



# SS MICHAEL AND MARTIN

Roman Catholic Parish of Hounslow  
Archdiocese of Westminster

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# PARISH NEWSLETTER

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## 31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

## 30th October 2022

### NOVEMBER – MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

**Tuesday 1st November - All Saints' Day** - Masses at 9am and 6pm.

*All Saints Day is a holy day of Obligation. Catholic are required to attend the Holy Mass, to avoid (to the extent that they are able) servile work and spend time in prayer. It has the same spiritual and liturgical status as a Sunday.*

**Wednesday 2nd November All Souls' Day** - Masses at 7.30am, 9am, 12noon, 6pm & 7:30pm.

On **Friday 18th November at 7pm** we will have our **Annual Bereavement Mass** (choir led by the S.C.S Team), for all families in the Parish who have lost their loved ones since November 2021. It will begin with the Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament at 5:30pm and Benediction at 6:30pm. Thereafter, please join us for refreshments in the Parish Centre.

**Plenary indulgence** - A plenary indulgence, applicable only to the souls in Purgatory, is granted to any of the faithful who (1) on one of the days 1-8 November visit devoutly a cemetery or simply pray mentally for the dead; (2) on All Souls' Day visit a church or chapel with devotion and there recite the Our Father and the Creed.

A partial indulgence, applicable only to the souls in Purgatory, is granted to any of the faithful who (1) visit devoutly Lauds or Vespers of the Office of the Dead, or the invocation 'Eternal rest grant unto them, O Lord'.....

**Book of Remembrance:** Throughout November there will be a book in the Church for parishioners to **write the names of their deceased relatives/friends.**

**Blessing Of Graves:** Please see the poster in the Church porch detailing the times and dates for the blessing of graves by Catholic Priests in the cemeteries and crematoria in the Borough of Hounslow during the month of November.

### SUNDAY MASSES

Sat Vigil 6.15pm  
7:30am  
9am  
10.30am  
12noon  
6pm

### WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon – Sat 9am  
Mon -- Thu 6pm  
Fri 7pm

### CONFESSIONS

Fri 6pm -6:30pm  
Sat 9.30am-  
10.15am & 4.30pm  
- 5.15pm

### BAPTISM

Saturday 12noon

### BENEDICTION

Saturday 4:30pm –  
5:30pm

### PARISH ROSARY

Mon – Sat 8:15am

**PARISH OFFICE OPENING HOURS: MONDAY – THURSDAY, 9:30AM – 1PM - Tel: (020) 8570 1693**

**Parish Priest:** Fr Daniel Adayi, CSSp.

[danieladayi@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:danieladayi@rcdow.org.uk) (**Day off: Mon**)

**1<sup>st</sup> Assistant Priest:** Fr David Atuanya, CSSp.

[davidatuanya@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:davidatuanya@rcdow.org.uk) (**Day off: Wed**)

**2<sup>nd</sup> Assistant Priest & Chaplain at Heathrow**

**Airport:** Fr Damian-Mary Moneke, CSSp.

[damianmoneke@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:damianmoneke@rcdow.org.uk) (**Day off: Thurs**)

**Parish Administrator:** Priya Joseph

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**Parish Catechist:** Lionel Pereira

[hounslowcat@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:hounslowcat@rcdow.org.uk)

**Youth Worker:** Ivan Čížmárik

[ivancizmarik@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:ivancizmarik@rcdow.org.uk)

**Parish Centre Manager:** Señorita Evans

[senoritaevans@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:senoritaevans@rcdow.org.uk)

(BOOKINGS CLOSED TEMPORARILY DUE TO RENOVATION)

**Parish Safeguarding Representative:** Mary Pierre-Harvey

[hounslowsg3@safeguardrcdow.org.uk](mailto:hounslowsg3@safeguardrcdow.org.uk) (Incident Report)

**PLEASE EMAIL OR CALL THE PRIEST  
DIRECTLY FOR AN APPOINTMENT**

**Tel: (020) 8570 1693**

## **END OF OCTOBER DEVOTION**

There will be an organised Parish Rosary to mark the end of October Devotion in the Church on **Monday 31st October 2022, timing follows:**

**5:00pm: Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament/Confession**

**5:15pm: Rosary**

**5:40pm: Benediction**

**6:00pm: Mass at 6pm (choir led by S.C.S Team).**

We are all invited and encouraged to participate in that Parish Rosary. We continue to pray especially for the wellbeing of our parish and for God's abundant blessing on all our parishioners.

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## **PARISH NOTICES**

### **THE SICK & RETIRED PRIESTS' COLLECTION**

The second collection next week will be for the sick and retired priests of our Diocese. Most priests offer their resignation at 75, but many continue to serve in our schools, hospitals, hospices and parishes. By supporting the Sick & Retired Priests' Fund, you can help cover essential costs and give them peace of mind that in the event of an emergency, their needs will be met. You will find a donation envelope at the back of the church. Please take one home, and bring it back next weekend with your donation. Please continue to pray for the wellbeing of all of our clergy: active, retired and ill. You can donate online at [www.rcdow.org.uk/donations](http://www.rcdow.org.uk/donations) - the envelopes and posters feature a 'QR Code' that you can scan with a phone camera to give online.

### **NEW ALTAR SERVER'S TRAINING DATES**

The training dates for new altar servers are: Saturday 12th, 19th, and 26th of November 2022 at 10:30am in the Church. Parents are advised to register their children using the link below:

<https://forms.gle/fzpmGnvSapRB1fE19>

### **MARRIAGE PAPERWORK PROCESS**

You are required to give **6 MONTHS NOTICE of MARRIAGE** – whether it is taking place HERE or

ABROAD. 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. All couples who want to do their marriage paperwork in the parish **should contact** either Fr Daniel Adayi, CSSp, or Fr Damian-Mary Moneke, CSSp via email. Thank you for your understanding and anticipated cooperation.

### **WORLD YOUTH DAY - LISBON 2023**

Westminster Youth Ministry is going to Lisbon from Wednesday 26th July to Wednesday 9th August 2023 to celebrate World Youth Day with 2 million other young people! Booking is now open. All young people between 18-35 from our parish who would like to attend the World Youth Day, **please contact Vincent or Ivan Cizmarik, E: [ivancizmarik@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:ivancizmarik@rcdow.org.uk)**

### **WORLD YOUTH DAY PARISH MEETING**

All young people aged 18-35 from our parish who would like to take part in the World Youth Day 26 Jul 2023 - 9 Aug 2023), please attend the meeting on Sunday, October 30th at 1.15 pm in the Parish Centre. Contact Vincent or Ivan [ivancizmarik@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:ivancizmarik@rcdow.org.uk).

### **MASS ATTENDANCE CARDS AND STICKERS**

Parents are reminded to take note of this development, and to remember that **they are responsible** for bringing their children to the church for weekend Masses, and on time as well. **The new Mass Attendance Card (Yellow Colour) (Sept 2022- Jun 2023) is for children in Year 5 and below only.** This Card will be requested by the Priest before signing of the *Certificate of Catholic Practise (CCP) for Catholic Schools*. Stickers will be given when you **ENTER THE CHURCH BEFORE MASS BEGINS.**

- Please ensure your card has a recent **PHOTO** of your child and their **FULL NAME**.
- 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. We will stop issuing stickers once the First Reading starts.

## PARISH CENTRE RENOVATION UPDATES

The total contribution from parishioners for this project is currently **£29,202.12**. We kindly appeal to parishioners and friends to collect the **BLUE ENVELOPE** as you leave the church, enclose your donation for Parish Centre Renovation, and return it to us. Please tick the box for the **BUILDING FUND**. If you are a UK tax payer, kindly complete the Gift Aid Declaration Section. It will enable the parish to get additional money from Her Majesty Revenue Office. We rely on the support of everyone for the completion of the Parish Centre Renovation Project. Thank you very much for your anticipated support. God bless you.

## PROFOUND GRATITUDE TO SOME PARISHIONERS

We are profoundly grateful to some of our parishioners who recently contributed a total of **£40** last week to the ongoing Parish Centre Renovation Project.

## REGULAR NOTICES

### HOW TO REGISTER IN THIS PARISH?

The first thing to do is to complete the **PARISH REGISTRATION FORM (GREEN FORM)** which is available in the parish office and also in the porch area of the church. Thereafter, you are requested to slip the completed parish registration form into the **MAILBOX in the Presbytery door**. Please allow at least two weeks for the Parish Registration forms to be processed. To obtain your family ID number, please send an email to the parish office **[hounslow@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:hounslow@rcdow.org.uk)**, providing your full name and date of birth. If you are a visitor or worshipping with us for the first time, you are very welcome to our parish family. We welcome all new parishioners to St Michael and St Martin Catholic Church Hounslow. We want you to feel at home in the parish.

### PLANNED GIVING 2022-2023

Planned Giving Boxes for 2022/2023 is ready for collection from the Parish Office after **any weekend Mass**. The boxes can also be collected from Monday – Thursday during Parish Office hours ONLY. Please ensure you have your box number

ready. The boxes cannot be collected on behalf of anyone else without their consent. Thank you for your ongoing support and generosity towards the parish. God bless you.

## CATECHETICAL PROGRAMMES

### WHERE TO FIND INFORMATION ON PARISH SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMMES:

Parishioners are to first check the SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION section under the PARISH LIFE header on the parish website; it has general information on the programmes. The next place to check is the Parish Newsletter. If the information you seek is not found on either of these then send an email to the Parish Catechist. Please reserve phone calls for urgent matters.

### CONFIRMATION ATTENDANCE CARDS AND STICKERS

Parents are reminded to take note of this development, and to remember that **they are responsible** for bringing their children to the church for weekend Masses, and on time as well. **The Mass Attendance Cards for Confirmation is (Red Colour), (Sept 2022- Jun 2023)** those who need new cards or need replacements, must contact the Catechist directly. Stickers will be given when you ENTER THE CHURCH BEFORE MASS BEGINS.

- Please ensure your card has a recent PHOTO of your child and their FULL NAME.
- All parents are reminded that a sticker will only be issued if the child is present for the Mass.
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### BAPTISM PREPARATION COURSE

Parents of infants and those seeking Baptism may register for the course using the online form available on the Baptism page of the Parish website. The next course will be run in November 2022. Read the Baptism webpage for requirements & other details.

## TEXTS FOR THIS SUNDAY'S MASSES

### **31<sup>st</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**Wisdom 11:22-12:2** – You are merciful to all, because you love all that exists

**Psalm Response** – *I will bless your name for ever, O God my King.*

**2 Thessalonians 1:11-2:2** – The name of Christ will be glorified in you, and you in him

**Luke 19:1-10** – Salvation comes to the house of Zacchaeus.

## NEXT SUNDAY'S MASSES

### **32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

**2 Maccabees 7:1-2,9-14** – 'The King of the world will raise us up to live for ever'

**Psalm Response** – *I shall be filled, when I awake, with the sight of your glory, O Lord*

**2 Thessalonians 2:16-3:5** – May the Lord strengthen you in everything good that you do or say

**Luke 20:27-38** – He is God, not of the dead, but of the living.

## PARISH GROUP MEETINGS

### **SYRO-MALABAR MASS**

Sunday 06<sup>th</sup> November 3pm in the church.

### **ST ANTHONY NOVENAS**

St Anthony's Novena **Every Tuesday at 7pm** in the Church. All are welcome.

### **NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP:**

Wednesday 02<sup>nd</sup> November at 5.15pm in the church. All are welcome.

### **DEVOTION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS AND IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY:**

Every Thursday from 5pm in the church. All are welcome.

### **DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION**

First Friday of each month at 3pm in the church. All are welcome.

### **ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (SVP) MEETINGS**

weekend: 2 & 4 Saturday at 10am in the church. New members are welcome.

### **LIVING WORD CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL**

**PRAYER GROUP** invites parishioners to our online prayer meeting/fellowship every Friday evening. Please email us at [livingwordccr@gmail.com](mailto:livingwordccr@gmail.com) or/contact Sam (+447450355567) or graham (+447908287917) for the link and/or other enquiries.

## OFFERTORY COLLECTION

**22<sup>nd</sup> / 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2022**

Envelopes: £1,508.70

Loose: £3,279.00

**TOTAL: £4,787.70**

**Thank you for your generosity.**

## IN YOUR KINDNESS PLEASE PRAY FOR

**PRAY FOR OUR SICK:** Steve, Sandra, Flavia D'Sa and Carson Javier Dabasia and Amy Burns, Caroline Cheand, Terry Lynch and Igor Sitarska.

**RIP:** Alice Rozario, Charles Bryne, Cresencia Cortez, Francisco D'Souza, Antonio Dias Maria De Jesus Laporte, Savina Rodrigues, John Norris, Villa Furtado, Delicia Rose and Maxine Ferguson.

**Funeral Mass this week** -Philomena Bangera De Souza on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> Nov at 11am, followed by cremation at South West Middlesex Crematorium at 12:40pm. May her soul Rest in Peace.

## WORLD MISSION SUNDAY COLLECTION

A total amount of £635.69 was collected last weekend for World Mission Sunday. Thank you for your generosity!

## DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AWARENESS COFFEE

The Parish S.C.S and the S.V.P teams invite you on **Sunday 20th November to join us for tea/coffee after the 9am and 10:30am** mass in the Parish Centre. Day's Focus: Domestic Violence awareness & response (including Tech Abuse. All are welcome!

## SVP YOUNG ADULT RETREAT

The SVP will run a young adult retreat weekend at The Briery Retreat Centre (West Yorkshire), between (25th to 27th November). Limited spaces available. For further information, please **contact our Parish SVP Team or Vincent** ([ssmmscs@gmail.com](mailto:ssmmscs@gmail.com)).

### PRAYER FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND

Father, we thank you for the gift of your Son in the Eucharist. We now place before you all the sick and housebound of our parish. As they share in this Eucharist with us, we pray that they may come to know the depth of your love for them and, the joy, the peace and healing of your presence. We make our prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen.