28TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME



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Mass Times

Vigil Mass: Sat Sunday

6.30 pm 9.30 am

11.00 am

Spanish Mass 12.30 pm

Mon to Sat 10am & 6.30 pm

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. The hour will include Rosary, Litany Divine Mercy & Benediction.

Saints Days

Mon 10th – St Francis Borgia Tue 11th – St John XXIII

Wed 12th – Blessed Francis

Xavier Seelos

Thu 13th – Blessed Marie-Rose Durocher

Fri 14th – Blessed Carlo

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Sat 15th - St Theresa of Avila



St. Peregrine Mass of Healing

Our next St. Peregrine Mass of Healing is on 26th of October at 6.30pm.

Relic of Blessed Carlo Acutis

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

Blessed Carlo Pray for us.

Sunday Reflection

Each one of us has probably experienced ingratitude in one form or another. We might have acted kindly toward someone (present, favour, service), but has shown no gratitude afterwards. "Look at what I have done for that person," we say, "and what do I get in return?" Not even a thank you.

Some people, especially those who have been spoiled by too indulgent parents, expect favours and services as their due. Dealing with such people can indeed be frustrating and painful.

Among all peoples, Israel was the one who received the greatest favours: the Covenant, the wise Law of Moses, the prophets, the Promised Land, and many other things besides. Yet, Israel came to view all these somewhat as something due – as we see in today's gospel episode. The cured Jewish lepers have no word of gratitude to Jesus (after all, they are part of God's Chosen People, are they not?) and only the foreign leper thinks of expressing his gratitude.

This story is also our own story. Let us think of all the gifts God has poured on us. How often have we said, "Thank you"?

First Holy Communion – The orientation is scheduled today (9th October 2022) 12:00 noon at the Parish Hall.

CAFOD Family Fast Day – Friday 7^{th} October – CAFOD invites us to share in the abundance that God has given us. We are asked to fast, pray, and give to those that need it. Please collect your Fast Day envelope from Church can at the 2^{nd} collection on the weekend of $8^{th}/9^{th}$ October.

A Day with Mary – to be held on 15 Oct 2022 at Westminster Cathedral.

Tea/Gathering – In the Colonnade every Wednesday from 2pm to 4pm.

Interested in becoming a Catholic? RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation of Adults) A course will be held for adults who have not been baptised and would like to be. Application forms for this programme are now available from the Parish Office.

Confirmation Classes 2023 – Young people aged 14/15 years upwards who wish to be confirmed next year, registration is now open. Please collect and complete a Confirmation Enrolment Form from the Colonnade. Class commencement date to be announced.

Altar Servers – Young parishioners are invited to take active participation in our masses being an Altar Server. Kindly register to our Parish Office.

Divine Mercy Retreat – by The Divine Mercy Apostolate, London at The Most Precious Blood and St Edmund RC Church, 115 Hertford Road, Edmonton N9 7EN on Saturday 22 October 2022 from 1:30 pm to 4:30 pm. Call Millie on 07957594646 for more info.

Old £20 notes – If you have some it, the parish will be happy to receive it as your donation.

Prayer to Blessed Carlo Acutis (Feast Day 14th Oct. 2022) (Feast day Masses: 10:00 am & 6:30 pm)

O God, our Father, thank you for giving us Carlo, model of life for young people, and a message of love for all. You made him fall in love with your Son, Jesus, making of the Eucharist his "highway to Heaven". You gave him Mary, as beloved Mother, and with the Rosary you made him sing the praises of her tenderness. Accept his prayer for us.



Attend especially to the poor, whom he loved and helped. Through his intercession, may I receive the grace I need and fulfill our joy, by placing Carlo among the blessed of your Holy Church, that his smile may shine again for us for the glory of your name. Amen