

SANCTUARY LAMPS

This week's dedication is for a Private Intention

Mass Intentions for 22nd July to 29th July 2018

This SUNDAY 22nd July	5.30 pm (Sat)	Peter Masterson (RIP)
16th Sunday Year B	10.00 am	Madeleine Quigley (RIP)
	6.00 pm	Steve Howley (RIP)
Monday 23rd July	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
St. Bridget of Sweden	10.00 am	John Riordan (Intentions)
Tuesday 24th July	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Jose Del Rosario (RIP)
Wednesday 25th July	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
St. James	10.00 am	Des, Mary & Finbar O'Mahony (Ints)
Thursday 26th July	NO MASS HERE TODAY	
St. Joachim & St. Anne	(Sacred Heart, Ruislip - 10.00am)	
Friday 27th July	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Teresa Minchero (RIP)
Saturday 28th July	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Steve Howley (RIP)
	10.30-11.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
NEXT WEEKEND		
29th July 2018	5.30 pm (Sat)	James & Arthur Pinto (RIP)
17th Sunday Year B	10.00 am	Jim Treanor (RIP)
	6.00 pm	Mark Benstead (RIP)

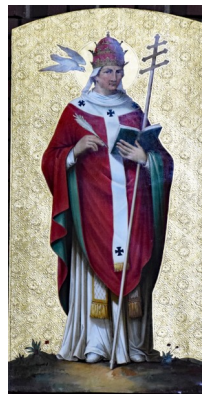
Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) Saturdays after morning & evening Masses.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:- Tony Johnson, Liam Warren, Micah McKennon, Mary Temple, Thelma Buckingham, Nicola Teune, Michael Clough, Denise Busby, Sylvia Bryant, Bridget Finch, Angie Webster, Michael Mangan, Mary Wallace, Kevin Ryan, Theresa Brent, Anne-Marie Henry, Barbara Hayes, James West, Sid West, Tom Hennessy, Breda O'Sullivan, Nora Demello, John Rawlings, Ron Crann, John McEvoy, Donna White, Dymrna McDermott, Julie & Colin Dear, Peggy McNicholas, Josie Ballard, Bruno Bragoli, Renelle Nedd, Russell Mudd, John Riordan, Gillian Burke, Sharon Batchelor, Babs Thorn.

(Please tell us when people can be taken off this list).

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE DIED RECENTLY AND THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME, WE ALSO REMEMBER AT THIS

TIME:- Pat Bragoli, Pat Dixon, Fr. Basil Zawierucha, Peter Masterson, Madeleine Quigley, Steve Howley, Jose Del Rosario, Teresa Minchero.



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22nd July 2018

16TH SUNDAY ORDINARY TIME - YEAR B
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Parish Team

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Fr. Paul writes:-

*A few weeks ago, our school, St Swithun Wells, had an inspection regarding religious education and celebration. Three examiners from the diocese spent a whole day inspecting classes, speaking to staff, pupils, parents and governors. Prior to their coming much had been forwarded to them relating the organisation and celebration of the Catholic Faith in the school. One very important document was called a **SELF EVALUATION FORM**. It had been worked on endlessly during the year by the staff and the governors. It asked them to evaluate a) the teaching and b) how our faith was celebrated in the school. And I am very glad to say that their evaluations fitted exactly with what the inspectors found, namely that our teaching was **GOOD** and our Catholic life was **OUTSTANDING**. An excellent and well-deserved result for everyone.*

So it was wonderful that last Wednesday the whole school along with some parents and parishioners celebrated Mass here to thank God for the blessings of the year and to ask His Blessing particularly on Year 6 who will be moving on to Secondary School in September and on those members of staff who are also moving on.

All our schools are now on holiday and it's time for many household to set off for a break from the usual routine. We wish everyone a safe journey, a good rest and return with new strength for the year ahead!

DIOCESAN NEWS

Vacancies in the Diocese	Hours	Closing Date
Parish Administrator, Harrow Road	12 hours per week	17th August
Parish Organist, London Colney	48 services per year	TBC

For vacancies in the Diocese please visit <http://rcdow.org.uk/diocese/jobs/>

PARISH NEWS

Church Cleaning

Could you spend an hour on Saturday morning to assist with the cleaning of our beautiful church? Our regular group meet every Saturday at about 8.30am. Please do come along if you can and lend a hand. We are especially short of volunteers during the holiday season so please do consider coming along and lending a hand.

Change of Email Address - Sr. Joanna

Please note that Sr. Joanna's email address has changed to joannawhooley@rcdow.org.uk as is printed on the front page of newsletter. Please use this email address as from now.

Hospitals

It would be very helpful if you would let us know about anyone (including yourself!) who has been admitted to hospital and would like a visit from Fr. Paul, Sister Joanna or a member of the St Vincent de Paul Society. It's not uncommon for us to find out after your stay! None of us have special radar to know who's where so we do depend on receiving information. While you are in hospital make sure you inform staff that you are a Catholic and that you would like to receive a visit from the Roman Catholic Chaplain.

Weddings
Couples wishing to marry here or in any Catholic Church need to give at least six months' notice of their intentions.

Red Sanctuary Lamps
If you would like to have these dedicated for a week to the memory of a loved one, please contact Gillian in the parish office. There is a suggested donation of £10 and the name will appear on the newsletter for the specific week.

COLLECTION 15/07/2018		Parish Registration
Envelopes	£ 616.80	If you have recently joined the parish or not completed a Registration Card in the last two years please do so and return it to the presbytery. These cards are available in the porch or from the Parish Office. Our records are referred to for applications for sacramental preparation and school application forms.
Loose Plate	£ 304.15	
Standing Orders	£ 981.00	
Total	£1901.95	

PARISH NOTICES

SVP News

Do you remember our 7 SVP working groups, addressing Hospital Visits, Care Home Visits, Home Visits, Refugee Centre Visits, Bereavement Counselling, Prayer Events and the Foodbank? And our Twinnage initiative mentioned recently? Well, the latest progress on these is that we now have two newly trained Bereavement Counsellors in our team, bringing the total number to 3! We are blessed to have such a large and gifted SVP team within the parish and 'Thank You' for your ongoing support. If anyone is in need of Bereavement Counselling, or in need of any other SVP service, then please do not hesitate to contact us. And, as always, please remember the key SVP message of 'Awareness' - if you or someone you know is in need of the help of the SVP in any way then please do get in touch - details from Gillian or Paul O'Regan - Mob 07563 775 777 - [in-fo@sypsouthruislip.org.uk](mailto:fo@sypsouthruislip.org.uk) God Bless.

Holidays

Our schools have broken up and many households will be embarking on a break away from home. We pray that all will travel safely and enjoy the gift of a new routine and new surroundings and, of course, return refreshed and renewed for a new year beginning in September. If your destination is in England or Wales, we have a new directory in the presbytery which gives the details and contact numbers of every church in these countries. Contact the Parish Office if you would like such information.

Help needed:

We are looking for one or two people to look after then garden patch just by the presbytery door. The two ladies who tended the patch for many years have decided to call it a day and we are most grateful for their dedication and tenacity. Those with gardening interests please take a look—and let Fr. Paul or Gillian know.

<u>THIS WEEK</u> <u>Saturday 21st July 2018</u>	<u>LOOKING AHEAD</u> <u>Saturday 28th July</u>
8.30 am Church Cleaning	8.30 am Church Cleaning
12-2 pm Foodbank	12-2 pm Foodbank
	<u>Saturday 4th August</u>
	8.30 am Church Cleaning
	<u>Monday 6th August</u>
	8.00 pm SVP Monthly Meeting - Hall
During the summer holidays as a lot of families will be on holiday, we will not be having a Children's Liturgy. This will resume again in September. The Monday Club will resume again on 10th September. The knitting / crochet group will finish on Wednesday 18th July and will resume on Wednesday 12th September. Refreshments after Mass will also resume in September.	