

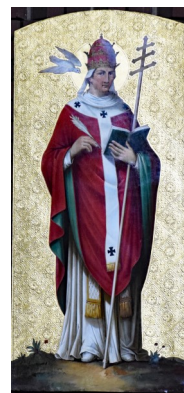
SANCTUARY LAMPS

This week's dedication is for: Mary Burke (RIP)

Mass Intentions for 5th May to 12th 2019

This SUNDAY 5th May	5.30 pm (Sat)	Winnie & George O'Connell (RIP)
3rd Sunday of Easter Year C	10.00 am	Ann Ansbro (RIP)
	6.00 pm	Rolando De Guzman (RIP)
Monday 6th May	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Maureen Brown (In Sickness)
Tuesday 7th May	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Eileen McCourt (Intentions)
Wednesday 8th May	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Elizabeth Murphy (RIP)
Thursday 9th May	NO MASS HERE TODAY (Sacred Heart, Ruislip - 10.00am)	
Friday 10th May	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Harry Hickman & Martin Byrnes (RIP)
Saturday 11th May	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Peggy Corkerry (Intentions)
	12noon	First Holy Communions
NEXT WEEKEND		
12th May 2019	5.30 pm (Sat)	Seamus Somers (RIP)
4th Sunday of Easter Year C	10.00 am	Karen Houk (RIP)
	6.00 pm	People of the Parish

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



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5th May 2019

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Parish Team

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Fr. Paul writes:-

I want to thank everyone for the wonderful way in which the Holy Week and Easter services were carried out and attended. We began with the shared blessing and procession of palms with our friends from St Mary's in The Fairway. The weather was in our favour and you can see some photos of the event in our church porch. The three great celebrations - The Mass of the Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday, The Solemn Liturgy on Good Friday and The Easter Vigil on Holy Saturday were all well attended and were all helped by our Altar Servers, Choir and Readers. The flowers for Easter were spectacular. We are lucky to have so many parishioners who help out, often behind the scene. Thank you all and many thanks, too, for your cards and gifts!

Our friends at St Mary's are celebrating 60 years with a Flower festival running from this Friday (3rd May) and all over the Bank Holiday weekend. Do go and have a look in. This Saturday (4th May) they are having a social evening, including a free band concert at 7.30pm., featuring The Northwood Headquarters Big Band and the Eclipse Singers.

We begin our First Holy Communion season today (4th May) Congratulations to all our children and to their families and to all our enthusiastic band of catechists led by Sr Joanna. There are two more celebrations to come (11th & 18th May).

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:- Tony Johnson, Liam Warren, Michah McKennon, Mary Temple, Nicola Teune, Michael Clough, Denise Busby, Slyvia Bryant, Bridget Finch, Angie Webster, Michael Mangan, Mary Wallace, Kevin Ryan, Theresa Brent, Anne-Marie Henry, Barbara Hayes, Sid West, Tom Hennessy, Breda O'Sullivan, Nora Demello, Ron Crann, John McEvoy, Donna White, Peggy McNicholas, Josie Ballard, Bruno Bragoli, Renelle Nedd, Gillian Burke, Sharon Batchelor, Keith Murray, Maurice Hickmott, Mary Xavier, Alan Downes, John Higgins, Maxi Giambrone, Louise Forster, Theresa Blackman, David Cullen, Josie McFadden.

(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:-

Edna Rozario, Mary Burke, Winnie & George O'Connell, Ann Ansbro, Rolando De Guzman, Elizabeth Murphy, Harry Hickman, Martin Byrnes.

DIOCESAN NOTICES

CURRENT VACANCIES WITHIN THE DIOCESE

For all vacancies in the Diocese please visit the website

<http://www.sacredhearthingdon.co.uk/vacancies/> or call 01895 633240

Do you have public speaking skills? Want to help tackle poverty and injustice?

CAFOD are looking for volunteers with public speaking skills and the ability to work with, and co-ordinate, small teams of volunteers locally. To find out more, why not book a place on our volunteer day on Saturday 11th May? The meeting will be held in our offices near Lambeth North tube station. Contact Tony on 020 8449 6970 or tsheen@cafod.org.uk for further details.

PARISH NOTICES

Offertory Envelopes

Thank you to all those who have collected their new boxes of planned giving envelopes. If you have not collected your box, they are now available to collect from the parish office. We wish to thank all those who use either planned giving envelopes or standing orders for their contribution to the running of our parish. Forms are available in the porch if you would like to set up a standing order or register for Gift Aid.

Walsingham Pilgrimage - Sunday 19th May

Coach will leave St. Gregory's at 7.30 am, cost is £20 per person. Please put your name and contact number on the list in the porch. Please put your payment in a sealed envelope and drop through the presbytery door by Monday 13th May. Any cheques please make payable to 'Margaret Corbett'.

Thursday 9th May 7-9.30pm - Parish Hall

Partylite fragrance and home deco event, raising funds for Elhers Danlos Syndrome Research (EDS). Come meet old and new friends and support this very important charity event.

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.

COLLECTIONS 28/04/2019

Envelopes £ 408.40

Loose Plate £ 187.59

Standing Orders £1104.63

Total £1700.62

Holy Places £ 646.15

African Missionaries £ 914.50

Parish Registration

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.

PARISH NOTICES

SVP News

We hope you all had a peaceful and Holy Easter and welcome to the 1st SVP News slot since before Easter. We would like to say a huge 'Thank You' to all of you who donated your ASDA tokens to our little hungry 'Yellow' snake! As a result, we came 2nd in the competition and ASDA have very kindly donated £200 to your SVP conference. Rest assured that this will be put to work to help the needy and less fortunate brothers and sisters in our community. On a related issue, you may have seen our new posters out and about in the community offering Bereavement Counselling. These sessions occur on the first Wednesday of each month at 10.30 am in the church hall. Please keep an eye out for the posters and please spread the word. Finally, as always, please remain 'Aware' of need and just let us know if the SVP's help is needed in any way. The SVP Team can be contacted via email info@svpsouthruislip.org.uk or telephone 07563 775 777 God Bless, Paul O'Regan.

Baptism Preparation

Wednesday 15th May at 8pm in the Church hall. Please telephone Gillian at the Presbytery as these meetings are by appointment only.

Confirmation Candidates

Please note that the Confirmation classes resume Monday 13th May at 6.15pm.

<u>THIS WEEK</u>	<u>LOOKING AHEAD:-</u>
<u>Sunday 5th May</u>	<u>Sunday 12th May</u>
5.30 pm (Sat Vigil) Children's Liturgy	5.30 pm (Sat.Vigil) Children's Liturgy
10.00 am Children's Liturgy	10.00 am Children's Liturgy
11.00 am Refreshments after Mass	11.00 am Refreshments after Mass
<u>Monday 6th May</u>	<u>Monday 13th May</u>
1.30 pm NO Monday Club	1.30 pm Monday Club
	6.15 pm Confirmation Programme
	8.00 pm SVP Monthly Meeting
<u>Wednesday 8th May</u>	<u>Wednesday 15th May</u>
1.30 pm Knitting / Crochet	8.00 pm Baptism Preparation - Hall
<u>Friday 10th May</u>	<u>Friday 17th May</u>
10.30 am Parents & Toddlers	10.30 am Parents & Toddlers
6.00 pm 1st Communion Rehearsal	6.00 pm 1st Communion Rehearsal
<u>Saturday 11th May</u>	<u>Saturday 18th May</u>
8.30 am Church Cleaning	8.30 am Church Cleaning
12-2 pm Foodbank	12-2pm Foodbank