

HYMNS FOR SUNDAY MASSES

ENTRANCE	794 God is love, his the care
KYRIE, GLORIA, SANCTUS & AGNUS DEI	Mass of Christ the Saviour
GOSPEL ACC	536
OFFERTORY	874 Take my life
MEMORIAL ACC	Sung
OUR FATHER	Said
COMMUNION	776 You are mine
RECESSIONAL	883 Christ be our light

PILGRIMAGE TO ASSISI, LORETO AND PADUA
20th May - 26th May 2024

Monsignor Roger and Monsignor Jeremy Fairhead from Sudbury Parish will be leading a Pilgrimage to Italy next May. Brochures are available to collect from the Sacristy, please speak to the celebrating Priest. The price of the Pilgrimage is £1,450 per person in a shared room on a half board basis. Limited single rooms are available at a supplement of £110. Deposit of £250 and completed booking form required by 1st August 2023.

CONFIRMATION CERTIFICATES

At the 10am Mass on Sunday 16th July, those who made their Confirmation at Our Lady of Willesden this year will be presented with their certificates. Please do let Chelsea know if there is any reason you cannot make it.

CONFIRMATION PHOTOS

Martin Breakspear, who took photographs at the recent Confirmation at Our Lady of Willesden Parish, would like families to get in contact with him, should they wish to see any of the photographs taken and place an order. Martin can be contacted on: 07905 827 194

HOW DOES THE 50/50 Club WORK?

Take a 50/50 envelope from the porch after Mass, place £10 in a 50/50 envelope with your details on it, and return it to the volunteers or put it through the Presbytery letterbox. From your £10, £5 of this goes straight towards the Senior Citizens Christmas Dinner, £5 goes into the prize pot. For example, if 100 envelopes are sold, £500 is in the prize pot, which is divided into 3 prizes of £250, £150 and £100. On Sunday 16th July at the International Party, Fr Allan will have every purchased envelope number in a bag, and he will draw 3 winners. 50/50 envelopes are available after every Mass, and must be returned by Sunday 9th July!

LET'S EAT CAKE!

We seem to be suffering a loss of cakes on Sundays. The Cake Sale not only raises vital funds for Burkina Faso, but it gives our Parish the opportunity to come together after Mass. The more volunteers we have, the less often you will have to bake! The Cake Sale ends at the end of July for the Summer and resumes in September. There is a list on the cake table where you can put your name down if you wish to help. A rota will then be drawn up and put on the notice board. It would be wonderful for the children and young people of the parish to help with this!

WHO ARE SICK AND/OR HOUSEBOUND

MASS INTENTIONS

24th June 2023 - 1st July 2023

Date	Time	Intention
Sat 24th	5pm	Ken & Margot Peacock (Thanksgiving)
Sun 25th	8am	People of the Parish
	10am	Anosa Naoom RIP
	11:30am	Italian Mass
Tues 27th	10am	Liz Tighe RIP
Wed 28th	10am	Rekindling of love between an estranged couple
Thur 29th	10am	Fortunato & Josefina (Anniversary)
Fri 30th	10am	Fr Allan (5th Anniversary of Ordination)
Sat 1st	5pm	James O'Sullivan (29th A) & Timothy O'Sullivan (6th A)
Main Altar Sanctuary Lamp		Mrs Widad Fuad Mushaka-Sengupta RIP
Sacred Heart		Mr Dinendra Nath Sengupta RIP
Our Lady		Fr Allan's Intentions

INTERNATIONAL PARTY

On Sunday 16th July after 10am Mass, we will host our International Party in the Church car park. This is an opportunity for the Parishioners of Kensal Rise to come together and share our culture and traditions.

We would love to have a dish of food brought from every country that our Parishioners represent, please sign up at the back of the Church after Mass!

We want to showcase the talent of Kensal Rise, anything from magicians to Irish Dancers, Steel Pans and guitar players to traditional story tellers. Adults and Kids welcome to perform!

All of the monies raised at this event will pay for the Senior Citizens of Kensal Rise Parish to have their annual Christmas Dinner and an evening of entertainment, therefore we will be having a raffle, and our 50/50 envelopes.

If you have any unwanted Christmas Gifts, books, art, bottles, please donate these to the Church for the Raffle Prizes!

If anyone in the Parish has a decent amp at home, that we could use on the day as a speaker, please do get in touch!

We need volunteers to make this event happen! On 5th July at 7pm, please come to our Pre - Party Organisation Meeting in the Presbytery.

PLEASE PRAY FOR ALL THOSE IN THE PARISH AND ALSO THOSE WHO HAVE NOBODY

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25th June 2023

Do not be afraid of those who kill the body (Mt 10:26-33)

PARISH TEAM

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Parish office open: Mondays, 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
£538.69
MAY'S STANDING ORDERS
£3,533
MAY'S CONTACTLESS INCOME
£387.59

Thank you for your contribution to the Parish!

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Meditation: What does fear have to do with the kingdom of God? Fear is a powerful force. It can lead us to panic and flight or it can spur us to faith and action. The fear of God is the antidote to the fear of losing one's life. *I sought the Lord, and he answered me, and delivered me from all my fears. O fear the Lord, you his saints, for those who fear him have no want! Come, O sons, listen to me, I will teach you the fear of the Lord.* (Psalm 34:4,9,11)

Godly fear, reverence, and respect for God's ways produce wisdom and right judgment

What is godly fear? It is reverence for the One who made us in love and who sustains us in mercy and kindness. The greatest injury or loss which we can experience is not physical but spiritual - the loss of one's heart, mind, and soul to the power of hell. A healthy fear of God leads to spiritual maturity, wisdom and right judgment and it frees us from the tyranny of cowardly fear and sinful pride that refuses to do what is right, good, and just - especially in the face of opposition and evil. Do you trust in the power of God's love and truth that can conquer every fear and form of evil and wrongdoing? The Lord Jesus willingly embraced the cross for our sake to atone for our sins and to free us from slavery to sin, Satan, and death. Do you believe in the power of his cross and victory over death, despair, and sin?

Proclaim boldly what no earthly power can destroy - the cross and resurrection of Jesus Christ

When Jesus proclaimed the kingdom of God he met opposition and hostility from those who refused to believe in him. He tells his disciples that they must expect the same treatment if they are to live and to proclaim the reign of God. There is both a warning and a privilege in his statement. Just as Jesus had to carry his cross, so the disciples must carry their cross and not try to evade it. To suffer for the faith is to share in the work of Christ. As one hymn states: *Lift high the Cross of Christ! Tread where his feet have trod.* The Holy Spirit gives us power and grace to live as disciples of Jesus Christ. Do you trust in God's grace to carry your cross for Jesus' sake?

Prayer

Lord Jesus, it is my joy and privilege to be your disciple. Give me strength and courage to bear any hardship and suffering which may come my way in your service. May I witness to others the new life, joy and victory you have won for us through your cross and resurrection.

Fr Allan