***St Monica RC Church***

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Under the care of the Augustinians, Archdiocese of Westminster

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|  **Parish Priest:** Fr Gabriel Hassan OSA; **Prior:** Fr Anthony Zabbey OSA **Bursar:** Fr Gladson Dabre OSA**Parish Administrator**: Michelle Tchimou; **Parish Safeguarding Rep**: Kim Arneaud-Oliver |

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

**4TH SUNDAY OF EASTER, YEAR B**

**Mass Intentions & Parish Newsletter** w**/c 20th April 2024**

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|  |  **Date** | **Mass Time** |  **Intentions** |
| Saturday (Vigil) |  20th  | 6.30pm  | Henry & Annie Hall – Anniv |
| Sunday**4th Sunday of Easter** |   21st  | 9:00am | Maria Nhan – RIP |
| 11:00am | People of the Parish |
| 6.30pm | Rizalina Tiu Abad – Anniv |
| Monday  |  22nd  | 9.30am | Rizalina Tiu Abad – Anniv |
| Tuesday**St George** | 23rd  | 9.30am | Maria Nhan – RIP  |
| Wednesday | 24th  | 9.30am | Holy Souls  |
| Thursday |  25th  | 9.30am | Rizalina Tiu Abad – Anniv |
| Friday  |  26th  | 9.30am | Maria Nhan – RIP |
| Saturday  | 27th  | 11.00am | Holy Souls |
| 6.30pm(Vigil) | Thomas Phuoc – RIP  |
| Sunday **5th Sunday of Easter** |  28th  | 9:00am | Francis Xavier Nghiem – Anniv  |
| 11:00am | People of the Parish |
| 6.30pm | Rizalina Tiu Abad – Anniv |

**PARISH NOTICES**

**Priest Training Fund –** Today is Good Shepherd Sunday and our second collection will support the Priest Training Fund. This fund pays for the priestly formation of men for the Catholic priesthood. There are currently **49** men studying at Allen Hall seminary, **13** of whom are from our own Diocese. Please also pray for vocations and for all our priests. Donation envelopes are still available at the back of the church. You can also use the QR code to make your donation online or visit www.rcdow.org.uk/donations. Thank you for your generosity.

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| **Sunday offertory Envelopes** – You can collect your box at the back of the church or in the parish office. Please consider making your Sunday offering using Direct Debit. For more information, speak to Fr Gabriel or call the parish office on 0207 739 5006 (Tuesday –Thursday 10am - 3pm). |

**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.

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| **Rosary & Divine Mercy prayers** - You are welcome to join the parish community in praying the rosary & Divine Mercy prayer, Monday to Friday after the morning Mass at 10am. |

 **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.

**To donate — please scan the QR code.** Giving by Standing Order, Bank: HSBC; A/c no: 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

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| **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. |

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

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| **Parish women’s group** meets every first Saturday in the church after the 11am Mass. For further information, please contact: 07440031519. Next meeting is Saturday 4th May 2024 |

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| **Infant** **Baptism -** Parents wishing to have their children baptised should register in the parish office or email the office. Interviews are on Thursday 2nd May at 6.30pm in the Parish office while the course is the following Thursday 9th May 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.  |

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| **Clare Priory Pilgrimage 2024** – Sunday 12th May. Those wishing to go, please register your interest with Marilene (07715431021) by Wednesday, 1st May with your coach fees £25 (Adult) and £15 (children). This is an annual pilgrimage organised by the Augustinians. There will be rosary procession, Confession, and Holy Mass. Come along with your Lunch! |

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| **We pray for all those who have died recently** and **for those whose anniversaries occur at this time:**  Henry & Annie Hall, Maria Nhan, and Rizalina Tiu Abad.**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, Sister Clare, Bridget Connolly, Bertha Eze, Aldrin De Leon, Megan McConnell, Laura Cridland, and Marino Mora. |

**Job Adverts**

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| **Job Title** | **Department Name** | **Closing date** |
| ICT Administrator | RCAoS and RCDoW | 23/04/2024 |
| Reception and Admin Assistant | SJPC | 23/04/2024 |
| Apprentice HR Administrator | Human Resources | 24/04/2024 |
| Open House Cook | Soho Square | 25/04/2024 |
| Bass Lay Clerk | Cathedral Music | 29/04/2024 |
| Parish Secretary | Harrow-on-the-Hill | 30/04/2024 |
| Catechetical Coordinator | Kilburn | 01/05/2024 |
| Head of Community Development | Caritas | 02/05/2024 |
| Payroll Manager | Human Resources | 03/05/2024 |
| Outreach Worker | SPEC | 07/05/2024 |

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