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The Church of Our Most Holy Redeemer and Saint Thomas More Cheyne Row, Chelsea



Newsletter 3 October 2021

3 October: Twenty-Seventh Sunday in Ordinary Time

Monday: St Francis of Assisi

Tuesday: St Faustina Kowalska, Virgin

Wednesday: St Bruno, Priest Thursday: Our Lady of the Rosary

Saturday: ST JOHN HENRY NEWMAN, Priest. He studied at Trinity College, Oxford, and became an Anglican clergyman and a leading theologian. Newman was a founder of the Oxford Movement, set up to revitalise the Church of England, before his controversial conversion to Catholicism in 1845. He went on to establish a community of Oratorian Fathers in Birmingham. Late in Newman's life, Pope Leo XIII made him a cardinal. Newman died in Birmingham in 1890. His works include "Apologia Pro Vita Sua", the hymn "Lead, Kindly Light" and "The Dream of Gerontius", later set to music by Edward Elgar.

MASS TIMES

Monday to Friday 8.00am Saturday 10.00am

Saturday (Vigil Mass) 6.30pm Sunday 10.00am, 11.00am, 12.15pm, 6.30pm

Confession – Saturday 5.30 to 6.00pm or by appointment, please contact the Parish Priest

Morning Prayer – Monday to Friday 7.45am Saturday 9.45am, Sunday 9.30am

Evening Prayer – Saturday and Sunday 6.00pm

Newly arrived in the parish – Please complete the Parish Registration Form, available at our website: holyredeemerchelsea.com.

Mobile Phones – Please turn off all phones before entering the church. **Donations to the Parish** can be made via: HSBC, Sort code: 40-05-20, Account no:91094386 Account name: Holy Redeemer Church, Chelsea.

The Rectory – 7 Cheyne Row, London SW3 5HS

Parish Priest – Canon Paschal Ryan

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KEEP SAFE AND PLEASE REMEMBER

HANDS – Use sanitiser

FACE – Wear a mask, good for you and for others
WIPES – Please use wipes to sanitise surfaces

CAFOD APPEAL

CAFOD experts are helping people all over the world to adapt to climate change and protect our common home. This Sunday, please donate here in the parish using a CAFOD envelope or online through the website: cafod.org.uk/climatecrisis and help communities affected by the climate crisis. Text CAFOD10 to 70580 to donate £10 (enough to equip a volunteer firefighter with tools to prevent a fir in the rainforest), or to donate £20, text CAFOD20 to 70580.Read more about CAFOD's emergency response at cafod.org.uk/emergencies.

CANDLELIT PROCESSION

The October Candlelit Procession at the Shrine of Our Lady of Willesden will take place on Sunday 10 October at 7.00pm. The procession begins at the Shrine, 1 Nicoll Road NW10 9AX, passes through local streets and the Rosary is recited. Returning to the Shrine, there will be Benediction and a homily. Bishop Michael Campbell OSA will preach. All are most welcome to attend and join in prayer to Our Lady.

A DAY WITH MARY

Saturday 9 October 9.30am to 5.00pm

Our Lady and St Peter, Victoria Drive, SW19 6AD.Starting with Marian procession, Mass, Rosary, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament, Sermon by Fr Marcus Holden and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. For details of Days with Mary: adaywithmary.org

MASS INTENTIONS

If you wish to arrange for Mass to be celebrated for a particular intention, please contact the Parish Office.

GOOD COUNSEL NETWORK

The GCN supports women in crisis pregnancies, leads prayer vigils, prays for the end of abortion. It also trains pavement counsellors and runs an interns programme. Based in London, this charity does valuable work and is instrumental in changing peoples' lives for the good. To find out more, or offer support, contact info@goodcounselnetwork.com, phone 020 7723 1740 or see GoodCounselNetwork.com

OPEN DAY

St Charles Catholic Sixth Form College Open Day: Saturday 16 October 10.00am-1.00pm. Suitable for students in Years. 10 and 11 who are looking to achieve their greatest potential in a supportive Catholic community. To register your interest, see stcharles.ac.uk

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Please remember in your prayers the children who will make their First Holy Communion here in 2022. Also pray for their families and their catechists. It is important to keep in mind the fact that our faith is not only taught, it is caught. As children we learn from our parents, not only from what they say, but also from what they do. As children we depend on our parents, they are our first catechists.

RECENTLY DECEASED

Kindly say a prayer for Jackie O'Leary and Nina Lucas, whose funerals took place in the past week. Pray also for their families, friends and those who mourn them.

VOCATIONS

Seminarians for the Diocese of Westminster are currently in formation for the priesthood at Valladolid in Spain, the Beda College in Rome, and at Allen Hall, our diocesan seminary in Beaufort Street, Chelsea. Perhaps we might pray especially for Deacon Mike Guthrie, who helped out here earlier this year. He is in his final year of preparation for Ordination to the Priesthood.

WORDS OF ST JOHN PAUL II

The Eucharist is the sacrament of the presence of Christ, who gives Himself to us because He loves us. He loves each one of us in a unique and personal way in our practical daily lives: in our families, among our friends, at study and work, in rest and relaxation. He loves us when He fills our days with freshness, and also when, in times of suffering, He allows trials to weigh upon us: even in the most severe trials, He lets us hear His voice.