



THE TRANSFIGURATION, KENSAL RISE

Sunday Masses: (Sat 6pm) Sun 9am, 11am & 5pm Italian: 12.30pm

Holydays: 10am & 7pm **Holy Hour:** Fri 6pm

Weekday Masses: Mon & Fri 7pm Tues, Wed, Thu & Sat 10am

Confession: Sat 10.30-11.15am & 5-5.45pm and on request

FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (A)

26th March 2017

NEWSLETTER

Support Your Parish!

I'd like to thank everybody who signed up for direct debit last weekend and for those who requested planned giving boxes. Your continuing generosity and support is greatly appreciated. Can I remind you that if you are a tax payer, please do ensure you sign a gift aid form. This means for every pound you contribute to the Parish, we receive 25p back from the government, but only if we can prove you have signed a gift aid form. These can be obtained from one of the helpers at the back of the church.

Last Sunday, I emphasised how much easier the financial administration of the Parish is if people use direct debit forms. It means that we do not have to buy the planned giving envelopes which cost us a considerable amount, it means we do not have to count the money week after week, it means we do not then have to record each individual envelope on a database and we do not need to keep hold of every individual envelope for 6 years (for tax purposes).

By using direct debit it means that the Parish continues to receive a regular income throughout the year especially if you are away for long periods in the summer holidays, school half terms, Christmas, Easter or for a long weekend. Using this form ensures the financial stability of the Parish.

If you have any questions regarding this matter please do speak to Fr Sean or one of the volunteers who will be at the back of the Church this weekend.

Can I ask you please not to help yourself to a box of envelopes, but speak to one of the designated volunteers.

Again, thank you for your generosity.

God bless, Fr Sean

Mass for Charlotte Boyd (RIP)

There will be a Mass on April 3rd at 12noon in the St. Mary's Cemetery Chapel to pray for the Holy Souls and to remember with gratitude Charlotte Boyd (RIP) who gifted the Slipper Chapel into Catholic Ownership which in 1934 became the National Marian Shrine of Our Blessed Lady in Walsingham, England, Mary's Dowry.

Our Lady of Walsingham Pilgrimage

Walsingham has now been booked for 10th and 11th June 2017.

If you have paid your deposit, your place is secured and Chelsea will be contacting you next week to update you on relevant information and outstanding balances.

If you have not received a letter regarding your remaining balance or if you have not given Chelsea any contact details, please call the office on 0208 964 4040.

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FEASTS AND MASS INTENTIONS

25 March - 1st April

Sat	25th	6pm	Costas Kostopoulos (A)
Solemnity of The Annunciation of the Lord			
Sun	26th	9am	Vera Dolan (Birthday Ints)
Sun	26th	11am	Joe & Nina Barun (A)
Sun	26th	5pm	People of the Parish (Ints)
Mon	27th	7pm	Una Ponsant (Birthday Ints)
Tues	28th	10am	Gina Ponzoni (Ints)
Wed	29th	10am	Gina Ponzoni (Birthday Ints)
Thurs	30th	10am	Catharine Moraes (Ints)
Fri	31st	12noon	Michael Mullin (Birthday Ints)
Fri	31st	7pm	John Whelan (RIP)
Sat	1st	10am	Kathleen Hally (RIP)
Sat	1st	6pm	Christine Stewart

SANCTUARY LAMP AND SIDE ALTAR LAMPS

Main Altar: Aysha Frade (RIP) the recent attack in Westminster

Sacred Heart: Kathleen Whelan (Sick)

Our Lady: The victims of the recent attack in Westminster, their friends and families

If you would like one of these lamps to burn for your intentions or for the repose of the soul for a loved one, this can be booked at the parish office for the minimum stipend of £10 for the week.

PLEASE CHECK OUR WEBSITE EVENTS PAGE FOR UPCOMING EVENTS WITHIN THE CATHOLIC COMMUNITY

Lent 2017

There will be no Holy hour on Fridays during Lent but instead the stations of the cross will take place at 6:15pm every Friday.

There will also be an extra Mass at 12 noon on a Friday followed by a simple lunch of soup and a bread roll upstairs in the Newman Room.

Fresh soup and bread rolls will be kindly provided by 'Nife is Life' each week and if you would like to come along, please sign your name on the Lenten Lunch form under the date/s you will be attending.

The form can be located at the back of the Church and please make sure you print your name by the Wednesday before the Friday Lunch so we can order the correct amount of food.

Our Lenten Alms

HCPT is a national and international Catholic charity which takes vulnerable and disabled children and adults on a week-long pilgrimage holiday to Lourdes.

Mr John Freeman RIP

Frances and family wish to thank most sincerely, everyone who gave such loving messages of sympathy, prayers and support to them in their loss.
God bless you all.

Preparation for Easter

In order to give everybody in the Congregation a chance to participate fully in this years Easter Vigil the choir will be holding an open practise for any one interested to come and learn the hymns and psalms between the end of 10 o'clock

Mass and the beginning of 11 o'clock Mass on Sunday 2nd April, starting at 10.15, ending 10.50 am. Grab a cup of coffee and come and sing!

HYMNS FOR 9AM MASS		HYMNS FOR 11AM MASS	
Entrance	434	Entrance	851
Kyrie	Missa Simplex	Kyrie	Missa Simplex
Gospel Acclamation		Gospel Acclamation	185 vs 4
Offertory	604	Offertory	795
Sanctus	Missa Simplex	Sanctus	Missa Simplex
Memorial Accl	sung	Memorial Accl	Missa Simplex
Agnus Dei	Missa Simplex	Our Father	587
Communion	357	Agnus Dei	Missa Simplex
Recessional	744	Communion	331
New members warmly welcomed to join the choir. Practice Monday evenings 8-9 pm		Recessional	801

CHURCH NOTICES

Next Confirmation Class

Saturday 8th April -Talk from PRO-Life

Small Prayer Group

The small prayer group would like to invite you every Thursday for the weeks during Lent, after the 10am Mass to the Newman Room.

Tuesday Club

The next Tuesday Club will be held on 4th April by the South West Community Fire Safety Team from the London Fire Brigade.

40th Anniversary Celebration

This year marks 40 years since the start of our Catholic community at the Transfiguration and we would like to celebrate by holding a summer party on the 2nd July. There are lots of decisions to be made, how we raise the money to pay for a party: do we have a ticket only event; an entrance fee; hire a marquee, get a band, get a children's entertainer, provide drink/food, ask people to bring their own, organise dancing, have a street party to include our neighbours, and get sufficient volunteers to put time and effort into running the event both planning it and on the day.

We are having a meeting at 7.30 on Wednesday 29th April at the Church. This is an opportunity to get your ideas/wishes heard and make a contribution to our parish life. Lots of volunteers means we can spread the work load and pass on the lessons learnt from previous summer parties. Any contribution no matter how small is appreciated and valued. We look forward to seeing lots of people at the meeting with lots of ideas about how to celebrate this milestone in our community.

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Last Week's Collection

Loose Plate - £693.63
Envelopes - £512.80

This does not include Direct Debit payments.
Thank you for your contribution

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