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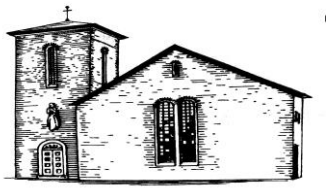

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Sunday 19th November 2023
Thirty Third Sunday of the Year

MASS TIMES THIS WEEK

Sunday 19th November
Cathy Burton INTS **9 am**
Donor's Intention
Thomas Lennon RIP **11 am**
Monday 20th November 10 am
Holy Souls
Tuesday 21st November No Mass
Wednesday 22nd November
Michael Simpson RIP **10 am**
Donor's Intention
Thursday 23rd November 11 am
Funeral: Maureen Mulvanny RIP
Friday 24th November 10 am
Mona Valli RIP
Donor's Intention
Saturday 25th November
Margherita Zoltowska RIP **6 pm**
Donor's Intention
Sunday 26th November
Mr Mark INTS **9 am**
Donor's Intention
Horniak family members RIP **11 am**

Confessions
Saturdays between 10.30 – 11 am

MAUREEN MULVANNY RIP
Maureen's funeral will take place on Thursday, 23rd November at 11 am. Her remains will be brought into church the evening before at 4.30 pm. Our sympathy goes to her family and her many friends. May she rest in peace.
Please note that there is no 10 am Mass that day.

CHRISTMAS SHOP
Please take a look at our Repository at the back of the church, where you will find a number of items for your Christmas shopping, including cards, calendars and 2024 Catholic diaries.

SICK AND RETIRED PRIESTS
The Annual Diocesan Collection for our Sick and Retired Priests will take place today, after all Masses.
Last year we provided care to **82** retired priests, at a cost of **£850,000**. The number of our priests over the age of 65 is steadily increasing, and caring for our brother priests in their senior years, or at a time of illness, is a fundamental part of the mission of our diocese. Whilst we work with the NHS and local authorities to ensure funding gaps are met, we still rely heavily on the generosity of parishioners who contribute to this worthy fund each year.
Many of our priests continue to serve long into their late seventies and eighties.
If you are a taxpayer, please use the Gift Aid form on the envelope to increase your offering by 25%.
Finally, if you feel you would like to give to the SRP fund on a more regular basis, please do consider joining our Patron's Programme. Please pick up a leaflet at the back of the church. Thank you.

YOUTH EVENT!
2nd December 2023, 2-5pm, Our Lady, Queen of Heaven, QUEENSWAY, W2 3RY. Join other young Catholics for an Advent Summit event, organised by Westminster Diocese Youth Ministry. The theme will be "The Dwelling Place" of God. Speakers will include Cardinal Vincent Nichols, and Emmanuelle MacFarlane-Barrow. All young people, from 13-18 years, are warmly invited.

SVP COFFEE MORNING
Please join the SVP team in the Hall for coffee after the 9 am Mass this morning.

FHC RECONCILIATON
Please pray for all our First Communion children, who made their First Reconciliation yesterday.

JUSTICE & PEACE COFFEE MORNING
Our big Christmas collection for the food bank will be the weekend of 25th/26th November as we want to get donations to them in good time for Christmas. We will also have our final coffee morning of the year on Sunday 26th, the feast of Christ the King. There will be a crown making activity. Thank you for all your support this year.
The Justice and Peace Team

DAVID LLOYD COMPUTER SUPPORT
David is offering his expertise to parishioners who need help with their computer systems, including home security cameras. Call him on 07958 557703. No job too small!

MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS
November is the month when we remember all those we have lost over the years. Please remember the Holy Souls in your prayers.

VACANCIES IN THE DIOCESE
There are always a number of vacancies for jobs in the Diocese. For further information please visit https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk/.
Vacancies for admin staff, a music director and someone interested in working with youth and children are currently among those available.

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