



## OUR LADY OF DOLOURS SERVITE CHURCH

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**The Most Holy Body & Blood of Christ (Year C) 23<sup>rd</sup> June 2019**

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### **Mass Times**

Vigil Mass: Sat	6.30pm
Sunday	8.30am
	10am
(Spanish)	11.15am
	12.15pm
	7pm
Mon – Sat	10am
	6.30pm

### **Parish Office Opening Hrs**

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

### Sacrament of Confession

Mon - Fri	6.15 – 6.30pm
Saturday	10.45 – 11.15am
	6.00 – 6.30pm

### Adoration of Blessed Sacrament

Mon-Fri 10.30am – 11.15am

**Rosary** – Wednesdays  
10.30am, followed by  
Tea/Coffee in the Founders  
Room.

**Legion of Mary** – Every  
Tuesday at 7pm in the Library.  
New members are welcome!

**Charismatic Prayer Group:** Is  
on Thursdays at 11am in  
the Founders' Room.

### Saints Days

Mon 24 <sup>th</sup>	The Nativity of St John the Baptist
Thu 27 <sup>th</sup>	St John Southworth & Bl. Thomas of Orvieto
Fri 28 <sup>th</sup>	The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus
Sat 29 <sup>th</sup>	The Immaculate Heart of Mary

**Sunday Reflection** – *“The Body & Blood of Christ”* – We celebrate this feast today. We all know that Jesus instituted the Sacrament of the Eucharist at the Last Supper. We keep that “sacred memory” on Maundy Thursday evening of Holy Week. We also have this feast of “Corpus Christi” to keep before us the continuous precious gift of the Eucharist to the church as it journeys through History. On that night Jesus said, “Do this in memory of me”. He did mean us to do what he did. St Paul tells us in 1 Cor II: 23 that we should do it “until the Lord comes”. This sacrament of participating in the Death and Resurrection of Jesus is to be re-enacted down through history until the Second Coming. That event of the past is made present to us in the here and now. We, through the Eucharist, share in Christ’s saving event. This is the sacrament of the unity of the Church, uniting its members with Christ and drawing them into a communion of love. The love signified here is to be dispensed in compassionate loving ministry to our neighbour. Sharing in the Eucharist impels one to become ‘a professional foot-washer’ in the world. “Lord, give me the grace to make of my life a gift of love as you have done for me”. Happy feast to all!

**St Peregrine** – We celebrate the Healing Mass of St. Peregrine at 6.30pm Wednesday on 29<sup>th</sup> June. Through the Intercession of St. Peregrine, we pray for all who suffer from Cancer and other serious illnesses. We commend all to the Healing love of the Lord.

**Parish Outing** – On Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July is now fully booked. The buses will leave at 7am and return at 5pm.

**Baptismal Preparation Course** – Is on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> and Tues 16<sup>th</sup> July. Do get a registration form from the Parish office or email: [fulhamroad@rcdow.org.uk](mailto:fulhamroad@rcdow.org.uk)

**The Archbishop of Southwark** – This is a time of change for us. We give thanks for the great Pastoral Ministry of Bishop John Wilson in this Area of Westminster Archdiocese and for his service to Education in the Diocese. We wish him well as Archbishop-elect of Southwark and assure him of our prayers as he takes up his new ministry. May the Lord bless and guide him.

**International Sunday** – Was scheduled for Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> June but now cancelled until further notice. Sadly only 2 people came to the Preparatory meeting on Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> so we have cancelled our celebration on 30<sup>th</sup>.

**Receiving Holy Communion** – We remind ourselves to always receive reverently. In this Diocese we have two options – we can either receive ‘on the tongue’ or ‘in the hand’. Please consume the host before leaving the Minister and the Altar. If your hands are full or occupied, it is wiser to receive on the tongue. Please put out your tongue so that the Sacred Host can be safely and securely placed on it as you take the host into your mouth. Let us always be reverent in approaching and receiving the Body and Blood of the Lord.

**Parish council** – Our next Parish Council meeting will be on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July in the Founders Room at 7.30pm.