



# Church of the Most Sacred Heart

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## Normal Mass Times:

### Saturday

Vigil Mass: 18.00

### Sunday

8.30, 10.00, 11.30, 18.00

### Monday – Saturday

10.00 and as announced

### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament:

Mon - Fri: 10.30 – 11.00am

Sat: 10.30 – 12.00noon

### Saturday

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

10.30-11.30, 17.15 – 17.30

### Collections

Envelopes £ 1374.69

Loose £ 960.99

**Total £ 2335.68**

### Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

This week our suggested intention to focus is the Catechumens of the Parish.

### Children's Liturgy

These sessions are for children in Reception (age 4-5) to Year 6. The next dates are: **12<sup>th</sup> & 19<sup>th</sup> February.**

### Jubilee Trust Update

Save the date-The Jubilee Trust will be holding a bingo evening on **Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> April**- You would be a fool to miss it!!

Many thanks to all those who have joined the lottery for this new lottery year. The list of members is displayed on our board by the enquiries desk in the Church foyer. Late subscribers are still very welcome.

Parish Priest: **Fr. Duncan M. Adamson**

Assistant Priests: **Fr. Sebastian Joseph**

Deacon: **Rev. Joseph Okoro**

Parish Administrator: **Anne O'Connor**

Catechetical Co-ordinator: **Sandra Mace**

Pastoral Youth Worker: **Siobhan Denny**

Parish Office Hours: **Monday-Friday 9.00am-1.00pm**

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

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## 6<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Fr. Duncan writes:** Over the past two Saturday evenings, we have celebrated the Confirmation Enrolment Masses. We heard our young people make their commitment to study, as they prepare to receive this important sacrament. Our First Holy Communion children are working hard as they prepare to receive Jesus for the first time in the great Sacrament of the Eucharist. Please keep these children and young people, their families and catechists in your prayers. It is through our prayer and example we help them as they get ready to receive these Sacraments.

### Ruislip Deanery Meeting

On Tuesday this week we welcome to Ruislip the priests of the Deanery for our monthly meeting.

### The Women's World Day of Prayer

The Women's International World Day of Prayer will take place this year on **Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> March** at The Methodist Church, Ickenham Road, Ruislip, beginning at **2pm**. It has been prepared by the Christian women of The Philippines. Refreshments will be offered after the service. Everyone is most welcome.

### Bereavement Mass

As part of the season of prayer and action 'Called to Serve the Sick', Bishop Paul McAleenan will celebrate a Mass for bereaved parents at Westminster Cathedral on **Saturday, 11<sup>th</sup> March at 2.30pm**. During Mass, after the homily, parents will be invited to write the name of their deceased child on a card and the cards will be taken along with the offertory to the sanctuary. It's a time to remember, to pray, to give thanks, and to entrust deceased children to the Lord. All are welcome to attend.

### Faithcafé Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> Feb 2017

4-session on Beloved Disciples- Session-3 "Thy will be done" by David Wells and David Payne. Pope Francis has been reminding us all that 'older people are a treasure'. This profound and enjoyable course will help many to feel new value and serve with fresh confidence.

Tea and Coffee from **7.30pm** and start at **7.45pm to 9.30pm**.

### Cardinal's Mass of Thanksgiving for the Sacrament of Matrimony

**Westminster Cathedral, Saturday 3rd June 2017 at 3pm**

The Archbishop will be inviting to this Mass all couples in the Diocese who are celebrating their **10th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th and 60th (and every year over 60)** wedding anniversary of Catholic marriage in 2017. If you are celebrating an anniversary and would like an invitation, please give Fr. Duncan the following details: husband and wife's names, wedding date, full postal address and email (or telephone number, if no email) by the **24<sup>th</sup> March** or email the parish office all your details on [anneoconnor@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:anneoconnor@rcdow.org.uk)

### Jubilee Social Club

The Social Day Club for our older parishioners will next meet on **Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> February** after 10am Mass (from approx) **10.45am to 2.30pm**. Please contact Siobhan Denny ([siobhandenny@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:siobhandenny@rcdow.org.uk)) **07908111796** or Harriet Plumb on **01895 633149** for more information about the club or to book your place at this meeting.

### Baptism Congratulations

Congratulations to Harry O'Neill who was baptized in our Church yesterday.

### Catholic Truth Society (CTS)

Do you ever look at the CTS racks in the foyer? There are many useful books that can help us on our pilgrim journey of faith. These publications are well written, presented in a very accessible way and are not expensive. Do have a look. Money can be placed in the papers box.

### **Pilgrimage to Lourdes 23<sup>rd</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> July 2017**

Would you like to come on pilgrimage to Lourdes with us this year? The brochure for this year's pilgrimage arrived the other day and I have put a copy on the notice board in the porch, with the details of the hotels and prices. In the past few years we have stayed at the Hotel Padoue and travelled by air from Stansted. As you will see there are other options, both hotels and travelling. For more information and a booking form, please speak to Fr Duncan.

### **Mothers Prayer Meetings**

We are an informal group of mothers who meet monthly to offer prayers for our children. Our next meeting is today **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> February, 4.00-5.00pm** at 6 Deborah Crescent, Ruislip followed by tea and coffee. For more details please contact Jenny on **01895 622196**.

### **Getting Married**

If there are any couples living in the parish planning to get married during this year, either in this parish or elsewhere, please speak to Fr. Duncan as soon as possible. Six months' notice is required for marriage.

### **Parish Council**

The next meeting of the Parish Council will be this **Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> Feb at 7.45pm** in the Warrender Room.

### **Parish Registration**

If you have recently joined the parish please complete a Parish Registration Card and return it to the presbytery. These cards are available in the porch or from the Parish Office. Our parish records are referred to for applications for sacramental preparation and school application forms.

### **5th Ruislip Sacred Heart Scout Group - Race Night, Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> February**

Thank you to everyone who has purchased a horse for our Race Night, now we need lots of people coming to the evening and enjoying themselves. Why not get a group of friends and family together and support our fund raising night. Tickets are £10 includes an Aquarius fish/chicken and chip supper. Please contact Vivienne Sheard on **01895 677833** for tickets or more information.

### **Sainsburys Active Kids Vouchers**

4th Ruislip Windmill Guides are once again collecting the Sainsburys Active Kids Vouchers, and would be very pleased to receive any vouchers you receive either at the checkout tills or from on-line orders. A collecting box is in the porch, near the newspapers. We have received many vouchers from parishioners in the past, so thank you for all your help.

### **7th Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Holy Land**

You are invited to join the 7th Diocesan Pilgrimage to the Holy Land led by Bishop John Sherrington. **31<sup>st</sup> October to 7<sup>th</sup> November**. Price: Full board £1535 pp sharing; £370 single room supplement. Contact Gill at Tangney Tours **01732 886666** or Elizabeth Uwalaka Pilgrimage Administrator **020 7798 9173** for information and booking forms.

### **GENTLEMEN NEEDED - Catholic Singles Evening for the over 50s - Friday 24<sup>th</sup> Feb - 7pm - £15 pp.**

Lebanese food tasting experience courtesy of Mandaloun Restaurant of Westfield and Fulham Road, Chelsea. Cash bar. Register with [claire@austin-forum.org](mailto:claire@austin-forum.org) / 020 8748 3254. Almost 20 people registered so far, mainly women - we need more men! Austin Forum, Augustinian Centre W6 8AU. All proceeds go towards funding our free English Lesson programme. Find out more at [www.austin-forum.org](http://www.austin-forum.org).

## **Mass Intentions for the Week: 11<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> February 2017**

Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup> February <i>Our Lady of Lourdes</i>	10.00 PJ & Ellen Walsh, R.I.P. (Ann.) 18.00 Erhart Family Intentions.
Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup> February <i>6th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	08.30 For you the People 10.00 Margarida Francisco, R.I.P. (Ann.) 11.30 Margaret Doorly, R.I.P.(Ann.) 18.00 Lawrence Graham-Leigh, R.I.P.
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> February	10.00 Sheila & Patrick Intentions Peggy Scanlon, R.I.P.
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> February <i>Sts. Cyril &amp; Methodius</i>	10.00 Barbara Ward, R.I.P. Kevin Cutts, R.I.P.
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup> February	10.00 Canon Adrian Arrowsmith, R.I.P.(Ann.)
Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup> February	08.00 Daniel Ryan, R.I.P.(Ann.) 10.00 Marie Louise Andrews, R.I.P.
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> February	10.00 Eric & Edna Francis, R.I.P. 20.00 John Walsh, R.I.P.
Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup> February	10.00 Sr. Amadeus Bulger, R.I.P. 18.00 The Keogh Family, R.I.P. (Ann.)
Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup> February <i>7th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	08.30 Matthew Loughman Intentions. 10.00 Colleen Pereyra, R.I.P. (Ann.) (folk) 11.30 Les Lyons, R.I.P.(Ann.) 18.00 For you the People

*(Please note the Rosary is recited every week day morning in the Church at 9.30am)*

### **PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:**

Harry Butler, Lily Fehin, Carmel Galanty, Doreen Jones, Dolores Osborne, Rose Pick, Anne Parra, Dorothy Rushbrooke, Marjorie Shaw, Caroline Titley, Claire Wilson, Edna Winwright, Mary Worley, Bernadette Campbell, Danny Sheppard, Susan Acton, Lisa O'Sullivan, Fr. Leo Targett, Pat Walsh, Bernadeta Herrera, Peggy Heywood, Geraldine Nolan, Geraldine Clooney, Nora Bond, Gerry McKane, Connie McCrohan, Sharon Healy, Crhistian George, Sandra Vivier, Livia Emmanuel and Irene Wojcik.

### **AND FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME:**

PJ & Ellen Walsh, Margarida Francisco, Margaret Doorly, Canon Adrian Arrowsmith, and Daniel Ryan.

*God Bless  
Fr. Duncan*