



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 £ 1521.04

Loose £ 998.46

Total £ 2519.50

Church Parade

This will take place this Sunday at **10.00am** Mass. We look forward to seeing all our scouting and girl guiding groups.

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament

Our suggested intention is our SVP Conference.

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

26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fr. Duncan writes: Last Tuesday evening we welcomed Bishop John Willson and teachers from the Catholic Schools in the Deanery of Hillingdon. It was a splendid occasion as we came together to give thanks to God for the excellent work that goes on in our Catholic schools. Please pray for the staff and pupils as this academic year gets underway that they will grow from strength to strength building on the successes from past years.

Parish Open Morning

Many thanks to those people who visited the hall last Sunday morning to see all the things that go on in the parish. I am particularly grateful to those members in the parish from the many and varied parish groups who gave up their time last Sunday morning. If you were unable to be there last Sunday, there is a parish information sheet available on the board in the foyer and on the parish website.

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 3rd 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.

Society of St. Vincent De Paul Collection

This weekend members from our SVP Conference will speak at all Masses about their work and ask for our help. We are blessed to have a strong, active and vibrant SVP Conference in our parish who do very valuable work throughout the year. Today there will be a retiring collection for the SVP. The majority of the money collected will be used to help and support their work in our parish, please give generously.

Confirmations

If there are any young people from our parish, in year 9 or above, or older people, who wish to be confirmed next year, they should write to Fr Duncan now. Their letter should be handwritten and include name, address, telephone number, date of birth and school attended (where applicable). We begin our course of preparation in the New Year. The young people themselves should be thinking about this sacrament and so they should write the letters themselves. Closing date for applications is **Sunday 16th October**.

Secondary & Sixth Form School Admissions – September 2017

For all those requiring secondary school or sixth form references, Fr. Duncan will see parents on the following dates in the Coffee Lounge:

Friday 30th September: 5.30-7.00pm; Monday 3rd October: 3.00-4.30pm;

Tuesday 4th October: 2.30-4.30pm; Saturday 15th October: 3.00-5.00pm.

Please ensure you bring all your completed application forms with you to the meeting. All those parents applying to **faith secondary schools** must make an appointment, even if reference forms are sent out from the school to the priests directly. Please email Anne in the Parish Office to arrange an appointment giving your details, and preferred dates; anneconnor@rcdow.org.uk. Fr. Duncan will NOT see any parents without appointments. **This applies to secondary school applications and sixth forms only, primary school applications will be dealt with later in the year.**

Bishop Stanley Roman

We welcome Fr. Sebastian's Bishop Stanley Roman to our parish. He is from the Diocese of Quilon and will be staying with us for a few days. He will be saying the 10am Mass on **Sunday 2nd October**. Please make him feel welcome.

Douay Martyrs Open Days
Tues 27th Sept 8.45-11.00am

Christmas Fayre Committee
We have cancelled the meeting on **Wednesday 28th September**. We are now urgently looking for someone to co-ordinate the Christmas Fayre or we will have to cancel this very popular event this year.

Sacred Heart School – Staffing Vacancy

We currently have a vacancy for an After School Club Manager for 11.25 hours per week, Monday to Friday 3pm – 5.15pm on a term time only basis. The salary will be paid at Scale 4 (£5,112 - £5,644).

Applicants are expected to have:

A relevant Level 3 qualification in Childcare, Playwork or equivalent:

Experience of caring for children of primary school age:

Practical experience of creating appropriate play activities for primary school children.

We offer generous discounts for children of staff members to attend the club. Further information can be found on our website <http://www.sacredheart.hillingdon.sch.uk/vacancies.asp>

Closing date for applications is **Wednesday 28th September at noon**.

Sanctuary Cleaners Needed

We are urgently in need of some more volunteers to join the sanctuary cleaning rota. If you think you can help please call Anne in the parish office **01895 632739**. Many thanks.

Walsingham Collection –

Next weekend there will be a special collection for Walsingham. Please give generously.

Baptism Congratulations

Congratulations to Ethan Sivanesan and Emma Hosey who were baptized in our Church this week.

Excellent Examinations Results at The Douay Martyrs Catholic School

The Douay Martyrs Catholic Secondary School in Ickenham is celebrating its excellent examination results this year. Results at A Level and AS were excellent with the majority of students meeting their University offer. GCSE results were equally excellent. Against a national decline in GCSE results this year The Douay Martyrs achieved a rise to 67% of all students reaching the “Gold Standard”, 5 or more grade C’s including English and Maths. Students made excellent progress. These results show that students at The Douay Martyrs Catholic School achieved results above the national average. Many students achieved 11 A*/A grades, a fantastic achievement. The percentage of students achieving A* grades also increased.

Headteacher, Mr Anthony Corish, commented “*I am delighted with our examination results and proud of all of our students. The results reflect the hard work and dedication of staff, the talents of our young people and the fantastic parental support we receive*”. Everyone at the school has been working really hard to develop “The Douay Way” an ambitious, aspirational vision. The effect of this is already apparent in these results. Our ambition is to continue this journey, aiming for excellence in all that we do.

Jubilee Trust Harvest Supper Evening - Saturday 8th 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** or email mshjubileetrust@rcdow.org.uk. The Trustees would welcome any help on the night, kitchen duties, waiting tables and washing up etc. All helpers will be provided with their supper on the night!

Faithcafé /Proclaim-15 Wednesday 5th October 2016.

The “Big Picture of Salvation History”- Bible study recap from “The Plan to day-2 of “The Fall”. Come and join us for tea and coffee at **7.30pm** and discussion / video starts at **7.45pm to 9.30pm**. Easy to follow and the group would greatly benefit from your input.

Mass Intentions for the Week: 24thSept- 2nd October 2016

Saturday 24 th September	10.00 Loughman Family Intentions.	
<i>Our Lady of Walsingham</i>	18.00 Joe & Mary Corrigan, R.I.P. (Ann.)	
Sunday 25 th September	08.30 For you the people	
26th Sunday in Ordinary Time	10.00 Tom & Kitty Diviney, R.I.P. (Ann.)	<i>(children's choir)</i>
	11.30 Marion & Patrick Redmond, R.I.P.	
	18.00 Tom O'Brien, R.I.P.(Ann.)	
Monday 26 th September	10.00 Barbara Lakin, R.I.P. (Ann.)	
Tuesday 27 th September	10.00 Michael McCarthy, R.I.P. (Ann.)	
<i>St. Vincent de Paul</i>		
Wednesday 28 th September	10.00 Christina Fox, R.I.P. (Ann.)	
Thursday 29 th September	08.00 Margaret Corbett's Intentions	
<i>Sts. Michael, Gabriel & Raphael, Archangels</i>	10.00 Maria Kinnear & Francis O'Leary, R.I.P. (Ann.)	
Friday 30 th September	10.00 Paul Conti, R.I.P. (Ann.)	
<i>St. Jerome</i>	20.00 SVP Conference	
Saturday 1 st October	10.00 Kitty & PJ Davis, R.I.P. (Ann.)	
<i>St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus</i>	18.00 Ronan Family Deceased Members	
Sunday 2 nd October	08.30 Alan Bower, R.I.P. (Ann.)	
27th Sunday in Ordinary Time	10.00 Julie Flannery & Jimmy Philbin, R.I.P.	<i>(folk)</i>
	11.30 Kevin Cutts, R.I.P.	
	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, Flo D'Cruz 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, Ferri Michaelides, Nora Bond and Sandra Vivier.

AND FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME:

Tom O'Brien, Mary Corrigan, Tom & Kitty Diviney, Barbara Lakin, Michael McCarthy, Christina Fox, Maria Kinnear, Francis O'Leary, Paul Conti and Joe McHale. *God Bless Fr. Duncan*