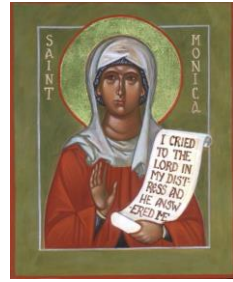




We are happy to welcome all to our Parish and to the celebration of today's Holy Mass. Please join our Parish groups and events! This newsletter can be taken home.



St Monica RC Church

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

6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER, YEAR B

Mass Intentions & Parish Newsletter w/c 4th May 2024

	Date	Mass Time	Intentions
Saturday (Vigil)	4 th	6.30pm	Holy Souls
Sunday 6 th Sunday of Easter	5 th	9:00am	Francesca Bergonzi – Anniv
		11:00am	People of the Parish
		6.30pm	Peter Luc – RIP
Monday	6 th	9.30am	Philomena Curtin – int
Tuesday	7 th	9.30am	Elizabeth Rjoh – int
Wednesday	8 th	9.30am	Bunmi Adeyemi – int
Thursday Ascension of the Lord	9 th	9.30am	Anna Than – RIP
Friday	10 th	9.30am	Ann- Marie Ademidun – Birthday
Saturday	11 th	11.00am	Holy Souls
		6.30pm(Vigil)	Thomas Thuy – RIP
Sunday 7 th Sunday of Easter	12 th	9:00am	Maria Nhan – RIP
		11:00am	People of the Parish
		6.30pm	Cuervo Tinoco Family – 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

Ascension of the Lord – Thursday 9th May. Holy Mass at 9.30am.

Baptism course – is 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.

Cake Sale –The Parish women's group has organised a cake sale to raise funds for the church flooring project. Please support this project by buying cakes for yourself, your family and friends. The cake sale is every Sunday in the month of May after the 9am and 11am Masses.

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).

The Ghanaian Association meets today Sunday, 5th May, after the 11am Mass. For more info: 07904006800

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.

Annual Mass of Thanksgiving for the Sacrament of Matrimony- Saturday 25th May 2024 at 2:30pm in Westminster Cathedral. Please register in the parish office if you are celebrating **5th 10th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th and 60th (and every year over 60)** wedding anniversary of Catholic marriage in 2024.

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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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.

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.

*The month of May is dedicated to the Blessed Virgin Mary. Please remember to pray the Rosary as a family and with your friends.

Happy birthday to those who celebrate this month of May. Wishing you God's blessings of good health, joy and peace. Amen.

Dates for Healing Mass – Fridays 31st May, 28th June, and 26th July 2024 at 7pm. Invite your friends and family to experience the love and grace of God!

Dates for Praise & Worship Nights – Saturdays 11th May, 25th May, 8th June, 22nd June, 13th July, and 20th July after the evening Mass. All are invited!

We pray for all those who have died recently and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time: Minet Masho, Francesca Bergonzi, Peter Luc, Anna Than, and Bridget O'Malley.

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

Job Title	Department Name	Closing date
Outreach Worker	SPEC	07/05/2024
Relief Support Worker	Bakhita House	07/05/2024
Trusts Fundraising Officer	Fundraising	10/05/2024

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