas Hudson and Westminster Youth Ministry are hosting a Eucharistic Adoration event for young people from the diocese. This will take place **on Wednesday 31st May from 7.30pm to 9pm** at Farm St Church in Mayfair. During the event, there will be a talk by Antonia Salzano, the mother of Blessed Carlo Acutis. Her talk will be focused on Blessed Carlo's trust and focus on the Lord in the Eucharist. There are not many times in the history of the Church where the parent of a Blessed has been alive to recount to us the journey to beatification of their child. The event is open to everyone.

DATES OF UPCOMING EVENTS

14 MAY: FHC Class after 9:30 am Mass

20 MAY: FHC Rehearsals at 11am

21 MAY: Confirmation Class at 10.30am / Collection for the Catholic Communications Network

25 MAY: FHC Rehearsals at 3:45 pm

27 MAY: FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MASS

***** SATURDAY 15 JULY SUMMER FAIR *****

PRAYER FOR VOCATIONS

Divine Jesus, Son of the eternal Father and Mary Immaculate, grant many of the faithful true generosity in following your call and bestow on them the grace of your Holy Spirit to persevere in overcoming all obstacles to their vocations. Give the church in this Diocese and throughout the world many holy priests and fervent religious. Through the intercession of the Most Blessed Virgin Mary, Saint Justin, all the Angels and all Saints, we humbly ask you to hear our prayers and multiply the ministries by which we may serve one another in faith and love.

PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION OF SAINT JUSTIN RUSSOLILLO

O my God and my all, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, may your will be done, your love reign, your glory shine always more in me and in everyone as in yourself, O my God and my all.