



# OUR LADY OF GOOD COUNSEL CATHOLIC CHURCH

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## MASS TIMES & INTENTIONS

Saturday 11 <sup>th</sup>	6.30pm	People of the Parish
Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Margaret Mary Goldstein (RIP)
	11.00am	Samuel Lonfo (RIP)
Monday 13 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Lilian Akinde (RIP)
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	Eamon Fannon (RIP)
Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	For peace in the Middle East
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup>	10.00am	For peace in the Ukraine
Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup>	6.30pm	Aonghus Leydon (RIP)
Sunday 19 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am	Amy Bennett (RIP)
	11.00am	People of the Parish

CONFESSIONS Saturdays, 5.30pm to 6pm in the Repository

**Easter Envelopes** - are available at the Church door for the Easter Offertory Collection for those who do not use planned giving offertory envelopes or those who give by standing orders. Please note that the Easter collection goes towards Clergy Salaries & Supply Priests.

## DIVINE MERCY SUNDAY SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER - 12<sup>th</sup> APRIL 2026



"Eight days later, Jesus came." John 20: 19-31

## FEAST OF DIVINE MERCY

Sr. Faustina who died in 1938 at the age of 33 was beatified by Pope John Paul II on 30 April 2000. Between 1930 and 1938 Our Lord appeared to her asking her to remind the world of His Divine Mercy and Goodness. On 30 May 2000, in response to Our Lord's request to Sr. Faustina, Pope John Paul II established the Feast of Divine Mercy by celebrated on the First Sunday after Easter.

Our Lord taught Sr. Faustina the following prayer and asked her to recite it often.

***Eternal Father, I offer you the Most Precious Body & Blood, Soul and Divinity of your most beloved Son, Our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ, in atonement for our sins and the sins of the whole world. Through the most sorrowful Passion of Jesus have mercy on us and the whole world. Holy God, Holy Omnipotent, Holy Immortal, have mercy on us and on the whole world.***

Our Lord said to Sr. Faustina: 'Say unceasingly this chaplet (prayer) that I have taught you. Anyone who recites it will receive great Mercy at the hour of death. Even the most hardened sinner, if he recited this chaplet even once will receive Grace from My Infinite Mercy.'



### W/E of 11<sup>th</sup>/12<sup>th</sup> April

6.30pm – Beth Rigby  
 9.00am – Stephen Kiely  
 11.00am – O Okoro

### W/E of 18<sup>th</sup>/19<sup>th</sup> April

6.30pm – Felicia Ogunnowo  
 9.00am – Anne Minoli  
 11.00am – The McKay Family



**READERS ROTA** – Would readers kindly notify any swaps to Roy Vidal at [olgcreaders@gmail.com](mailto:olgcreaders@gmail.com)  
 It would be appreciated if readers would be kind enough to jump in and cover absences (even if you are not on the rota to read that day). Thank you!



Collection 29 <sup>th</sup> March	
Envelopes	£228.40
Loose	£304.92
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Total	£533.32

Thank you for your generosity!



**STOKEY COMMUNITY SHOP** Continues to provide residents the opportunity to purchase their weekly food shop for as little as £5. The aim of the community food shop is to help families and individuals make their money go further, providing access to good quality food for less. **The Stokey Community Shop will return on Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> April.**

### NEW PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES AND DONATIONS TO OUR PARISH

- New Envelopes for the new financial year beginning 12<sup>th</sup> April 2026 are now available on the table at the side by the old confessional for you to collect.
- Please check that your details are correct and inform us of any errors, and please ensure that you are taking the correct box. Please note that your box number may have changed!
- If you have not used your box in some time, you may have dropped off the Parish register. Please notify the Parish Office if there is no box for you. It would help us greatly if you were able to change to a monthly Standing Order. If you would like to change, please contact Luisa at the Parish office on 020 8800 5250 or at [stokenewington@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:stokenewington@rcdow.org.uk). **Please note – for all donations to the parish! If you have previously signed a gift aid declaration, but are no longer paying tax, please let the Parish Office know as soon as possible. Thank you!**

**CALLING ALL BINGO LOVERS!**  
**NEXT BINGO WILL BE ON FRIDAY 1<sup>st</sup> MAY, IN THE DOWNSTAIRS HALL, £5 PER BOOK. LIGHT REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED. COME ALONG AND HAVE SOME FUN!**

### CONTACTLESS GIVING DONATIONS

Dear Parishioners, we are currently having some difficulties with our contactless machine as it is now some years old, and we are still awaiting its replacement. If you wish to donate by contactless, you can still do so by scanning the QR code below or from the poster in the church near the machine which also has the QR code on it. Thanks for your patience!

