

ENTRANCE	199 Again we keep this solemn fast
KYRIE, SANCTUS, & AGNUS DEI	Missa de Angelis
GOSPEL ACC	185 (verse said)
OFFERTORY	606 Upon thy table, Lord we place
MEMORIAL ACC	Sung
OUR FATHER	Said
COMMUNION	212 All ye who seek a comfort sure
RECESSIONAL	161 Jesus the word has lived among us

**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.

**CAFOD FAMILY FAST DAY APPEAL** Every child should grow big and strong. Family Fast Day is this Friday 11 March, a day when we eat simply and give generously to support mums around the world, with expert training in growing and making healthy food. You can donate in church using a CAFOD envelope, which you will find in the church or by visiting the CAFOD website (cafod.org.uk/lent). We also hope to have a Card reader to make it easy for you to give."

**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—HOST NEEDED** We are looking for a new host! If you would like to help the Small Prayers Group continue, please contact Chelsea asap, as the Lent sessions are due to commence on Thursday 10th March

5th March 2022 - 12th March 2022

Date	Time	Intention
Sat 5th	5pm	People of the Parish
Sun 6th	10am	Barbara Hynes (private intentions)
Mon 7th		NO MASS
Tues 8th	6pm	Thank you from the Dolan family
Wed 9th	10am	Bridget Tighe (Birthday Anniversary)
Thur 10th	10am	Marie Hurley RIP
Fri 11th	10am	Tom Duggan RIP
Sat 12th	5pm	Michael O'Sullivan (8th Anniversary) & Maureen O'Sullivan (24th Anniversary)

Main Altar Sanctuary Lamp	Peace in Ukraine
Sacred Heart	Bridget Tighe (A)
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.

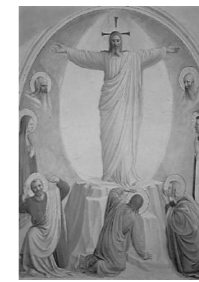
Thank you for your generous contribution during these times. We currently do not have a card machine so for bank transfers, the details are -  
 HSBC Bank: WRC DT Kensal Rise  
 Sort code: 40-05-20 Account no: 41094882

**Parish Diary**

Monday 7th March	6:00pm - 7:00pm	Confirmation— Session 7 at The Church of the Transfiguration, Kensal Rise
Monday 7th March	5:30pm— 6:30pm	First Holy Communion— Session 7 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**

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**First Sunday of Lent**

**5th/6th March 2022**

**PARISH TEAM**

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 & Thursdays 12:30 - 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**  
 £3,268

**LAST WEEK'S OFFERING**  
 £416.39

Thank you for your  
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Photographs can say in one image something which words can never really describe. Of course they are mostly happy images of a friend, of family. Of course, we can see many photographs in a day at home, in a frame, on a device of some sort, and we take hardly any notice of them. I saw a photograph at the weekend which I think I will remember for a long time. It was of an old lady – but it was not the sort of photograph you would want on your wall at home. This old lady's face, instead of being maybe smiling or calm, was a face of fear. You could see it in her eyes. Rather than being clean, this face was covered in ash and grime. Her home had just been attacked by a rocket; several floors in her block had been completely destroyed, and there were smears of blood on her face among the ash – she lived in Kyiv, and she is an innocent victim of the terrible war which has broken out there.

I think most of us feel a bit helpless when we see these photographs. If it were up to us, we would want to make this pointless war stop. We want to help those who have been injured and made homeless by this violence. We want people like this old lady to feel safe once more in her home. It seems there is nothing we can do so many thousands of miles away, and being just ordinary people with no power.

I think there is something which we can do. It will link us to those who are suffering in Ukraine. It will remind us that we are all human beings together. It may not seem like much, but I think it is very important nonetheless. On Ash Wednesday, many of us received ash on our foreheads to mark the beginning of Lent. This year, this sign of ash links us very closely with all the people in Ukraine who have the real ash of warfare on their heads. Our Lenten acts of prayer, fasting and giving will link us to the suffering people of Ukraine, they will remind us to pray for them; to be in solidarity with them; to remember them.

**Monsignor Roger Reader**