



NEWSLETTER

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FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT

MOTHERING SUNDAY

26th MARCH, 2017

MASS TIMES, INTENTIONS & SERVICES

MARCH 2017

26 th	Sun	09.30	Horacio Liu & Filomena Liu + African Choir
		18.00	Pro Populo
27 th	Mon	09.00	Sarah McVeigh +
28 th	Tue	19.00	HOLY ROSARY
		19.30	Ellen McGarry +(ann)
29 th	Wed		NO MASS
30 th	Thu	18.30	EXPOSITION AND BENEDICTION
		19.00	Alice Clarke +
31 st	Fri	09.00	STATIONS OF THE CROSS
		10.30	FUNERAL OF MARY PERKS
		19.00	STATIONS OF THE CROSS
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1 st	Sat	10.00	Pedro F Goncalves & Margarida T De Jesus
2 nd	Sun	09.30	FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT
			Christina Treavajo & Rita Greenridge +
		18.00	Filipino Choir
			Pro Populo

CONFESIONS this Saturday, from 10.30am till 11.00am or else by arrangement with Fr Naz at any point in the week.

RECENT DEAD:

- Mary Perks: Funeral at 10.30am on Friday, 31st March 2017
- Kent Jules: Funeral at 11.00am on Friday, 7th April 2017

ANNIVERSARIES: Paddy McLoughlin, Betty Kellet and James Craig

FINANCES:

- Offertory: £319.80 Side Window Project: £75.17
- CAFOD this week: £17.00
- Sales of items for side window Project: £30.00
- Donation from Little Way Healing Association: £100.00
- Church In Need & Safe Child Thailand: £3.36

HALF & HALF. Please keep buying tickets for the next draw which will take place on Sunday, 26th March.

CONGRATULATIONS TO MAGGIE DIRKING AND CARMILLA GONCALVES for organizing the Soup Lunch for CAFOD the other day. £105.40 was made bring the parish total of £215 which we have never done before.

EUCARISTIC MINISTERS

- **TODAY 9.30AM:** : Chris Donovan, Nuala McNally and Rolly Esteban **6.00PM:** John Kusumalayam and Ella Manansala.
- **NEXT WEEK 9.30AM:** Jenny Parker, Pat McGroarty and Mary Barry. **6.00PM:** Fred Manansala and John Thomas

SECOND SCRUTINY OF THE CANDIDATES OF THE SACRAMENTS

will take place at the 9.30am Mass today.

OFFERTORY ENVELOPES are available in the porch for those on gift aid scheme and for those who give their offerings using envelopes. Please collect them today as they will need to be used from this coming Sunday.

LENTEN ALMS: 2017 If you so wish please collect jars from Nuala for your family to set aside some change for Church in Need and Safe Child Thailand.

MONDAY EVENING LENTERN TALKS AT THE DE LA SALLE

BROTHERS: will take place tomorrow, 27th March starting time is 7.30pm. Please contact Sally if you can go.

TRAINING FOR NEW EXTRA-ORDINARY MINISTERS OF THE EUCHARIST

- ❖ First Session will take place today, Sunday 26th March soon after the 6pm Mass.
- ❖ The second Session will include the already Commissioned Eucharistic Ministers on Sunday, 2nd April starting soon after the 6pm Mass.
- ❖ Commissioning of New Eucharistic Ministers will be done at the Mass of Our Lord's Supper on Holy Thursday, 13th April at 7pm

PARISH LENTEN RECONCILIATION will take place on Monday, 3rd April at 7pm instead of 27th March to get adequate help from other priests.

HOLY WEEK CELEBRATIONS

- **PALM SUNDAY:** 09th April
9.30am Mass: Main Choir
6.00pm Mass
- **MASS OF OUR LORD'S SUPPER:** Thursday 13th April at 7pm: African Choir, followed by adoration.
- **GOOD FRIDAY:** 14th April
10.00am: Witness Walk on the Leys Estates with Stations of the Cross led by Malayalam Community.
3.00pm: **PASSION OF OUR LORD SERVICE:** Filipino Choir
- **HOLY SATURDAY:** 15th April
10.00am: Office of Readings & Morning Prayer.
8.30pm: Easter Vigil at 8.30pm: Main Choir
- **EASTER SUNDAY:** 16th April: 9.30am: Santa Terezinha Choir.
6.00pm: