THIS WEEK'S LAMP DEDICATIONS ARE FOR:

Sanctuary Lamps - Domenico D'Antonio & Edda Biondi (RIP)
Our Lady's Chapel - Fr. John Murphy (RIP)

MASS INTENTIONS FOR 15T	H OCTOBER TO	22ND OCTOBER 2023
Sunday 15th October 2023	5.30 pm	Donal O'Sullivan (RIP)
28th Sunday	10.00 am	Peggy McNicholas (RIP)
Ordinary Time	12 noon	Fiorinda Rosellina (RIP)
Year A	6.00 pm	Ayesha Drew (RIP)
Monday 16th October	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Fr. Duncan Adamson (RIP)
Tuesday 17th October	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
St. Ignatius of Antioch	10.00 am	Mary Winder (RIP)
Wednesday 18th October	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
St. Luke	10.00 am	Jean Hussey (RIP)
Thursday 19th October	NO MASS HERE TODAY	
	The Church w	ill remain closed.
Friday 20th October	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
•	10.00 am	Deceased Members of the
		McNicholas Family (RIP)
Saturday 21st October	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Bryan & Hannah Cusack (RIP)
	12.30pm	Baptism - Eden Anderson-Howard
Sunday 22nd October	5.30 pm (Sat)	Corry Touw (RIP)
29th Sunday	10.00 am	Patricia Small & Deceased Members
Ordinary Time		of the Triggs Family (RIP)
Year A	12 noon	David Cullen (RIP)
	6.00 pm	Daniel Warren (RIP)

Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession)
Saturday 10.30-11.30am & 4.30pm-5.15pm

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PARISH TEAM

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The Parish Office is closed on Thursdays.

Many people might know that CAFOD is the official aid agency for the Catholic Church in England and Wales. And that we make appeals twice a year, one at Lent and the other at Harvest. Our appeals highlight a cause we are helping to fund at the time and asks for your help. But there is much more to CAFOD and the work we do, starting with our vision to look after "our common home".

As Pope Francis says, Christus Vivit, #217,: "In a word, to create a "home" is to create a "family". It is to learn to feel connected to others by more than merely utilitarian and practical bonds, to be united in such a way as to feel that our life is a bit more human. To create a home is to let prophecy take flesh and make our hours and days less cold, less indifferent and anonymous. It is to create bonds by simple, everyday acts that all of us can perform. A home, as well know, demands that everyone work together, No one can be indifferent or stand apart, since each is a stone needed to build the home."

We believe that if one of us is hurt, hungry or abandoned, we all are hurt, hungry and abandoned. And that no one should be beyond the love and support they need to live a dignified life. Working with one of the largest aid networks in the world, we have global reach and local presence in 165 countries. The local Church is trusted in even the most dangerous countries, regions and communities regardless of religion. So, through a local priest, a midwife or a water engineer – our global reach is present in the lived experience of local communities. These skilled women and men understand what people need because they are part of the communities they work in. Their commitment, passion and knowledge reach people other organisations can't. Our local experts can then help some of the most difficult-to-reach people in Africa, Asia, Latin America and the Middle East. Whether it's a single mother living in a remote area, a teenage boy living in a war zone, or a disabled father and daughter who are discriminated against, we help anyone regardless of faith, gender and ethnicity. So, with your gifts, we can help those people living in hard-to-reach places and support those who are truly in need.

We will be holding short sessions in the parish hall later in the year, attended by CAFOD representatives, where you will have an opportunity to learn more about the causes we support and how your valuable donations really do make a difference. We look forward to welcoming you.

SAFEGUARDING

If anyone has any concerns regarding the welfare of a child or vulnerable adult, please contact the parish priest or the designated safeguarding officer, details below. Danuta Howe - ruislipsouthsg@safeguardrcdow.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, Ron Crann, John McEvoy, Donna White, Gillian Burke, Alan Downes, John Higgins, Maxi Giambrone, Mary O'Regan, Nollaig Donegan, Kamini Mahida, Salvatore Giambrone, Gary Sheppard, John McCarthy, George Alden, baby Wilf, Joseph Jackson, Kitty Kiely, Isabella Czerniajew, Doreen Sullivan, Audrey Farrell, John Boyne, Philip Rodgers, Rita Clli, Mary Theresa Mills, Laura Madeira, Tom Doyle, Ciaran Murphy, Lilian Scott, Phelmene Henry, Josie Lambert, Pat Naylor, Jim Moir, Amanda Remedios, Tom McDonagh, Michael McDonagh, Bridget McDonagh, Jerry Mallett, Mary Cotter, Innis Mussi, Helen Dooley.

(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:

Domenico D'Antonio, Edda Biondi, Fr. John Murphy, Donal O'Sullivan, Peggy McNicholas, Fiorinda Rosellina, Ayesha Drew, Fr. Duncan Adamson, Mary Winder, Jean Hussey, Bryan & Hannah Cusack.

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 08/10/2023

Standing Orders £1192.38

Envelopes £ 111.50

Loose Plate £ 287.16

WEDDINGS

Couples wishing to marry here or in any Catholic Church need to give at least <u>six months'</u> <u>notice</u> of their intentions.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (SVP NEWS)

Firstly, on behalf of the B-Attitudes, we would like to thank everyone who supported the Homeless Sleep-Out event last Saturday night. Rest assured that all the funds raised will be used to address the many Homeless issues in our parish, borough and city. Secondly, please be aware that next Tuesday, 17th October, is the UN International Day for the Eradication of Poverty. Blessed Frederic Ozanam founded the SVP when he became aware and, with the support of people like you, his efforts continue to address Poverty all across the globe. Maybe you'd like to start by joining our team of volunteers? If so, just get in touch! Finally, as always, please remain sensitively and lovingly alert to need within our community and just get in touch with us if you think our help is needed - we can be contacted on 07563 77577, info@svpsouthruislip.org.uk and/or www.svpsouthruislip.org.uk. We will always try our best to help.

ITEMS THE SVP WOULD LIKE FOR THE FOOD BANK THIS WEEK - FULL LIST IN PORCH

Tinned fish/meat Tinned vegetables Tinned fruit/custard/biscuits Chickpeas/Kidney beans Tea/Coffee/Biscuits Long-life milk & Squash/Juice

SCHOOL FORM SIGNING - CERTIFICATE OF CATHOLIC PRACTICE

Please collect an information sheet from Fr. Paulo after any Sunday Mass. Then contact Gillian in the parish office to make an appointment to meet with Fr. Paulo.

NOVEMBER REMEMBRANCE LISTS

November is the month devoted to prayer for the Holy Souls. There are lists and envelopes available in the porch of the church. Please return them with your offerings to the Presbytery as soon as possible and before 28th October.

GIFT AID

Do you make regular donations to our church by standing order or by envelopes? If so, did you know that if you are a UK tax payer, we could claim back 25p for every £1 you donate to us from the Government, at no extra cost to you? If you haven't already done so, could you please complete and sign a gift aid form that you can find at the back of the church. If you are not sure if you have already signed one, please contact Gillian in the parish office and she will be able to check for you.

CAR PARK

We are currently looking at ways to make the car park as safe as possible for our parishioners and those who visit the church and our memorial garden. Please keep an eye on the newsletter for further information. It may be, that in time, you will have to enter your registration number if entering the car park outside of mass times and then you will have a limited amount of time that you will be permitted to park there. We are getting various cars parking there and using the shops and cinema across the road and also suspicious and illegal behaviour.

BIBLE STUDY GROUP

Fortnightly in the hall, commencing again **Tuesday 24th October at 7.30pm** and then will run fortnightly after that.