

THIS WEEK:

**Mon — Friday: 10am Mass
Exposition and Confessions to
11am.
Monday and Friday evening at
6.30pm**

SUNDAY OFFERTORY/TITHES

**MARCH: £ 12,516.09
Week average: £ 2,503
EASTER: £6,010.77
HOLY PLACES: £1,606.41
Thank you for your generosity.**

Readings: Acts 3:13-15,17-19; 1 John 2:1-5; Luke 24:35-48

Bloomsbury Legal Clinic offers free help with: FAMILY LAW - CIVIL - REAL ESTATE - PROPERTY - HOUSING - COURT FORMS. Students interview and then provide a written advice to clients on whole range of legal issues. Please contact the Social Apostolate or send an e-mail to: blc@bil.ac.uk with the note "from the Social Apostolate". The next legal advice will take place on **Tuesday 23/04/24.**

FUNERALS:

John O'Connor: Wednesday 1pm
Madeleine Henry: Thur 11.30am
Elizabeth Joseph: Friday 11.30am



NORMAL CHURCH TIMES
**Saturday Evening 6.30^{pm} (Vigil);
Sunday Mass: 8, 9:30, 11
Polish (po polsku): 12.30^{pm}, 6:30^{pm}
Mass in Spanish: 4.30^{pm}
Monday—Saturday: 10am Mass
Evening Mass Monday and Friday at
6.30^{pm}
Padre Pio/Divine Mercy: 2nd and
4th Tuesday at 6.30pm
Sacrament of Reconciliation:
in the church after 10am Mass each
weekday, after the 6.30pm Mass on
Friday, 6pm Saturdays, or *by
appointment at the Presbytery.*
Rosary: 11am each weekday**

PARISH STAFF & TEAM

Contact them on: 020 8800 2121
Parish Priest: Fr. Andrew Cameron-Mowat SJ.
Assistant Priests: Fr. John McCabe SJ,
Fr. Piotr Kropisz SJ
Resident Jesuits: Fr. Harry Elias SJ, Fr. John
Moffatt SJ (LJC), Fr. Jean Nyembo SJ
(Congo), Fr. Michael Smith SJ (JRS).
Music: Ann Bennett
Sunday Sacristan: Kevin De Souza
Parish Secretary: Judy Bronson.
Tel: 020 8800 2262 . M-Th 9am — 1pm
Catechetics: Aga Wiecek 020 8800 2202

If you have any concerns about safety or well-being of a child or vulnerable adult in the parish, please contact our Safeguarding Representative: Aga Wiecek, 077 3681 9943



**3rd Easter Sunday Year B
14th April 2024**

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PEACE BE WITH YOU

This Easter time reminds us that each of us can start all over again. We are offered forgiveness again for our sins, for our half-hearted attempts at change, and for our fear of death that keeps us locked up in feeble attempts at self-preservation.

The disciples, who heard the risen Christ instruct them to go out and proclaim “repentance for the forgiveness of sins,” knew that they themselves had been the first beneficiaries of the message they were to proclaim. Jesus forgave them first, and so they must forgive others. Remember the Our Father prayer: “forgive us our trespasses *as we forgive* those who trespass against us.”

All that had passed before---their betrayal and abandonments of Christ in his suffering---had been forgiven by Jesus’ greeting to them, “Peace be to you.”

They would be ambassadors proclaiming that peace to “all nations.” They weren’t to wallow in their past sins, they had been “wiped away.” Now they had to announce the same possibilities to others.

We are called to follow in their footsteps and to be Christians to others, to proclaim our belief in the risen Lord and to continue to pass on the message of the Good News to everyone we meet. We pray for the courage and strength to carry out the wishes of the Lord during the coming week.

Responsorial Psalm: Lift up the light of your face on us, O Lord.



Next Sunday: Good Shepherd Sunday

Next Sunday is Good Shepherd Sunday, the day we pray for priests and for vocations to the priesthood. The annual collection for the Priest Training Fund will take place next weekend. This fund pays for the priestly formation of men for the Catholic diocesan priesthood. There are currently 49 men studying at Allen Hall seminary, 13 of whom are from our own Diocese. We also have one seminarian in Valladolid and one at the Beda, presently on pastoral placement in Ruislip. There are also two on a propaedeutic year at Redemptoris Mater. Last year 3 deacons were ordained for Westminster Diocese. The Priest Training Fund also supports the ongoing enrichment and formation of our ordained priests. Your generous donation helps ensure we can support these men who are called to be like Christ the Good Shepherd. Donation envelopes are available in the back of the church. Please take one home, read the information, and bring it back next weekend with your donation. Please continue to pray for vocations and for our priests. You can use the QR code to make your donation online or visit www.rcdow.org.uk/donations. Thank you for your generosity.

Annual Mass of Thanksgiving for the Sacrament of Matrimony Westminster Cathedral, Saturday 25th May 2024 at 2:30pm.

The Cardinal is inviting to this Mass all couples in the Diocese, who are celebrating their **5th, 10th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th and 60th (and every year over 60)** wedding anniversary of Catholic marriage in 2024. If you are celebrating an anniversary, please give your parish clergy the following details: husband and wife's names, wedding date, full postal address and email (or telephone number, if no email). **BY tomorrow, Monday, PLEASE.**

EASTER GARDEN: we are grateful for any donations of flowers in pots for our Easter garden in the St Joseph Chapel.

POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION APRIL:

For the role of women

We pray that the dignity and immense value of women be recognized in every culture, and for the end of discrimination that they experience in different parts of the world.

CAN YOU SING? Our Youth Choir which sings at the 9.30 Mass is looking for new members. If you are aged 11-25 and enjoy singing, please come along. Choir practices are on Fridays 6.15pm - 7.15pm in the weekday chapel. If you need more information, text/Whatsapp Ann on 07793 751261. Otherwise please consider joining our 11am choir.



PARISH PLANNED GIVING ENVELOPES BOXES 2024-2025

The Planned Giving Boxes are ready for collection. Please meet Elisabete or one of our parish finance committee members in the Papers Stand opposite the repository after Sunday Mass.

CONTACTLESS MACHINE: If there is a problem with the machines please use this QR code and enter payment information to make your donations. Many thanks.

