



Church of the Most Sacred Heart

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Temporary Mass times

Sunday-9.00am, 10.30am
12.00noon, 6.00pm

Mondays, Tuesdays and
Wednesdays – 10.00am

Thursdays – 8.00am and
10.00am

Fridays – 10.00am and
8.00pm

Saturdays – 10.00am and
6.00pm (Vigil Mass)

Saturday: Sacrament of
Reconciliation:
10.30-11.00am

Certificate of Catholic Practice

Appointments for reception and nursery places will be available later in the year. It is important to note that the **CERTIFICATE OF CATHOLIC PRACTICE** is what it says. If you are not practicing your faith, you will not get a certificate!

Second Collection

The retiring collection this Sunday is for the Holy Places in Jerusalem. This collection, to support the Holy Sites in the Holy Land, is normally taken on Good Friday, but because the churches were closed, we have been asked to take it now. Please be as generous as you can.

Baptism Congratulations

Congratulations to Max Dawson who will be baptized in our Church this weekend.

Parish Priest: *Fr. Duncan M. Adamson*

Assistant Priest: *Fr. Sebastian Joseph*

Parish Administrator: *Anne O'Connor*

Catechetical Co-ordinator: *Jo Marsh*

Pastoral Youth Worker: *Siobhan Denny*

Parish Website: parish.rcdow.org.uk/ruislip

The parish office is closed to visitors until further notice.

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25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Fr. Duncan writes: Yesterday, **Saturday 19th September**, the Cardinal ordained three new priests for our diocese and three deacons, who will be ordained to the priesthood next year. Among those ordained deacon was William Johnstone, who was with us in the parish last year. We congratulate these men and assure them of our prayers as they begin this new ministry.

Children's Mass

On **Sunday 4th October** at **10.30am**, we will have a Mass especially for the primary school children and their parents. The children will be invited to read and serve at this Mass. It will be necessary to book places for this Mass, as there is a strict limit of space available. Full details of the booking procedure will be available next week. **Please note: You will not be admitted to this Mass without a prior booking.**

Livestream Webcam

During August, our webcam was installed – a new venture for our parish. This means Masses are now live streamed from our church on <https://www.churchservices.tv/ruislipsacredheart>. On this page, you will be able to see the schedule of Masses that are live streamed. Please pass this information on to family and friends who are housebound to enable them to join us for the celebration of Mass.

Registering for Mass

Please follow this link to register for the Mass of your choice.

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/most-sacred-heart-parish-mass-tickets-111947782832> If all the places are taken, you will need to select another Mass or check again later to see if more places are available. If your arrangements change and you cannot come to the Mass you have selected, please cancel your booking – someone else may be looking for a place. If you are unable to register online, please call Fr Sebastian on **01895 632739** between **11am – 6pm** for help.

Face Coverings

You are reminded that the Government has made face coverings compulsory in Places of Worship.

Stewarding at Mass and Cleaning the church

Thank you to all those who volunteered for stewarding at Masses. This is important if we are going to be able to open the church for Mass on Sundays and during the week. We need to have stewards to welcome people and people to help clean the benches after the Mass. If we do not have sufficient volunteers, we cannot open the church and the number of Masses will have to be reduced. Can you help? We have a number of volunteers who help regularly, but we need more. On a weekday we need people from **9.15am** until we close the church after Mass. Ideally two people each day. On Sundays we need five people for each Mass. Please contact Fr Duncan or Fr Sebastian if you can help, email ruislip@rcdow.org.uk or phone **01895 632739**. With grateful thanks for all your support and help.

Secondary School Admissions – September 2021

Fr. Duncan has set the following dates for signing secondary school or sixth form references in the hall.

Monday 5th Oct 4.00-5.30pm: Wednesday 7th Oct 6.30-8.00pm: Wednesday 14th Oct 3.30-5.30pm: Saturday 17th Oct 4.00-5.00pm: Monday 19th Oct 4.00-5.30pm.

These appointments will be available to book at the beginning of next week through Eventbrite, details will appear on the parish website then. Fr. Duncan will **NOT** see any parents or sign forms without a prior appointment.

Please ensure you bring all your completed application forms with you to the meeting, Fr. Duncan has the Certificates of Catholic Practice. 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.

This applies to secondary school applications and sixth forms only, primary school applications will be dealt with later in the year.

Spiritual Communion.

For those unable to receive Holy Communion, here is a Spiritual Communion you can use: ***My Jesus, I believe that You are present in the Most Holy Sacrament. I love You above all things, and I desire to receive You sacramentally, come at least spiritually into my heart. I embrace You as if You were already there and unite myself wholly to You. Never permit me to be separated from You. Amen.***

RCIA – Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults.

Do you want to know more about the Catholic Faith? The RCIA is an opportunity to explore and deepen our faith. Our first meeting of the new 'term' will be in the next couple of weeks. We meet at 7.00pm on a Monday evening in the presbytery. If you know of someone – husband, wife, friend, neighbour who might be interested in exploring whether God may be calling them to become a Catholic, then please ask them to contact Fr Duncan for further information. We will have to arrange this slightly differently this year in accordance with covid19 rules.

Planned Giving Envelopes

I am very grateful to all those who have been supporting our parish through the planned giving scheme. If you have not collected your new box of envelopes yet, they are available for collection. Please ask when you come to the church. If you are now in a position to gift aid your donations or would like to change your planned giving envelope donations to standing order, please email Anne in the office. Many Thanks.

Regular Weekly Church Events

Every Day

Rosary Conference Call at **9.30am** Tel No: **0333 0110 945** Room no: **29316542** #Guest PIN: **5714** #

Sundays

Virtual Children's Liturgy Session at **11am** via Zoom (**Meeting ID: 844-0908-4760**).

Confirmation Preparation 2020-2021 Registration

Are you going into Year 9 or above this September? Are you interested in finding out more about the Sacrament of Confirmation? If so, please email Jo Marsh (jomarsh@rcdow.org.uk) to register your interest. Due to the current circumstances, we are unable to provide any detailed information about the programme or sacramental dates at this time.

Sunday Group 2020-21

Sunday Group is our Parish Religious Education Group for children who do not attend a Catholic School. This year, due to the current restrictions in place, we are only inviting registration from children in Reception to Year 2. Completion of the Year 2 (Pre-Communion) class is a pre-requisite of registering for First Reconciliation and Holy Communion Preparation. If you are interested in your child joining Sunday Group, please speak to Jo after Mass to register your interest.

Annual Mass Count

Over the next four weeks the annual Mass count takes place in all the Catholic Churches in England and Wales. I am very grateful to those people who help with this important task each year.

Mass Intentions for: 19th – 27th September 2020

Saturday 19 th September <i>St. Januarius</i>	10.00 Theresa McElligott, R.I.P. (Ann.) 18.00 Fin Kavanagh, R.I.P.
Sunday 20 th September <i>25th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	09.00 Martin Kilbane, R.I.P. (Ann.) 10.30 Loughman, Barrett & Brosnan Deceased Family Members 12.00 Tom O'Brien, R.I.P. (Ann.) 18.00 For you the people
Monday 21 st September <i>St. Matthew</i>	10.00 Staff, Pupils, Parents & Governors of Sacred Heart Primary Sch John Abraham, R.I.P. (Ann.)
Tuesday 22 nd September	10.00 Fr. Danny Horan, R.I.P. Mary & Joseph Corrigan, R.I.P.(Ann.)
Wednesday 23 rd September <i>St. Pius of Pietrelcina</i>	10.00 Marion & Patrick Redmond, R.I.P. Ann Ambache, R.I.P.
Thursday 24 th September <i>Our Lady of Walsingham</i>	08.00 Francis Barrett Intentions 10.00 Marie Lowe, R.I.P.
Friday 25 th September	10.00 Harry Butler, R.I.P. 20.00 SVP Intentions
Saturday 26 th September <i>Ss Cosmas & Damian</i>	10.00 Michael McCarthy, R.I.P. (Ann.) 18.00 Hermogenes & Natividad Manigos, R.I.P.(Ann.)
Sunday 27 th September <i>26th Sunday in Ordinary Time</i>	09.00 For you the people 10.30 Barbara Lakin, R.I.P. (Ann.) 12.00 Tess Fitzgerald, R.I.P. 18.00 Christina Fox, R.I.P. (Ann.)

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:

Lily Fehin, Carmel Galanty, Doreen Jones, Rose Pick, Marjorie Shaw, Caroline Titley, Claire Wilson, Edna Winwright, Mary Worley, Bernadette Campbell, Danny Sheppard, Susan Acton, Bernadeta Herrera, Fiona O'Leary, Livia Emmanuel, Pauline Walsh, Simon Mott, Claire Wilmshurst, Edward Vivier, Carmel Keane, Janet Smith, Sheila Morrison, Andrew Wilson, Barbara Steadman, Christine Andrews, Wendy Davies, Teresa Jefferson, Terry Pannu, Terry Allum and Kevin Horner.

AND FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME:

Theresa McElligott, Martin Kilbane, Tom O'Brien, John Abraham and Mary Corrigan.

**God Bless
Fr. Duncan**