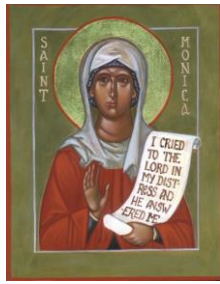




We are happy to welcome all to our Parish and to the celebration of today's Holy Mass. Please join our Parish groups and events! This newsletter can be taken home.



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

5TH SUNDAY OF LENT, YEAR B

Mass Intentions & Parish Newsletter w/c 16th March 2024

	Date	Mass Time	Intentions
Saturday (Vigil)	16 th	6.30pm	Angela Bergonzi – int
Sunday 5th Sunday of LENT	17 th	9:00am	Kevin Fitzpatrick – RIP
		11:00am	People of the Parish
		6.30pm	Bozena Beresova – Healing
Monday	18 th	9:30am	Maria Chuc – RIP
Tuesday St Joseph	19 th	9:30am	Patrick Malone – Anniv
Wednesday	20 th	9:30am	Keegan Archibald – RIP
Thursday	21 st	9:30am	Nelvia Lise Sa Pinto – Birthday
Friday	22 nd	9:30am	Holy souls
		7.15pm	Joseph Touré- RIP
Saturday	23 rd	11:00am	Parish women's group – int
	Vigil	6:30pm	Eileen Henry – Anniv
Sunday Palm Sunday	24 th	9:00am	Lola Inès Raïssa Agondogo – Birthday
		11:00am	People of the Parish
		6:30pm	Noella Amonchi – Thanksgiving

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

Stations of the Cross during LENT – every Friday at 6.30pm followed with Holy Mass by 7.15pm. Next week Friday March 22, the Eucharistic ministers and Readers will lead.

Bishop Nicholas Hudson – will preside at the Lord's Supper (Holy Thursday) 28th March at 8pm in our parish.

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

Legion of Mary – meets every Sunday in the basement of the Priory from 10.15am – 11.45am. New members are welcome.

Knights of St Columba – is a men's group that meets every first Thursday of the month in the church at 8pm. This meeting is for prayer, faith sharing and Social Actions based on Catholic social teaching.

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

Lenten reflections with the Augustinians Friars of England & Wales - Please make use of this opportunity by visiting our YouTube channel here:
<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCdpKM-XniM1bqcsdLu4uU3g>

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.

A day with Mary

***Our lady of Fatima, Commonwealth Avenue, White City – Saturday 23rd March 2024**

***St Mary Magdalen, Athenaeum Road, Whetstone – Saturday 6th April 2024**

***Pilgrimage to Fatima: Friday 7th - Friday 14th June 2024**

***Pilgrimage to Italy: Wednesday 4th Sept – Thursday 12th Sept 2024.** For further information *e-mail*: adwmary.uk@gmail.com or call: +(0)20 – 8641 6418. More details on the notice board at the back of the church.

Divine Mercy Retreat - led by the Marian Fathers Saturday 13 April 2024 from 1 pm to 4:30 pm at St Mary's R C Church, 157 Aldershot Road, Guildford GU2

Happy Feast of St Patrick to all parishioners, friends, and visitors to our parish.



We pray for all those who have died recently and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Kevin Fitzpatrick, Maria Chuc, Patrick Malone, Keegan Archibald, Joseph Touré and Eileen Henry.

Please pray for all sick and housebound parishioners: Samuel Toroko, 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, Sister Clare, Bridget Connolly, Bertha Eze, Aldrin De Leon, Megan McConnell, and Laura Cridland.

Holy Week Ceremonies & Easter 2024

Monday of the Holy Week (25 March): Morning Mass -9.30am

Tuesday of the Holy Week (26 March): Morning Mass -9.30am
Chrism Mass (Westminster Cathedral) – 12noon

Wednesday of the Holy Week (27 March): Morning Mass- 9.30am

Holy Thursday (28 March) Lord's Supper – 8pm

Good Friday (29 March) Passion of the Lord – 3pm
Stations of the Cross – 7pm

Holy Saturday (30 March) Easter Vigil – 8pm

Easter Sunday of the Resurrection (31 March)

Masses: 9am & 11am

Morning Masses: Easter Monday – Saturday (April 1st-6th)

Church door opens at 10.45am

Mass: 11am

Normal Mass Times resume on Saturday (6th April) with the Vigil at 6.30pm, preceded by Adoration & Confession at 5pm