

THIS WEEK'S LAMP DEDICATIONS ARE FOR:
Sanctuary Lamps - Helena & Jan Lada (RIP)
Our Lady's Chapel - Keane Family (Intentions)

MASS INTENTIONS FOR 25TH FEBRUARY TO 3RD MARCH 2024

Sunday 25th February	5.30 pm (Sat)	Bridget & Michael Thornton (RIP)
2nd Sunday of Lent	10.00 am	Donal O'Sullivan (RIP)
Year B	12 noon	Tony Walkin (RIP)
	6.00 pm	Philomena McCarron (RIP)
Monday 26th February	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Geoffrey Allan (RIP)
	1.00 pm	Stations of the Cross
Tuesday 27th February	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Rose Jones (Intentions)
Wednesday 28th February	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Nuala & Imelda Armstrong (Ints)
Thursday 29th February	NO MASS HERE TODAY The Church will remain closed.	
Friday 1st March	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
St. David	10.00 am	Sheila O'Sullivan (RIP)
	7.00 pm	Stations of the Cross
	7.30 pm	Bible Studies - Parish Hall
Saturday 2nd March	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Agnes Keane (RIP)
Sunday 3rd March	5.30 pm (Sat)	Michael White (RIP)
3rd Sunday of Lent	10.00 am	Tony Walkin (RIP)
Year B	12 noon	People of the Parish
	6.00 pm	John Callaghan (RIP)

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

Link to our live broadcast: <https://www.churchservices.tv/southruislip>



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2nd Sunday of Lent - Year B

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PARISH TEAM

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Parish Office Hours: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 9.00am-12noon

The Parish Office is closed on Thursdays.

CAR PARK

Please remember each time you use the car park, outside of normal Mass times, you must enter your registration number into one of the tablets located in the church porch, hall or Presbytery. This does NOT apply to: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday between 9am-11am, Saturday 7am-8pm and all day Sunday.

St David (520 - 589)



The earliest life of St David dates from five centuries after his death, probably in 589. He became eminent as abbot and bishop at the site now known as St David's, but formerly Mynyw, from which the present diocese of Menevia is named. He is credited with a monastic rule based on the example of the Eastern Fathers, and also with a Penitentiary. He was invited to preside at the synod of Llandewibrefi. Monks trained at his monastery evangelized South Wales and made foundations in Cornwall, Brittany and Ireland. St David is said to have sent a Mass rite to Ireland. At his death his contemporary St Kentigern, founder of St Asaph's in North Wales, witnessed in vision his joyful entrance into the joy of his Lord. His holy relics have been found hidden in the fabric of St David's Cathedral, where they are carefully preserved. He was canonized by Pope Callistus II in 1123.

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, Isabella Czerniajew, Doreen Sullivan, Audrey Farrell, John Boyne, Philip Rodgers, Rita Clli, Mary Theresa Mills, Tom Doyle, Ciaran Murphy, Lilian Scott, Josie Lambert, Pat Naylor, Jim Moir, Amanda Remedios, Tom McDonagh, Michael McDonagh, Bridget McDonagh, Jerry Mallett, Jo Crann, Francine Williams, Shirley Simon.

(Please tell us when people can be taken off this list).

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY AND THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME. WE ALSO REMEMBER AT THIS TIME:

Jeanette Edwards, Helena & Jan Lada, Bridge & Michael Thornton, Donal O'Sullivan, Tony Walkin, Philomena McCarron, Geoffrey Allan, Sheila O'Sullivan, Agnes Keane, 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 18/02/2024

Standing Orders	£1026.35
Envelopes	£ 236.50
Loose Plate	£ 573.11

WEDDINGS

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

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY (SVP NEWS)

The SVP is, again, planning to hold a St Patrick's Day Bingo Night this year, on Sat 16th March, and this event will be raising funds for the Parish. Fr Paulo, the Parish Team and the Parish congregation, i.e. you, are tremendous supporters of the SVP and so we'd like to now give back as a 'Thank You'. Due to the size of the hall, and the popularity of previous Bingo evenings, the event will be ticket-only and you can buy yours after next weekend's masses. Also, next weekend, the SVP 'Gifted' Shop will be open after all masses. This will be the last Gifted before Easter so please make sure you pay us a visit if you need any Easter gifts and/or cards for your friends and family. Finally, as ever, please remain aware of Need around us and just get in touch with the SVP if you think our help is required - we can be contacted on 07563 775777, 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

Coffee & Sugar	Long-life milk	Squash/long-life juice
Tinned tomatoes	Lentils/Rice/Noodles	Biscuits
Tuna	Eggs	Cooking oil
Toilet paper	Sanitary pads	Laundry soap
Washing up liquid	Men's toiletries	Nappies sizes 5 & 6

HILLINGDON DEANERY LENTEN RETREAT - PREPARING FOR HOLY WEEK

Led by Fr. John Hemer MHM, Saturday 23rd March 9.30am - 3pm. Field Heath House, Field Heath Road, UB8 3NW. Donation to cover costs. Please bring a packed lunch. See poster in porch for more details or to book a place, please email uxbridge@rcdow.org.uk or call Angela on 01895 233193 .

"LILIES OF REMEMBRANCE"

Please take a slip of paper and **PRINT clearly** the names of loved ones to be remembered. Please also consider taking an envelope for your donation to help with the cost of the lilies. All the masses on Easter Sunday will be offered for all our loved ones. Please return slips to the Presbytery as soon as possible.

ANNUAL MASS OF THANKSGIVING FOR THE SACRAMENT OF MATRIMONY WESTMINSTER CATHEDRAL, SATURDAY 25TH MAY 2023 AT 2:30PM.

The Cardinal is again inviting all couples in the Diocese celebrating significant wedding anniversaries. Please let the parish office know if you would like to attend this Mass at the Cathedral as places are by invitation only.

CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY – LENT APPEAL

The appeal is open for the entire duration of Lent and your envelopes can be dropped off at any Mass or put through the Presbytery letterbox.

SCHOOL FORMS

Please collect an information sheet from Fr. Paulo after any Sunday mass, then make an appointment to come and meet with him for the Certificate of Catholic Practice.