

ENTRANCE	208 O raise your eyes
KYRIE, SANCTUS, & AGNUS DEI	Missa Simplex
GOSPEL ACC	185 (verse said)
OFFERTORY	603 Blest are you Lord God of all creation
MEMORIAL ACC	Missa Simplex
OUR FATHER	Said
COMMUNION	648 See us, Lord, about thine altar
RECESSIONAL	654 Glory to thee, Lord God

PARISH PHONE LINE IS CURRENTLY NOT IN USE

STATIONS OF THE CROSS: Every Friday during Lent, Stations of the Cross will take place at 9:15am replacing Adoration.

COUNTERS: Please take a Counters notice from the Notice Board, there is 1 per group, please complete and return through the Presbytery door. Thank you.

LENTEN ALMS - CARDINAL'S LENTEN APPEAL

Funds raised in this year's Cardinal's Lenten Appeal will be shared between parishes and Caritas Westminster. Cardinal Nichols has expressed his gratitude to everyone who supports the Appeal, with whatever they can afford. Please take a donation envelope. You can use the QR code to make your donation online. Thank you for your generosity.

SMALL PRAYERS GROUP: Please join us, the Small Prayer

Group every week during Lent after the 10am Mass in the Newman Room!

TUESDAY CLUB: We would love to restart the "Tuesday

Club" on a Wednesday or Friday after the 10am Mass but we need your ideas for what it can be based on as well as a new leader! Please speak to Chelsea in the Parish office or put any ideas down on paper and through the Presbytery door.

12th March 2022 - 19th March 2022

Date	Time	Intention
Sat 12th	5pm	Michael O'Sullivan (8th Anniversary) & Maureen O'Sullivan (24th Anniversary)
Sun 13th	10am	People of the Parish
Mon 14th		NO MASS
Tues 15th	6pm	Mrs Ellen McDonnell RIP
Wed 16th	10am	Dilis & David Lloyd RIP
Thur 17th	10am	Patricia Mary Martin (Birthday Anniversary)
Fri 18th	10am	Michael O'Neil RIP
Sat 19th	5pm	Liz Spaldin (Birthday Anniversary)

Main Altar Sanctuary Lamp	Peace in Ukraine
Sacred Heart	John Conway (Anniversary)
Our Lady	The people of Ukraine



Mary, Our Lady of Kiev, the God Carrier, (Theotokos) we ask your intercession for the suffering people of the Ukraine, their government and their people attempting to resist the attack which primarily comes from evil.

Be with Ukraine today as you stood beside your suffering son on Calvary.

Give those people faith and hope and strengthen them in their believe that by the Grace of God and the involvement of men and women of good will everywhere, their lives and country will be preserved and that there will be peace after war. Amen.

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

THE TRANSFIGURATION CATHOLIC CHURCH KENSAL RISE

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Second Sunday of Lent



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12th/13th March 2022

Jesus is transfigured before them

Meditation: What can blind us or keep us from recognizing God's glory in our lives? Sin and unbelief for sure! Faith enables us to see what is hidden or unseen to the naked eye. Through the eyes of faith Abraham recognized God and God's call on his life. He saw from afar not only what God intended for him, but for his descendants as well - an everlasting covenant of friendship and peace with the living God (Genesis 15:18). Abraham is the father of faith because he put his hope in the promises of God. Faith makes us taste in advance the light of God's glory when we shall see him face to face (1 Corinthians 13:12; 1 John 3:2).

The Lord wants to share his glory with each of us

The Lord Jesus not only wants us to see his glory - he wants to share this glory with us. And Jesus shows us the way to the Father's glory: follow me - obey my words - take the path I have chosen for you and you will receive the blessings of my Father's kingdom - your name will be written in heaven. Jesus succeeded in his mission because he went to Calvary so that Paradise would be restored to us once again. He embraced the cross to obtain the crown of glory that awaits each one of us, if we will follow in his footsteps.

Origen (185-254 AD), an early church bible scholar and writer, shows us how the transfiguration can change our lives:

"When he is transfigured, his face also shines as the sun that he may be manifested to the children of light who have put off the works of darkness and put on the armour of light, and are no longer the children of darkness or night but have become the sons of day, and walk honestly as in the day. Being manifest, he will shine unto them not simply as the sun, but as demonstrated to be the sun of righteousness."

Stay awake spiritually - Don't miss God's glory and action

Luke's Gospel account tells us that while Jesus was transfigured, Peter, James, and John were asleep (Luke 9:32)! Upon awakening they discovered Jesus in glory along with Moses and Elijah. How much do we miss of God's glory and action because we are asleep spiritually? There are many things which can keep our minds asleep to the things of God: Mental lethargy and the "unexamined life" can keep us from thinking things through and facing our doubts and questions. The life of ease can also hinder us from considering the challenging or disturbing demands of Christ. Prejudice can make us blind to something new the Lord may have for us. Even sorrow can be a block until we can see past it to the glory of God.

Are you spiritually awake? Peter, James, and John were privileged witnesses of the glory of Christ. We, too, as Disciples of Christ are called to be witnesses of his glory. We all, with unveiled face, beholding the glory of the Lord, are being changed into his likeness from one degree of glory to another; for this comes from the Lord who is the Spirit (2 Corinthians 3:18). The Lord wants to reveal his glory to us, his beloved disciples. Do you seek his presence with faith and reverence?

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Sunday Masses: (Sat 5pm)
 Sun 10am

Italian Mass: Sun 11:30am

Weekday Masses:

Tues 6pm,
 Wed, Thurs & Fri 10am

Confession: Sat 4pm before
 Mass, **Exposition:** Tuesday,
 Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

**STANDING ORDERS
 LAST MONTH**

£3,268

LAST WEEK'S OFFERING

£416.39

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 contribution to the Parish!

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Parish Diary

Monday 14th March	6:00pm - 7:00pm	Confirmation— Session 8 at The Church of the Transfiguration, Kensal Rise
Monday 14th March	5:30pm— 6:30pm	First Holy Communion— Session 8 in St Mary Magdalen's Catholic Junior School

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

Fr Allan