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Mass times

Sunday-8.30am, 10.00am 11.30am, 6.00pm

Mon-Friday 10am

Saturdays – 10.00am, 6.00pm (Vigil Mass)

Saturday: Sacrament of Reconciliation: 10.30-11.00am

Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament & Rosary: Mon - Fri: 9.00 – 9.45am

General Surgery On *Monday 23rd Oct 5-7pm* Fr. Sean is happy to meet other parishioner's, not just school applicants, in the Bec Suite.

With Deepest Sympathy

We offer our sympathy and prayers to the family and friends of **Ann Connors** whose funeral Mass takes place on *Friday 17th November* at *10.00am*, followed by burial at Northwood Cemetery. May she rest in peace.

Jubilee Trust Social Evening Come and enjoy an evening of music and dancing in Hesdin Hall on Saturday November 18th from 7.30pm- 11pm. Proceeds to The Catholic Children's Society to help with their Youth Mental Health Programmes. We welcome "The 45's & Special Guests" who will play an eclectic mix of music from 60's Classics to modern day. Limited licenced cash bar available. Contact Harriet Plumb 07956 366198 or Ann-Maria Loughman 07941 589445 to book tickets. Tickets cost £10 pp.

Parish Website: parish.rcdow.org.uk/ruislip Parish E-mail: ruislip@rcdow.org.uk Parish Priest: Fr. Sean Carroll Assistant Priest: Fr. Jose Netto Seminarian Student: James Boyle Parish Administrator: Anne O'Connor Catechetical Coordinator: Daniela Bourke Pastoral Youth Worker: Siobhan Denny Parish Safequarding Rep: Yvonne Hillier **30th Sunday in Ordinary Time**

All Saints & All Souls

On *Wednesday 1st November* we celebrate the Feast of All Saints, a Holyday of Obligation. Please see overleaf for times of Masses.

On *Thursday 2nd November*, we commemorate the Feast of All Souls, when we remember to God's mercy, in a particular way, the souls of all the faithful departed.

Month of the Holy Souls

November is the month of the Holy Souls when we remember, especially, those who have died and gone before us 'marked with the sign of faith'. Throughout the month Mass will be offered here in our church for all those whose names are listed on our November Roll of the Dead. These names will be placed in the sanctuary throughout the month. If you would like the names of your deceased relatives and friends included, please take an envelope from the table at the back of the church and return it with your list enclosed to one of the priests or to the presbytery. Your offering may be enclosed in the envelope.

Thanksgiving Mass for the Deceased

We are celebrating a Thanksgiving Mass for the deceased in our church on *Friday 10th November* at **7.30pm.** If you have lost anyone outside the parish in the last year, please send in the name of the deceased and a candle will be lit in remembrance of them.

First Holy Communion

The first sessions for children take place in the coffee lounge on Monday 6th November for Group 1 (5pm6pm) & Group 2 (6:15pm-7:15pm) and on Monday 13th November for Group 3 (5pm-6pm) & Group 4 (6:15pm-7:15pm). We are looking forward to meeting you all!

Confirmation Preparation

SPEC retreat in Pinner on 3rd December 2023 10am to 4pm - please confirm you son/daughter's attendance using the link <u>https://forms.office.com/e/KKdNidXSaz</u> by **Friday 3rd December**. Information regarding the retreat will be emailed to you in due course. Our first sessions will focus on 'Knowledge and Discussion' and the first session will take place on Tuesday 14th November 7pm-8:30pm in Hesdin Hall. We are looking forward to working with you all!

RCIA

Our next session will take place on Wednesday 1st November at 8pm in the Bec suite. For new enquiries regarding our 2023/24 programme please contact : <u>danielabourke@rcdow.org.uk</u>

Sick & Retired Priests Annual Collection

We will be holding the collection for the Sick and Retired Priest Fund over the weekend of 4th & 5th of November. Envelopes and information pamphlets will be available this weekend in the Foyer

Youth Club Dates:

Wednesdays 7-9pm (school years 9 plus) all dates to be confirmed due to volunteer shortage. November:

1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd & 29th

Thursdays 4.15-5.45pm (school years 4&5) November: 2nd, 9th tbc, 16th tbc & 30th. December: 7th & 14th.

Fridays 6-8pm (school years 6-8)

November 10th December:

1st, 8th & 22nd.

The Youth Centre will also be open on the following Sunday mornings after the **10am** Mass for children aged 8-16 or school years 4-11. **November: 5th & 19th. December: 3rd & 17th.**

First Friday Lunch

All parishioners, of any age, are invited to enjoy a 3course lunch and help the Jubilee Trust raise funds for charity. The next Friday Lunch will be served in the Bec Suite on **Friday 3 November** at 12:15pm, for £7.50 per person. Please sign up on the clipboard in the Church foyer at the latest by 31 October, or contact **Norbert Janssen** on:

07941 074169 or, email norbert_janssen@hotmail.com

Youth Drama

Children aged 7-16 if you'd like to be involved in some advent drama please contact Siobhan Denny

Westminster Youth Ministry

A Young Adults Youth Mass will be celebrated on Tuesday 14th November 6.30pm in the crypt at Westminster Cathedral crypt.

Youth Mass is back! If you are aged 18-35, join us in celebrating Mass together as a community of young adults in our diocese

Jubilee Trust Lottery Renewals

The Jubilee Trust Lottery which runs a monthly cash prize draw is starting it's recruitment for the coming 2023/2024 year. Existing members will be receiving an email invitation to rejoin over the coming weeks and letters and forms will be available in the Foyer this weekend. We hope all our existing members will be able to rejoin if possible and there is plenty of room for new members. After pegging the yearly subscription at £20 for the past 10 years the Trustees felt it was appropriate to increase this to £25 from this year. As a result we will now be offering 11 prizes of £150 each Month as well as the Big prize of £500 that will be drawn in December. Please pick up a letter from the Foyer. There will be more information in the coming weeks.

Lourdes

If you would like to join the RedCap team from our parish on the next Lourdes pilgrimage July 2024, please come along to the meeting on 28th October at the youth centre after the 6pm mass. This is for young adults aged 16 plus. More information available on the Parish website: <u>https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/ruislip/parish-groups/lourdes-pilgrimage/</u>

Primary Schools and Secondary & Sixth Form School Admissions

Fr. Sean will be signing **Certificates of Catholic Practice** for primary schools and nursery school form applications in the Bec Suite this Monday evening, **30th Oct** between **5-7pm**. Please bring the applicant's Baptism Certificate with you to the meeting and any school SIF forms which must have been fully completed in advance. Please ensure you have *all* your school applications before coming to meet with Fr Sean.

Mass Intentions for the week: 28th October – 5th November 2023

	Saturday 28 th October <i>Ss Simon & Jude</i>	10.00 Patrick & Elizabeth Healy, RIP. (Ann.) 18.00 Bill Carson, RIP.
_	Sunday 29 th October 30th Sunday in Ordinary Time	 08.30 For the People of the Parish 10.00 John Thomas White, RIP. (Ann.) 11.30 Danielle Tesson, RIP. (Ann.) 18.00 Kevin Hennessy, RIP. (Ann.)
	Monday 30 th October	10.00 Roland Smith CMG, RIP. Fr. Paddy Dundon CSSP Ints.
	Tuesday 31 st October	10.00 Maeve Howard, RIP. Joyce Preisser, RIP.
	Wednesday 1 st November All Saints	10.00 November Dead List 19.30 Paula Sullivan Intentions
r	Thursday 2 nd November <i>All Souls Day</i>	10.00 Holy Souls
	Friday 3 rd November <i>St. Martin de Porres</i>	10.00 November Dead List
	Saturday 4 th November St. Charles Borromeo	10.00 Peggy & Peter Heywood, RIP. 18.00 Margaret Courtney, RIP. (Ann.)
t	Sunday 5 th November 31st Sunday in Ordinary Time	 08.30 Stella Wardlaw, RIP. 10.00 Decd mbrs of the Antao & Mascarenhas Family, RIP. (children's choir) 11.30 Lyra Hart, RIP. (Ann.) 16.00 For the People of the Parish (Malayalam Mass)
,		18.00 John McMahon, RIP. (Ann.)

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:

Susan Acton, Bernadeta Herrera, Simon Mott, Daniella Ciaccio, Livia Emmanuel, Pauline Walsh, Edward Vivier, Janet Smith, Sheila Morrison, Andrew Wilson, Barbara Steadman, Theresa Jefferson, Kevin Horner, Eileen O'Higgins, Rosetta Roach, Edward Barrett, Gerry Jarrett, Barbara Elliott, Tom de Souza, Ron Leonard, Sarah Vincent, Joyce Turner, Celine Edwards, Bill Neylon, Adrian Cunningham, Mark Jordan, Peter O'Brien, Caterina Spano, Nora Ahearne, Mary Kilcommon and Mary and Terry O'Neill.

AND FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME:

Patrick Healy, John White, Danielle Tesson, Kevin Hennessy, Sophie Bonnar, Josephine Baker, Irene O'Neill and John Crawford.