



SS MICHAEL AND MARTIN

Roman Catholic Parish of Hounslow
Archdiocese of Westminster

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PARISH NEWSLETTER

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30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

27th October 2024

NOVEMBER - MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS

Friday 1st November - All Saints' Day - Masses at 7:30am, 9am, 12noon and 7pm
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.

Saturday 2nd November All Souls' Day - Masses at 7.30am, 9am, 10:30am, 12noon & 6:15pm

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 and parish website 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. The dates for Hounslow Parish are Tuesday 05th November 10am & 10:30am and Friday 08th November 10am.

SUNDAY MASSES

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

WEEKDAY MASSES

Mon – Sat 9am
Mon -- Thu 6pm
Fri 7pm

CONFESSIONS

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

PARISH ROSARY

Mon – Sat at
8:15am

HOLY HOUR & BENEDICTION

Saturday 4.30-
5.30pm

THE ANGELUS

Before every
evening Mass

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

Parish Priest: Fr Damian-Mary Moneke, CSSp.
damianmoneke@rcdow.org.uk (*Day off: Mon*)

1st Assistant Priest: Fr Ignatius Nguyen Quy Quan,
CSSp
quyquanguyen@rcdow.org.uk (*Day off: Wed*)

**2nd Assistant Priest & Chaplain at Heathrow
Airport:** Fr Jude Kurumeh, CSSp.
judekurumeh@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
hounslowcat@rcdow.org.uk

Youth Worker: Ivan Čižmárik
ivancizmarik@rcdow.org.uk

Parish Centre Manager: Señorita Evans
senoritaevans@rcdow.org.uk – (07542 531 956)
(BOOKINGS TAKEN BY PHONE MON, THURS,
FRI 7.00-8.30AM TUES/WED 4.00-5.00PM, OR BY EMAIL)

Parish Safeguarding Representatives:
hounslowsg@safeguardrcdow.org.uk (Lorna – Admin)
hounslowsg1@safeguardrcdow.org.uk (Chinyere)

MISSION STATEMENT

Building a united and peaceful family of Jesus Christ's disciples, where everyone is welcome, respected, have a sense of belonging, grow spiritually, feel free to participate and feel the need to contribute.

PARISH NOTICES

PARISH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

All parishioners are invited to the Parish general assembly meeting on Wednesday 30th October at 7pm in the Church.

PRESBYTERY ROOF REPAIR WORKS

The presbytery garage roof repair works will begin on Tuesday 29th October immediately after morning Mass and will be completed approximately within a week. The works will not take place during the weekend.

PLANNED GIVING DRIVE

Parishioners are encouraged to complete the week 3 planned giving drive leaflet and kindly return it to the parish.

PARISH ANNUAL BEREAVEMENT MASS

On **Friday 15th November at 7pm** we will have our **Annual Bereavement Mass** for all families in the Parish who have lost their loved ones since November 2023.

ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

From the month of November there will be Eucharistic adoration, teaching on the Eucharist, Prayer, Praise and Worship every 2nd Thursday of the month and every last Friday of the month after evening Masses.

WORLD MISSION SUNDAY COLLECTION

There will be a collection in all the Masses this weekend in support of the missionary efforts of the global Church. Thank you for your anticipated generosity.

MICHAEL DUFF RIP – FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENT

A funeral mass will be held at Our Lady of Sorrows and St. Bridget of Sweden Church, Memorial Square, 112 Twickenham Rd, Isleworth TW7 6DL on

29th October 2024 at 11am This will be followed by a short Committal Service at South West Middlesex Crematorium at 12:40pm.

COLUMBAN MISSION APPEAL 2024

There will be a mission fundraising appeal by the Columban Mission during all weekend Masses on 2nd/3rd November.

NOTICE FOR LECTORS IN THE PARISH

1. The Commissioning of Lectors will take place during the weekend Masses of 2nd/3rd November.
2. Advent retreat – 14th December at 3pm in the Parish Centre.

COFFEE MORNINGS/WELCOME NEW PARISHIONERS

Please note that coffee mornings from 2025 will be on the 1st Sunday of every month after the 9am & 10:30am Masses. We request all parish groups to kindly send their dates to the Parish Centre Manager senoritaevans@rcdow.org.uk, to ensure bookings are added to the parish center calendar.

CATHOLIC PRACTICE CERTIFICATE (CCP) SIGNING

Parents are advised to come to the Parish office, between 10am-12noon, either on **Tuesdays or Thursdays** for signing of the CCP. Please ensure you have your Mass attendance card from the previous year. If you are new to the parish, bring a letter from your PREVIOUS parish confirming your attendance. No appointments required!

THE SHELTER PROJECT HOUNSLOW (TSPH)

TSPH will be hosting 'Café Together' in the Parish Centre from 6:30pm till 08:30pm on the following five Mondays: 28th October. Hot meals will be served to guests who will have the opportunity for a friendly chat.

REGULAR NOTICES

MARRIAGE PAPERWORK PROCESS

You must 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** Fr Damian-Mary Moneke, CSSp (contact details are available on page 1).

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 (Blue colour) (Sept 2024- Jun 2025) 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.

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, providing your full name and date of birth.

PARISH MASS LIVE STREAMING

Every Sunday 12noon Mass will be live streamed, including special occasion Masses. Please find the link-

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCOQzcJ9b0grzoLwx49cpdpg> and [channel name: @SSMichaelandMartinRCChurchHoun.](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCOQzcJ9b0grzoLwx49cpdpg) Kindly note: The Camera will be broadcasting only the Sanctuary.

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.

REGISTRATION FOR 2024-25 SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION PROGRAMMES

We still have some places available on the Walk With Me programme. If your child is in Year 2 in a non-Catholic school this year and will be 7 years old this academic year, they may be registered for this pre-Communion catechesis programme. Kindly email the parish catechist before the end of this month.

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.

Leave a legacy

Please consider including our parish in your will or leaving a legacy for the parish. For further details please email us on hounslow@rcdow.org.uk

Online Giving/ Standing Order

To make your donation online, please visit: <https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/hounslow/donate/other-ways-to-give/>

Bank Transfer

To make a one-off donation please use the parish bank account details:

Account Name: **WRCDT Hounslow**

Sort Code: **40-05-20**

Account Number: **11095463**

Reference: **Surname and First Initial**

QR Code

Scan on the QR code below to donate

*If you are a UK taxpayer, please Gift Aid your donation. The government will top up your gift by 25 percent, meaning a £20 offering becomes £25, at **NO** cost to you.*



TEXTS FOR THIS SUNDAY'S MASS

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Jeremiah 31:7-9 – I will guide them by a smooth path where they will not stumble

Psalms Response – *What marvels the Lord worked for us! Indeed we were glad*

Hebrews 5:1-6 – 'You are a priest of the order of Melchizedek, and for ever'

Mark 10:46-52 – Go, your faith has saved you

NEXT SUNDAY'S MASS

31st Sunday in Ordinary Time

Deuteronomy 6:2-6 – You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart

Psalms Response – *I love you, Lord, my strength*

Hebrews 7:23-28 – Christ, because he remains for ever, can never lose his priesthood

Mark 12:28-34 – 'You are not far from the kingdom of God'

PARISH GROUP MEETINGS

SYRO-MALABAR CHAPLAINCY MASS

Sunday 03rd November at 3pm

SINHALESE CHAPLAINCY MASS

Sunday 10th November at 4pm

GOAN CHAPLAINCY MASS

Sunday, 17TH November at 4pm

ST ANTHONY NOVENAS

Tuesday 7pm in the Church, followed by Rosary during the month of October.

NOVENA TO OUR LADY OF PERPETUAL HELP

Wednesday at 5pm

CHURCH CLEANING

Thursdays after 9am Mass. Thank you

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

Thursday at 5pm

DIVINE MERCY DEVOTION

First Friday of each month at 3pm

WEEKLY OFFERTORY COLLECTION

19th/20th Oct 2024

Loose: £4,039.95

Envelopes: £1,435.71

TOTAL: £5,475.66

Thank you very much for your generosity. May God continue to bless you as you support our parish

IN YOUR PRAYERS – REMEMBER

OUR SICK: Sybil Knox, Joaquim De Souza, Fr Derek McGuire, Jennita Aluan, Nizelle Soares, Peter Newton, Hubert Teles, Amy Burns, Steve, Sandra, Carson Javier Dabasia, Terry Lynch, Igor Sitarska and Don Lynch.

DECEASED: Michael Duncan Duff, Denzil Burns, Clara Nazareth, Rosita Teresa De Silva, Baby Angel Cardozo, Baby Perpetual Cardozo, Manuel Cardozo, Goldwyn Dias, Sean Feeney, Rosaria Castro, Remy Vaz, Marie Lynch, Baby Nyssa, Roque Antonio Wellington Vaz.

FIRST FRIDAYS EXPOSITION

The Blessed Sacrament will be exposed on every first Friday of the month for adoration and silent prayers after the morning Mass and end at 5pm.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (SVP) MEETINGS

Weekend: 2nd Saturday after the Foodbank at 12pm in the Parish Centre.

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.

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.