



Sacred Heart R.C. Church

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Serving: Blackbird Leys, Greater Leys, Garsington & Cuddesdon

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FIFTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

3RD MAY, 2015

MASS TIMES, INTENTIONS & SERVICES

MAY 2015

3 rd	Sun	09.30	Baby Miguel Angel - Intention
		18.00	Matinho Lopes & Deceased family members
4 th	Mon		NO MASS
5 th	Tue	09.15	JOHN FISHER WHOLE SCHOOL MASS
		19.00	HOLY ROSARY
		19.30	Kathleen Hanna & Family Intentions
6 th	Wed		NO MASS
7 th	Thu	18.30	EXPOSITION & BENEDICTION
		19.00	Lilly Farrell & Family Intentions
8 th	Fri	09.00	Christo Thomas (get well)
9 th	Sat	10.00	Intention of Br. Sean
10 th	Sun	09.30	Owen King +
		18.00	Asha's Family Intentions

CONFESIONS: this Saturday from 10.30am to 11am or any day after Mass or by appointment with Fr Naz.

PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR RECOVERING: Minnie Rowse, Jean Collard, Pat Barfield, Dennis Thompson, Tanta Henry, Philomena Little, Sally Muhuta, Anna Ingelton, Ann Holden, Mary Jordan, Paddy Meridith, Michelle Iverson, Major Bartolome Giron, Vera Cooper, Bernadette Samworth, Natasha Anderson, Sr. Rose, Julio Arquimba, Kate Surman, Val Smith, Steven Bradley, Johanes Baptista Klau, Bozena Pastuszka, Lucas Randall, Jacqueline East, Neville Melhado and all who care for the sick.

ANNIVERSARIES: Mary Kelly

FINANCES LAST WEEK:

- Offertory: £283.70
- Clergy Training Fund: £105.46

NEPAL EARTHQUAKE APPEAL: CAFOD is making an emergency appeal following the devastating earthquake that has hit Nepal.. A Second collection today will go to this emergency appeal. Please pray for those affected and for CAFOD. Other ways to donate: Online at cafod.org.uk/Nepal or by telephone 0500858885

HALF & HALF Please keep buying tickets for the next draw which will take place on Sunday, 31st May.

MUSIC THIS WEEK (9.30AM)

- TODAY (9.30am): African Choir
- NEXT WEEK: Main Choir

EUCCHARISTIC MINISTERS NEXT WEEK:

- 9.30AM MASS: Arman Santos, Jenny Parker & Rolly Eteban
- 6.00PM MASS: Fred Manansala & Cynthia Muthoni

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION ISSUES

- Sunday, 3rd May at 9.30am Mass Jennifer Abreu Telo will be received into the Catholic Church
- Thursday, 7th May at 4.30pm: Practical Session for both Children and parents
- All choirs will meet soon after the 9.30am Mass today to rehearse hymns for First Holy Communion

KERYGMA BIBLE RETREAT THIS WEEK: The third session of six will take place this Friday 1st May from 7pm till 8.30pm.

LADIES' RETREAT ORGANISED BY THE FILIPINO COMMUNITY

will take place at Sandhills Community Centre, Sandhills Oxford, on 9th May 2015 from 08.30 to 18.30. All ladies are welcome. For more details please see Jocelyn

FINANCE MEETING: 10th May, 2015 soon after the 6pm Mass.

MAY PROCESSION: Sunday, 10th May 2015 at 4pm at Blessed Dominic Berberi Church.

FINANCIAL REPORT FOR 2014

Parish income

	Actual 2013	Actual 2014
Offertories (inc £8,883 by gift aid)	19,171	17,561
Rental income	10,200	10,225
Donations (inc £97 by gift aid)	2,533	1,447
Interest income	115	114
Fundraising	6,379	6,667
Repository/Newspapers/Votive Candles	2,642	3,013
Tax refunds from gift aid	2,373	3,699
Church Hall Rent	3,671	6,115
Other collections for parish (eg Hall floor etc)	2,701	2,193
Car loan repayment	800	0
Fr Naz Loan repayment	40	840
Insurance claims	0	0
Total	50,628	51,873

Parish expenses

	Actual 2013	Actual 2014
Church (Lit. Past/Establishment/Maintenance)	21,985	10,296
House (Domestic/Establishment/maintenance)	5,065	5,646
Clergy (Salary/Supply priests/Expenses)	8,263	7,567
General (Office/Levies/Donations/Repository/Newspapers/Votive candles)	10,710	8,674
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Fundraising expenses	622	886
Personnel/Wages	1,753	1,716
Bank Charges	95	176
Payments to other parishes	304	93
Car loan	0	0
Fr Naz Loan	1,873	0
Total	51,020	35,974

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19 April 2015

A big thank you to all the people of the parish for your financial support in 2014. This year we have ended the year with a much healthier position with savings of £15,899. I am grateful to the Finance Committee for the outstanding work in putting our finances together.

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