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+ 10th SUNDAY IN OT (Year B)

10th June 2018

Sacred Heart of Jesus

On Friday we celebrated the great Feast of the Sacred Heart of Jesus. St. Bonaventure writes: *“God’s providence decreed that one of the soldiers should open his sacred side with a spear, so that blood with water might flow out to pay the price of our salvation. This blood, which flowed from its source in the secret recesses of his heart, gave the sacraments of the Church power to confer the life of grace, and for those who already live in Christ was a draught of living water welling up to eternal life.....O soul devoted to God, whoever you may be, run to this source of life and light with eager longing.”*

WHATEVER HAPPENS IN LIFE – WHATEVER NEWS WE RECEIVE – LET US TURN TO THE SACRED HEART WHO ALWAYS CONSOLES AND STRENGTHENS US.

SACRAMENTS OF FIRST HOLY COMMUNION AND CONFIRMATION

Last weekend we had the final Mass celebrating our children making their First Holy Communion. This weekend we have witnessed the sacrament of Confirmation for our young people at Westminster Cathedral. Let us humbly pray for our 200+ young people and ask God to strengthen them so that they are good witnesses to God and God’s Kingdom here on earth.

SUNDAY MASS

Sat Vigil 6.15pm
9am, 10.30am*
12noon, 6pm
*Children Liturgy
(Year 5 & Below)

WEEKDAY MASS

Mon - Sat 9am
Tue & Thu 6pm
Fri 7pm

EUCCHARISTIC SERVICE

Mon & Wed 6pm

CONFESSIONS

Fri 6pm – Fr. Fortunato
Sat 9.30-10.15 – Fr. Derek
4.30- 5.15 – Fr. Fortunato

HOLY HOUR & BENEDICTION

Sat 4.30-5.30pm

ROSARY

Mon-Sat 8.20am

MORNING PARISH OFFICE IS OPEN: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday : 9.30am - 1.00pm

EVENING PARISH OFFICE IS OPEN: Monday, Wednesday & Friday: 5:00pm - 7:00pm

Parish Priest: Fr Derek McGuire

derekmcguire@rcdow.org.uk

(Day off: Monday 10am – Tuesday 12noon)

Assistant Priest: Fr Fortunato Pantisano

fortunatopantisano@rcdow.org.uk

(Day off: Wednesday)

PLEASE EMAIL OR CALL THE PRIESTS

DIRECTLY FOR APPOINTMENT

Parish Administrator: Lavina Fernandes

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Parish Centre Manager: Señorita Evans

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(BOOKINGS TAKEN BY PHONE MON, THURS, FRI 7.00-8.30AM,
AND TUES/WED 4.00-5.00PM, OR BY EMAIL)

Child Protection Carer: *Appointment pending*

PARISH NOTICES

SIGNING THE CERTIFICATE OF CATHOLIC PRACTICE FOR SCHOOLS

1. The Archdiocese requires that families attend regularly (this means attending Mass every Sunday or Saturday evening) for at least **TWO years** before a priest is able to sign the Certificate of Catholic Practice.
 - **ATTENDANCE CARD** is used to indicate the presence of families at Mass.
 - If you are new to the parish – you will need a **LETTER FROM YOUR PREVIOUS PARISH PRIEST**.
2. Parents, please visit the Local Council & Schools or their websites for forms and other guidelines. Once your application is ready, then contact the priest as below.
3. For signing the Certificate of Catholic Practice (A). For Nursery, Reception & Secondary Transfer, please keep reading the newsletter near the time for online appointment(s) with the priest & visit the parish website. (B). For other school years, please make an appointment directly with the priest, details available overleaf.
4. Please make sure you have the attendance card(s) or a letter from your previous Parish before making an appointment.

NEXT WEEKEND – we welcome Fr. Austin who will be covering for Fr. Derek who will be away Saturday and Sunday morning.

FINANCE MEETING: Meeting on Sat 16 June at 9.45am, Presbytery.

BIBLE TIMELINE: THE ACTS OF THE APOSTLES has started on Mondays at 7.30pm for the full version and then the abridged version on Wednesday mornings after the 9am Mass – both in the Parish Centre. All are welcome to attend. Please see the poster in the church porch.

ANY TEXT GIVING THROUGH YOUR MOBILE PHONE!

By using your mobile telephone, you can now text £5 as an offering to help support the running cost, ministries and programmes or the cost of maintenance and repair to our buildings.

Simple text “Parish HOUNS” to this number: 70800

General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR)

which came into effect from 25 May 2018 has imposed significant responsibility on the parish team to protect the personal data that the Church administers.

For Parishioners, all your personal data are held on file/stored on the parish computer securely and is processed in accordance with the Diocese's Privacy Notice. **If you do not wish to, please let the Parish Priest or the Parish Administrator.**

For Extraordinary Ministers of the Eucharist, Readers, Counters and Catechists your details are held on file/stored on the parish computer securely. Your details will be shared within your own Parish Ministry/Group to enable you to arrange cover, etc. **If you do not wish your details to be shared, please let the Parish Priest or the Parish Administrator.** The Rota will be displayed around the church with your name only on it.

Thank you for your co-operation. You can read our full privacy policy on rcdow.org.uk/diocese/privacy-policy

REGULAR NOTICES

NEW PARISHIONER OR FAMILY? CHANGE IN ADDRESS? ADDITION OF A NEW FAMILY MEMBER TO THE EXISTING RECORD? Please fill in the Parish Registration Form (GREEN COLOUR) available in the Church porch & drop the completed form into the mail-box, Parish Office **OR ONLINE FOR REGISTRATION OR AMENDMENT:** Please visit our website parish.rcdow.org.uk/hounslow/registration/.

MASS ATTENDANCE CARD - STICKERS FOR THE CHILDREN IN SCHOOL YEAR 5 AND UNDER.

- Stickers are issued at the start of the Mass and will not be given at the end.
- All parents are reminded that a sticker will only be issued if the child is present for the Mass.
- Stickers will not be given if the card is not presented.
- Any issues please speak to Fr. Derek, do not abuse the ushers and those handing out the stickers.
- Parents please remember to have the picture of your child and their name on the card.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPE BOXES: PLEASE DO NOT USE PINK ENVELOPES FROM LAST YEAR!

- Those who would like to have a box of envelope, please fill in the PG registration & GAD form (colour White) and drop it into the box provided. **EVERY FAMILY SHOULD HAVE A WEEKLY CONTRIBUTION BOX – so please sign up.**
- **Please check the date on your envelope before use.**
- If you have any other queries or cannot find your box, please contact Lavina during office hours or via email.

MARRIAGE PAPERWORK – A GENTLE REMINDER – you need to give 6 MONTHS NOTICE of MARRIAGE – whether it is taking place HERE or ABROAD - INDIA, PHILIPPINES or elsewhere. PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE IT TO THE LAST MINUTE. Couples or individuals should speak to a priest VERY EARLY IN THE PROCESS – so that there is no last minute rush. Marriage Preparation Courses are NOT offered EVERY MONTH – so best to book early.

GOING IN TO HOSPITAL? - If you find yourself going in to hospital please be aware that the staff there will NOT ask you about your religion. You have to notify them by telling them that you are a Roman Catholic and that you would like the CHAPLAIN to know that you are in the hospital OR YOU CAN NOTIFY US DIRECTLY.

CATECHETICAL PROGRAMMES

CHILDREN'S LITURGY –for children in year 5 or below will go into the Parish Centre for the Gospel at their level at 10.30am Mass.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION – a session for children only on Saturday, 16th June, 11:00am-12noon. Please note the change to timings. On Sunday, 17th June at 2:00pm there will be a **THANKSGIVING MASS** followed by a celebration in St. Marks assembly hall.

CONFIRMATION – a final session on Sunday, 24th June 4:30pm-5:45pm, this will be followed by a Thanksgiving Mass at 6:00pm and presentation of certificates.

EVENTS

WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO FIND HAPPINESS IN TODAY'S WORLD? The **PURSUIT** is an open retreat day for those who are leaving Year 11, 12 or 13. There will be engaging activities, dynamic

talks and opportunities to get to know other young adults in small groups and over meals. To register, please complete the application form and send it to youth@rcdow.org.uk. Please see the poster in the church porch.

YOU ARE INVITED TO A CATHOLIC TOUR OF LONDON! Get your walking shoes on because we're going on a fascinating walking tour of London with renowned Catholic Historian, EWTN presenter and journalist Joanna Bogle. There is no cost to the day (unless you wish to join us for the optional dinner) but donations toward the tour will be collected. The optional dinner together that evening will require your RSVP with youngvincentians@svp.org.uk. Otherwise, see you at the meeting point: Westminster Cathedral at 13:45 for a 14:00 departure on Thursday 14th June 2018. Bring some snacks with you in case you get hungry en-route too!

The **NIGERIAN COMMUNITY** is organising a day of prayer in the church from 2pm to 4:30pm on the Saturday 23rd June. We invite all the communities in the church to join us in prayer.

'JOY FOR THE WORLD' A DAY FOR EVERYONE INVOLVED IN MARRIAGE AND FAMILY MINISTRY Keynote Speaker: Mary Killeen (STL) from Maryvale Institute. Fr Ivano Millico will present his new book '7 Words on Marriage' SATURDAY 23 JUNE At Vaughan House 12noon to 4:00pm Sandwich Lunch is included To register please contact Charlotte McNerlin family@rcdow.org.uk or 020 7931 6064

TUESDAY 3rd JULY - UCM ANNUAL WALSINGHAM PILGRIMAGE. Please see list in the church porch.

POPE FRANCIS HAS INVITED US ALL TO "SHARE THE JOURNEY" WITH REFUGEES Further information is available at <https://cafod.org.uk/Campaign/Share-the-Journey> and on the parish noticeboard. If you are interested in joining the walk for any of the 24 stages, please email oliasah-peace@yahoo.co.uk or ring the CAFOD office on 020 8449 6970.

TEXTS FOR THIS SUNDAY'S MASS

Genesis 3:9-15 I was afraid because I was naked, and I hid

Psalm resp: *With the Lord there is mercy and fullness of redemption.*

2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1 We are being trained to carry the weight of eternal glory

Mark 3:20-35 A kingdom divided against itself cannot stand **Divine Office: Week II**

NEXT SUNDAY'S MASS

11th Sunday In Ordinary Time

Ezekiel 17:22-24 I make low trees grow.

Psalm response: *It is good to give you thanks, O Lord.*

2 Corinthians 5:6-10 Whether we are living in the body or exiled from it, we are intent on pleasing the Lord.

Mark 4:26-34 It is the smallest of all the seeds; yet it grows into the biggest shrub of them all.

GROUP MEETINGS

PARISH COUNTING GROUP ROTA

This week: Group A (Jose Carlos)

Next week: Group B (Denzil Burns)

SRI LANKAN SINHALESE MASS on Sunday, 10th June at 4pm in the Church.

NIGERIAN COMMUNITY Meeting on Sunday, 10th June at 1.15pm in the Parish Centre.

ASCENT GROUP MEETING: Every Monday 1.30pm in the Parish Centre.

YEAR 7 & 8 YOUTH GROUP meets every Tuesday 6pm - 7.15pm in the Parish Centre.

ST ANTHONY OF PADUA'S - 9 DAY NOVENA - starts from Monday 4th June to Tuesday 12th June (weekdays - 7pm, weekends - after the evening Mass). The **6th Annual Feast of St Anthony of Padua** will be celebrated on Wednesday 13th June with Holy Mass at 7pm.

UCM: Tuesday 12th June 9.30am – Meeting in the Parish Centre.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP: Wednesday evenings at 5.30pm, Church.

OFFERTORY COLLECTION

2/3 June 2018

Envelopes	£ 3,595.62
Loose	£ 1,879.35
Standing orders – May	£1,270.44
TOTAL	<u>£ 6,745.41</u>

IN YOUR KINDNESS PLEASE PRAY FOR

SICK: Benny Leong, Marcelle Baroudi, Pam Khoos, Clementine Parker, Tallula Parker, Laura D'Souza, Maralyn McNamara, Socorio Vaz, Breda Peters, Wences Faria, Patrick Kinneally

RIP: Cleopatra Moulon, Rajamanikam Seevanasen, Edward Lennon, Gertruda Blum, Shiela Bennett, Jean Stahlmann, Michael Cooke, Colleen Dias, Leopoldo Elezar, Bernardine Louzado, Jasmine Cherian, Catherine Mathai

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (SVP)

MEETINGS are held on Weekday: 2nd & 4th Wednesday at 7:30pm, Weekend: 2nd & 4th Saturday at 10am in the Parish Centre. New members are welcomed.

DEVOTION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS AND IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY: Every Thursday from 5pm in the Church.

LIVING WORD CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL PRAYER GROUP meets every Friday from 7- 9pm at the Parish Centre.

PRAYERS FOR PROTECTION OF UNBORN CHILDREN AND CLOSURE OF ABORTION CLINICS IN UK every last Friday of the month at 9.30am.

CHURCH CLEANING: Saturday after 9am Mass. Please give a hand for half an hour.

YOUNG ADULTS: (AGE 18-35) meets every Sunday, 1.30-2.30pm in the Parish Centre.

GOAN CHAPLAINCY KONKANI MASS on Sunday, 17th June at 4pm in the church.

ENGLISH EVENING RETREAT on Saturday 30th June, 7pm to 11.30pm led by Rev. Fr Joseph Edattu (Divine Retreat Centre UK).