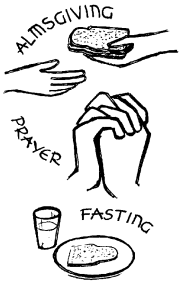
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Sunday 6th March 2022
First Sunday of Lent

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sunday 6th March	
Olga Fernandes RIP	**9 am**
John Traynor RIP	**11 am**
Monday 7th March –	
Friday 11th March	**10 am**
Communion Services	
Saturday 12th March	**6 pm**
Eric Wilson RIP	
Sunday 13th March	
Neil Patterson RIP	**9 am**
Law Kwok RIP	**11 am**

COVID RESTRICTIONS
If you have any symptoms of covid at all, **please stay at home.**

It is no longer compulsory to wear a mask but you are welcome to do so if it reassures you. We will continue to supply hand gel at the entrance to the church. You no longer have to use Track and Trace or offer your details to the steward.

These are still suspended at the moment:
Communion from the chalice.
The physical sign of peace.
Holy water in the stoups.

SVP
If anyone knows someone who is lonely or housebound and would like a regular visit from our SVP conference members please send an email to the parish office.

FOODBANK THANK YOU
Thank you all again. We filled the boot and back seat of our car with your generous donations which were gratefully received and recorded at the food bank today. Our next collection will be the weekend of the 26th/27th March. We will be holding a special Mother's Day coffee morning on the 27th, which will include a Mother's Day Craft Activity.
The Justice and Peace Group

LENTEN RETREAT "FORGIVENESS"
Saturday 19th March at Pield Heath School. Join parishioners of the churches in our Deanery for a Day with Mass, Talks, Adoration and Confession. The day will be led by Margaret and Barry Mizen, who lost their son, Jimmy, in 2008. It will run from 9.30 am – 3.30 pm. Bring a packed lunch. To book a place please email uxbridge@rcdow.org.uk or call Angela on 01895 233193. Please also see the poster at the back of the church.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS IN LENT
Stations will take place on Friday mornings, after the 10 am Mass and again in the evening at 7 pm, led by the Knights of St Columba.

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK
Fr Matthew is away this week, so there will be Communion Services on Monday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 10 am. Next weekend, a priest from the community at Hayes will be with us for the Sunday Masses.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION COURSE
The children are meeting today, Sunday, in the Hall, and will attend the 11 am Mass. Please keep them all in your prayers.

CONFIRMATION COURSE 2022
The next session for our candidates is on Wednesday, 9th March, at 7.30 pm in the Parish Hall. We look forward to seeing you then.

REPOSTORY/PAPER SHOP
Don't forget our lovely repository, which has many items of a religious nature, including cards for St Patrick's Day, First Communion, Confirmation and Easter. You can find it at the back of the church.

LENTEN PRAYER
Almighty and ever living God,
You invite us deeper into your world,
your people, your Lent.
Give us hearts hungry to serve you
and those who need what we have to
give at this special time, **AMEN.**

#HELP UKRAINE EMERGENCY APPEAL
Caritas Ukraine and Caritas Poland in those countries, and the Ukrainian Catholic Church in the UK, together with Ukrainian Cultural organizations have organized an appeal, the details of which are on the notice board in the church.

To donate:
By bank transfer to: AUGB Ltd, 80038237, 20-65-89, with reference "HelpUkraine".
On GoFundMe: follow this link https://rb.gy/dcqgcc or scan the QR code on the poster on the notice board.
Cheques to: "AUGB LTD- Central Appeal Fund" to Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral, Ukrainian Catholic Eparchy of the Holy Family of London, Chancery Office, 21-22 Binney Street, London W1K 5BQ

The poster is also available on our website (see above) under "news".

DEC APPEAL FOR UKRAINE
You can also make a donation at www.dec.org.uk, (Disasters Emergency Committee) a government umbrella organization, which includes CAFOD amongst its members.

CAFOD LENTEN FAST DAY
Friday 11th March.
This Family Fast Day, we remember that there are many people who need our love and support all around the world.
The collection will take place next weekend, 12/13th March.
If you are a UK tax payer please use the Gift Aid slip on the donation envelope.
You can donate online at cafod.org.uk