

HYMNS FOR SUNDAY 10am MASS

ENTRANCE	117 O come divine Messiah
KYRIE, SANCTUS, & AGNUS DEI	Heritage Mass
GOSPEL ACC	536 (verse said)
OFFERTORY	126 A noble flower of Judah
MEMORIAL ACC	Sung
OUR FATHER	587
COMMUNION	137 Away in a manger
RECESSIONAL	135 It came upon the midnight clear

**DANNY HICKEY RIP**

Late of Liddle Gardens, moved to Ruislip about a year ago. A well cherished member of our Parish community. Please keep him in your prayers.

**PAT SMYTH RIP**

The funeral for the late Pat Smyth will take place here on 11th January at 12noon. Please keep Pat's family in your prayers during this difficult time.

MASS INTENTIONS

26th December 2021 – 1st January 2022

(Mass intentions affected by the Mass changes have been moved to the next available date.)

Date	Time	Intention
Sun 26th	10am	Elisa Oliveira (Anniversary)
Mon 27th		NO MASS
Tues 28th	6pm	For the rekindling of love between an estranged couple
Wed 29th	10am	Verina Nicholas (Birthday Intentions)
Thur 30th	10am	Jose Maria Ramos RIP
Fri 31st	10am	People of the Parish
	7pm	Celebrant's Intentions
Sat 1st	5pm	Michael Fallon (Anniversary)

Main Altar Sanctuary Lamp	Rosibell Gil RIP
Sacred Heart	Jay McCrohan RIP
Our Lady	Tommy Carter RIP

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

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**FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**25th/26th December 2021**

**PARISH TEAM**

Parish Priest  
**Monsignor Roger Reader**  
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Assistant Priest  
**Fr Allan Alvarado Gil**  
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Parish office open: Mondays,  
Tuesdays, Wednesdays &  
Thursdays 9:30am - 2:00pm

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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

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**STANDING ORDERS**  
**LAST MONTH**  
£3,552  
**LAST WEEK'S OFFERING**  
£438.60  
Thank you for your  
contribution to the Parish!

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**VENITE ADOREMUS – O COME LET US ADORE HIM.**

I recently went into the Convent of Jesus and Mary Infant School. It really was a great pleasure, not having been in the school for such a long time. During our little assemblies, each year group told me about how they were preparing for Christmas by taking home a travelling crib. It was clearly wonderful for them to have a crib at home. I hope that every one of you has a crib set up somewhere in your home. More than words can, the crib teaches us of the simplicity of Jesus' birth, of the prayers of Joseph and Mary and the adoration of the shepherds. May I suggest that as family or friends you make time to gather around your crib at home and say together this prayer of Pope Francis?

Jesus, Mary and Joseph,  
in you we contemplate  
the splendour of true love;  
to you we turn with trust.

Holy Family of Nazareth,  
grant that our families too  
may be places of communion and prayer,  
authentic schools of the Gospel  
and small domestic churches.

Holy Family of Nazareth,  
may families never again experience  
violence, rejection and division;  
may all who have been hurt or scandalized  
find ready comfort and healing.

Holy Family of Nazareth,  
make us once more mindful  
of the sacredness and inviolability of the family,  
and its beauty in God's plan.

Jesus, Mary and Joseph,  
graciously hear our prayer.  
Amen.

Pope Francis

*Monsignor Roger.*

**UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT : LOOKING FOR NEW PARISH TEAMS!**

We are seeking people to join a number of roles within the Parish. No experience needed, full training provided, if you would like to help your Parish, please speak to one of our priests or Chelsea in the office. The roles available are: Finance Committee Members, Safeguarding Representative, Counters.

NOTICES

INDUCTION MASS

Monsignor Roger Reader will be inducted as Parish Priest by Bishop John Sherrington on Saturday 15th January 2022 at 5pm. Everyone is invited to come and celebrate!

RECEIVING HOLY COMMUNION

Holy Communion will no longer be given along the altar rails. Instead, two lines will be formed down the centre of the church up to the altar where you will stand to receive Communion and then walk around the sides of the church back to your pew.

CERTIFICATE OF CATHOLIC PRACTICE

For those of you who are applying for Primary schools and require a certificate of catholic practice, please contact Chelsea to book an appointment on Monday 17th January 2022 from 11am.

MASS INTENTIONS

The diary for 2022 is now open, contact Chelsea to book.

PARISH OFFICE

Following government guidance, Chelsea will be working from home where possible. If you cannot get through on the phone, please do email. The Parish office will be closed between 24th December and 3rd January. If you need to speak to a priest urgently, please contact Monsignor Roger or Fr Allan on the emails provided.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION COURSE

For those who have registered, the first meeting for parents and Holy Communion children will take place on Monday 17th January 2022 at 5:30pm at St Mary Magdalen School, Linacre Rd, London NW2 5BB

VOLUNTEER FOR CAFOD

CAFOD is currently looking for volunteers in your parish, with good public speaking skills, who want to help us tackle poverty and injustice. Full training will be provided, no previous experience is necessary. For further details, call Tony Sheen on 020 8449 6970 or email: tsheen@cafod.org.uk.

**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**