



# 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 – 11.00pm

Sat: 10.30 – 12.00noon

**Saturday**

Sacrament of Reconciliation:  
10.30-11.30, 17.15 – 17.30

## Collections

Envelopes £ 1466.85

Loose £ 924.21

**Total £ 2391.06**

## Children's Liturgy

These sessions are for children aged 4-5 to Year 6. The next date is today **11<sup>th</sup> Sept.**

## Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Our suggested intention is the protection of unborn children.

## Hail, Holy Queen

*Hail, Holy Queen, Mother of mercy, hail, our life, our sweetness and our hope. To thee do we cry, poor banished children of Eve: to thee do we send up our sighs, mourning and weeping in this vale of tears. Turn then, most gracious Advocate, thine eyes of mercy toward us, and after this our exile, show unto us the blessed fruit of thy womb, Jesus, O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary!*

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

Assistant Priests: **Fr. Sebastian Joseph**

Deacon: **Rev. Joseph Okoro**

Parish Administrator: **Anne O'Connor**

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

## 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

**Fr. Duncan writes:** September is becoming rather busy as the new academic year gets under way in our parish. As always there is a lot going on. On Saturday our Deacon, Joseph Okoro, arrived. Now fully refreshed from his holiday he is settling in and getting to know the parish. I know that you will make him welcome.

There are details in the newsletter of when the various parish groups will be beginning after their summer break. We are now getting ready to start our parish Catechetical programmes for the 'new term'. We are looking for some more catechists to help support our children and prepare them to receive the various Sacraments. If you can help, please speak to Sandra Mace or Fr Duncan. There are several 'training sessions' for catechists arranged during this month.

## Repairs and Renovations

You will see the doors to the Church, Hesdin Hall and the BEC Club have been cleaned and varnished. Hopefully we will get many more years use from them. During the past week I have met with different tradesmen and contractors to look at refurbishing the floor of the porch, paving the area outside the church and installing new lights on the front of the church and also in the nave of the church. When I get more details about these works, I will let you know.

## Parish Open Morning - Date for your Diary

All parishioners are invited to meet members of the parish council and representatives of the various groups and organisations immediately after **10am** mass next **Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September** in the Hesdin Hall. This event will give you the opportunity to see what goes on in our parish may be of particular interest to those who would like to become involved in the life of the parish. Everyone is very welcome and we look forward to meeting you!

## Sunday Group

Registration for Sunday Group will take place today on **Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September** from **9.10am-9.50am** in Hesdin Hall. This is our Parish Religious Education Programme for children who do not attend a Catholic school; we cater for children from Reception to Pre Confirmation (Year 8).

## Preparation for First Reconciliation and First Holy Communion 2016/2017

Parents of all children who will be starting YEAR 3 this September, who are registered with Ruislip parish, are invited to attend an information and registration meeting on **Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> September** at **8pm** in Hesdin Hall. It is expected that all children who do not attend a Catholic School have completed Year 2: Pre-Communion at Sunday Group before they undertake sacramental preparation. If you would like to volunteer as a catechist for this group please contact Sandra Mace regarding DBS checks.

## RCIA – Interested in Becoming a Catholic?

Each year, in our parish we have a course for adults who have not been baptised and would like to be, as well as for Christians of other denominations who would like to be received into the Roman Catholic church, and Catholics who have not been confirmed. Our first meeting will be on **Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October** at **7.00pm** in the presbytery. There is a leaflet with more details in the foyer or speak to Fr. Duncan. The important thing to remember is that we are all called to be evangelizers and to spread the Good News of Jesus Christ.

## Pro-Life Times

After each Mass, this weekend, the SPUC newsletter will be available FREE at the back of the Church, as you leave. Please take a copy and pray for the people of this country that we may develop a culture that will support and honour human life.

### Catholic Education

This weekend there will be a retiring collection for Catholic Education.

### Christmas Fayre Committee

We are looking for someone to help organise the Christmas Fayre. If you are interested in this worthwhile role please speak to Fr. Duncan or contact the parish office. There will be a planning meeting on **Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> September at 7.30pm** in the coffee lounge. New members always welcome, please come along.

### 4th Ruislip Windmill Rainbows - Unit Leaders Needed.

We are urgently looking for unit leaders who would be willing to take over the running of this pack from September 2016. Please contact Christine Mills on **01895 637309** for further information.

### Faithcafé /Proclaim15 Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> September

Movie evening: COURAGE "Honour begins at Home". Certified 12. from the creators of "FireProof": Meet in the coffee lounge at **7.15pm** for Tea and Coffee and session starts at **7.30pm** and finishes at **9.45pm**.

### Mothers Prayer Meetings

We are an informal group of mothers who meet monthly to offer prayers for our children. Our next meeting is **Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September, 4.00-5.00pm** at 6 Deborah Crescent, Ruislip followed by tea and coffee. For more details please contact Jenny on **01895 622196**.

### First Friday Lunch –

Mary O'Neill is looking for more helpers. Please contact Mary on **01895 635073**.

### Baptism Congratulations

Congratulations to Harry Kerr and Luigi Capizzi who were baptized in our Church this week.

### The celebration of Mass (for the Year of Mercy) for the Hillingdon Deanery Catholic Schools

This Mass will take place here in our parish on **Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September 6.00pm**. As part of the series of events marking the Year of Mercy, the Hillingdon Deanery Catholic Schools are cordially inviting families and parishioners to join the head teachers and their staff to this Mass, which will be celebrated by Bishop John Wilson. The Mass will be followed by refreshments in the parish hall. Please come and join us as we give thanks for the excellence of our Catholic schools.

### Altar Servers

All servers are asked to complete new Information Forms to reflect changes in their availability, contact details etc. Please collect a form from the sacristy and return it as soon as possible and by **Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September** at the latest. If you do not return a form by this date we will assume that you no longer wish to serve and you will be omitted from future rotas.

Altar Servers are needed for The Hillingdon Deanery Catholic Schools Mass which is being celebrated in our church at **6pm** on **Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> September**. A list for volunteers is in the sacristy; please sign up today

### Youth Group

The date that Youth Club (ages 10 to 13) meets has changed from a Wednesday to a Thursday evening. The time will remain the same (**7-8.30pm**) and the location will still be Hesdin Hall. If you are between the ages of 10 and 13 please come along and join us and if you are over the age of 16 then please come along and help us. The first meeting after the summer break will be on **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> September**.

### Jubilee Trust Harvest Supper Evening - Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2016

The event is to raise funds for the Brid Carr Foundation and The setting up for those who are older and socially isolated in and around Ruislip. Some tickets have become available for the Harvest Supper, £20 per person. Tickets offered on a first come first serve basis. Contact Trustee members: Charlie Cowley **01895 679327**, Jenny Jean-Jacques, **07930 494365**, Ann-Maria Loughman **01895 634545**

### Mass Intentions for the Week: 10<sup>th</sup> - 18<sup>th</sup> September 2016

Saturday 10 <sup>th</sup> September	10.00 Teo family Intentions 18.00 Francis Joseph Gill, R.I.P. (Ann.)
Sunday 11 <sup>th</sup> September <i>24<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	08.30 Loughman, Brosnan & Barrett deceased family members, R.I.P. 10.00 Kevin Emery, R.I.P. (Ann.) 11.30 Paddy Byrne, R.I.P. 18.00 For you the people
Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> September <i>Holy Name of Mary</i>	10.00 Christine Green, R.I.P. C Abraham Intentions
Tuesday 13 <sup>th</sup> September	10.00 James Yeates Intentions David Metcalfe, R.I.P. (Ann.)
Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> September <i>Exaltation of the Holy Cross</i>	10.00 John Murphy R.I.P. (Ann.) Paddy McDermott, R.I.P.
Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> September <i>Our Lady of Sorrows</i>	08.00 Peggy Heywood Intentions 10.00 Rosario, Vincenza & Sebastian Amico and Grazia Schifano, R.I.P. (Ann.)
Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> September	10.00 John & Joe Walsh, R.I.P. 20.00 Frank Gilmartin, R.I.P. (Ann.)
Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup> September	10.00 Tom & Petal Connell Intentions. 18.00 Ida, John & Doris McDonnell, R.I.P.
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> September <i>25<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	08.30 For you the people 10.00 Noel Edwards, R.I.P. (Ann.) (folk) 11.30 Kevin Cutts, R.I.P. 18.00 John Cosgrove, R.I.P.

### 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, Geoff Hadden, Bernadette Campbell, Danny Sheppard, Susan Acton, Lisa O'Sullivan, Fr. Leo Targett, Bernadeta Herrera, Peggy Heywood, Geraldine Nolan, Geraldine Clooney, Jim Elmes, Nobuko Murakami, Pat Walsh, Connie McCrohan, Sharon Healy, Laurentine Jean-Jacques, Joe Daly, Flo D'Cruz and Ferri Michaelides.

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

Francis Gill, Kevin Emery, David Metcalfe, John Murphy and Frank Gilmartin.

God Bless  
**Fr. Duncan**