

Mass Times

Vigil Mass: Sat 6.30pm Sunday 9.30am

Spanish Mass 12.30pm

6.30pm

Mon to Sat 10am & **6.30pm**

Sacrament of Confession

Saturday 10.45 – 11.15am 6.00 – 6.30pm Mon. – Fri. 6:15 – 6:30pm

Parish Office Opening Hrs

Mon – Fri 9am to 5pm (Lunch from 1.30pm to 2.30pm)

Rosary

Every Wednesday after 10am Mass followed by Tea in the Founders Room.

> Rosary also held on Sundays at 3pm in the Colonnade.

Legion of Mary

Every Tuesday at 7pm in the Parlour.

Holy Hour

1st Friday of every month after 10am Mass. This will include Rosary, Litany Divine Mercy & Benediction.

Saints Days

Mon 21st – St Peter Damian

Tue 22nd – The Chair of

St Peter the Apostle

Wed 23rd – St Polycarp



St. Peregrine Mass of Healing Is on Wednesday 23rd Feb at 6.30pm. We will pray for all Cancer sufferers and those that are seriously ill.

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7th Sunday in Ordinary Time (Year C) 20th February 2022

Sunday Reflection

The Gospel of this 7th Sunday ordinary time year C is a strong advice to love your enemies, to do good to those who hate you, pray for those who mistreat you, give generously to those who ask of you, and to lend without expecting anything in return are all forms of Christian love. This merciful love is a response to the generosity, the blessings, and the forgiveness God has bestowed upon us. We can only love in this supernatural way because God has extended his grace upon us in such incredible abundance.

Lent -We begin our season of Lent on 2nd March, <u>Ash Wednesday</u>, which is a "<u>Day of Fast and Abstinence</u>". Ashes will be blessed and distributed at the 10am and 6.30pm Masses. We are signed with ashes to remind us of the penitential character of the Lenten journey. We prepare for the celebration of Easter with forty days of <u>Prayer</u>, <u>Fasting</u> and <u>Alms giving</u>. We are often asked "What are you giving up for Lent?" We could also be asked "What are you taking up for Lent?" Two critical Lenten words to note "Repent" and "Believe". We renew our Christian Life and try to be more faithful to our Baptismal calling. Have a good Lent!

First Holy Communion Programme – Children's 4th Session of the programme is on Sunday 27th February at 9am also in the School Hall.

Confirmation Programme – Next session is on Sunday 27th February 2022 at 5pm. Candidates will then attend 6.30pm Mass.

Baptismal Preparation Course Final session of this course will be on Tuesday 22nd of February at 7pm in the Founders Room. Parents must attend both sessions.

Eucharistic Ministers: Rota has resumed. For Ministers who do not have Email a hard copy of the rota is available from the Parish office.

St Patrick's Night Party – Saturday 19th March @ 7pm. Tickets on Sale for £5 in the Parish Office (Limited Number). Please bring drink for share table.

Annual Mass of Thanksgiving for the Sacrament of Matrimony Westminster Cathedral, Saturday 14th May 2022 at 3pm. 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 2022. 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).

Relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis

Exposition of this Relic on every Monday after our 10am Mass.

Confessions can also be heard at this time. *Blessed Carlo Pray for us.*

Lord Jesus

I give you my hands to do your work
I give you my feet to go your way
I give you my eyes to see as you do
I give you my tongue to speak your words
I give you my mind that you may think in me
I give you my spirit that you may pray in me
Above all, I give you my heart
That you may love in me
Your father and all mankind
I give you my whole self that you may grow
In me so that it is you Lord Jesus
Who live and work and pray in me. Amen. © The Grail Society