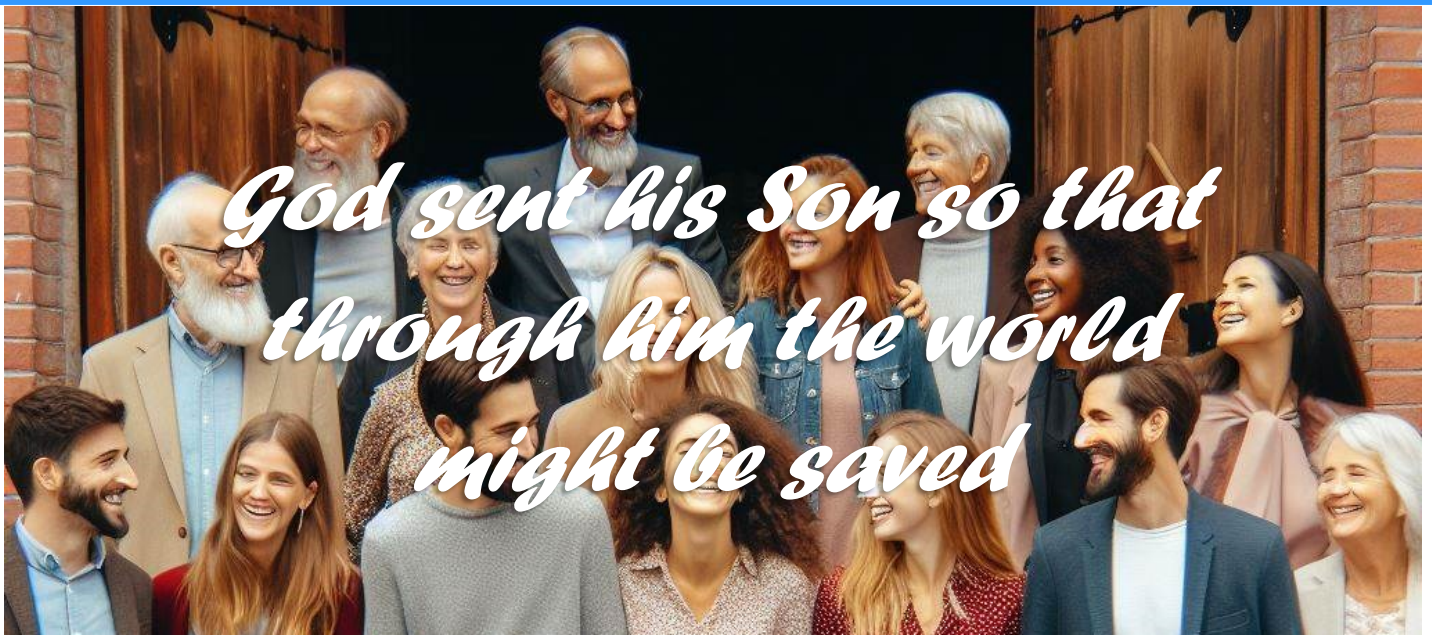


# OUR LADY OF THE HOLY SOULS

## Kensal New Town



FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT – 10TH MARCH 2024



### MASSES & SERVICES

**Sunday 10**  
Sat 6.00 pm Vigil

9.00 am  
11.00 am

**Monday 11**  
No Mass

**Tuesday 12**  
9.30 am

**Wednesday 13**  
9.30 am

**Fourth Sunday of Lent**  
Brigit Brown (INT)

Kre Kouame Bruno (RIP ANV)  
People of the Parish

**Lent Feria**

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THERESA MCSORLEY (RIP ANV)

**Lent Feria**  
Ellen Quinn (RIP ANV)

**Thursday 14**  
9.30 am

**Friday 15**  
9.30 am  
7:00 pm

**Saturday 16**  
6.00 pm Vigil

**Sunday 17**  
9.00 am  
11.00 am

**Lent Feria**  
Bernadette Noon (RIP)

**Lent Feria**  
John Power (INT)  
Stations of the Cross

**Fifth Sunday of Lent**  
Maria Anna Hodgson (RIP)

**Fifth Sunday of Lent**  
The Sick & Housebound  
People of the Parish

*To book a Mass or Lamp Intention, please contact the Parish Office*

The Blessed Sacrament Lamp: For all our Parish Volunteers  
The Lamp by the Shrine of Our Lady: People of the Parish  
The Lamp by the Sacred Heart: The Sick & Housebound

Please pray for the sick.

Please pray for all those who have recently died: Terrie O'Donoghue, Baby Hope McIlvenna Brothers



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### **STATIONS OF THE CROSS**

Will be **every Friday** during Lent **7pm** in the church.

### **FOOT WASHING (HOLY THURSDAY)**

We need **4 men, 4 women, 2 girls, and 2 boys**, to have their feet washed on Holy Thursday 28th March. Please, sign up on the noticeboard if you are able and willing.

### **FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY 7TH April 2024**

The Feast of Divine Mercy Sunday will be celebrated in this Church on the **2nd Sunday after Easter (7th April) from 2.30pm with refreshments at 5pm**. We plan to start Divine Mercy meetings **every 2nd Sunday of the month from 2.30 to 4pm**. At the special gatherings, we shall discuss mystery of Divine Mercy, its message and how to bring the experience to the Church. Jesus said to Sr. Faustina " My mercy works in all those hearts which open their doors to it". (Diary of Saint Faustina 1577). Contact Celine Green for more information.

### **FILIPINO MASS**

Filipino Mass will be held at 4pm every 2nd Sunday of the month. The next one will be at **4pm on 10th March**.

### **CARDINAL'S LENTEN APPEAL 2024**

If you can, please show your support for the Cardinal's Lenten Appeal. All funds raised go towards projects across our Diocese. Funds are used to support the work of Caritas Westminster, who work for and with some of the most vulnerable people in our Diocese. For more information please visit <https://rcdow.org.uk/donations/cardinals-appeal/>. You can use the QR code on the notice board to make your donation.

### **CHURCH MINISTRY & TEAMS GATHERING - DATE FOR YOUR DIARY**

We will have a Church Ministry & Teams Gathering for all adults who serve in any type of parish ministry and teams, eg, members of the finance committee, all Mass readers, Eucharistic ministers, Hospitality team (teas & coffees), alpha team, youth group leaders, 1st Holy Communion leaders, choirs, etc. The date will be **24th March 4-6:30 pm** (Palm Sunday), in the church hall. Please sign up on the notice board in church, or confirm your attendance with Kaiser, [kensalnewtown@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:kensalnewtown@rcdow.org.uk) or call 0203376 4133.

### **Video and photography**

From Palm Sunday onwards, video and/or photography may be used at the 11 am Masses. If you would not like to be in videos or photos for parish social media purposes, please, speak with Maria Estrella at Mass.

### **ALPHA – STAY CURIOUS!**

The 2nd season of alpha will begin on **Thursday 18th April 2024, 7-8:45 pm**, in the church hall. Alpha is an 11 week series where **everyone can explore the big questions of life, faith, and meaning**, in a really informal and relaxed way. It involves food and drink, video input on the Christian faith, and open discussion – you can say anything you want... seriously! Alpha is for anyone, **from argumentative atheists to life-long Catholics, and everyone in between**. Please register your interest by filling the registration form at the back of the church.

### **ST PATRICKS CELEBRATION—DATE FOR YOUR DIARY**

We plan to celebrate a little earlier this year. We would like to invite anyone who is available and can join us in the hall **after 9.30am mass on Friday 15th March**. We will have nice little Irish Treats to taste , tea and coffee and some Baileys and maybe a song or two! Please come and enjoy the fun!

### **HOW TO STOP ABORTION UP TO BIRTH**

Diana Johnson MP has tabled an amendment (New Clause 1) to the Government's Criminal Justice Bill. This amendment means that a woman who **induced her abortion at home using pills** (or any other method) at any stage of pregnancy, **including just before natural birth**, would **commit no legal offence**. Please contact your MP urgently by using SPUC's webtool: <https://www.spuc.org.uk/abortionamendments> . Please pray for the defeat of this amendment, for protection of unborn babies, and help comfort mothers in need.

### **TEA & COFFEE**

There will be a **bonus tea and coffee morning** after the 11 am Mass this Sunday 10th March (for **Mother's Day**). All are invited!

### **ALTAR SERVERS**

Please, sign up on the noticeboard if you are able to altar serve at the Easter Triduum (Holy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Easter Vigil), and training.

### **CATHOLIC ETHOS SCHOOLS OPEN MORNING**

The Laurels School, for girls aged 11 to 18, is holding an Open Morning on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> March. Details are on the school website, [www.thelaurelsschool.org.uk](http://www.thelaurelsschool.org.uk)  
Oakwood School, for children aged 4 to 11, is holding an Open Morning on Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March. Details are on the school website, [www.oakwoodschool.org.uk](http://www.oakwoodschool.org.uk)  
Both schools have a Catholic ethos and are situated in Crystal Palace, with transport available from many areas.

**JOB VACANCIES WITHIN THE DIOCESE:** For more details, go to: <https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk>.

**GIFT AID:** If you are a UK tax payer and wish to Gift Aid your donations, please contact the office or visit the parish website.

**ITEMS FOR THE NEWSLETTER:** Please make sure that any items you wish to be included in the weekly Newsletter are with the Parish Office by 10.30am on Fridays

**SACRAMENT OF PENANCE/ CONFESSIONS,** Saturday 5.15pm—5.45pm or by appointment (call 020 3376 4133)

**BAPTISMS** By appointment. Please see the website for more information, or speak to the Parish Priest. Adults wishing to enquire about the Catholic Faith should speak to the Parish Priest. (For some local Catholic Secondary schools, it is a requirement that your child is baptised within 6 months of birth.)

**WEDDINGS** For those couples wishing to get married here or elsewhere, it is important that you notify Fr Damian at least 6 months before your wedding date.

**ANOINTING OF THE SICK** – On request. If you are admitted to Hospital, please indicate that your details are to be passed to the R.C. Chaplain and that you would like the R.C. Chaplain to visit. If any one is in danger of death please call Fr Damian on 020 3376 4133.