

HYMNS FOR SUNDAY MASSES

ENTRANCE	960 Guide me O thou Great Redeemer
KYRIE, SANCTUS & AGNUS DEI	St Anne's Mass
GOSPEL ACC	185 (Verse Said)
OFFERTORY	202 Lord Jesus as we turn from sin
MEMORIAL ACC	Missa Simplex
OUR FATHER	Said
COMMUNION	203 As earth that is dry
RECESSIONAL	721 O Lord my God

2022 PARISH ACCOUNT OVERVIEW

The yearly accounts have now been approved for 2022, please find a breakdown report in the Porch of the Church.

To the very kind person who gave us a cheque for Sant Antonio for the Poor, this cannot be banked, please contact the Parish office.

CAKE SALE

The weekly cake sale after weekend Masses will restart after Easter.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS

There will be Stations of the Cross before Mass on Fridays instead of Benediction during Lent.

MASS INTENTIONS

It might be a relative's birthday, wedding, baptism or you just want to thank them for their kindness. What better way to show your appreciation than to have a Mass offered for their intentions? We are also aware that unless we are living Saint's, all of us will need the prayers of our living relatives and especially the Mass offered for the repose of our souls when we die. Therefore, when someone dies, it is our duty to pray for them and to have Mass offered for them. We offer Mass at the time of their death, their anniversary, perhaps on their birthday or other notable dates in their lives. Having Mass offered is a way of showing our love both for the living and the dead. Please book these through the Parish Office.

Easter, First Holy Communion & Confirmation Cards are available from the Parish Office.

Confirmation Class on Mondays 6:30pm—7:30pm	"Staying in Touch with the Living God" on 13th March in Kensal Rise
First Holy Communion Class on Mondays 5:30pm—6:30pm	"Fruit of the Vine" on 13th March at SMM School

MASS INTENTIONS

11th March 2023 – 18th March 2023

Date	Time	Intention
Sat 11th	5pm	Maureen O'Sullivan (25th Anniversary) & Michael O'Sullivan (9th Anniversary)
Sun 12th	8am	People of the Parish
	10am	Gohia Family
	11:30am	Italian Mass
Tues 14th	10am	Martin & Veronica Bethel (Anniversary)
Wed 15th	10am	Eugine O'Sullivan (Anniversary)
Thur 16th	10am	Remediana Pinheiro (Anniversary)
Fri 17th	10am	Patricia Mary Martin (Birthday Anniversary)
Sat 18th	5pm	People of the Parish

Main Altar Sanctuary Lamp	People of the Parish
Sacred Heart	Those affected by the war in Ukraine
Our Lady	Those struck by events in Syria & Turkey

Thank you for your generous contribution during these times. We currently do not have a card machine so for bank transfers, the details are -
 HSBC Bank: WRCDT Kensal Rise
 Sort code: 40-05-20 Account no: 41094882

LENT SMALL PRAYER GROUP

The Small Prayer Group meet every Thursday during Lent after 10am Mass. Please do pop up to the Newman Room to take part!

CAFOD

Thank you for giving to CAFOD's Family Fast Day appeal
 Thank you for giving to CAFOD's Family Fast Day appeal this Lent. Your generous donations, rooted in love, will support families around the world grow in strength to fight the climate crisis. You can still give online at cafod.org.uk/lent

CARDINAL'S LENTEN APPEAL

Parishioners can pick up a Cardinal's Lenten Appeal donation leaflet at the back of church. Funds raised this year will be shared between the four pillars of the Cardinal's Lenten Appeal: Marriage & Family Life; Youth & Evangelisation; The Education Service and Caritas Westminster.

SOUND SYSTEM PROJECT

Many parishioners have commented that they are not able to hear during Mass. This is because our sound system is over 15 years old and is in desperate need of an update! The Parish has obtained 4 quotes for an entire replacement and the best option will cost the parish in the region of £15k. We have recently installed a new card machine in the Porch of the church as requested by the Diocese. There is an option to make a donation to the Sound System Fund on there should you wish to contribute! Thank you.

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THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT

12th March 2023

PARISH TEAM

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 Tuesdays, Wednesdays &
 Thursdays 9:30am - 2:00pm

Sunday Masses: (Sat 5pm)
 Sun 8am & 10am
Italian Mass: Sun 11:30am
Weekday Masses:
 Tues, Wed, Thurs & Fri 10am
Confession: Sat 4pm before
 Mass or by appointment
Exposition: Tuesday,
 Wednesday, Thursday & Friday
 before Mass

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING
 £568.76
FEBRUARY'S STANDING ORDERS
 £3,138
FEBRUARY CONTACTLESS INCOME
 £565.95

Thank you for your contribution to the Parish!

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I wonder whether any of you have ever used a well. In many part of Britain they were central to everyday life for centuries. Before many communities had mains water, you had to go to the well to obtain fresh water. In our own time, wells are still an essential part of community living. I was fortunate enough a few year ago to visit the very well which plays so important a part in the gospel today. It is in Palestine, and now has an Orthodox church built above it. The guide took us to the top of the well and let the bucket down on a rope. It seemed to go down a very long way. Then he filled the bucket and asked a couple of volunteers to pull it up – I had a go, and, let me tell you, it took a great deal of effort, because water is very heavy. But it was worth it. It was a very hot day and the water was crystal clear and beautifully cold.

Our parish is beginning three weeks when we will be thinking about how we can draw deeply on our resources to help this Catholic community to flourish and grow. It is called a Planned Giving Drive. It will be a chance for us all to assess just how important this community is for us, and how we can help it to grow.

I have to tell you, I feel that, as your Parish Priest, I am taking a bit of a risk in getting this process under way. I am wondering how you will react, and I am wondering what the results will be. But I know it is a risk worth taking. Risks often are – the meeting between Jesus and the Samaritan woman at the well in today's gospel was a huge risk for them both; they could have scandalised so many people. But it was a risk worth taking.

The risk I am taking is asking you to draw deeply on your commitment to this Catholic community. Not just with money, but with so much more – your prayers, your time, your gifts.

I sure that it will be a risk worth taking.

Monsignor Roger

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