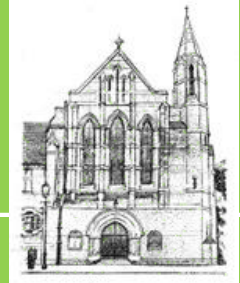


# OUR LADY OF THE HOLY SOULS

## Kensal New Town



23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME – 8TH SEP 2024

*"Seek first to understand, then be understood."*



### MASSES & SERVICES

<b>Saturday 7</b> 6 pm Vigil	<b>23RD SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b> Sr Angela & Sr Margarita (INT)	<b>Thursday 12</b> 9:30 am	<b>Feria</b> Margaret and Paddy Barry (INT)
<b>Sunday 8</b> 9.00 am 11.00 am 4:00 pm	People of the Parish International Nurses and families (INT) Filipino Mass	<b>Friday 13</b> 9:30 am	<b>Saint John Chrysostom</b> Elizabeth Neckles (RIP)
<b>Monday 9</b> No Mass	<b>Feria</b>	<b>Saturday 14</b>	<b>+ THE EXALTATION OF THE HOLY CROSS</b>
<b>Tuesday 10</b> 9:30 am	<b>Feria</b> Mary Marley (ANV)	<b>6 pm Vigil</b> <b>Sunday 15</b> 9.00 am 11.00 am	<b>24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME</b> Olive O'Connor (ANV)  People of the Parish Maisie Carroll (94 B'Day)
<b>Wednesday 11</b> 9:30 am	<b>Feria (With School Years 1 to 6)</b> Mary O'Donoghue (INT)		

**ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT** Every Saturday 5-6 pm in the church before Mass and during Confessions

**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 4134.



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

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

Please pray for the sick: Margaret McGonagle  
Please pray for all those who have recently died: Austin Walsh, Daniel Neylon, Jimmy Ross



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Parish Office Hours: Tue-Fri 10:00—12:30

Website: [parish.rcdow.org.uk/kensalnewtown/](http://parish.rcdow.org.uk/kensalnewtown/)

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### **FILIPINO MASS**

Filipino Mass will be held at 4pm every 2nd Sunday of the month. The next one will be at **4:00pm on 8th September**.

### **SUNDAY COFFEE MORNING**

The Coffee Morning for September will take place on **8th September after the 9 am and 11 am Masses**. Donation collected during Coffee Morning will be used to cover the cost.

### **ALPHA**

We are starting our 4th season of **alpha**! Alpha is an 11 week series where everyone (from argumentative atheists to committed baptised Catholics) can get curious about the **big questions of life, faith, and meaning**, in a relaxed and informal way, with food and drink, input, and open discussion (you can say anything you want!). Our next season will start on **Sunday 22nd September 2024 6-8 pm to Sunday 1st December** in the church hall. Please, register by completing one of the alpha registration leaflet at the back of church and return them into the alpha box or office. One of the alpha team will confirm your place by calling you on the week beginning **9th September**. Places are very limited, so register now to avoid disappointment!

### **YOUTH GROUP**

Our next season of **Alpha Youth** will begin in the coming weeks! If you are aged between 11-18 (secondary school age), even if you have done it before, think about coming and invite friends for food and drink, games, video, open discussions about life, faith, and meaning. More information on dates and times, and registration to follow.

### **CONFIRMATION**

If you are aged 11-18, committed to a personal discipleship with Jesus, in his church, in our parish youth discipleship process, and are interested in receiving the sacrament of Confirmation, you are welcome to the youth discipleship discernment session on **Friday 18th October 2024 7-9 pm** in the parish hall. Please, see the parish website for further information:

<https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/kensalnewtown/sacramental-prep/confirmation/>

### **NEW 11 AM MUSIC GROUP**

We are excited to welcome **Jo Grennan** as our new professional contemporary worship music leader at the **11 am Mass from Sunday September 8th**. The aim is to help people encounter Jesus through music in the Mass. For more information about getting involved in joining a music group, please, speak with her. Please, also see the following for a list of potential music:

<https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/kensalnewtown/news/contemporaryworshipsongs/>

### **11 AM MASSES LITURGY TECH VOLUNTEERS**

We **NEED** a team of **tech and liturgically savvy** people to operate a laptop to project words, and play music. Please, contact **Dennis Estrella** [starlibra03@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:starlibra03@yahoo.co.uk) for more information and training.

### **9 AM MUSIC GROUP**

If you are interested in joining in the **9 am choir** with the **Missionaries of Charity** and **Alena** on the piano, please, speak to one of the team for more information.

### **PRAYER AND LIFE WORKSHOPS (PLW)**

Do you know how to read and meditate the Bible? Would you like to know God in an intimate way? Have you ever wondered about the plans that God has for your life? Come to a 'taster session' of the Prayer and Life Workshops on **Monday 9th September 7-9:30 pm at Our Lady of Lourdes and St. Vincent de Paul Church, Harrow Road**. For more information contact: Vicky 07939 575920 or Lucy 07505 936266. All are welcome.

### **WORLDWIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER**

For the past 50 years Worldwide Marriage Encounter has been offering marriage enrichment retreats all around the world. Focused on **couples who want to enrich their relationship and gain a deeper understanding of the Sacrament of Marriage**, the retreat offers a unique experience. It's a chance to explore your relationship at a deeper, more intimate level, regardless of how long you have been together. Thousands of couples in the UK have benefited from a Marriage Encounter weekend retreat, the next non-residential retreat is from **21-22 September 2024** at Church of the Annunciation, Burnt Oak, London, HA8 0HQ. Why not find out more at [wwme.org.uk](http://wwme.org.uk)

### **FAITH APPS**

- **Bible in one year** (superb Christian Biblical commentary that goes through the whole bible in a year)
- **Hallow** (Excellent prayers, rosary, bible, and reflections)
- **Amen** (Good for Bible and prayers)
- **Universalis** (Great for Mass readings and prayers)

### **PARISH FACEBOOK AND YOUTUBE PAGE**

Please, go to: <https://www.facebook.com/KensalNewTown/> and <https://www.youtube.com/@OLHSKNT>. Make sure you 'Like', 'Subscribe', and 'Comment'.

### **FR DAMIAN'S HOMILIES:**

If you would like to re-read Fr Damian's homilies at Mass, visit: <https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/kensalnewtown/fr-damian-homilies/>

### **JOBS IN THE DIOCESE**

Please visit <https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk/> for list of jobs.

**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

**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.