



SS MICHAEL AND MARTIN

Roman Catholic Parish of Hounslow
Archdiocese of Westminster

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PARISH NEWSLETTER

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THE SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST PRECIOUS BODY AND BLOOD OF CHRIST (CORPUS CHRISTI) 11 June 2023

Receiving Holy Communion with Proper Reverence (1)

Make a Sign of Reverence

As the communicant in front of you receives Holy Communion, you are to make a sign of reverence - a bow. You then approach the Priest or Extraordinary Minister of Holy Communion (from now on, Priest) with your hands extended. The Priest then lifts the Sacred Host, shows it to the communicant, and says, "The Body of Christ". The communicant says, "Amen". If one receives on the tongue, the communicant approaches the Priest, who lifts the Host and shows it to the communicant and says, "The Body of Christ." The communicant then says "Amen," opens his/her mouth and extends his/her tongue (Please be sure to hold still until after the Host is placed on your tongue!). Please Do Not Move.

After bowing as a sign of reverence, whether you receive on the tongue or the hand -- DO NOT MOVE -- until the Priest has placed the Sacred Host on your tongue or hand and removed his hand.

If One Receives on the Hand

Unless arthritis hinders one, hold your top hand flat. And do not move until the Priest has placed the Sacred Host on your hand and removed his. Do not move your hand, arms, fingers, etc.

If Your Hand/Hands are Impeded

Never receive Holy Communion in the hand when your hands are impeded, e.g., carrying a cane or some other walking-assistance device, carrying a child in your arms, carrying a purse, having a tissue or handkerchief in your hand, having a cast on your hand, etc. Never receive Holy Communion by extending only one hand. Never reach and grab the Host! -

Continues next week.

SUNDAY MASSES

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

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

CONFESSIONS

Friday 6pm – 6:30
pm
Saturday 9:30 am
– 10:15 am & 4:30
pm – 5:15 pm

PARISH ROSARY

Mon – Fri at 8:15
am

HOLY HOUR & BENEDICTION

Saturday 4.30-
5.30pm

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: MONDAY – THURSDAY 9:30 am – 1 pm (FRIDAY THE OFFICE IS CLOSED)

Parish Priest: Fr Daniel Adayi, CSSp.

danieladayi@rcdow.org.uk (Day off: Mon)

1st Assistant Priest: Fr David Atuanya, CSSp.

davidatuanya@rcdow.org.uk (Day off: Wed)

2nd Assistant Priest & Chaplain at Heathrow

Airport: Fr Damian-Mary Moneke, CSSp.

damianmoneke@rcdow.org.uk (Day off: Thurs)

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

Parish Administrator: Priya Joseph

priyajoseph@rcdow.org.uk

Parish Catechist: Lionel Pereira

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Youth Worker: Ivan Čižmárik

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(BOOKINGS TAKEN BY PHONE MON, THURS,
FRI 7.00–8.30 am TUES/WED 4.00–5.00 pm, OR BY EMAIL)

Parish Safeguarding Representatives:

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PARISH NOTICES

COLLECTION FOR SPIRITANS THIS SUNDAY

This weekend is the last phase of the Spiritan missionary support drive. There will be a second collection in all the masses. Kindly return the envelopes distributed last weekend. Thanks for your anticipated support!

SOLEMNITY OF THE MOST SACRED HEART OF JESUS

The solemnity of the Most Sacred Heart of Jesus is on Friday this week. There will be an exposition of the Blessed Sacrament from 2 pm to 6.30 pm for adoration and reparation.

HEALTH ALERT!

With the temperature rising, we have been dealing with more cases of parishioners fainting during the weekend Masses. We call on medics and para-medics who come to Mass here to be more vigilant and available. Please ensure that our first aid kit is equipped for emergencies. Please see the Parish Priest if you need any assistance with that!

CBCW DAY FOR LIFE COLLECTION

Next weekend is the celebration of the Day of Life. It is the day in the Church's year dedicated to raising awareness about the meaning and value of human life at every stage and in every condition. The Catholic Bishops' Conference of England and Wales has called for a second collection in all the Masses.

NEW DAILY COLLECTION BOXES!

Two collection boxes have been placed at the Church's main entrance for offerings during the daily Masses.

ON ANNOUNCEMENTS AND POSTERS IN OUR PARISH

All announcements for publication in the weekend newsletters should get to the Parish Office before 5.00 pm on Wednesdays. Please note that no one is allowed to post information on the notice boards or distribute leaflets without the expressed permission of

the Parish Priest. This guideline covers activities organized by persons or groups in this Parish. I kindly implore everyone to strictly abide by this guide – Fr Daniel Adayi, CSSp.

ST ANTHONY'S NOVENA AND FEAST MASS

The Feast of St Anthony celebration will be on Tuesday, 13th June Mass at 7:00 pm. The other daily Masses will hold as usual (9.00 am & 6.00 pm).

DAY WITH MARY

The Day with Mary for Saturday, 29 July 2023, will be at the Westminster Cathedral. Please see the poster in the Church porch area for more details.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The SVP continues with the Parish Food Bank. Kindly note the schedule below:

When: Every 2nd Saturday of the month

Time: 10:30am to 12pm

Location: Church Car Park

All safety guidelines are adhered to (Note: If you want to donate food then you can either do that during the above time slot or **before/after weekday/weekend masses in the Church**. Contact the number below for more information) SVP Contact: Either contact Vincent or call 07824 067524 (For food donation and also for all volunteering opportunities).

REGULAR NOTICES

MASS ATTENDANCE CARDS AND STICKERS

Parents are reminded to take note of this development and 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 only for children in Year 5 and below.** The Priest will request this Card before signing 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.

MEETING WITH USHERS LEADERSHIP TEAM

The Parish Priest will meet with the Ushers Leadership Team on Wednesday, 21 June at 18.45hrs at the presbytery.

LECTORS' SPECIAL PLENARY

At the end of July, there will be a special plenary assembly of all the Lectors. Details later! Parish Priest

PLANNED GIVING BOXES 2023/2024

Please collect your planned giving boxes 2023/2024 after any weekend Masses or from the Parish office (during parish office hours ONLY). Please note that you can set up a Standing order via your bank. Complete the Standing Order form (available in the Church porch area) or use contactless machines in the Church. Thank you for your generosity.

HOW TO REGISTER IN THIS PARISH?

The first thing to do is to complete the **PARISH REGISTRATION FORM (GREEN FORM)** available in the parish office and the porch area of the Church. 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 email the parish office at hounslow@rcdow.org.uk, providing your full name and date of birth. If you are a visitor or worship with us for the first time, you are 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.

MARRIAGE PAPERWORK PROCESS

It would be best to give 6 MONTHS' NOTICE of MARRIAGE – whether it is happening 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 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, Fr David Atuanya CSSp or Fr Damian-Mary Moneke, CSSp, via email (contact details available on page 1).

CATECHETICAL PROGRAMMES

WHERE TO FIND INFORMATION ON PARISH SACRAMENTAL PROGRAMMES:

Type parish.rcdow.org/Hounslow in your browser. Then navigate to PARISH WEBSITE → PARISH LIFE → SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION; it has general information on the various programmes. The next place to check is the Parish Newsletter. If the information you seek is not found on either of these then email the Parish Catechist Lionel Pereira on hounslowcat@rcdow.org.uk. Please reserve phone calls for urgent matters.

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 July 2023. Read the Baptism webpage for requirements & other details.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The children currently undergoing preparation for FHC will receive the Sacrament over four Masses on Sat 17th, Sat 24th, Sun 25 June and Sun 2 July. Please keep our candidates and their families in your prayers.

CONFIRMATION

The candidates currently preparing for the Sacrament this year will undertake a retreat on Sunday, 18 June 2023. Please keep our 135 candidates in your prayers.

REGISTRATION FOR 2023-24 SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION PROGRAMMES

We will begin on Sunday 25 June 2023. Registration forms for Walk With Me, First Holy Communion & Confirmation will be made available on the parish website on that date. Registration will remain open for a month, or until all available places are filled, whichever comes first.

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 joy, the peace and healing of your presence. We make our prayer through Christ our Lord. Amen.

TEXTS FOR THIS SUNDAY'S MASS

CORPUS CHRISTI

Deuteronomy 8:2-3,14-16: He fed you with manna, which neither you nor your fathers had known

Psalm Response – O Praise the Lord, Jerusalem!

1 Corinthians 10:16-17 – That there is only one loaf means that, though we are many, we form one body

John 6:51-58 – My flesh is real food and my blood is real drink

NEXT SUNDAY'S MASS

11th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Exodus 19:2-6 – I will count you a kingdom of priests, a consecrated nation

Psalm Response – We are his people, the sheep of his flock

Romans 5:6-11 – Now we have been reconciled by the death of his Son, surely we may count on being saved by the life of his Son

Matthew 9:36-10:8 – The harvest is rich but the labourers are few

PARISH GROUP MEETINGS

SINHALESE CHAPLAINCY MASS

Sunday, 11 June at 4pm

GOAN CHAPLAINCY MASS

Sunday, 18TH June at 4pm

SYRO-MALABAR CHAPLAINCY MASS

Sunday, 2 July at 3pm

ST ANTHONY NOVENAS

St Anthony's novena continues till Monday, 12 June. The Feast Mass of St Anthony will be on Tuesday, 13 June at 7:00 pm.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Wednesdays at 5:15pm.

CHURCH CLEANING

Thursdays after 9am Mass. Thank you

DEVOTION TO THE SACRED HEART OF JESUS AND IMMACULATE HEART OF MARY

Thursdays from 5pm.

WEEKLY OFFERTORY COLLECTION

3rd/4th June 2023

Envelopes: £1,853.92

Loose: £4,365.87

TOTAL: £6,219.79

Standing Order May:

£3,819.00

Thank you for your generosity.

IN YOUR PRAYERS – REMEMBER

OUR SICK: Marie Lynch, Hubert Teles, Andrew Logadasan, Steve, Sandra, Carson Javier Dabasia, Amy & Denzil Burns, Terry Lynch, Igor Sitarska, and Don Lynch.

DECEASED: Roque Antonio Wellington Vaz, Edwin Rodrigues, Emmanuel Dankyi, Maria Viegas, Gina Coreixas (Mazzaschi), Roque Antonio Wellington Vaz, Lewis Barallon, Malcolm Rose, John Lynch, Edward Connelly, Sarah Patricia Trollope and Charles Bryne.

FUNERAL MASS THIS WEEK

The funeral Mass of Gina Iride Coreixas nee Mazzaschi is on Friday, 16 June 2023, at 1pm. Interment will follow at Mortlake Crematorium at 14:40hrs.

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION

First Friday of each month at 3pm.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (SVP) MEETINGS

Weekend: 2nd & 4th Saturday at 10am in the presbytery.

LIVING WORD CATHOLIC CHARISMATIC RENEWAL PRAYER GROUP

Invites parishioners to our weekly prayer meeting/fellowship every Friday evening in the Parish Centre. Time: 7pm - 9pm. All are welcome.

Email us at livingwordccr@gmail.com; contact Sam (+447450355567), Graham (+447908287917) for other enquiries.

UNION OF CATHOLIC MOTHERS (UCM) MEETING

Tuesday 13 June at 9.30am Parish Centre and Rosary on Tuesday 22nd June evening at 7pm in the Parish Centre.