

Mary Immaculate & St Peter Catholic Church

PARISH UNDER THE CARE OF THE MISSIONARY CONGREGATION OF THE HOLY SPIRIT. SPIRITANS

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Mass Times: Monday - Wednesday at 10am Thursday - 7pm, Friday & Saturday at 10am Saturday Vigil at 6pm, Sunday at 9.30am,11am and 6pm, Holy Days of Obligation - 7pm Adoration - Fridays at 9.30am Confession - 10.30am Saturdays or by request.

Fr. Jude is available every Wednesday after 10am Mass or by arrangement (except Mondays) Fr. Jean Pascal is available every Thursday from 4.30pm until evening Mass at 7pm. or by arrangement (except Tuesdays)

30th March 2025

PARISH NOTICES

NEW PARISHIONERS: We welcome all new Parishioners to our community.

THE TERMINALLY ILL ADULTS (END OF LIFE)

BILL: Legislation is passing through parliament seeking to legalise assisted suicide. The Bill's Third Reading and vote is likely to take place at the end of April or start of May. It is vitally important that you contact our local MP. Dan Tomlinson, to share your reservations, even if you have done this before. For more information about the bill and to access the link to contact our

MP please visit https://www.cbcew.org.uk/opposingassisted-suicide/. The Cardinal has written a Pastoral Letter on this subject which will be read out at all Masses next weekend. Copies of this letter will be available for you next weekend in the Church porch.

THIS WEEK'S SECOND COLLECTION - NOAH'S ARK CHILDREN'S HOSPICE: Noah's Ark Children's Hospice based in High Barnet is one of the UK's leading children's hospices, providing care for over 350 children and their families every year. They believe that all children and young person who are seriously unwell, and their loved ones, should have access to expert and compassionate palliative care from the point of diagnosis. information more please visit https:// noahsarkhospice.org.uk. Please support them if you can.

RCIA CANDIDATES PROFESSION CREED: On Sunday the 6th April at the 6pm Mass this year's Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults candidates, Goodness and Naomi, will make their Profession of the Creed in preparation for the Sacraments they will receive at this year's Easter Vigil on the 19th April. Please come and support them if you can.

LENTEN REFLECTIONS AND STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Lenten Reflection sessions at either 10.30am or at 6.30pm continue each Wednesday until 16th April inclusive. Please note that the morning and evening sessions have similar content. The evening session is followed by Stations of the Cross at 7pm. All welcome.

SECOND COLLECTION-NEXT WEEK'S **SIGHTSAVERS:** Sightsavers is an international non -governmental organisation that works with partners in developing countries to treat and prevent avoidable blindness, and promote equality for people with visual impairments and other disabilities. For more information visit https://www.sightsavers.org/ We will be holding a second collection for this charity as part of our Lenten Alms Giving, next weekend.

THANK YOU TO THE SOCIAL CLUB: A big thank you to the Social Club for their recent donation to the Parish funds of £1,500. In addition to this they raised a further £900 profit from the recent St. Patrick's night celebrations, which was enjoyed by all who attended. Members of the Social Club committee work tirelessly for the parish to enrich us socially as well as raising much needed funds.

FOODBANK: Last week the foodbank provided food, toiletries and cleaning products to 168 people. In order to do this they spent £1360 buying in stock. Please continue to support them as they help those less fortunate than ourselves. If you would like to donate money to the Foodbank, please visit https:chippingbarnet.foodbank.org.uk/ To donate food please see the current shortages list on the green trolleys in the Church porch. Thank you for your support.

LAST WEEK - 23rd March - Church collection - £ 881.04

National shrine of Our Lady of Walsingham - £ 375.66

Thank you for your offerings

THIS WEEK - 30th March - Second collection - Noah's Ark Children's Hospice NEXT WEEK - 6th April - Second collection - Sightsavers

PARISH DATABASE: The parish database contains current information of Parishioners. It is important that the information held on the database is correct, so please contact the Parish Secretary if your details have changed. New parishioners are asked to collect a census form from the Repository (card shop),

once completed please return it to the Parish Office.

PROTECTING YOUR PRIVACY: The personal details of yourself and family members will be stored and used by the Parish for internal administrative and organisational purposes of the Parish. They will not be disclosed outside the Parish. Details of how we process your data, and your rights, are on the full Privacy Notice and can be found at: rcdow.org.uk/diocese/privacy-policy.

PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES



This year's Planned Giving envelopes are now ready for those who have requested them.

They can be collected from the Church Repository (card shop) after all weekend Masses.

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FAMILY BINGO!!!

Saturday 26th April - 7pm in the Parish Hall

Come along and join in this fun-filled family event.

The kids love it.

Bring your own nibbles.

Cash prizes to be won !!!

The bar will be open.



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK:

Caterina Fusco, Rose-Ann Phillip, Frances Lobo, Christine Screene, Jacqueline & Roger Jameer, Danny Lusby, Stephen Giffin, Eileen Shea and Julia Riordan



PLEASE PRAY FOR THE RECENTLY DECEASED:

Caroline Molloy, Paddy Madigan Mrs Shirley Cox and Steve Goold.

ANNIVERSARIES THAT OCCUR IN MARCH:

Peggy Barber, Frank & Eileen Bettin, Phil Brady, Mary Brown, Concetta Castagno, Kitty Cahill, Jennie Collier, Bernard & Marie Creasey, Anna Culligan, Grace Dudley, Nunzia Demetriades, John Exley, Stanley Filby, Julie Glennon, Jim Graham, Amelia Holdstock, Roy Hollis, Vera Hooker, Mary Keane, Tom Keenan, Patrick Kerrigan, John King, Maria Mansi, Brigie McBrien, John McHugh, Kitty McGreal, Ryan McGreal, Pat McNamee, Bill Mondey, Jean O'Brien,

Barry O'Malley, Aideen O'Sullivan, Sr. Raphael, James Rafferty, Tom & Nuala Sexton and Doreen Seymour.

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace. Amen.

St. Peter's Friendship Fridays

The bar will be open in the Parish Centre for socialising on Friday 11th April from 8pm



Why not join us to reconnect with old friends or make new ones?

Everyone welcome.

PARISH RECONCILLIATION SERVICE AND INDIVIDUAL CONFESSIONS.

Tuesday 8th April -7pm in the Church All are welcome.



MASS INTENTIONS

SATURDAY 29th March - Lent feria

10.00am - Caroline Molloy - RIP RD

6.00pm - Anna Culligan - RIP anniversary

SUNDAY 30th March - 4th Sunday of Lent

9.30am - Tom Clarke - RIP Anniversary

11.00am - Repose of the soul of Cassiano Fernandes

6.00pm - Angelo Montanari - RIP Anniversary

- Adam - Birthday blessings

MONDAY 31st March - Lent feria

10.00am - Steve Goold - RIP RD

TUESDAY 1st April - Lent feria

10.00am - James Rafferty - RIP Anniversary

WEDNESDAY 2nd April - Lent feria

10.00am - Beatrice Gray - Mental healing

10.30am - Lenten Reflection

6.30pm - Lenten Reflection 7.00pm - Stations of The Cross

THURSDAY 3rd April - Lent feria

7.00pm - Children living through war

FRIDAY 4th April - Lent feria

9.30am - Adoration

10.00am - Mass for the Sick

SATURDAY 5th April - Lent feria

10.00am - The Pope's continued recovery 6.00pm - Sick & Housebound

SUNDAY 6th April - 5th Sunday of Lent

9.30am - Thady Clarke & Patricia O'Shea - RIP Anniversaries

Eleanor Baker - RIP Anniversary

11.00am - Eileen Carroll - Mother's day blessings

6.00pm - Huw Walters - RIP Anniversary

THIS SUNDAY	6pm	9.30am	11am	6pm
Ex.ordinary Ministers	Malcolm Cussell	Katharine Howson	Aiofe Hayes	Harold Williams
Ex.ordinary Ministers	Ann Brady	Ann Horn	Kathleen Conway	TBA
Ex.ordinary Ministers	Ugona Olisa	Arlette Jennings	Ese Akhere	TBA
Minister of The Word	James Moniz	Children's Liturgy	Catherine McNamara	Lisa O'Callaghan
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Ex.ordinary Ministers	Ann Brady	Teresa Williams	Ese Akhere	TBA
Ex.ordinary Ministers	Ugona Olisa	Marina Matthias	Paul Ruocco	TBA
Minister of The Word	Carol Camozzi-Ward	Chi Evi-Parker	Peter McMahon	Charles Igbokwe

