

The **Oblates In Britain & Ireland** have recently set up a new Facebook page. The purpose of this new page is to reach out to members of our Oblate family and to those we serve and minister to with news and inspiration. Please search the Anglo-Irish Oblates and like our new page!

We also invite you to visit [www.oblates.co.uk](http://www.oblates.co.uk) where you will find news items, the readings of the day and you can also submit a prayer online and members of the Oblate community will remember you in their prayers.



If you would like more information on **Oblate Vocations**, please visit [www.oblatevocations.com](http://www.oblatevocations.com). This link can also be found on our website [www.omiquex.org.uk/oblateworld](http://www.omiquex.org.uk/oblateworld).

### **Oblate Youth Summer Camp 1st-5th August 2016**

Are you aged between 12 and 14? Do you like taking part in adventure activities like rock climbing, abseiling, canoeing and more? If so, why not join us for a fun and exciting holiday that you'll never forget? 5 days of fun with young people from all over England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales. For more information or to book a place on the camp, please contact Ronan Lavery, 14 Quex Rd Kilburn, 020 7624 7296, [lavery.ronan@googlemail.com](mailto:lavery.ronan@googlemail.com)



If you would like to travel with the Oblates this year on their **annual pilgrimage to Lourdes**, from 17th—22nd September, please contact Noreen in the Parish Office 0207 624 1701. This year we also have a package for assisted Pilgrims, a nurse will accompany those who are not able bodied, details are available from the Parish Office.

Alternatively, you may also travel overland with Fr Paschal from Thursday 15th September to Saturday 24th September. For more information please contact Pat Denning on 020 8804 7678

## *Mazenod Social Club*

020 7624 5517  
Manager: Anna Redmond  
Assistant Manager:  
Mags Conway

### Opening Hours:

Monday /Tues/Thurs from 4.30pm  
Wed/Friday from 4pm;  
Saturday & Sunday from 12 noon

Monday: Salsa in Hall from 8pm  
Tuesday: 25 Card School in Lounge  
Bingo: 6.45 – 7.45pm in Hall  
Salsa: 8-11pm. Lessons 8-9pm  
Wed: Pensioners Advisory Service in Hall from 10am – 1pm. Please arrive by 11am  
Friday: Salsa Party – 1st Friday of month  
Line Dancing – 2nd Friday of month  
Ceili – Last Friday each month  
Music in Lounge  
Every Saturday Night  
Late Bar!

Sat 9<sup>th</sup> April  
The Wanderers in Lounge

Sat 16<sup>th</sup> April  
On the Tear

Sat 23<sup>rd</sup> April  
Anton & Lyn

*Everyone Welcome!*

# Sacred Heart Church

Newsletter for 10th April 2016

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## SCRIPTURE REFLECTION

Acts 5.27-32,40-41 Rev 5. 11-14 John 21,1-19



Empowered by the Spirit, the Apostles preach the gospel fearlessly, rejoicing even in the midst of persecution. In the gospel, the naked Peter i.e. without the Lord's power had to jump in water.

We, too, are called to jump in the water of confession and good deeds to heal the blind and the lepers of the community. Personal encounters with the risen Lord transformed Peter. He could go and feed Jesus' sheep.

Q/ Do I compromise the proclamation of the gospel for fear of rejection and ridicule ?

**Divine Mercy Retreat** will take place at Immaculate Heart of Mary, 1 Stafford Road on Saturday 23rd April, from 11am—3.45pm. More information can be found on the notice board at the back of the Church.



**Year of Mercy Pilgrimage.** On Saturday 30th April, the Parishioner's in this area will be making a pilgrimage to our local Door of Mercy at St Dominic's, led by Bishop Nicholas Hudson. We will walk together from here to St Dominic's leaving at 2.30pm.

There will be tea as we wait for everyone to assemble at 3.30pm. Then Bishop Nicholas will lead us in procession through the Holy Door into the Church, where we will celebrate the mercy of God in word, prayer and Sacrament:

Bishop Nicholas will speak to us about God's mercy, there will be a Holy Hour before the blessed Sacrament, and throughout the afternoon there will be the opportunity to experience the mercy of God in the Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession). The Pilgrimage will conclude at 5:30pm with benediction; St Dominic's then has a 6pm vigil Mass for those who would like to attend.

*No one is in charge of your happiness except you!*

**Funeral Notices**

**Mary Cunningham**, late of Christchurch Avenue. Repatriation Mass on Monday 11th April at 7pm. Following with repatriation to Ireland.  
**John Edmunds** late of Tennyson Road. Funeral Mass Wednesday 13th April at 12.15pm following onto West London Crematorium at 1.30pm  
**Mary Frances Levy**. Late of Brondesbury Road. Burial at Kensal Green Cemetery at 1.30pm on Thursday 14th April.  
**Bernadette Johnny** late of Honeypot Lane. Funeral Mass Friday 15th April at 12.15pm, following on onto Kensal Green Cemetery for 1.30pm  
**Angela Whelan** St Helen’s Church Watford at 11am on 19th April, following onto Cremation in Garston. A Months Mind Mass will be said for Angela at Sacred Heart on Sunday 1st May at 12.30pm

**Acknowledgement**

The Duffy & Moran families would like to thank everyone that attended Ted Moran’s funeral. Special thanks to Fr Michael for making it a special day. The Holy sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions on Saturday 21st May at 6pm

Have you experienced the death of a loved one through murder or manslaughter? Would you like an opportunity to talk about it in confidence? If so, please contact Fr Terry.

*May the souls of all the faithful departed rest in peace*



If you would like your child to be baptised, please call into the Parish House on Monday between 9.30am-1pm to meet with Sr. Lucilla to complete the necessary paper work. We welcome into the Church through the Sacrament of Baptism  
**Ocean Fiadh Flynn and Thomas Stuart Lewis.**

Today we welcome the candidates from the **Confirmation Programme** to the Church for the 12.30pm Mass. These are two very busy months for the Confirmation Group, between classes, masses, retreat day, pilgrimage walk. Please keep them in your prayers.



**Collections**

Good Friday Collection for Holy Places £1058.00.  
The amount of £1115.00 was received through the poor box during Lent , this will be paid to the Diocese chosen charity CARITAS  
3rd April 2016 £2917.85.  
2nd Collection for Building Fund £1023.00  
There will be a second collection next Sunday 17th April for the Priest training fund.  
Once again we thank you for your continued generosity

**Donation Envelopes**

There are still some boxes to be collected. If you have signed up to donate through the envelope scheme, please collect your box from the Sacristy  
Thank you to George for administering the work involved with the envelopes.

For all those that are involved in **Parish Ministry**, please keep 25th June free in your diary. Fr Selvam OMI will give a seminar on ongoing adult faith formation.

A **Oyster card & Gold Record Card** was recently found in the Church, please let the Parish Office know if this could be yours.

Free **English classes** are held every Tuesday from 10am—12pm at the 14 Quex Road (Basement) .

**FAMILIAS Friends’ Event 2016. London 16th May. 10am – 3pm. Raising Awareness of Domestic Abuse**

All are welcome at The Amigo Hall, St George’s Cathedral, Lambeth Rd, SE1 6HR.  
Entry: £10 for FAMILIAS members, associates, friends; others £20. Please bring a packed lunch  
Booking essential please contact: Phil Pond T: 020 8651 2477 E: philippond@blueyonder.co.uk

**CARITAS Westminster** (This year’s Diocese chosen charity for Lenten Alms) have a number of upcoming events all are welcome to attend.

Refugee Volunteer Training Thursday 14th April  
Volunteer Evening Tuesday 7th June  
Mass for Volunteers Saturday 10th September.

For more information, please contact John Coleby CARITAS director 020 7798 9357  
www.rcdow.org.uk/caritas

In this Year of Mercy, as part of our Outreach in the community as a parish we now provide food and friendship at Ashford Place **Homeless Shelter in Cricklewood** 3 nights a week. The Confirmation Candidates will begin helping out at the Shelter from next week.

The **Quex Parent and Toddler Group** meet Monday, from 9.30am-11.30am in the Parish House. It’s a great way to meet other parents and enjoy a cup of tea. **New** members are most welcome. We will resume again this Monday.

Our **Saturday Club** for young people with additional needs meets in the Parish House on Saturday from 2pm-4pm. New members are most welcome, please call in and see Maria during these times if you are interested in joining.

The **Quex Youth Group** meets in the St Eugene School Hall, at the back of the Church, every Friday from 7pm-8.30pm. Anyone who is in Secondary school is welcome to come. Contact Martha or Angela in the school hall on Friday. We will resume again after the Easter Break this Friday with a BBQ .

The **Credit Union** is now up and running in our parish. We have **3** collecting times at the parish house. Our times are Tuesday 9.15-10.30am, Thursday 6.30pm-8pm and Saturday from 2-4pm. If you would like to join or find out more information, please call in at any of the above times to the parish house. Leaflets will be distributed at all masses this weekend.

Spaces are filling up fast for the Parish Day trip to the shrine of **Our Lady at Walsingham** If you would like to join the group, please let Noreen in Parish Office know as soon as possible. Thank you.

*Life is a journey. When we stop, things don't go right.....Pope Francis*