<u>**Our Lady of Lourdes**</u>



Parish Newsletter

2017

Pentecost Sunday

Readings

The first reading from Acts, describes the coming of the Holy Spirit which brings fresh life and energy to the apostles and new possibilities to all who seek God. The second reading, from St Paul, reminds believers of the unity and animation which life in the Holy Spirit brings. The Gospel of John reveals the joy, peace and forgiveness that comes from the Holy Spirit who now inhabits the hearts of Christ's followers. (Synopsis Intercom)

Vigil Mass Saturday 3rd June

7.00pm (Vigil): Bernard Doherty (RIP)

<u>Sunday 4th June : Pentecost Sun</u>day

9.00am: Patrick Doherty (Int); Simone Purcell (Int). 10.30am: Michael Francis (B'day); Sean O'Toole

(Health); Maureen O'Toole (Health)

12.00pm: Ramya (Health); Lucy Namalie (Health); Guity

& Rodean Mehmoudi (Int). 6.00pm: B Doherty (Int).

Monday 5th June: St Boniface, Bishop & Martyr

7.00am: Marchi Family (Health)

10.00am: Edward David Flint (RIP); Maggie Simeons (RIP); Bony Simeons (B'day); Gladys Braganza (Health);

Fr John Leahy (Health).

Tuesday 6th June: Feria, Ninth Week of Year 1

7.00am: Anthony Terence Bernard (B'day/RIP). 10.00am: Jonathan Plotel (RIP); Clare Doherty; Kate

King (RIP); Thomas Lee (RIP).

Wednesday 7th June: Feria

10:00am: Terence Barker (Thanksgiving); Tim & Lisa Foyes (Int); The Louis Family (Health); Fr John Leahy (Health).

7.00pm: Larry O'Toole (RIP); Patricia Stephenson (A-RIP); Margaret, Patrick & Teresa Flanagan (A-RIP).

Thursday 8th June: Feria

7.00am: Irene Raymond (RIP). 10.00am: People of the Parish

Friday 9th June: Feria

10.00am: Sr Mary Brennan (Int); Mary Galvin (Int); Phyllis D'Netto (Health); Local (252) Knights of St.

Columbia (Int).

7.00pm: Colm Tully (B'day-RIP); Mrs Moffat (RIP).

Mass TIMES: Sundays – 9.00am, 10.30am, 12.00pm and 6.00pm Weekdays:

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday – 7.00am and 10.00 am Wednesday, Friday, Saturday - 10.00am and 7.00pm

Saturday - 10.00am, 12.00pm and 7.00pm - Vigil

Reconciliation (Confession): Saturday 10.30am, 12.30pm and 6.00pm

Saturday 10th June: Feria

10.00am: Geoff French (RIP); Marie McNicholas (RIP)

Charlie & Josie (Int).

12.00pm: Sr Joseph Martha Mason (RIP).

7.00pm (Vigil): John & Alice Ward (A-RIP); Gussie &

Mary (Int).

We pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time, including: Patricia Stephenson, Margaret, Patrick

& Teresa Flanagan, John & Alice Ward.

We pray for those who have died recently: Vivienne Johnson, Bernard Doherty, John Bili Tanggul, Emily Lawrence (Girlie); David Dillion. Paddy Barry.

We remember those that are sick in hospital, undergoing treatment or convalescing, including: Fr John Leahy sscc, Fionn Anderssen (aged 4), Sean O'Toole, Maureen O'Toole, Ramya, Lucy Namalie, Marchi Family, Gladys Braganza, The Louis Family, Alison Thornton, Phyllis D'Netto, Mrs Dorly.

Collections

Last Sunday's collection amounted to £2,501.08 Many Thanks



The Congregation of the Sacred Hearts represented by the abbreviation SS.CC. after its Latin name Sacrorum Cordium, is a worldwide religious order whose mission is to contemplate, live and proclaim God's love in the world. There are over 1500 in the Congregation made up priests, brothers and sisters and an increasing number of lay associate members in over 30 countries throughout the world.

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Notice: Please note that holy mass will be celebrated from Monday 12th to Friday 16th June (inclusive) and Monday 19th to Friday 23rd June (inclusive) at 10am only. A priest from the polish church in Ealing will say mass here the first week and we thank them for this service. There will be no 7am or 7pm masses during these two weeks. The Saturday and Sunday mass schedule will remain the same.

Tea & Coffee after the 9am and 10.30am masses today.

Baptism - The next preparation dates are 5^{th} & 12^{th} June with Baptisms taking place on the 25th June. The classes will take place at No 3 Berrymead Gardens. Catechists Conference: The Conference takes place on Saturday 8th July 2017 from 10am - 4pm at Sacred Heart High School, 212 Hammersmith Rd, London W6 7DG, (Entrance in Bute Gardens – first left turn after main doorway). The cost of the day is £10 per person to be paid by Cheque to the Diocese. Please bring a packed lunch – tea and coffee provided. The day will be led by Sr Judith Russi SSMN.

Brightlights: An annual Festival for Catholics aged 16-30 taking place June 23rd – 26th at Alton Castle in Staffordshire. Loads more information available online and at the Westminster Diocesan Youth Office.

24 Hours of ADORATION: Thursday 22nd June 2017, the vigil of the Feast of the Sacred Heart.



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The SSCC communities all over the world are having an hour of adoration at 8pm, following the time zones of each country, on Thursday 22nd June. That means that the whole congregation will make continual adoration for 24

hours. Our Lady of Lourdes vigil will take place in the church. We give thanks to God for the gift of the Congregation and we ask for light for our mission today.



Ealing Half Marathon: Interested in running the Ealing Half Marathon on Sunday 24th September? Join Team Tearfund

and help raise money for Tearfund's work in overcoming poverty around the world. To register and for more information see the poster or visit www.tearfund.org/ealinghalfmarathon

Catholic History Walks in London: Lift up your heads, O Gates! (The Historic City of London) Wednesday 14th June, both at 2pm and 6pm, meeting on the steps of St Paul's Cathedral. Annual Martyrs Walk: (1.30pm, Sunday 25th June from St Sepulchre-without-Newgate to Tyburn) wich is a devotional walk ending with Benediction. More information is available at catholichistorywalks.com

Spirit in the City Festival - Leicester Square on 9th and 10th June: Discover world-class music, inspiring talks, uplifting performances, family activities and dancing crowds all spread across the gorgeous Leicester Square Gardens. Spirit in the City festival has something for all tastes and every age. The RISE Theatre company will be opening the festival on 9th with the premiere of Romero – Heatbeat of El Salvador.

St John Bosco Children's Summer Camp: The St Vincent de Paul Society has been running the St. John Bosco Camp for Catholic children for more than sixty years. For further information or to book a place contact Paul Hayes - 07534 065347 for boys or Gemma O'Flaherty - 07491 811167 for girls between 6-9pm only or visit the website at www.svpboscocamp.co.uk Faith Matters Question Time: The General Election, Which Way Forward? – All welcome to an informative lively evening on how as Christians we might respond to the issues surrounding the General Election at Farm Street Church Hall, 114 Mount Street W1K 3AH on Monday 5th June at 6.45pm.

"Called to Serve the Sick Roadshows": Three evening meetings have been arranged to allow clergy and laity an opportunity to discover and question......

- What hospital chaplains do: St Dominic's Priory Haverstock Hill, Camden London Wednesday 7th June 2017, 7pm for 7.30pm
- How Catholics can realise their unique vocation of being of service the sick: Our Lady and St Michael's, Garston, Watford, Hertfordshire Monday 19th June 2017, 7pm for 7.30pm
- How to think theologically about health: St Benedict's Abbey, Ealing, London Tuesday 27th June, 7pm for 7.30pm

For registration email: peterscott@rcdow.org.uk Vigil for Life: Westminster Cathedral on Saturday 17th June, the eve of the Day of Life. Find more information on the notice board.



National Volunteers Week: 1st to 7th June. Why not use your gifts and VOLUNTEERS' talents to volunteer?
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Visit www.caritaswestminster.org.uk/volunteer to register for a free Caritas Volunteer Service account, and to find the right volunteering for you.



Shamrock Club Acton: are holding a Charity day on Saturday 8th July at 2pm. Please support the event to raise funds for the Children of Saint Mary's Hospital Intensive Care (COSMIC). You can help with running a stall on the day, selling raffle tickets, donating prizes for the raffle/auction, adults and children tombola, new or nearly new items, baking cakes or just offering your services for a few hours on the day. Stalls are available to sell your own products for a small fee. Any queries or for more information contact: Nicholas Walsh on 0208 248 3144 or 07961 160771 or email:

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Queen of Peace Prayer Group & Exposition: Held every Friday after 7pm Mass.