

THIS WEEK:

**Mon — Sat: 10am Mass
Exposition and Confessions to
11am unless other service to
follow.**

**Monday (in the Day Chapel)
Friday: Evening Mass at 6.30pm.
Stations of the Cross after 10am
Mass, Friday.**

**St Francis Xavier Novena: March
4—12.**

SUNDAY OFFERTORY/TITHES

JANUARY: £12,409.41

Week average: £2,482

Thank you for your generosity.

Social Apostolate: Bloomsbury Institute is a higher education provider. As part of our commitment to student learning and our local community, we provide a FREE legal advice clinic. The Clinic is managed by the Head of the School of Law and under his supervision, students interview and provide written advice to our clients on a whole range of legal issues.

FAMILY – CIVIL – PROPERTY – HOUSING – PROBATE – COURT FORMS We are delighted to be collaborating with the Social Apostolate at St Ignatius Church. We will visit on a regular basis to offer advice, support and guidance with legal problems. Please speak with Katarzyna or Gabriela for further information.

**FUNERAL: Monday 4th March at
11.30am. Sargon Varda RIP.**

NORMAL CHURCH TIMES

Saturday Evening 6.30^{pm} (Vigil);

Sunday Mass: 8, 9:30, 11

Polish (po polsku): 12.30^{pm}, 6:30^{pm}

Mass in Spanish: 4.30^{pm}

Monday—Saturday: 10am Mass

**Evening Mass Monday and Friday at
6.30^{pm}**

**Padre Pio/Divine Mercy: 2nd and
4th Tuesday at 6.30pm**

Sacrament of Reconciliation:

in the church after 10am Mass each
weekday, **except Friday: Stations of
the Cross**, after the 6.30pm Mass on
Friday, 6pm Saturdays, or *by
appointment at the Presbytery.*

Rosary: 11am each weekday

PARISH STAFF & TEAM

Contact them on: 020 8800 2121

Parish Priest: Fr. Andrew Cameron-Mowat
SJ. **Assistant Priests:** Fr. John McCabe SJ,
Fr. Piotr Kropisz SJ

Resident Jesuits: Fr. Harry Elias SJ, Fr. John
Moffatt SJ (LJC), Fr. Jean Nyembo SJ
(Congo), Fr. Michael Smith SJ (JRS).

Music: Ann Bennett

Sunday Sacristan: Kevin De Souza

Parish Secretary: Judy Bronson.

Tel: 020 8800 2262 . M-Th 9am — 1pm

Catechetics: Aga Wiecek 020 8800 2202

*If you have any concerns about safety or
well-being of a child or vulnerable adult in the
parish, please contact our Safeguarding
Representative: Aga Wiecek, 077 3681 9943*



**3rd Lent Sunday Year B
3rd March 2024**

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SYNOD: Two Parish Meetings.

The report from the two meetings has been sent through to the Dean, Fr. Perry Sykes (Wood Green) who will send it on to our Archbishop. In this way information from local parishes and dioceses around the world feeds the next stage of the Synod in Rome in October.

First Meeting:

Q1. How do we witness as a parish and proclaim our faith? Our worship together; Power of prayer together; the witness of our ministry to the poor and the homeless; could be helped by training input on how to proclaim our faith with confidence. We listen to one another. We try to be empathetic. We offer warm welcome to strangers. We try to be open to people's questions and problems. "Our attitude and way of life will witness for us".

Q2. How to organize the parish better?

Through prayer and allowing the movement of the Holy Spirit. Try to involve our young people more – activities for the younger members. Two groups that worked in the past were ALPHA and Adult Education programmes, training days. We can learn from other parishes. Try to invite people who have gone away from us to come back. Encourage even greater

Responsorial Psalm: You, Lord, have the message of eternal life.

diversity in our community with a welcome for everyone. Build up the faith of family life. Strengthen use of social media. Find ways to bring school and church together more. Some regular youth Masses.

A report of the second meeting will be posted next weekend.

Ask your MP to support the abortion time limit reduction amendment

Support an amendment to reduce our abortion time limit from 24 weeks to 22 weeks. Research indicates that a significant number of babies born at 22 or 23 weeks can now survive outside the womb, leaving a contradiction in our abortion law.

Take action: *Collect a postcard today from the back of the church and post it to your MP urgently in support of this amendment.*

Retrouvaille – Do you need help in your marriage? Retrouvaille has helped many couples find new hope, nourishment and growth in their marriages. If you want to uncover or reawaken the love, trust and commitment that brought you together and work through difficult times in your marriage contact Retrouvaille confidential for more information about our 2024 programmes. There is no group therapy or group work. Our next programme commences with a weekend in Welwyn Garden City on 14-16 June 2024. Call or text 07887 296983 or 07973 380443, email retrouvailleukinfo@gmail.com - or visit www.retrouvaille.org.uk

CONTACTLESS MACHINE: If there is a problem with the machines please use this QR code and enter payment information to make your donations. Many thanks.



POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION MARCH:

For the new martyrs

We pray that those who risk their lives for the Gospel in various parts of the world inflame the Church with their courage and missionary enthusiasm



BIBLE PRAYER FOR YOUNG ADULTS during Lent

Please see the poster for details. Offered for people aged 20s—40, from Sister Agnes (Ursuline Sisters).

With Jesus through Lent to Easter. Sundays 2.30—3.30pm from 18 February. agnescuj@gmail.com

CAN YOU SING? Our Youth Choir which sings at the 9.30 Mass is looking for new members. If you are aged 11-25 and enjoy singing, please come along. Choir practices are on Fridays 6.15pm - 7.15pm in the weekday chapel. If you need more information, text/Whatsapp Ann on 07793 751261. Otherwise please consider joining our 11am choir.

2023 necessary church repairs:

Asbestos removal: £12,648

Electric system: £5,900

Fire alarm system: £9,390

Heating: The heating system is now working, however a few radiators are so old that they no longer function. We are awaiting the bill for the repairs that were carried out.

READINGS: Exodus 20:1-17; 1 Cor. 1:22-25; John 2:13-25