THE CHURCH of the HOLY APOSTLES
On Winchester Street,
Postal Address: 47 Cumberland St, Pimlico,
London SW1V 4LY
Website parish.rcdow.org.uk/pimlico/



1st November 2026 – All Saints -Year-A

TIMES OF MASSES

Weekday Masses

Monday-Friday 9:30am

Sunday Masses

Saturday 6:00pm Vigil Mass of Sunday

Sunday 9.00 am
10.30am Family Mass
12.30pm in Spanish

Confessions

Saturday 5pm to 5.30pm

Or by arrangement

***Morning* Prayer (Lauds)**

Monday—Friday 9:15am

Sunday-8.30am

Adoration & Benediction

Wednesday after 9.30am Mass

Registered Charity No 233699

Parish Priest
Canon Chris Vipers
0207 834 6965-Extension 3
Emergency: 07961 803 107
chrisvipers@rcdow.org.uk

Parish Sisters
Daughters of Charity
Care of Parish 0207 834 6965

Parish Secretary
Sarah Harcher
0207 834 6965 -Extension 2
Mon to Weds 10am to 2pm
Thurs-Fri 10am to12noon
pimlico@rcdow.org.uk

Parish Safeguarding Reps (PSR)
Lelia Boohan
pimlicosg1@safeguardrcdow.org.uk

Cynthia Francis
pimlicosg2@safeguardrcdow.org.uk

Hall Manager
Mr Jan Bidaud
0207 834 6965 Extension 4
Mobile: 07717 566605
janbidaud@rcdow.org.uk

Parish Primary School
St Vincent De Paul , Morpeth Terrace, SW1P 1EP
School Head Teacher
Mr N Scott-Cree 0203 351 5990

Liturgy & Mass Intentions

Sat 31st October	6pm (Vigil)	Tony Dervan (RIP)
Sun 1st November + ALL SAINTS	9am 10.30am	Parish & Ian Ford Batey (RIP) Maria Singh (Intentions)
Mon 2nd November ALL SOULS	10am 7pm	Holy Souls Holy Souls
Tue 3rd November Feria	9.30am	Holy Souls
Weds 4th November St Charles Borromeo	9.30am	Roberto Reinerio & Franca Bertone (RIP)
Thurs 5th November Feria	9.30am	Holy Souls
Fri 6th November Feria	9.30am	Holy Souls
Sat 7th November	6pm (Vigil)	Eileen Long (RIP)

A prayer for the Month of the Holy Souls:

We seem to give them back to Thee, O God who gavest them to us.

Yet as Thou didst not lose them in giving, so do we not lose them by their return.

Not as the world giveth, givest Thou O lover of Souls.

What Thou givest Thou takest not away, for what is Thine is ours if we are Thine.

And life is eternal and love is immortal,

and death is only an horizon, an horizon is nothing save the limit of our sight.

Lift is up, strong Son of God, that we may see further;

Cleanse our eyes that we may see more clearly;

Draw us closer to Thyself that we may know ourselves to be

nearer to our loved ones who are with Thee.

And while Thou dost prepare a place for us, prepare us also for that place,

that where Thou art we may be also for evermore. Amen.

(Prayer found written in Father Bede Jarrett's Prayer Book)
Rev Canon Chris Vipers

Announcements

THE SANCTUARY AREA is continuously monitored via 24/7 livestream, please be aware if you are present in this area, your image and actions may be captured on the livestream.

FINANCE: The standing orders including GYE & one off donations for September was £5534 The loose plate for September came to £1517.51 & Contactless £565.50 The Offertory envelopes for September came to £283.98. Thank you all very much indeed. If you wish to make a payment direct to our Bank Account these are the details: **WRCDT Pimlico** Sort code 40-05-20 A/C no: 81308416 Address: HSBC 69 Pall Mall, London SW1Y 5EY, REF: Collection/Your surname…. **Or use our contactless card machines.**

THE BEST WAY TO SUPPORT THE PARISH IS BY STANDING ORDER, you can download a standing order form from our website –just click the "Donate" button at the top of the screen, or Sarah at the parish office can give you a form.

————————————————————————————

PLEASE PRAY FOR: Graham (Frank) Kelly age 79 of Abbots Manor whose funeral will be at 10am on Thursday 26th November, and **Maureen Cahalane** funeral details later. May they rest in peace.

SANCTUARY CANDLE-INTENTION THIS WEEK IS for: Mary Thompson (RIP)

REPOSITORY; is open this weekend and each weekend up to Christmas. They have a good supply of Christmas cards & gifts, please support them.

MONDAY 2ND NOVEMBER-THE FEAST OF ALL SOULS: As we know many of you like to remember your departed love ones on this day we will be having two Mass 10am & 7pm on Monday.

CONFIRMATION FOR TEENAGERS AT LEAST 14 YEARS OF AGE IN SCHOOL YEAR 9 OR OLDER: Applications forms for the Confirmation Programme are now available in the porch or on our website with a closing date of Sunday the 4th January 2027

PLANNING FOR OUR 70TH BIRTHDAY, 2027: Any parishioners who would like to be part of a Working Group for our 70th Birthday celebrations next year, please contact the Parish Office or Fr Chris direct to express your interest. We need your ideas and your energy to make next year a really significant milestone in our life as Holy Apostles Parish. Fr Chris is hoping to hold the first meeting of the Working Group soon (date to be decided), so please make contact soon.

MASS TO REMEMBER THOSE IN THE PARISH WHO HAVE DIED OVER THE PAST 12MONTHS: This Mass will be held on Thursday 19th November at 7pm, followed by refreshments in the hall. There will be an opportunity for you to come forward and light a candle as the person's name is read out. **If you are going to be at the Mass** and you have a friend or relative who has died in the **PAST 12 MONTHS** please telephone or email Sarah on 0207 834 6965 Ext 2. Email pimlico@rcdow.org.uk

A DAY WITH MARY IS TAKING PLACE AT WESTMINSTER CATHEDRAL ON SATURDAY 7 NOVEMBER 2026 (9.45am to 5.00pm). The Most Reverend Richard Moth, Archbishop of Westminster will be the Celebrant & Preacher at 10.30am Cathedral Mass on that day. Further information is available at https://www.adaywithmary.org/

SPONSOR BLESSED SACRAMENT LIGHT at the tabernacle in memory of a loved one: This light burns day and night and is a candle within the red holder to remind people of Christ's presence in the tabernacle. We invite people to sponsor it for a week in memory of a loved one living or dead and we will place their NAME flat on the back altar beside the light. People are invited to make a minimum donation of £10 for this, if they can afford it. (This can be Gift Aided). Contact Sarah to arrange a particular week.

MAGNIFICA HUMANITAS: The Friends of Westminster Cathedral are inviting everyone on Wednesday 4 November at 6.30pm to Westminster Cathedral Hall, for a talk by Fr Hugh MacKenzie on *Magnifica Humanitas.* The talk will explore Pope Leo's reflections on the distinction between human and artificial intelligence, and what the rapid development of AI means for our understanding of humanity, morality and faith. As AI increasingly shapes our studies, working lives and relationships, this promises to be a fascinating and timely discussion. Drawing on Pope Leo's teaching, Fr Hugh will consider what makes human intelligence unique, why our God-given dignity cannot be reduced to data and algorithms, and the dangers of allowing technology to take the place of human judgement, authentic relationships or spiritual fulfilment. For further details and tickets visit https://westminstercathedral.org.uk/news-events/

BIBLICAL GARDEN: As many of you know, one of our Parishioners, James, is leading a wonderful project to transform the back wall of our sunken parish garden. The main construction and planting week is fast approaching, running from Monday the 2nd to Friday the 6th of November. He is looking for parishioners to volunteer a few hours of their time that week to help with gardening, planting our new biblical flowers, or general labour. If you can spare some time, please let the Parish Office know. Thank you for your continued generosity and support

ACTION PRAYER *is love in action* : Our readings this weekend include passages from Revelations and the Sermon on the Mount: The Beatitudes. Revelations is often thought of as referencing a crucial period in history; some say "end times". Today, world events are certainly at a grave point. It's easy to lose track of all the tragedies, serious conflicts and wars at the moment--if for no other reason than that of feeling helpless... In the gospel, Jesus gives us the answer of how to get back on track. Our **Action Prayer** is to read and reread the Gospel. From the Beatitudes we can gain courage, faith, hope and direction. Belief that our prayers and actions will combine with and support the community *'of people from every nation, race, tribe and language;'* across earth. Love does make a difference.