

16th July 2017

The Parishes of
Our Lady of Lourdes, Acton Town
St Aidan of Lindisfarne, East Acton



Served by the Congregation
of the Sacred Hearts

Our Lady of Lourdes Parish Mass Intentions:

Vigil Mass Saturday 15th July

7.00pm (Vigil): Bridie Hughes (RIP/B'day);
Fr Tom Mullen ssc (1st A).

Sunday 16th July: 15th Sunday in Ordinary Time

9.00am: Hyron Thomas (RIP); Bridget Morrison (RIP-A);
Brian Carroll (RIP-A).

10.30am: Joe Leydon (RIP); Regina Louer (Int).

12.00pm: Gill Rodrigues and family (Int); Bob Kavanagh
(Health).

6.00pm: Flora Gomes (A); Nancy De Courcy (A).

Monday 17th July: Feria, Fifteenth Week of Year 1

7.00am: Jo McCudden (RIP); Alman Taylor (RIP).

10.00am: Philip and George Oliver (RIP); Mathew
Fernandes (Int); Owen Murtagh (RIP).

Tuesday 18th July: Feria

7.00am: People of the Parish

10.00am: Miss Betty Hart (RIP); Stanislaw Habas (RIP-
A); Mary Parkinson (A); Arlond Mahon and Family (Int).

Wednesday 19th July: Feria

10:00am: Funeral of Alison Thornton RIP.

7.00pm: Helen Navaratnam (A-RIP); Emedlina Jean
Bernard (A).

Thursday 20th July: Feria, St Apollinaris, Bishop & Martyr

7.00am: Fr John Leahy ssc.

10.00am: Maggie Simeons (RIP); Josie Clifford (RIP);
Sean O'Toole (Health); Maria Franco (B'day).

Friday 21st July: Feria, St Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest & Doctor.

10.00am: Dan Casey (RIP); Stephen Flaherty (RIP); Nora
Curtin (RIP/ Months Mind); Special Intention;
Thanksgiving.

7.00pm: Michael & Anne Naughton (Int).

Saturday 22nd July: St Magdalene

10.00am: Jacqueline Uzoka (Int); Special Intention.

12.00pm: Breda Dennehy (RIP); Bernard Doherty (RIP);
Bridget & Patrick Coyne (RIP-A); Ranjini Flint (Health).

7.00pm: John Lyons (RIP/B'day); Bridie Barry (B'day);
Fr John Leahy ssc (Health).

We pray for those whose anniversaries occur at this time, including: Flora Gomes, Nancy De Courcy and Emedlina Jean Bernard, Fr Tom Mullen ssc, Fr George Foley ssc, Bridget Morrison, Brian Carroll, Mary Parkinson, Stanislaw Habas, Helen Navaratnam and Bridget & Patrick Coyne.

We pray for those who have died recently: Michael Higgins; Joe Leydon; Alison Thornton, Nora Curtin, Mary McDonagh, Murtle Henry, Hyron Thomas and Lila Fantell.

We remember those that are sick in hospital, undergoing treatment or convalescing, including: Fr John Leahy ssc, Lucy Namalie, Marchi Family, Brenda King, Fionn Anderssen, Goody McCann, Nora Kenny, Ronnie Lobo and Victoria Neri.

Collections

Last Sunday's collection was £1746.12 with approximately £600.00 in standing orders. The Second Collection for the Apostleship of the Sea was £819.63.

Many Thanks as always for your generosity



Fifteenth Sunday In Ordinary Time

The **first reading** from the prophet Isaiah, brings an image of God's fruitful activity in the heart of the believer.

The **second reading**, reveals his vision of a liberated humanity longing for the glory to be found through those bearing the fruits of God's Spirit.

Our Lady Of Lourdes Parish Mass times and contact details. For St Aidans please check out their website.

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

Office: 020 8992 2014 (Monday – Friday 9am -1.30pm)
Acton Homeless Concern Ian Breen (Manager)
Emmaus House: 020 8992 5768
Damien Centre: 020 8993 6096
email: admin@actonhomelessconcern.org

Message from the Provincial of the Congregation of the Sacred Hearts (SSCC)

Dear Parishioners,

On behalf of the Congregation of the Sacred Hearts, I wish to thank you for your continued prayers and support for Fr John Leahy ss.cc. who remains in hospital.

Fr John has recently been diagnosed with a rare but treatable form of leukaemia and has begun a course of treatment. This please God, will see Fr John make a full recovery, after which he will take a sabbatical.

Since the 1st July 2017, Fr Fergal Maguire ss.cc. has been appointed administrator and Parish Priest for St Aidan's, East Acton and Our Lady of Lourdes, Acton. The two Parishes will be served on a 'Team Ministry' basis. This means that most of the Sacred Hearts priests on the team, will minister between the two adjoining parishes.

These changes will give the impetus for the two parishes to collaborate and cooperate in many common areas and interests. I know and trust you will give this new collaboration your full support, and keep all involved in your prayers as you are in ours.

Fr Michael Ruddy ss.cc. (Provincial)

Parish Priest: We welcome Fr Fergal Maguire sccc our parish priest who will speak at all Masses this weekend.



Tea & Coffee after the 9am and 10.30am masses today. There is no tea/coffee during the month of August.

Baptism - The next preparation dates are 4th and 11th of September.

ECHO: is a retreat for young adults aged 16-25. An opportunity to discover more of who you were made to be. More information: rebekahcurran@rcdow.org.uk

Medical Volunteers' Appeal: The Lourdes Medical Team is in urgent need of a Pediatric Specialist, who would be able to join the pilgrimage to Lourdes from 23rd to 29th July 2017. For more information: Lourdes@rcdow.org.uk

Catholic Certificate of Religious Studies (CCRS): is designed for people who are engaged in the communication of their Catholic Faith, whether directly or indirectly. More information at www.brs-ccrs.org.uk

Qualified Therapist: Holistic Therapy at No. 3 will be away during the month of August. Therapy sessions will begin again in September.

Summer outing to Bournemouth: Buckets and spades



at the ready! In conjunction with St. Aidan's East Acton a trip to sunny

Bournemouth has been arranged for Saturday 22nd July. The coach will leave from outside the parish at 8am. Tickets are available from the parish office £16 for Adults and £11 for a child.

Upcoming CAFOD Events in July: Free talks on CAFOD's work in Latin America. Wednesday 19th July 7.30-9pm.

For further information call 0208 4496970 or email: westminster@cafod.org.uk

The Passage helping homeless people: There will be a



Garden Party in aid of the Passage in the historic College Garden, Westminster Abbey on Friday 21st July from 6pm.

Tickets £40, and includes buffet supper, wine, soft drinks, live music and a prize raffle. Tel. 020 7592 1856 or email tickets@passage.org.uk

The Society of Our Lady of Lourdes is organising a Pilgrimage of the Sick to Aylesford Priory, Kent on Sunday 13th August. Tickets cost £16. The coach leaves Ealing Town Hall at 8.30am and returns from Aylesford to Ealing Town Hall at 5pm. Please bring a packed lunch.

Nursery and Year 1 places for September 2017 St.

Vincent's Catholic School - Application forms for admission to Nursery and Year 1 for September 2017 are currently available from the School website at www.st-vincent.ealing.sch.uk/admissions or from the School Office at St. Vincent's Catholic School, 1 Pierpoint Road, Acton, W3 9JR. *Please note the school office will be closed between 14th July and 31st August.*

Gumley House School FCJ: Paid work on an ad hoc basis from July to August 2017 for anyone able to help move furniture while deep cleaning takes place. If interested please contact Mrs Lonergan (Headteacher's PA) on 0208 568 8692.

One Day Retreat: at Our Lady of Assumption and St Gregory RC Church, Warwick St, Piccadilly W1F 9JR. More information on the notice board.

Summer Catholic History Walks: For King & Country – Wednesday 19th July, 6pm. Catholics & politics - meet on the steps of Westminster Cathedral. The King's Good Servant - Tuesday 25th July, 6pm (The story of the heroic St Thomas More), meet at the Church of Our Most Holy Redeemer, Chelsea. Notice board has more information.

Veneration of the Relic of St. Edmund Campion: After the 7pm Mass on Wednesday 19th July. All welcome.

Volunteers Needed: Cleaners required for Our Lady of Lourdes Church. Every Monday between 10.30am – 11.30am. Please contact the Parish Office if you are able to volunteer.

Invite someone to Church: Please do consider inviting



someone new to mass and help support them and integrate them in our parish community. Look out for

someone new in our Church and welcome them.

Congregation of the Sacred Hearts

We send our best wishes to Juan Andújar and Ignacio Mira from Spain and Grzegorz Panuś and Jakub Mateusz Piecuch from Poland who will have their First Professions soon and to Arul Thiyagaraj from India who will be ordained deacon in August. These are blessings for us as a Congregation. More hearts needed.