

Please remember to switch of your mobile phone when entering the Church.

Please continue to help yourself to the **giving table** at the porch with the bread and cakes from Tesco's on the day's we receive it.

Fr Terry will soon be setting up a support group for Traveller Women. Please keep any eye on the bulletin for more information.

**Prayer with Sr. Anne Walsh OPe Walsh OP & Sr Martina**

**Dates:** 2nd May, 6th Jun 2018

**Time:** 7:30-9:00pm

**Venue:** Niland Conference Centre, 93 Elstree Rd, Bushey WD23 4EE. Suggested donation: £5.00. Registration is required.

Email: [livingfaith@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:livingfaith@rcdow.org.uk). Alternatively, please leave a message at 020 7931 6078.

### Mass Times and Services

#### **Weekday Masses**

10am—12.15pm

#### **Saturday Masses**

10am, 12 noon and 6pm (vigil)

#### **Sunday Masses**

9am, 11am, 12.30pm and 7pm.

#### **Confessions**

Saturday Morning 10.30am —12 noon

Saturday Evening 5.00pm—6.00pm

#### **Baptisms**

Saturday Afternoon 4pm

**All are subject to change to accommodate for funerals, weddings and other events in the church.**

Pope Francis' book on the universal call to holiness is now available from the Repository Shop at a cost of £4.95.

To change the world, we must be good to those that cannot repay us.

Pope Francis

## Mazenod Social Club

020 7624 5517

Manager: Anna Redmond

Assistant Manager: Mags Conway

### Opening Hours

**Monday – Thursday: 5pm to Midnight**

**Friday: 5pm to 1:30am**

**Saturday: Noon to 1:30am**

**Sunday: Noon to 10pm**

**Weekly Events:**

**Mon: Ballroom of Romance - Adult Social Dancing**

**Tues: 25 Card School in Lounge/Salsa in Hall**

**Wed: Pensioner Advice Service in hall from 10am**

### Sat 28th April

#### **Epic Ceili Fundraiser**

**12-3pm: Tea, cakes and music across the generations**

**3-6pm: Set Dancing Céilí to live music**

**6-8pm: Concert**

**8-11pm: Céilí for all with caller Martin Faherty - Admission: £10**

**Evening Trad Session in the LOUNGE from 9pm – free admission**

### Mon 30th April

**Ballroom of Romance with Eugene Doonan from 8:30pm**

### BANK HOLIDAY WEEKEND

#### Sat 5th May

**Benefit Night in aid of Milford Hospice Care Centre, Limerick**

**From 8pm 'til late**

**Music by Pat & Mustang**

Tickets: £5 includes light buffet

On sale now in the Club or from

Gerry Rea 07870 642 952

### Sun 6th May

**The Doctors in Lounge from 8pm**



# Sacred Heart Church

**Newsletter for 29th April 2018**

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### A Weekend with a Difference

Have you ever felt the call to the Priesthood or Religious Life? Do you want the opportunity to discern that call? If so why not spend a weekend with the Oblates of Mary Immaculate at our retreat centre in Wistaston Hall, Crewe on 18th—20th May. For more information, contact Fr John McFadden OMI at [j.mcfadden@oblates.co.uk](mailto:j.mcfadden@oblates.co.uk).

### Oblate Summer Retreat

**Building Bridges. Dealing with Differences and Managing Conflict in Everyday Life.**

Facilitated by Fr. Lorcán O'Reilly OMI.

Date Saturday, 28th July from 10.30am until 2.00pm on Monday, 30th July. Venue Oblate Retreat Centre, 89 Broughton Lane, Crewe CW2 8JS. For more information, please contact Kirk Jacob, Oblate Partners in Mission 0207 624 7296 or email [kirk.oblate.partners@gmail.com](mailto:kirk.oblate.partners@gmail.com)

### Notice the Cherry Blossoms

“Blink twice” and they'll be gone: What the cherry blossoms can teach us about the Nature of Life”

#### The Loveliest of Trees

Loveliest of trees, the cherry now  
Is hung with bloom along the bough,  
And stands about the woodland ride  
Wearing white for Eastertide.

Now, of my threescore years and ten,  
Twenty will not come again,  
And take from seventy springs a score,  
It only leaves me fifty more.

And since to look at things in bloom  
Fifty springs are little room,  
About the woodlands I will go  
To see the cherry hung with snow

A E Houseman



### Funeral and Death Notices

**Joanne Cahill** late of Appletree Court Nursing Home. Funeral Mass Monday 30th April at 12.15pm, following onto Kensal Green Crematorium for 1.30pm

**Cornelius O'Shea** late of Barlow Road. Reception into Church Monday 30th April at 7pm. Funeral Mass Tuesday 1st May at 2.30pm, following onto West London Crematorium at 3.45pm

**Maria Gonzalez** late of Cotleigh Road. Funeral Mass Wednesday 2nd May at 12.15pm, following onto Mill Hill Cemetery at 2pm

**Freda Delaney** late of Avonhurst House. Funeral Mass Wednesday 9th May at 12.15pm, following onto Hampstead Cemetery at 1.30pm.

**Christine Guerin** late of Dollis Hill Avenue. Funeral Mass Monday 14th May at 12.15pm, following onto Paddington Old Cemetery for 1.30pm.

The family of the late **Bridget Finn**, would like to thank everyone who attended her funeral, those who sent Mass cards and called to the home and sympathised with the family on their loss. Many thanks to all at Sacred Heart Church, especially Fr Tom. Mass will be offered for your intentions on Monday 14th May at 10am.

The next Cemetery Mass at St Mary's will be on Monday 7th May at 11am. All are welcome to attend.



If you have a **child that you would like to be baptised** in the coming months, please call to the Parish Office any Thursday morning between 9am and 12 noon and meet with Sr. Lucilla. We welcome into the Church through the sacrament of Baptism **Ronnel JR Guno, Yhellobelle De Leon, Kazaiya Amelia Tate-Donald and Imani-May Therese Spencer –Moss.**

The next Baptism preparation class will be held on Monday 14th May at 9.30am in the Parish House.



There is a meeting for ALL parents of children in the First Holy Communion Programme on Tuesday May 1st at 7pm sharp. It is very important that all children are represented.

The celebrations will take place on 12th May at 12 noon, 2pm and 4pm.

This will mean that the **Parish Mass on this day will be at 10am only.**

The confirmation candidates will be taking part in a sponsored walk on Sunday May 13th in aid of the Mission in Kenya, Please support their efforts to pay for a pupil to be able to go to school.

Would the confirmation group please collect their sponsor forms from Mary or Rita after the 12.30pm Mass This Sunday.



The **RCIA** have their final meeting on Tuesday 1st May at 7.30pm in the Parish House.

Please remember to exercise your right to vote in the upcoming local elections.

Our Parent and Toddler group meet every Monday in the Parish House from 9.15am until 11am. Please feel free to call in.

**The Credit Union** meet in the Parish House on Monday evenings from 6.30pm—8.00pm and Tuesday mornings from 9.30am—11.00am

Free **English Classes** take place every Tuesday morning at 14a Quex Road from 10am—12noon. The Class will commence again on Tuesday 10th April. New members are welcome.

Sr Noella is running a class in crochet every Tuesday from 2.30pm till 4pm in the Parish House. New members welcome.



This week the **Young at Heart Club** are off to Kew Gardens for the day on Wednesday. We will meet outside the main gate of Kew at 11.15am. We hope the weather holds up for you all. Our full programme is available on the website and at the back of the Church.

Every Thursday morning from 9.30am—10.30am we have a support group for parents who have children suffering from Mental Illness. Please feel free to come along to the Parish House and speak with other parents who are faced with similar challenges.

The **Friday night Youth Club** for pupils in Year 6 and 1st year of Secondary School takes place at 6pm in the Parish House.

The **Senior Youth Club** meet at 7pm on Saturday evenings in the Parish House.

Our club for young people with **additional needs** is held on Saturday afternoons from 2pm—4pm in the Parish House

Today at all Masses, there will be a second collection to support the work of the Medical Missionary Sisters. We welcome Sr. Gertrude at our Masses. Thank you for your generosity.



If you would like to join the **Oblates on their annual Pilgrimage to Lourdes**, the dates are 17th—22nd September and the cost is £554.00 which includes flights, airport transfer and full

board in a four star hotel. For further information, please see our website at [www.omiquex.org](http://www.omiquex.org) or contact the Parish Office at 0207 624 1701.

In honour of St Joseph the worker, Mass will be celebrated for Migrants at St George's Cathedral Lambeth Road SE1 on Monday 7th May at 11am. There will be a banner procession at 10.45am. All are warmly invited to celebrate the diversity of London, Kent, Middlesex, Hertfordshire and Essex.

The Next **JPIC meeting** will be held on Monday 30th April at 7.30pm in the Conference Room with Fr Reggie.

The next meeting with **Friends of St Eugene** will be held on Tuesday 1st May at 7.15pm.

The **Scripture Group** meet every Thursday morning after 10am Mass in the Presbytery. New members are always welcome.

Many thanks for your magnificent support of the **Foodbank** here in the Church. Please take a slip of paper from the heart on the pillar of the church and return what is on it to the basket at the front of the altar. Our Food bank is nearly empty and we would appreciate more donations of food that can be stored and also toiletries. Thank you for your continued generosity and for thinking of those less fortunate than ourselves.