

MASS INTENTIONS AND PRAYERS

SUNDAY MASSES

2nd Sat Vigil	6.30pm	Anna Chew - RIP (<i>C. Yap</i>)
3rd Sun	9.00am	Joe Cuilinan (<i>P. Grogan</i>)
	11.00am	Pat Parker
	6.00pm	Maria Cleary - RIP (<i>H. Titcombe</i>)

WEEKDAY MASSES

4th Mon	9.30am	Joseph Antonisamy - RIP
5th Tues	9.30am	Paheerathan Family (<i>Thulasi</i>)
	7.00pm	Ed Haliburn - RIP
6th Wed <i>Ash Wednesday</i>	7.00am	Holy Souls (<i>IE</i>)
	9.30am	Peter Burns & Holy Souls (<i>K. Fox</i>) - with OLI Primary attending)
	7.00pm	
7th Thurs	7.00am	Brian McKie - RIP (<i>IE</i>)
	9.30am	Bertha D'Costa - RIP (<i>D'Costa Family</i>)
8th Fri	7.00am	Holy Souls (<i>IE</i>)
	9.30am	
9th Sat	9.00am	Baptism - <i>Theresa Momoh</i>
	2.00pm	

1ST SUNDAY OF LENT

9th Sat Vigil	6.30pm	Martin Furey (<i>Seamus & Irene</i>)
10th Sun	9.00am	Vincent Neba Ayamnde - RIP (<i>Martin & Herlanda</i>)
	11.00am	
	6.00pm	Enrolment of <i>Confirmandi</i>

OTHER SERVICES

Eucharistic Exposition	Monday - Friday: 8.30am Saturday: After 9am Mass till 10am
Sacrament of Reconciliation	Saturday: 9.30-10.00am & 5.30-6.15pm
Novenas	St Anthony: Tuesday after 9.30am & 7pm Masses Our Lady of Perpetual Help: Wednesday after 7pm Mass
1st Saturday of the Month	Devotion to Our Lady of Fatima with Sacrament of Reconciliation after 9am Mass

From Archbishop Peter Smith's Pastoral Letter for Lent 2019

"Lent is the season for each of us to enter into a closer union with the person of Christ and to reflect on how we deal with the temptations which afflict us all in different ways. To do that fruitfully we need to be serious about the three traditional helps towards that end, namely, prayer, fasting and almsgiving. But important and vital as these are, we need to open our hearts humbly to the life-giving grace and presence of Christ, and ask for his help."

PRAYERS REMEMBRANCE



Please remember in your prayers all those who have died, especially James Creigham (*dad of Karen Fox*), Maureen Houghton, and all those who mourn the loss of loved ones.



Please remember and pray for the sick, the housebound and all who care for them, especially those within our own parish community: Vanessa Andrew, Arthur Bailey, Martin Dray, Anthony Durkin, Sue Ewen, Pauline Ferrara, Ann Groves, Pat Parker, Thomas Haley, Roisin Loftus, Eileen Pearce, Heather & George Turtwein, Yvonne Norman and Esme Mills

REGULAR EVENTS IN THE PARISH

Justice & Peace Group	Second Monday of the month at 7.45pm, except August and December Next meeting: 11th March (<i>RDJ Room</i>)
Knights of St Columba	Every 3rd Monday at 4pm (<i>RDJ Room</i>)
Prayer Group	Tuesday at 10.30am-12pm, except 1st Tuesday (<i>RDJ Room</i>)
Afternoon Tea and Chat	2nd and 4th Tuesday of the month at 2pm (<i>RDJ Room</i>)
Union of Catholic Mothers (UCM)	Third Tuesday of the month except August at 7:30pm (<i>Old Chapel</i>)
St Vincent de Paul (SVP)	First and third Wednesday at 7:45pm Next meeting: 6th March (<i>Old Chapel</i>)
Junior SVP	1st and 3rd Sunday of the month before 6pm Mass (<i>Old Chapel</i>)
Library and SVP Coffee Morning	3rd Sunday of the month after 9am Mass (<i>Old Chapel</i>)
The Kingston Franciscan Fraternity	1st Saturday of the month at 3pm (<i>Pastoral Centre</i>)

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

First reading	Deuteronomy 26: 4-10
Second reading	Romans 10 8-13
Gospel	Luke 4 1-13

PARISH NEWS AND EVENTS

STATIONS OF THE CROSS DURING LENT

1. Monday-Friday after 9am Mass
2. Friday at 7pm (led by Syro-Malaba Community)

PARISH LENTEN PROJECT EVENTS

1. **Krispy Kreme Sale** - raised £179.20
2. **Noah's Ark Lenten Cake Sale** - Fri, 8th March 3pm
After school in front of OLI school front entrance. Contact Helen 07828704653
3. **Sri Lankan Evening** - Sat, 9th March 7:30pm-11:30pm
The evening includes Sri Lankan food & entertainment. Tickets: £10 adult £5 children ages 7-12 years old. Contact Joe at 0208 399 6491 or Antoinette at 07956891504
4. **'Tolworth Trekkers' Sponsored Walk** - Sat, 16th and Sun, 17th March
This year, over the weekend of 16 / 17 March, the Tolworth Trekkers are embarking on another epic 86 km (54 mile!!!) walk to raise money for the Lenten Project. On Saturday 16 March, we plan to walk from OLI Church over the Surrey Hills to Worth Abbey, Crawley. Then, on Sunday 17 March, we will retrace our steps, aiming to get back to Tolworth in time for Sunday Mass. Please contact Elspeth (elspeth.casey@virginmedia.com) if you are interested in taking part in the walk. If the distance seems too far, then please think about joining us for part of the walk.
5. **'Tolworth Tornadoes' Sponsored Bike Ride** - Sun, 17th March 6:30am start
In addition, the Tolworth Tornadoes have reformed and, led by Fr Ignatius, will cycle from OLI Church to Worth Abbey (and back) on Sunday 17 March. Please contact Phil (townsend4@blueyonder.co.uk) if you would like to join Fr Ignatius and the Tolworth Tornadoes.

Please, please sponsor us!!! The easiest way to do this is to use the Justgiving site, which has been set up for the Lenten Project <https://www.justgiving.com/OLITLentenProject>. Alternatively, please pop a cheque / cash through the Presbytery door. Many thanks in advance for your kindness and generosity - it will make all our efforts worthwhile!!

6. **St. Patrick's Day Coffee Morning** - Sun, 17th March after 9am mass
SVP and YVP invite you to come and enjoy a nice cup of tea and a bite of cake. We will make sure you have a Cead Mile Failte - a nice warm welcome.
7. **Table Top Sale** - This year's Table Top Sale will take place after the 9.00 and 11.00 Masses on **Sunday 24th March**. Items sold will include brand new, top quality china, glass and kitchen items; a wide range of plants; toys and games; books and much much more!

Do you have any unwanted goodies that you can donate to the sale? We are looking for items to sell and use as raffle prizes (eg unwanted gifts, good bric a brac, jewellery, household items, toiletries and chocolates).

Please contact Elspeth (Elspeth.casey@virginmedia.com) to organise collection. Refreshments will be provided and it will be a great opportunity to catch up with friends and support the Lenten Project.

8. **UCM/KSC Cake and Book Sale** - Sat, 30th March after 6:30pm mass and Sunday after the morning masses on Sun, 31st March in Old Chapel
Please could we ask for cakes donation and books to brought into the Old Chapel before the masses.

DO YOU NEED A CARER FOR THE ELDERLY?

I am a member of the parish and a carer who works for the elderly in their own homes. I have 18 years of experience and looking for work. Please contact Irene 07966698331.

MEMORIAL MASS FOR MAUREEN HOUGHTON

A memorial Mass will be held on 18th March 12pm at St. Raphael's Church. There is parking available for 14-16 cars at The Territorial Army building next to the Church or paid parking at The Rose Theatre.

Dear brothers and sisters,

As we prepare to begin our Lenten journey of interior renewal on Ash Wednesday in preparation for the celebration of the Paschal Mystery of our Lord at Easter, I am happy present to you the new layout of our weekly parish newsletter. I want to thank our sisters, Helen Orlando for the design, and Marie-Helen Cook for her invaluable contributions. It's still a work in progress and useful ideas are welcome towards improving it.

Also, to encourage as many as possible to participate in weekly Eucharistic celebration during Lent, besides a **7am Ash Wednesday Mass**, additional Mass will be celebrated at 7am on Thursday and Friday throughout Lent. I hope that people who work during the day will find this helpful.

Lastly, as you may have noticed, I'll be leading the Tolworth Tornadoes sponsored bike ride to support our Lenten Project. I have a target of £6,000 to raise. I would be grateful if you could help me to meet this target by signing the sponsorship form or donating online via the Justgiving site. Many thanks and God bless!
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WEEKLY COLLECTION

LAST WEEKEND

Loose collection: £827.40
Gift-aid: £740.77
Total: £1,568.17

THIS WEEKEND

2nd collection for poor parishes

INFANT BAPTISM

Please contact the Parish Office for information pack & to register for the parents course.

Next course: 1st and 2nd Sundays of March, at 10am in the Old Chapel

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Our First Holy Communion candidates will be celebrating their First Reconciliation on Saturday, 9 March. May we continue to keep them and their catechists and families in prayers.

CONFIRMATION

MASS OF ENROLMENT

Sunday, 10th March, we welcome all the candidates who will be confirmed this year to the 6pm Mass on Sunday for the formal enrolment into the Confirmation Programme.

RCIA PROGRAMME

Please, remember in your prayers, Amir, our candidate for admission into Full Communion who will be taking part in the Rite of Enrollment at St George's on Saturday, 9 March.