



Sacred Heart R. C. Church

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23RD SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

6TH SEPTEMBER, 2015

MASS TIMES, INTENTIONS & SERVICES

SEPTEMBER 2015

6 th	Sun	09.30	Frances May
		18.00	Beatrice Aluko +(recent)
7 th	Mon	09.00	Sally, John McVeigh and Family
8 th	Tue	19.00	HOLY ROSARY
		19.30	Linda Barreto +
			<i>Feast of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin +Mary</i>
9 th	Wed		NO MASS
10 th	Thu	18.30	EXPOSITION AND ADORATION
		19.00	Kathleen Doyle +
11 th	Fri	09.00	Durkin Family
12 th	Sat	10.00	John McVeigh
13 th	Sun	09.30	Douglas Harding (sick)
		18.00	Pro Populo

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, 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, Steven Bradley, Johanes Baptista Klau, Bozena Pastuszka, Lucas Randall, Jacquiline East, Neville Melhado, Betty Duff and all who care for the sick.

ANNIVERSARIES: John McCallum, James Ross, Hilda Ross and Billy Durkin

FINANCES LAST WEEK:

- Offertory: £431.48
- CCTV Cameras: £67.16
- Half & Half: £64.00
- Donations at the Baptism of Tyarna McIntosh: £60.39

HALF & HALF Congratulations to Ross Doyle for winning £32 from the August draw. Please keep buying tickets for this month's draw to take place on Sunday 27th September.

MUSIC AT THE 9.30 SUNDAY MASS

- **TODAY:** Filipino Choir
- **NEXT WEEK:** Main Choir

EUCARISTIC MINISTERS NEXT WEEK:

- 9.30AM MASS: Rolly Esteban Cynthia Muthomi Jenny Parker
- 6.00PM MASS: John Thomas and Fred Manansala.

CHURCH FLOWER ARRANGEMENTS Next week: Maggie Durkin & Jenny Parker.

WE WELCOME JAMES MCLOUGHLIN the new Youth Development Worker for Oxfordshire and Warwickshire who will speak at both Masses today, Sunday, 6th September.

"WITHOUT DOUBT, THE OLD LAW WAS GOOD: An evening lecture at the Blackfriars the Oxford Council of Christians and Jews. Tuesday, 8th September 2015 at 7.30pm. Speaker: Dr Richard Conrad, OP. All are welcome!!

TRAINING FOR FIRE MARSHALS for Sacred Heart Church will take place on Friday, 11th September 2015 at 7pm. The following names were proposed by the Parish Pastoral Council: Rolly Esteban, Jason Waine, Fr Naz, Pat McGroarty, John Kusumalayam, Phil Doherty, Nuala McNally, Cathy Wanja, Matthew Emmerson and Marco Goncalves. I would also encourage those who do certain jobs in and around the Church to consider being part of this group.

RIDE & STRIDE: Saturday 12th September 2015. We need a few more people to man the church and provide tea and biscuits in the afternoon.

- Maggie and Dorothy will cover from 11am until 1.00pm.
- Jackie Halliday from 1.00pm until 3.00pm.
- We need cover from 3pm till 6pm. If people could spare an hour or two we would easily cover the three hours.

These too are supposed to be sponsored. Those who can help please get forms from Jacqui.

YEAR OF CONSECRATED LIFE: Sr Anne Catherine Swailes will be speaking at both Masses on Sunday, 13th September on the Year of Consecrated Life.

SPONSORED RIVER WALK will take place on Sunday, 20th September starting from Folly Bridge at 11.30am. Nuala McNally will have details for us next week

THE HEALING AND EMPOWERMENT SCHOOL will take place at Kensington in London from 9th to 11th October. Registration Fee £15. Please talk to Jenny Parker or book online at www.corelumenchristi.org/events/calendar

RACIAL JUSTICE SUNDAY, 13 SEPTEMBER 2015. The Catholic Church in England and Wales will be celebrating Racial Justice next Sunday. The theme is: Dignity of the Human Person. It is a day on which all Christians are called to earnestly pray for an end to racism and inequality.

PILGRIMAGE TO KNOCK: Saturday, 13th August to Thursday 18th August 2016. We now need those interested to start filling forms which can be got from Nuala McNally.