



## OUR LADY OF DOLOURS SERVITE CHURCH

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**5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter (Year C) 15<sup>th</sup> May 2022**

### Mass Times

**Vigil Mass:** Sat 6.30pm  
Sunday 9.30am  
11.00am  
Spanish Mass 12.30pm  
Mon to Sat 10am & 6.30pm

### Sacrament of Confession

Saturday 10.45 – 11.15am  
Saturday 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

1<sup>st</sup> Friday of every month  
after 10am Mass. The hour  
will include Rosary, Litany  
Divine Mercy & Benediction.

### Saints Days

**Tue 17<sup>th</sup>** – Day of Prayer for  
the Victims & Survivors  
of

Sexual Abuse

**Wed 18<sup>th</sup>** – St John I

**Fri 20<sup>th</sup>** – St Bernadine of  
Siena

**Sat 21<sup>st</sup>** – St Christopher  
Magallanes

### Servite Nursery Places

There are still Servite  
Nursery Places available.  
If you are interested, please  
contact the Servite School for  
further information.

## **Sunday Reflection**

### The New Commandment

Jesus gives a new commandment to his disciples in our gospel this Sunday; to love one another. The command is new not so much in the sense of adding any ethical content to the commandment of love already in place. It is new in the sense of being required in the new situation following Jesus' departure to the Father. It is through the witness of the disciples' mutual love, even to the point of laying down their lives for one another, that those outside the community will recognize them as disciples of the One who supremely laid down his life for others. The disciples love of one another will be the tangible sign of their remaining in Jesus' love and in the mutual love of Father and Son that lies behind his entire mission. In the physical absence of Jesus their fidelity to his new commandment will signal the continuation of that divine love and mission in the world.

**Baptismal Course** – 2<sup>nd</sup> Session and final session held on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> of May at 7pm. Parents must attend both sessions.

**First Holy Communion** – Congratulations to all our Communion Candidates who received their First Holy Communion on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> May.

**Tea/Gathering** – On Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> May, the Colonnade will be open for those who would like to gather for tea/coffee and a chat from 2pm to 4pm. All are welcome!

**Confirmation Programme** Next Session is on Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> May at 5pm. Candidates Will then attend 6.30pm Mass.

**Queens Platinum Jubilee & International Gathering** – We will celebrate the Queens Platinum Jubilee, on June 5<sup>th</sup> May at the 11am Mass and after that we will have an international gathering with food and drinks held in the Servite School Yard. We need your help to make this a success, food donations and could you spare some time to volunteer on the day. Everyone is Welcome!

**Eucharistic Ministers Rota:** Available from the Parish Office

**New Envelopes - New Financial Year:** Parishioners who are members of our planned giving scheme, please collect your new box of Planned-Giving Envelopes. We have a new Standing Order and Gift Aid form in line with GDPR requirements. We are asking all **Gift Aid and Standing Order** people to fill out a new form. Thank you all for your contributions and co-operation.

**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**