THIS WEEK'S LAMP DEDICATIONS ARE FOR:

Sanctuary Lamps - Noreen McGloin (Recovery) Our Lady's Chapel - Anne Johnson (RIP)

MASS INTENTIONS FOR 25TH	H SEPTEMBER 1	TO 2ND OCTOBER 2022		
25th September 2022 26th Sunday Year C	5.30 pm 10.00 am	Martin Byrnes & Harry Hickman (RIP) People of the Parish + Enrolment for 1st Holy Communion		
	12 noon 6.00 pm	Gerry Buckingham (RIP) + Enrolment for 1st Holy Communion Frank Moran (RIP)		
Monday 26th September	9.45 am 10.00 am 6.00 pm	Morning Prayer Derry Hipwell (RIP) Rosary		
Tuesday 27th September St. Vincent de Paul	9.45 am 10.00 am 6.00 pm	Morning Prayer Intentions of the SVP Rosary		
Wednesday 28th September	9.45 am 10.00 am 6.00 pm	Morning Prayer Una Hansberry (RIP) Rosary		
Thursday 29th September St. Michael, St. Gabriel & St. Raphael, Archangels	9.45 am 10.00 am	Morning Prayer Lobsinger Family (Intentions)		
Friday 30th September St. Jerome	9.45 am 10.00 am 12 noon	Morning Prayer Francis & Jimmy Campbell (RIP) Funeral - Daniel Warren (RIP)		
Saturday 1st October St. Thérèse of the Child Jesus	9.45 am 10.00 am 10.30-11.30	Morning Prayer Gillian Burke (Intentions) Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament		
Sunday 2nd October 27th Sunday Year C	5.30 pm (Sat) 10.00 am 12 noon 6.00 pm	Eugene O'Regan (RIP) Louise Burke (RIP) Colleen & Geoffrey Musgrave (RIP) Maurice Kiely (RIP)		
SACRAMENT OF RECONCILIATION (CONFESSION)				

Saturday 10.30-11.30am & 4.30pm-5.15pm



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PARISH TEAM

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Parish Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 8.30m-12.30pm

The Parish Office is closed on Thursdays.

Commentary on the First Reading

'Alas for those who lounge in front of the telly, munching their crisps and slurping their lager. Alas for those who zoom the streets, singing raucously along with their blaring radios.' Is Amos simply a middleaged spoil-sport, castigating the evils of his time? The real question is whether they manoeuvre themselves off the couch for the sake of the needy person at the door, whether they spring out of the car to help the blind person across the road. Following that, what is our society coming to, what can I do to help remedy the fundamental ills of our society, whatever I conceive them to be? What can I, helpless and half-hearted as I am, do to build on the ruins? How far can Jesus push me? One thing is sure, it is always one step further than my comfort-zone. The Lord may not want me to go and be a Charles de Foucauld, a Romero, a Mother Teresa, but he always wants me to go one step nearer, whatever my state of life, one step at a time out of my comfort-zone in response to his challenge. I can never say I have done all I need to do.

Dom Henry Wansbroug

CURRENT VACANCIES WITHIN THE DIOCESE

For all vacancies in the Diocese please visit the website https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk/

PARISH REGISTRATION

If you have recently joined the parish, or not completed a Registration Card in the last two years, please do so and return it to the presbytery. These cards are available in the porch or from the Parish Office. Our records are referred to for applications for sacramental preparation and school application forms.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:-

Tony Johnson, Liam Warren, Micah McKennon, Mary Temple, Nicola Teune, Michael Clough, Bridget Finch, Angie Webster, Mary Wallace, Kevin Ryan, Theresa Brent, Anne-Marie Henry, Barbara Hayes, Breda O'Sullivan, Nora Demello, Ron Crann, John McEvoy, Donna White, Peggy McNicholas, Gillian Burke, Alan Downes, John Higgins, Maxi Giambrone, David Cullen, Mary O'Regan, Nollaig Donegan, Kamini Mahida, Salvatore Giambrone, Francis Thone, Gary Sheppard, John McCarthy, John Keane, George Alden, baby Wilf, Joseph Jackson, Kitty Kiely, Isabella Czerniajew, Bernie Killeen, Doreen Sullivan, Audrey Farrell, Philip Rodgers, Fr. Duncan Adamson, John & Phil Boyne, Rita Clli, Mary Theresa Mills, Laura Madeira. (Please tell us when people can be taken off this list).

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY AND THOSE WHOSE ANNIVER-SARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME. WE ALSO REMEMBER AT THIS TIME: Daniel Warren, Anne Johnson, Martin Byrnes, Harry Hickman, Gerry Buckingham, Frank Moran, Derry Hipwell, Una Hansberry, Francis & Jimmy Campbell, all those buried in our garden of remembrance.

RED SANCTUARY LAMPS / BLUE LAMP BY OUR LADY

If you would like to have these dedicated for a week to the memory of a loved one, or for someone's intentions please contact Gillian in the parish office. There is a suggested donation of £10 for the Red Sanctuary lamps and £5 for Our Lady, the names will appear on the newsletter for the specific week.

COLLECTIONS 25/09/	2022	WEDDINGS	
Standing Orders	£1261.00	Couples wishing to marry here or in any Cath-	
Envelopes	£ 462.50	olic Church need to give at least <u>six months'</u> <u>notice</u> of their intentions.	
Loose Plate	£ 366.05		

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (SVP NEWS)

September is traditionally 'SVP Awareness Month' as we celebrate Blessed Frederic Ozanam's Feast Day on 9th and St Vincent De Paul's Feast Day on 27th. We are blessed with a vibrant SVP team in our parish and our activities include the Foodbank, our religious items shop 'Gifted', Bereavement Support and Counselling, Visiting the detention centre near Heathrow, Home and Carehome visits and mentoring the next generation of SVP volunteers - the B-Attitudes! If you would like to join us, or if you are 14-18 years old and would like to join the B-Attitudes, then why not get in touch? We'd love to hear from you! Finally, as ever, please remain 'Aware' of need around us and please do not hesitate to contact your SVP Team if our help is needed - 07563 775 777, info@svpsouthruislip.org.uk and/or www.svpsouthruislip.org.uk.

The foodbank has gone very low on all these items. Your kindness in helping with these items is very much appreciated.

Items the SVP would like for the Foodbank this week

Sardines	Chickpeas	Lentils
Nappies, size 5 & 6	Toilet paper	Pasta/curry sauce
Squash/juice	Custard/jam	Sugar
Cooking oil	Tuna	Kidney beans
Tinned tomatoes/corn	Coffee/tea	Long-life milk
Noodles	Washing-up liquid	Tinned fruit

Tinned meat

CONFIRMATION 2023

Registration has now closed for 2023. If you submitted your application form you will be hearing from us shortly.

SCHOOL FORM SIGNING

If you need a school form signed you must first collect an information form directly from Fr. Paulo after any of the Sunday Masses, Saturday evening included. Then call Gillian between 9am & 12noon on 020 8845 2186 or email gillianharrington@rcdow.org.uk to book an appointment. Please bring to this appointment the information form and your Child's Baptism Certificate. Appointments will be held on Monday 26th September, Wednesday 28th September, Monday 3rd October or Wednesday 5th October, Monday 10th October, Wednesday 12th October from 2pm - 5.30pm. For secondary school forms Certificates will not be given unless the child has made their First Holy Communion. Fr. Paulo will not see anyone unless they have first collected an information form from him.

ALTAR SERVERS

If your child would like to become an altar server and is in Year 3 or above and has made their First Holy Communion please speak to Fr. Paulo.