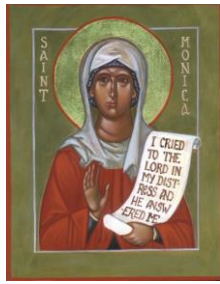


We are happy to welcome all to our Parish and to the celebration of today's Holy Mass. Please join our Parish groups and events! This newsletter can be taken home.



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Office Opening Times: Tuesday – Thursday 10am – 3pm

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Mass Intentions & Parish Newsletter w/c 13th January 2024

	Date	Mass Time	Intentions
Saturday (Vigil)	13 th	6.30pm	Andrew Keeshan - Anniv
Sunday 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	14 th	9:00am	People of the Parish
		11:00am	Maggie O' Connor - int
		6.30pm	Holy souls
Monday	15 th	9:30am	Sr Assumpta – int
Tuesday	16 th	9:30am	Fr Peter Dien – RIP
Wednesday	17 th	9:30am	Francis Xavie Xuan – RIP
Thursday	18 th	9:30am	Peter Dong – RIP
Friday	19 th	9:30am	All souls
Saturday (Vigil)	20 th	9:30am	Maria Lam – RIP
		6:30pm	Michael McCarthy – int
Sunday 3rd Sunday in Ordinary Time	21 st	9:00am	Nguyen Son's relative souls
		11:00am	Kellyanne Seery – RIP
		6:30pm	Maria On – RIP

Masses: Saturday 6.30pm (Vigil) Sunday 9.00am, 11.00am & 6.30pm

Morning Prayer: Mon to Fri 9.10am followed by Mass: Mon to Fri 9.30am; Sat: 11am

Holy Day Mass (Vigil 7pm), 9.30am, 7pm; Bank Holiday Mass 11am

EUCCHARISTIC ADORATION & CONFESSIONS

Saturdays 5.00pm – 6pm, and on request

If you are new to the parish, you may like to register by filling in a Parish Registration Form at the back of the church and return it to the Parish office.

PARISH NOTICES

Christmas Raffle winning numbers are: **11(blue edges)**, **189(Pink)**, **402(green edges)** and **466(light blue)**. Please contact the parish office to claim your hamper. A special thank you to those who organised the hampers and sold raffle tickets. Announcement of total money is next week.

Missionary Sisters of England and Wales – will visit our Parish next weekend for a mission appeal.

Infant Baptism - Parents wishing to have their children baptised should register in the parish office or email the office. Interviews are on Thursday 1st February at 6.30pm in the Parish office while the course is the following Thursday 8th February at 6.30pm in the church. Baptism course is required for all godparents and parents with children to be baptised. One parent must have been baptised.

Adult Bible study – is every Tuesday (English workshop) from 7pm-9pm, and Saturday (Spanish workshop) from 1pm-3pm in the Parish basement. Please share this with your family and friends.

Legion of Mary – meets every Sunday after the 9:00am Mass in the back room of the church. New members are welcome.



To donate — please scan the QR code. Giving by Standing Order, Bank: HSBC; A/c n^o: 71308947; Sort Code: 40- 05-20; A/c name: ST MONICAS-HOXTON PARISH with your surname as a reference. If you pay income tax,

pick gift aid form at the back of the church or in the office to complete and return. Thank you for your generosity

Your generosity enables us to pay the parish bills. Thank you

SACRAMENTS

Confirmation 2024 - All registered candidates and their parents are required to attend an interview on **Saturday 20th January at 9.30am**. Parents should come along with their children's Baptism and First Holy Communion certificates if the Baptism and First Holy Communion were in a different Parish. Confirmation Day is 7th July during the 11am Mass.

Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults (RCIA) –Wednesday 17th January (virtually) by 7pm. RCIA candidates will be Baptised and Confirmed during the Easter Vigil Ceremony. Please keep them and their Catechists in your prayers.

We pray for all those who have died recently and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Fr Peter Dien, Francis Xavie Xuan, Peter Dong, Maria Lam, Kellyanne Seery, and Maria On.

Please pray for all sick and housebound parishioners: Maggie O'Connor, Rose Monaghan, Bernadette Hoey, Peggy McDonagh, Carlo Marcelli, Mrs Bona, Bridget Menton, Wendy Parker, Christina Toyo, Suna Shanahan, Mary Teresa Martins, Alan Male, Samuel Oyebanjo, Iris Bridges, Barbara Boston, Sr Clare, Bridget Connolly, Bertha Eze, Aldrin De Leon, and Megan McConnell.

A day with Mary

*Our Lady of Lourdes & St Vincent de Paul, Harrow Road, W9 – Saturday 20 January 2024 from 10am and finishes at 4.15pm. More details on the notice board at the back of the church.

Colombia Prayer Group – meets every Thursday at 10am in the back room of the church. Prayer meeting is in Spanish.

MASS INTENTIONS

To book a Mass, use the Mass intention envelopes at the back of the church, email the parish office at hoxton@rcdow.org.uk, or phone 020 7739 5006.

-Please hand your Mass intention envelope(s) to a Priest, post in presbytery letterbox or Sunday collection bag.

-If your preferred Mass date and time for your intention is not available, another Mass date and time will be suggested.

Job Adverts

Job Title	Department Name	Closing Date
Westminster Youth Ministry Outreach Manager	SPEC	15/01/2024
Parish Cleaner/Housekeeper	Garston	15/01/2024
Parish Administrator	Kensal New Town	30/01/2024
Catechetical Coordinator	Shepherd's Bush	31/01/2024
Relief Receptionist	Vaughan House Reception	01/02/2024
Cathedral Estate Works Manager	Cathedral Complex	01/02/2024
Parish Support Partner (Mat Cover)	PST	01/02/2024

For further details, please visit <https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk/>