



THE TRANSFIGURATION, KENSAL RISE

23rd Sunday in Ordinary Time

8th September 2019

NEWSLETTER

Joel's Diaconate Ordination

Many of you may remember Joel from his time spent here in the Parish. Well the time has come for him to be ordained a Deacon on Sunday 22nd September. Fr Sean is going over to Switzerland for the celebrations and to represent our Church, so if anyone would like to send him a card, please can you give it to Fr Sean by Friday 20th September, so he can take the cards over with him.

Help Us To Help You

We have been very fortunate in this Parish to have had such a dedicated group of Catechists who have instructed our children for their First Holy Communion. This year will be the 20th year that the same group have devoted themselves to teaching the course and they have also decided that it is time for them to take a step back and make way for a new group of people to coordinate this. We are desperately in need for people to come forward who would be happy to take up this role. We will send you on all the relevant courses and make sure you are fully trained in how to teach the Sacrament of First Holy Communion. We are hoping to have a handful of people come forward for this before the end of the summer holidays, this way you can sit in on some of the classes taking place this coming September to get a feel for the course. We need your help to continue teaching our faith to our children.

Please contact Fr Sean or Chelsea in the Parish Office if you would like to put yourself forward. Thank you.

Holy Communion Photos

Those who ordered photos of the First Holy Communion can now collect these at the Parish Office during opening hours as of Monday 5th August. Payment can also be made in the office but cash only. Bank transfers can also be made but please bring proof of payment when collecting. Thank you.

Keep Fit With Ruth—Every Tuesday

Just a quick note to let you know that Keep Fit with Ruth is on every Tuesday after Mass in the Newman Room. It is open to all ages and abilities. Please come along and join in the fun!

First Holy Communion & Confirmation Applications

Applications for first holy communion and confirmation are now available to collect from Fr Sean after Mass. Please also take a Mass Register sheet from the back of the church. This will need to be signed weekly by the priest celebrating Sunday Mass.

The Mass Intentions diary for 2019 is now full. The diary for 2020 is now available.

Please note that Masses are booked on a first come first serve basis. Only one intention is booked per Mass which is Canon Law. We cannot move or change Masses that people have booked in to accommodate for others wanting the same date. Mass stipends must be paid for at the time of booking.

If you want a specific Mass date, please come into the office instead of writing on the Mass Intention envelopes to guarantee / seek alternative dates.

Sunday Masses: (Sat 6pm) Sun 9am & 11am, **Italian:** 12.30pm
Holydays: 10am & 7pm **Holy Hour:** Fri 6pm (not in Lent)
Weekday Masses: Mon & Fri 7pm Tues, Wed, Thu & Sat 10am
Confession: Sat 10.30-11.15am & 5-5.45pm and on request

HYMNS

9am Mass

11am Mass

There will be no singing at the 9am and 11am Mass today and no choir practise on 9th September.

FEASTS AND MASS INTENTIONS

7th September 2019 - 14th September 2019

Feast Days:

Thursday 12th September—The Most Holy Day of Mary.

Saturday 14th September—The Exaltation of the Holy Cross

Date	Time	Intention
Sat 7th	10am	Helena Rodrigues (A)
	6pm	Peter McGee (A)
Sun 21st	9am	People of the Parish
	11am	Paiva Family
Mon 22nd	7pm	Rita McBride RIP
Tues 23rd	10am	Vincent Masterson (Conversion)
Wed 24th	10am	Lilian O'Toole (A)
Thurs 25th	10am	Michael Keeley RIP
Fri 26th	7pm	Gabriel Moraes (Thanksgiving and for God's help)
Sat 27th	10am	Mrs Maeve KIELTY RIP
	6pm	People of the Parish

SANCTUARY LAMP AND SIDE ALTAR LAMPS

Main Altar: The children of the Parish who are back to school
 Sacred Heart: Jimmy McNeill RIP
 Our Lady: Joseph Glanty RIP

FUNERAL NOTICES

James McNeill RIP - The funeral for the late James McNeill will take place here on Tuesday 10th September at 11am.
Claire Hannan RIP - The funeral for the late Claire Hannan will take place here on Tuesday 17th September at 12noon.

Thank you for your contribution

Standing Orders for August came to
£2784

Last Week's Collection
Loose Plate : £424.99 Envelopes : £554

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PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE IN THE PARISH WHO ARE SICK AND/OR HOUSEBOUND AND ALSO THOSE WHO HAVE NOBODY ELSE TO PRAY FOR THEM

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Respondens autem petrus dixit ad Iesum: domine, bonum est nos hic esse