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Parish Notices

✠ **PLANNED GIVING CAMPAIGN:** This weekend you will be handed a leaflet and a pen as you come into church. Please take them and complete the forms inside during Mass. There are three parts for you to complete but don't worry it won't take a lot of time. Guilherme Ressel, a member of our Finance Committee, will give a short talk during the Masses so there will be time for you to do it then or at the end. Please be as generous as your circumstances allow. For anyone who missed the first two leaflets they are available on the table at the back of church. After you've completed the form hand it back to the volunteers as you leave. Thank you for your kind support and generosity, we couldn't do it without you.

✠ **ECOTHEOLOGY AN INTRODUCTION:** A day workshop at the FCJ Centre for Spirituality and EcoJustice. This is a rich and engaging topic, and we are excited to explore it together. We will draw on the Bible, the wisdom of the saints, Laudato Si', and other sources within our faith tradition to reflect on how we can live and flourish together in Our Common Home.
Date: Saturday, 11th July, 2026
Venue: FCJ Centre for Spirituality and EcoJustice, 32 Phoenix Rd, London NW1 1TA
Time: 10:00 AM (doors open at 9:30 AM) – 4:00 PM
Register: https://tinyurl.com/threeworkshops

✠ **STOP ASSISTED SUICIDE BEING BROUGHT BACK:** Assisted suicide campaigners are trying to bring back the Leadbeater Bill. Not Dead Yet UK has launched a simple tool to help you email your MP about the risks this Bill poses to people with disabilities.
Please take 30 seconds to email your MP today using the tool here: http://action.notdeadyetuk.org/

✠ **WEBELIEVE | Festival of Catholic Life: Friday 24-Monday 27 July 2026 | St Mary's College, Oscott, Birmingham** WeBelieve Festival brings the Church together in England and Wales. It is an unmissable opportunity to discover the traditions and charisms that flow through the Church, to experience the joy of community, and to encounter personally the Lord Jesus, our salvation. Join us from 24–27 July 2026 at the historic and beautiful setting of St Mary's College, Oscott, for a feast of the True, the Good and the Beautiful. **Book your tickets at webelievefestival.com**

✠ **MORE HUMAN:** Pope Leo has just published a **new encyclical *Magnifica Humanitas***. It speaks about what it means to be human in our time, especially with in the age of AI. Join us for these 3 short workshops to introduce and explore aspects of this timely document with input, as well as reflection and prayer. In St Aloysius Parish Hall, Phoenix Rd, London NW1 1TA, Mondays 13 Jul, 21 Sep, 23 Nov, 7.30-8.45pm. All Welcome! Register to attend on https://tinyurl.com/MoreHuman26
These workshops will also be online, email info@fcjecojustice.co.uk for more information.

✠ **APPOINTMENTS WITH FR BERNARD:** Fr Bernard is only available to meet with parishioners on **Wednesdays** from 11am.

✠ **BAPTISM:** Before your child can be Baptised parents must make an appointment to meet with Fr Bernard, at least one of whom should be a Baptised, practicing Catholic. Under Canon Law there must be a reasonable expectation that Catholic parents requesting Baptism of their child should be practicing their faith. Fr Bernard requires the Baptism certificates of the parents and the Baptism **and** Confirmation certificates of each Godparent. Please contact the office to make an appointment with Fr Bernard.

✠ **PARISH GROUPS:** Everyone, parishioners and non-parishioners, are welcome to join these groups:

THE EVERGREEN CLUB: meet on Mondays 1-3pm in the church hall for a chat over tea/coffee, biscuits and cake. It's a chance to meet new friends and is open to all ages.

MEDITATION: Have you ever wondered what meditation is about? If so, why not join our meditation at Our Lady's in Stephendale Road. We meet every Wednesday at 6.30-7.30pm for this ancient way of silent prayer (entrance is at the first door to the left of the church building in Tynemouth Street). Introduction and guidance will be given. Any questions ask Fr Bernard or email Pia: pia.huber@gmail.com

✠ **PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:** Please can you remember the sick of our parish in your prayers:
Connie Arowojolu; Patricia Bland; Manuel Da Costa; Bill Fleming; Cynthia James; Jacqueline Kelleher; Maureen Palmer; Alma Smith

✠ **PLEASE GIFT AID YOUR CONTACTLESS DONATIONS:** When making your donation by card you will see the option to gift aid your donation on the screen, simply click yes. It is **essential** that you enter your **full name** and **full first line of your address and postcode**, it then remembers for future donations. For more info visit: https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/stephendaleroad/donate/other-ways-to-give/

✠ **MASS TIMES:**

Our Lady's: Wednesday: **10am** Saturday: **10am** (followed by Adoration and Confession); **7pm** Vigil Mass; Sunday: **10.30am**

Holy Cross: Tuesday, Thursday and Friday: **9.30am**; Saturday: **5.30pm** Vigil Mass;
Sunday: **9am** Family **12pm** Solemn

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THE SANCTUARY LAMP

If you would like the Sanctuary Lamp lit before the Blessed Sacrament for a particular intention please send an email to the office. Each lamp burns for a week.

This week's special intention is for: Patricia Bland