

MUSIC MINISTRY

10.00 celebration:

Entrance: 969;
Gloria: 531; Psalm: as set
Alleluia: Folk
Offertory: Fairest Lord Jesus (arr. How) +
849; Sanctus: 553; Acc: 554a
Amen: 555; Agnus Dei: 591
Communion: O God of mercy (Lole) + 631
Final: 787

11.30 celebration:

Caribbean Choir. *Please collect a hymn sheet from the table by the entrance.*



LATELY DEAD

Please pray for:

Claire Andrews RiP,
whose funeral is on
Thurs. 19/09, 10.00

Christina Colfer RiP,
whose funeral is on Weds. 25/09, 10.00

Elizabeth Kusi RiP, whose funeral is on
Thursday 26/09, 10.45

Palmira Dias RiP, whose funeral is to
be confirmed.

Thomas Frain RiP, whose funeral is on
Thursday 03/10, 10.00.

SCHOOLS

St. Ignatius College Open Evening –

Tues 17th Sept. from 5.30 to 8pm.
Open Mornings – Tue 24th & Thur
26th Sept. Contact the College on
01992 717835

Our Lady's Catholic High School: Year 6
Open Evening, Thurs 19th., 4 to 8pm.



USUAL TIMES FOR LITURGIES

Sunday Masses

7^{pm} [Saturday evening - Vigil of Sunday]
8.30^{am}, 10.00^{am}, 11.30^{am}, 6.00^{pm}
4.30^{pm} (Latin American, en espanol)
1.30^{pm}, & 7.30^{pm} (Polish, po polsku)

Weekday Masses

Monday - Friday: 10.00^{am} & 6.30^{pm}
Saturday: 10.00^{am}

Sacrament of Reconciliation (English):

Saturday, 10.30 - 11.15^{am}; 6.00 - 6.45^{pm};

Sunday: 15 mins before each Mass.

(Polish): Sunday, 12.45-1.15^{pm}; 6.45 - 7.25^{pm}

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

Fridays: 10.30 – 11.30am; First Friday: 10.30
– 11.30am; 7 – 8pm

PARISH STAFF & TEAM

Contact them on: 020 8800 2121

For appointment to see a priest, please phone,
between 8am and 1pm Monday to Thursday.

CLERGY—Parish Priest:

Fr. Andrew
Cameron-Mowat SJ.

Assistant Priests:

Fr. Michael Bossy SJ,
Fr. Michał Karnawalski SJ (Polish/English),
Fr. Mateusz Konopiński SJ (Polish/English),
Fr. David Stewart SJ (Thurs-Sun only).

Jesuit Superior:

Fr. Paul O'Reilly SJ.

Sacristan:

Sr. Eugenia Geraghty OSM.

Parish Secretary:

Judy Bronson.

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Parish Council Chair:

Vacant

*If you have any concerns about safety or
well-being of a child or vulnerable adult in the
parish, please contact one of our Safeguarding
Representatives: Attracta Asika 079 0544 5938
and Aga Wiecek, 077 3681 9943.*



24th Sunday, Year C
15th September 2019

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THE PRODIGAL FATHER

The story of the Prodigal Son is really the story of the Prodigal Father - of a father who loves his Son so much that no matter how far he goes astray he is willing to forgive him completely when his son turns to come back.

This story is a reminder to us that God loves us so much that his only agenda for us is forgiveness.

What does this forgiveness of God mean? How do we experience that intense, deeply personal, life-changing moment, when God who created us & cares for us comes to meet us, puts his arms around us and fills us with forgiveness and love?

Can we reflect on the moments in our lives when we too have experienced the love and forgiveness of someone who means a lot to us?

When we experience forgiveness from another person, is that not a sign to us of the forgiveness of God who created us and who sustains us?

When we ourselves forgive others, when we stop bearing a grudge against someone, when we begin to see our brother or our sister, not with the eyes of gossip but with the eyes of Jesus, then we will begin to understand and to know that the mystery of God's forgiveness is a power that can change our lives for ever.

God is waiting for us to turn back, to recognise that without the love and the guidance of our faith we are nothing.

Let us pray for the grace to know the loving forgiveness of God, and for the courage to forgive one another, as God has forgiven us.

In the words of Pope Francis: "We hear many offers from the world around us; but let us take up God's offer instead: his is a caress of love. For God, we are not numbers, we are important, indeed we are the most important thing to him; even if we are sinners, we are what is closest to his heart."

ANDREW CAMERON-MOWAT SJ

PLEASE TAKE THIS NEWSLETTER HOME WITH YOU
(we now print it on recycled paper)



SUNDAY AT ST IGNATIUS

TODAY we celebrate the 24th Sunday in Ordinary Time, Year C

RECENT COLLECTIONS: 08/09, £2,838.36. Thank you for your generosity! **Counters** this Week: Group C.

SEASON OF CREATION: today and throughout the month, this important Season continues. With Catholic and other Christians around the world, we continue to reflect on the damage that we have done to our earth, “God’s Gift of love” (Pope Francis), and ponder in our hearts what each one of us must do in reparation.

TEA/COFFEE and social time after 08.30 & 10.00 Mass, Old Refectory: has resumed. Come and meet your fellow parishioners; All are welcome, especially if you’ve recently come to the parish or are visiting. On **Sun.22nd**, the Macmillan morning, there will be a hot drink & cake for £1, plants & gifts for sale & a raffle. Please donate any unwanted gifts or home made baking on the day. Contact Pauline Daly 8808 1268

The **GHANAIAAN CATHOLIC MOTHERS** will meet after the 11.30 Mass.

PARKING: we still have a problem, with three separate instances of bad temper and raised voices last Sunday, because people’s vehicles had been blocked by others who’d parked inconsiderately. We don’t come to Mass to yell at each other! Please don’t block others; when the spaces are all taken, park across the street, please!

READINGS AND RESPONSES FOR THE 24TH SUNDAY.

Entrance Antiphon (*Sirach 36:18*): Give peace, O Lord, to those who wait for you, that your prophets be found true. Hear the prayers of your servant, and of your people Israel.

Readings: Exodus 32:7-11,13-14; Psalm 50; 1Tim1:12-17; **Luke 15:1-32**

Psalm Response I will leave this place and go to my father.

Gospel Acclamation (*Ephesians 1:17,18*) Alleluia, alleluia! May the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ enlighten the eyes of our mind, so that we can see what hope his call holds for us. Alleluia!

Communion Antiphon (*Ps.35*) How precious is your mercy, O God! The children of men seek shelter in the shadow of your wings.

PRAYER FOR OUR WORLD (SAID DURING THIS SEASON OF CREATION, FROM CAFOD)
Creator God, who made our beautiful world, appointed us as its guardians and gifted us with everything we need, forgive us for the times we cause it harm; for the times our way of life affects our neighbours.
Inspire us to care for the environment; to help rebuild lives and communities; to share in the griefs and anxieties, joys and hopes of all your people, so that all your creation may flourish — Amen.

PARISH EVENTS, DATES FOR THE DIARY

At last, the work to upgrade our church’s lighting will commence, tomorrow (Monday). Inevitably, that means some disruption. The church will be CLOSED immediately after the 10.00 daily Mass; recitation of the Rosary can be in the Weekday Chapel. The contractors, who start at 07.00 each day, will pause for Mass and will work around any funerals, etc.. Some space is required for their equipment and scaffolding so, for security and safety, some parts of the church will be roped off. Please observe these restrictions, thank you.

SAMUEL GROUP

Starting here soon, it’s about **vocational discernment**, meeting monthly over 8 months, small group and 1:1. See posters or ask Sr.Agnes or Fr.David.

APPEAL—LITTLE SISTERS OF THE POOR

We will welcome members of the Little Sisters of the Poor at our Masses on Sept.28/29th. We’ll hold a second collection to support their ministry, especially St. Anne’s Home, Manor Road.

SACRAMENTAL LIFE:

RCIA classes, for adults considering baptism and/or full reception into the Catholic Church, starts on Thursday 19th, 7.00pm Contact Elwira for further details.



Again, my colleagues in the Dublin office have sent free copies of Messenger. Do take one. Please considering **buying a subscription in thanks**—details from Fr.David.

YOUNGER PEOPLE

All young people of the diocese are invited to 'The Summit' at Westminster Cathedral on Friday 18th October, 6.30pm to 8pm, for an inspiring evening of reflections, worship music & exposition of the Blessed Sacrament. Cardinal Nichols will lead the reflections. It will be a wonderful opportunity to celebrate our faith together. Please come along; encourage friends, youth groups, confirmation groups, any other young people you know to join us. More information at dowym.com/events.

HARINGEY CITIZENS

We now start up again, unleashing the power of civic society, holding those with power to account, for the Common Good! There is lots to do as well as several big wins to celebrate, such as finally getting TfL to agree to pedestrian crossing at High Cross and wins on the Living Wage. After the listening exercise earlier this year, we identified housing and knife-crime as key issues for action but we’ve also the London Mayoral elections coming soon (plus a likely General Election) and further action on the London Living Wage.

We are full members of Haringey Citizens. I need one person, who will help to plan our ambitious programme, to join me at an **Emergency Haringey Citizens Lunch**, Thurs 26th, 12.30—14.00, at the Willow, Broadwater. Please contact me on 8442 5232 (voicemail) or davidstewart@rcdow.org.uk—Fr.David.

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