



The Parish of Holy Trinity and Sacred Heart

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14th—22nd March 2020
Novena to Blessed Dominic Barberi
Dementia Prayer week

THIRD SUNDAY IN LENT YEAR A
“YEAR OF THE WORD - THE GOD WHO SPEAKS”

Weekdays of Lent
Psalter Week 3

Date	Holy Trinity		Sacred Heart		Fotherley Convent	
Saturday 14th Vigil	6:00pm	Tom Hassall (Anniversary)	11-12nn	CONFESSIONS	5.00pm	Anna Chieu & Andrew Cac (Ann.)
Sunday 15th 3rd Sunday Year A	9:00am 11:00am 12:30pm 1:30pm 4:30pm 7:00pm	Sarah McDonnell (Anniversary) George, Diane, Mary ,Ruby & babies <i>Baptism of Rose McNamara</i> <i>Baptism of Cerys Evans</i> Stations of the Cross <i>Apoloniusz & Wanda Wyszinski RIP</i>	10.00am 5:00pm	Tom Brady RIP Station of the Cross	11.15am	NO MASS
Monday 16 th	10.00am	Joe Corr	10:00am	<i>Holy Communion</i>	11:30am	Mr M Christian
Tuesday 17 th St Patrick	10:00am	Elvira Peiro RIP	10.00am	Michael & Elizabeth Moran	7.30am	Special Intention (HW)
Wednesday 18 th	10:00am 4:30pm	George Parkes RIP <i>Reception of the Body</i>	10:00am	<i>Holy Communion</i>	7 30am	Leigh Intentions
Thursday 19 th St Joseph.	10:30am	Requiem for Sean Laverty	10:00am	<i>Holy Communion</i>	7:30am	Special Intentions (Khu)
Friday 20 th	10.00am	In Thanksgiving (HL)	10.00am	Joe Baldwin	7:00am	Holy Souls
Saturday 21st Vigil	10:00am 11-12.00 6:00pm	Liz Wainhouse RIP CONFESSIONS Peter Gibson (Anniversary)	11.0-12.00	CONFESSIONS	5:00pm	People of the Parish
Sunday 22nd 4th Sunday Laetare	9:00am 11:00am 12:30pm 1:30pm 4:30pm 7:00pm	Sheila Hindle (Anniversary) Mary Kinsella <i>Baptism of Arabella Matile</i> <i>Baptism of Joely Evans</i> Stations of the Cross Antoine Socci RIP (HT7)	10.00am 5:00pm	John Duffy RIP Station of the Cross	11.15am	NO MASS

GIFT AID

Gift Aid UK tax payers can sign up to Gift Aid and we can collect 25% more from our collection.

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Holy Trinity

Mass attendance 427
Offertory: £1,594.19
CAFOD £726.32
This week Church Maintenance
Next Week for Easter Flowers

Sacred Heart

Mass attendance: 144
Offertory £568.00
CAFOD £670:14
(This includes a cheque for £275.00)

Please pray for those who are sick: Mike O'Halloran, Matthew Perry, Little boy Zachary F Evans, Mary Margaret Perry, Douglas Wilson, Miriam McDonnell, Molly Thomsen, Kerry Moore, Julia Cusack, Gloria Coombes, Frank Cookson, Kathleen Orbell, Melissa Manton, Tony Cabral, Dorothy Harris, Maureen Manton, Miriam Banner, Madeleine Church, Barbara Fallon, Lisa Brown, Joan Brown, Angela Harvey, Cecile Wilkins, Patrick Kelly, Margaret Bailey, Christopher Manton, Noreen Madden, Lesley Quinlan, Margaret Keane, Marie Cope, Mary Ellis, Sylvia Bailey, Alan & Beverley Johnson, Brian Jones, Kathleen Reilly, Sheila Dudley, Mary Dickenson, Joan Gardner, Santino & Jean Di Blasio, Mo Oliver, Isabel & Nicholas Dominquez-Persiva **and all in Good Hope Hospital.**

Please pray for those who died recently: Archbishop Peter Smith (Southwark), Fr Bob Wright, Canon Peter Taylor, Sean Laverty, Elaine Bond, Elizabeth McCabe, Elvira Peiro. Kathleen “Jean” Murrall.

Anniversaries . .Michael Kent, Mary O'Connell, Garth Deacon, Tony Clark, Bernard Brooks, Austin Pilkington, Margaret Folks, Gabrielle James, Joy Carpenter, Michael Savage, Graham Caseley, Desmond James, David Bostock, Rosaleen Thomas, Tomas Pedro Sosa Sosa, Rev Andrew Brennan
Lord, make those who are not well, get better and grant to those who have died eternal rest in your heavenly home. Amen.

PARISH NOTICE BOARD

PARISH

- **BETHLEHEM:** Please pray for the people in Bethlehem which has been completely isolated by the Palestinian Authorities because of COVID-19 casualties. 70% of their income is from tourism and related businesses.. More details from "Friends of the Holy Land" friendsoftheholylan.org.uk/home
- **THE ANNUAL PARISH MEETING** will be on **Tuesday 31st March at 7:00pm.**
- **THE SOWER;** The latest edition of the Diocesan Newsletter is now available. Please take a copy.
- **OSCOTT COLLEGE CEMETERY** A former parishioner of Holy Trinity has two burial plots for sale For further details please contact in confidence Mike Gaffney – 0121 354 7557.
- **FIRST CONFESSIONS FOR OUR CHILDREN OF Y3—** This year we have 60 children of 2 classes from our school of St. Joseph's making their First Holy Communion in June. Please remember them and their families in your prayers. The Children will be making their *First Confessions this Friday 20th March at 1:00pm*

HOLY TRINITY

- **THE LENTEN LUNCH** on 18th March has been cancelled as a precaution. A new date will be announced.
- **PLEASE SUPPORT THE MISSIONS** If you took a Box in October last year it is **now due** for counting. Leave it in the Sacristy and collect from table in the Porch, Please include your name, address & Phone Number on the label. Any queries contact the following, Steve Marshall 308 1836 or Mike Daly 378 4925.

SACRED HEART:

- **ANNIVERSARY** Father Cousins thanks everyone for joining him to celebrate the 60th anniversary of his ordination. Also for the many cards - it is like Christmas!
- **GIFT AID ENVELOPES** for the new tax year are available at the back of the church. Please ensure that we have your current address to enable us to claim 25% tax on your donations. New donors are always welcome.

OTHER NOTICES

- **ST JOSEPH'S SCHOOL SUNSHINE CLUB** (before & after school) require two play workers. For further details and an application form, please email Kate McGrath at sunshineclub@hotmail.co.uk, or call directly on 07771 792013 during our opening hours. Visits to the club are warmly welcomed.
- **JOHN PAUL II MULTI ACADEMY** has the following Vacancies:
 - ⇒ Lead Practitioner in Mathematics at St Edmund Campion
 - ⇒ Teacher of Maths at St Edmund Campion
 - ⇒ IT Support Services Technician at Core MAC Team
 The website link is <http://johnpaulii.co.uk/vacancies/>

CORONAVIRUS This virus causes a lot fear, anxiety and worry in the world; as Christians, we should do anything to keep ourselves safe and help keep others secure from this virus, we must work together with the experts and follow their guidance. On the other hand don't forget we always have another helper, Our Lord and His Mother, Mary. This is the moment we should show our faith, trust and hope in the Lord. Don't forget to pray more earnestly the Holy Rosary at home. Remember the disciples of Jesus in the boat, they struggled with the tempest, they needed more help and they turned to the Lord and the sea was calm again....**Our Lady, Help of Christians: Pray for us.**

Useful Information

- ◇ **Hospital Chaplaincy:** If you or a family member is in hospital and would like a visit by a Priest and/or Eucharistic Minister please inform the parish office as the Hospital staff will not automatically let us know.
- ◇ **Baptisms:** Please complete the request forms (available in the porch) and leave at the Presbytery. You will be contacted to book a date but you must give at least two months notice as you will be required to attend a preparation course first.
- ◇ **Weddings:** please take a "Booking your Wedding" at Holy Trinity or Sacred Heart. booklet from the church porch which explains the process.
- ◇ **Bookings** for the parish hall or conference room must be made in writing/email
- ◇ **Newsletter** If you wish to place a **notice** in the Newsletter please send an email to the parish email address. Must be received by 12 noon on Thursday.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION DURING LENT

**O word of God come into this space,
O word of God, come send us your Grace
Open our minds, show us your truth,
Transform our lives anew.**

'THE GOD WHO SPEAKS'

We are all encouraged to celebrate, live, and share God's Word during this year 2020.

Prayer: Living God you walk beside us and speak to us throughout the Scriptures. Your Son Jesus Christ listens to our hopes and fears and shows us how to live for one another. Send us the Holy Spirit to open our hearts and minds so that we may be your witnesses throughout the world. Amen

V. Your Word is our Path and your truth is our light
R. **This day and every Day**

Our Lady of the Assumption	Pray for us
St Matthew	Pray for us
St Jerome	Pray for us

**HOLY COMMUNION.
BECAUSE OF THE CORONAVIRUS" (Covid-19)
THERE WILL BE NO CHALICE OF
PRECIOUS BLOOD GIVEN AT MASS,
NO HANDSHAKING
DURING SIGN OF PEACE
UNTIL FURTHER NOTICE.**

YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR THE REPOSE OF THE SOULS OF:

John Patrick "Sean" Laverty who died on 7th March. He will be received into church on Wednesday 18th March at 4.30pm his *Requiem will be at 10.30 on Thursday 19th March.*

Kathleen Murrall (92) who died on 26th February. Her *Requiem will be on Monday 30th March at 11:00am.*

Elaine Bond (62) her funeral will be *on Tuesday 31st March at 12:15pm at SC Crematorium.*

ROTAS 21/22nd March 2020

Readers:

6:00pm	Anne Bell & Barbara Peel
9:00am	Peter Blackburn & Chris Charles
11:00am	Mary Blakemore & Fred Kettell
7:00pm	Keith Noble & Melissa Pearce

Children's Liturgy Laura Taylor & Andrew Hindle

Cleaning Team C

Important Contact Information:

Parish Office: Parish Administrator is available Tuesday and Friday 10.30am-1.30pm.

Parish Safeguarding Officers

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