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TWELFTH SUNDAY, YEAR A — 25TH JUNE, 2023

THEME: No Room for Fear



Nothing can give us more trust than to know that someone loves us deeply. Faith is really the trust and conviction that God loves us, and loves us deeply. When we are aware of this love there is no more room for fear. People with deep faith are not afraid of professing that faith and of speaking out and committing themselves to all that this faith and love implies. We ask Jesus this week to fill us with faith and love and so to take all fear away from us.

MEDITATE: In this part of Matthew's Gospel, the author continues Jesus' instructions to the apostles, he is sending them out to spread the Good News.

ACT: Decide on a positive action you will take to acknowledge Christ before others.

SUMMER MASS TIMES

Starting weekend **15th/16th July** Mass times will be as follows:
Saturday, Vigil Mass at 5.30pm. Sunday Mass at 10.00am **ONLY.**
The 11.30am Mass will be suspended until September.
From **Monday 10th July** the weekday Masses will be at 10.00am.

THANK YOU

very much for the cards, good wishes and prayers.
It is really appreciated. [Fr. Anthony].

REGISTRATION FORMS

for the Sacraments of First Holy Communion and Confirmation will be available from next weekend.



HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION

Thursday 29th June is the feast of St Peter & St Paul, a Holyday of Obligation. Mass times: Vigil Mass: Wednesday 28th at 7.00pm.
Day Mass: Thursday 29th at 9.30am.
Both Masses will be live-streamed and recorded.

COMING TO MASS: COVID-19 SAFE ENVIRONMENT

[Please do NOT attend Mass if you are unwell or have any Covid symptoms]

As we have many vulnerable parishioners we ask that you **continue to sanistise your hands** when you come to Church.
Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

DONATIONS AND COLLECTION OF MONEY
IMPORTANT NEWS ABOUT GIVING ON-LINE

GIVING BY STANDING ORDER [Preferred Method]: If you would like to support the parish we would ask you to consider setting up a regular donation in this way.

Offertory Envelopes and other donations can be placed in the Collection Box at the entrance or at the exit of the Church.
There are also a number of cashless methods now available:

Make a donation via our website:
https://parish.rcdow.org.uk/wembleyprestonroad/donate/

Via Dona [the company who supply our card readers].
https://portal.mydona.com/assets/webPay/index.php?cid=268

NOW ACCEPTING CONTACTLESS DONATIONS

Donations, Mass Intentions, Candles and Repository payments can also be made via the card readers in Church

[If you are a tax payer, please Gift Aid your donation]

THANK YOU for your continued support



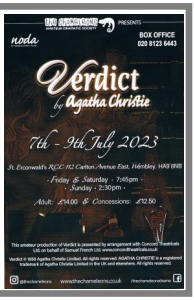
POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION FOR JUNE

For the abolition of torture

We pray that the international community commits itself to the abolition of torture and guarantees support to victims and their families.

THE CHAMELEONS PRESENTS

Verdict, by Agatha Christie
7th - 9th July 2023;
St. Erconwald's Church Hall,
Friday and Saturday: 7.45pm; Sunday: 2.30pm.
Adults: £14.00; Concessions £12.50
Book your tickets now to avoid disappointment later.
Box Office: 020 8123 6443; www.thechameleons.co.uk





REPOSITORY

We have a new selection of rosary beads, as well as Sacred Heart Statues, books etc. Also small religious items suitable as summer gifts on display. Please ask if you require something that is not on display. You are welcome to browse.

THE *ANGELUS* PRAYER



V. The Angel of the Lord declared unto Mary
R. And she conceived by the Holy Spirit
Hail Mary ….

V. Behold the handmaid of the Lord.
R. Be it done to me according to your word.
Hail Mary ….

V. [with head bowed] And the word was made flesh
R. And dwelt among us.
Hail Mary….

V. Pray for us O holy Mother of God.
R. That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray. Pour forth, we beseech you, O Lord, your grace into our hearts, that, we whom the incarnation of Christ your Son, was made known by the message of an angel, may by his Passion and Cross, be brought to the glory of his resurrection. Through the same Christ our Lord. Amen.

INTERNATIONAL DAY NOTICE

We have been left with a number of bowls, serving dishes etc. after the International Day. They are on display in the Hall this weekend. Please check and collect any items that belong to you.

JOB ADVERT – CAFOD Diocese of Westminster

Community Participation Co-ordinator – Full time role. Involves both recruitment and support of existing team of Volunteers. To inspire and resource volunteers to work with parish and school communities to enable them to participate in the Church's mission to overcome poverty and injustice in partnership with CAFOD. Further details on web page. cafod.org.uk/jobs (Closing Date 25/6)

CAFOD: update on the conflict in Sudan

Violent conflict continues in Sudan and thousands of people are running out of food, water and medicine. Please join Pope Francis in praying for peace in Sudan. Find out more on the CAFOD website: cafod.org.uk/news/emergencies-news/sudan-conflict

DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

There will be a Mission Appeal by the Comboni Missionary Sisters on the weekend of 2nd/3rd September.

THE LARDER

Thank you for your kind donations,
especially during these difficult times.
Please leave your donations in the box provided by the Lady Chapel.



CHURCH CLEANING

The Church closes for cleaning after the 9.30am Mass on Tuesdays.
If you have any spare time please come along and join us.

LITURGY FOR THE TWELFTH WEEK OF YEAR 1

[All services can be followed online: **https://www.churchservices.tv/wembley3**
[Saturday 5.30pm and Sunday 10.00am/11.30am Masses are recorded]

Sunday 25th June: 12th Sunday, Year A: [10.00am/11.30am] Readings: 1st Reading: Jeremiah 20.10-13; Psalm: 68; 2nd Reading: Romans 5.12-15; Gospel: Matthew 10.26-33. **Intentions:** 10.00am: Mary and Richard Govan [RIP, A]
11.30am: People of the Parish.

Monday 26th June: Feria [9.30am] Readings: 1st Reading: Genesis 12.1-9; Psalm: 32; Gospel: Matthew 7.1-5. **Intention:** Molly Doherty [RIP]

Tuesday 27th June: St. John Southworth [9.30am] Readings: 1st Reading: Genesis 13.2,5-18; Psalm: 14; Gospel: Matthew 7.6,12-14. **Intention:** Vaughan Wheaton [RIP, A]

Wednesday 28th June: St. Irenaeus: [9.30am] **Readings:** 1st Reading: 2Timothy 2.22-26; Psalm: 36; Gospel: John 17.20-26. **Intention:** Margaret and John Pereira [RIP]

Wednesday 28th June: Ss Peter & Paul: [7.00pm] Readings: 1st Reading: Acts 12.1-11; Psalm: 33; 2nd Reading: 2Timothy 4.6-8,17-18; Gospel: Matthew 16.13-19. **Intention:** Catherine Howard [Intention]

Thursday 29th June: Ss Peter & Paul: [9.30am] Readings: 1st Reading: Acts 12.1-11; Psalm: 33; 2nd Reading: 2Timothy 4.6-8,17-18; Gospel: Matthew 16.13-19. **Intention:** Kathleen Keppler [RIP, A]

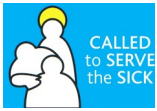
Friday 30th June: Feria: [9.30am] **Readings:** 1st Reading: Genesis 17.1,9-10,15-22; Psalm: 127; Gospel: Matthew 8.1-4. **Intention:** Marcelina Rocha [RIP]

Saturday 1st July: 10.30am: Baptism: Kaiyden Dockerill-Scarlett

Saturday 1st July: 13th Sunday, Year A: [5.30pm] **Readings:** 1st Reading: 2Kings 4.8-11,14-16; Psalm: 88; 2nd Reading: Romans 6.3-4,8-11; Gospel: Matthew 10.37-42. **Intention:** Katie, Mike and Seamus Ruddy [RIP, A]

Sunday 2nd July: 13th Sunday, Year A: [10.00am/11.30am] Readings: 1st Reading: 2Kings 4.8-11,14-16; Psalm: 88; 2nd Reading: Romans 6.3-4,8-11; Gospel: Matthew 10.37-42. **Intentions:** 10.00am: Tonya Greck [RIP, A]
11.30am: People of the Parish.

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK



We keep in our thoughts and prayers: Margaret Beeby, Yves Remedios, Denton Allen, Radwan Naffa, and Kathryn McGinnis.
We remember also those in Kenbrook, Birchwood Grange and Brook House.

SPIRITUAL COMMUNION

My Jesus, I believe that you are present in this Holy Sacrament of the altar. I love you above all things and I passionately desire to receive you into my soul. Since I cannot now receive you sacramentally, come spiritually into my soul so that I may unite myself wholly to you now and forever. Amen.
[*based on a prayer of St Alphonsus Liguori]*