

**HYMNS FOR SUNDAY MASSES**

ENTRANCE	267 Jesus Christ is risen today
KYRIE, GLORIA, SANCTUS & AGNUS DEI	Mass of Christ the Saviour
GOSPEL ACC	261 (Verse Said)
OFFERTORY	276 He is risen tell the story
MEMORIAL ACC	Sung
OUR FATHER	Said
COMMUNION	278 Now the green blade riseth
RECESSIONAL	287 Thine be the glory

**PARISH OFFICE CLOSED THIS WEEK**

The Parish Secretary is on annual leave this week. Any voicemails or emails will be dealt with on her return. Should you have an urgent matter that cannot wait, please contact Fr Allan Alvarado Gil via the Parish phone number or his email address listed in the Parish Team section of this newsletter.

**PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES beginning April 2023**

For anyone who contributes towards the Parish via the weekly planned giving envelopes, these are now ready to collect from the Sacristy after Mass. Please speak to Fr Allan or Monsignor Roger. If you have any problems picking up your box, please contact Chelsea who will find a way to get the box to you.

**DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!**

**Next Social Committee Meeting:** Wednesday 3rd May 7pm

**Family Bingo:** Friday 19th May, doors 7pm, games 7:30pm

**50/50 Club:** Launching June 2023

**Parish Summer Party:** Sunday 16th July after 10am Mass

**MORE EVENT DATES TO BE ANNOUNCED SOON!**

**FAMILY BINGO**

Bingo Books will be on sale after Saturday and Sunday Masses starting the weekend of 15th/16th April. Ideally we would like the Bingo Books to be paid for in Cash to help us get together the prize money, but if you would like to pay by card, please use the Dona machine after registering with a volunteer, there will be an additional £1 charge for this due to the fees the Church pays on card transactions, to ensure the Bingo prize money doesn't lose funds. Please take a leaflet from the Porch of the Church, it promises to be a fantastic night, all ages welcome, cash bar available and of course, cash prizes to be won!!

<b>Confirmation Class</b> on Mondays 6:30pm—7:30pm in Kensal Rise	"Update! Confession!" on 17th April
<b>First Holy Communion Class</b> on Mondays 5:30pm—6:30pm	"The Word of the Lord" on 17th April at SMM School

**MASS INTENTIONS**

**8th April 2023 – 15th April 2023**

Date	Time	Intention
Sat 8th	8pm	Easter Vigil
Sun 9th	8am	People of the Parish
	10am	People of the Parish
	11:30am	Italian Mass
Tues 11th	10am	Fr Vincent Compton (Birthday Anniversary)
Wed 12th	10am	Noel Levingstone (3rd Anniversary)
Thur 13th	10am	Jodie Wicks (Birthday Anniversary)
Fri 14th	10am	Cuthbert Compton RIP
Sat 15th	5pm	Denis Murphy (Birthday Anniversary)
<b>Main Altar Sanctuary Lamp</b>		People of the Parish
<b>Sacred Heart</b>		Fr Natalino's Intentions
<b>Our Lady</b>		Jodie Wicks (Birthday Anniversary)

**PLANNED GIVING THANK YOU**

"For all things come from you, and of your own have we given you." - I Chronicles 29: 14-16

Thank you for taking part in our 'Planned Giving' appeal the other weekend. At the back of the church there are Week 3 booklets for those of you who weren't here who would like to help our Parish in some way.

If you are new to the parish, or missed signing a promise card and would like to register as a new Parishioner, order a box of donation envelopes, or to donate to the parish by standing order or wish to Gift Aid, please contact Chelsea in the Parish Office during opening hours or send an email to kensalrise@rcdow.org.uk Thank you.

**VOCATIONS**

On Wednesday 17th May, there will be an open evening at St James, Spanish Place, for any men interested in learning about or discerning a vocation to priesthood. The regular evening Mass will be at 6.00pm, followed by a gathering downstairs in the Social Centre for a short presentation and informal conversations and refreshments. Do come and join us if you can. The nearest tube stations are Bond Street and Baker Street.

**WESTMINSTER YOUTH MINISTRY TRIP**

Last chance to join Westminster Youth Ministry for two weeks in Porto, Fatima and Lisbon, 25 July to 9 August 2023 to celebrate World Youth Day with Pope Francis and 2 million other young people. Thanks to the support of the Cardinal's Appeal, the reduced cost for the pilgrimage is £1,500 inclusive of transport, accommodation, WYD Pass, insurance and some meals. Last few places remaining at this price, applications close on 14 April 2023. For more information and booking forms email Phoebe Prendergast at phoebeprendergast@rcdow.org.uk or Holly Cook at hollycook@rcdow.org.uk or call us on 020 3757 2516

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9th April 2023

**PARISH TEAM**

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*Italian Chaplaincy*  
**Fr Natalino Mignolli**

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**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

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**LAST WEEK'S OFFERING**  
£530.90

**MARCH'S STANDING ORDERS**  
£3,108

**MARCH CONTACTLESS INCOME**  
£409.59

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Thank you for your contribution to the Parish!

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**Early Church Fathers:** Christ destroyed death to bring us life, from a sermon by Leo the Great, 400-461 A.D.

"God's compassion for us is all the more wonderful because Christ died, not for the righteous or the holy but for the wicked and the sinful, and, though the divine nature could not be touched by the sting of death, he took to himself, through his birth as one of us, something he could offer on our behalf. The power of his death once confronted our death. In the words of Hosea the prophet: Death, I shall be your death; grave, I shall swallow you up. By dying he submitted to the laws of the underworld; by rising again he destroyed them. He did away with the everlasting character of death so as to make death a thing of time, not of eternity. As all die in Adam, so all will be brought to life in Christ."

**Monsignor Roger, Fr Allan, Fr Ruwan and Fr Natalino wish you all a very happy and Holy Easter.**

**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**