

SANCTUARY LAMPS

This week's dedication is for: Laurence O'Dwyer (RIP)

Mass Intentions for 23rd June to 30th June 2019

This SUNDAY	5.30 pm (Sat)	Kathleen & Patrick Sugrue (RIP)
23rd June 2019	10.00 am	Steve Howley (RIP)
The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ Year C	6.00 pm	Laurence O'Dwyer (RIP)
Monday 24th June	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
Nativity of St. John The Baptist	10.00 am	Margaret Molloy (RIP)
Tuesday 25th June	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	James McNamara (RIP)
Wednesday 26th June	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Edward, Bella & Madeleine Quigley (RIP)
Thursday 27th June	NO MASS HERE TODAY	
St. John Southworth	(Sacred Heart, Ruislip - 10.00am)	
Friday 28th June	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus	10.00 am	Edna Rozario (RIP)
Saturday 29th June	9.45 am	Morning Prayer
	10.00 am	Michael Clarke (RIP)
	10.30-11.00am	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament
	12.30 pm	Baptism - Arthur Grantham & Ricardo Rivas
NEXT WEEKEND		
30th June 2019	5.30 pm (Sat)	Margaret McNair (RIP)
St. Peter & St. Paul	10.00 am	Katie Ruddy (RIP)
Year C	6.00 pm	Josephine & Laurence O'Dwyer (RIP)

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

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, Tom Hennessy, Breda O'Sullivan, Nora Demello, Ron Crann, John McEvoy, Donna White, Peggy McNicholas, Josie Ballard, Bruno Bragoli, Renelle Nedd, Gillian Burke, Keith Murray, Mary Xavier, Alan Downes, John Higgins, Maxi Giambrone, Louise Forster, Theresa Blackman, David Cullen, Barbara Thorn, Jane Ellis.
(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:- Laurence O'Dwyer, Kathleen & Patrick Sugrue, Steve Howley, Margaret Molloy, James McNamara, Edward, Bella & Madeleine Quigley, Edna Rozario, Michael Clarke.



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23rd June 2019

THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST YEAR C
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Fr. Paul writes:

The Eucharist, whose feast we celebrate today, is a sacrament which should fill us with wonder. To access so great a mystery we must begin with what we see, in order to reach that in what we believe and so partake of what is there.

What we SEE. Human realities of bread and wine taken and given by Jesus so that we may EAT and DRINK

What we BELIEVE. The Supper that Jesus shared with his disciples prefigured the sacrifice he was going to make the next day. Under the sign of bread and wine Jesus gives us his life so that we may share in his. At the altar where we share his Body and Blood he is substantially present.

What IT IS. What we receive is what we become- The Body of Christ. "When the priest says to each communicant "The Body of Christ" he is saying "Receive what you are"

Most of us have memories of our First Holy Communion. Last week five gentlemen came to Mass to celebrate the 70th anniversary of their First Holy Communion together (which took place in the Most Sacred Heart, Ruislip - our church didn't exist in 1949!) Congratulations to them!

DIOCESAN NOTICES

CURRENT VACANCIES WITHIN THE DIOCESE

For all vacancies in the Diocese please visit the website

<https://jobs.rcdow.org.uk/>

PARISH NOTICES

Preparation for First Holy Communion 2020

Information Evening for Parents

On Monday 24th June at 7.30pm in the Parish Hall

If you are resident in the parish, or regularly attend mass here with your family and your child is in Year 3 or above from September 2019, there will be an information evening on Monday 24th June at 7.30pm. One parent/guardian from each family (not children) is expected to attend. The structure of the course will be explained and the application forms will be available on that evening. Any parent/guardian unable to attend on 24th June, please inform the parish office, well in advance, so that alternative arrangements can be made. Completed application forms must be returned to the Parish Office by Friday 12th July at the latest.

St. Swithun Wells' School Summer Fayre

Everyone is welcome to attend the St. Swithun Wells' School Summer Fayre on Saturday 29th June from 12 noon to 4 pm. There will be lots of stalls and fun for all the family.

SVP Cream Teas Afternoon

In the parish hall on Saturday 6th July 3pm to 5pm - everyone welcome.

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 16/06/2019

Envelopes £ 419.50

Loose Plate £ 218.23

Standing Orders £1104.63

Total £1742.36

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

As you might know, we set up a Bereavement Counselling/Drop In Service earlier in the year. The SVP members running this initiative are available in the church hall on the first Wednesday of each month at 10.30am. The session usually closes at 12.30pm. We want to make sure that people who might need this service are aware that it is available and, to this end, we have put up posters in the local libraries, doctors surgeries, shops and the like. We would really appreciate it if you could also spread the word - you never know, it could be just the piece of news that makes the difference to someone who might be suffering in silence. Please let your friends know and, in turn, please ask them to spread the word too. Remember, the service of the SVP is available to all, irrespective of race, colour or creed - everyone is our sister and everyone is our brother. To close, 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 on Mob 07563 775 777 and on email at info@svpsouthruislip.org.uk God Bless Paul O'Regan.

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. If you would like to help but can only do a different day or time please contact Gillian in the parish office.

THIS WEEK

Sunday 23rd June

5.30 pm (Sat Vigil) Children's Liturgy
10.00 am Children's Liturgy
11.00 am Refreshments after Mass

Monday 24th June

1.30 pm Monday Club
7.30 pm 1st Comm. info evening

Wednesday 26th June

1.30 pm Knitting / Crochet

Friday 28th June

10.30 am Parents & Toddlers

Saturday 29th June

8.30 am Church Cleaning
9.00 am Walk With Me
12-2 pm Foodbank

LOOKING AHEAD:-

Sunday 30th June

5.30 pm (Sat.Vigil) Children's Liturgy
10.00 am Children's Liturgy
11.00 am Refreshments after Mass

Monday 1st July

1.30 pm Monday Club
8.00 pm SVP Monthly Meeting

Wednesday 3rd July

1.30 pm Knitting / Crochet
10.30 am-12noon Bereavement Drop-In - Hall

Friday 5th July

10.30 am Parents & Toddlers

Saturday 6th July

8.30 am Church Cleaning
9.00 am Walk With Me
12-2 pm Foodbank
3-5 pm SVP Afternoon Teas - Hall