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



Newsletter 21 November 2021

21 November: Christ The King

Monday: St Cecilia, Martyr, Patron Saint of music and musicians.

Tuesday: St Clement, Pope and Martyr

Wednesday: St Andrew Dũng-Lạc, Priest, and Companions, Martyrs Thursday: St Catherine of Alexandria, Virgin and Martyr. She is often depicted with or on the wheel that was the instrument of her torture, though finally she was executed by being beheaded. This was at the orders of the Emperor Maxentius, after he had failed to persuade or threaten her to abandon her Christian faith. Not only had he failed, but she had defeated in debate the philosophers the Emperor had summoned to find any way to convince her to renounce Christ.

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.

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

SYNOD 2023

A big "thank you" to those who attended our meeting for this parish's contribution to the Synodal process initiated by Pope Francis and encouraged by Cardinal Vincent Nichols. The Cardinal himself will be leading a Listening Event on Thursday 2 December, 7.00pm – 9.00pm at Ealing Abbey, Charlbury Grove, W5 2DY. If you intend going, please book a place by email to catadmin@rcdow.org.uk For further information, supporting material and updates, including a short video from Cardinal Vincent, do please visit the Diocesan website rcdow.org.uk/synod/

MARY'S MEALS - DOUBLE THE LOVE

Until 31 January, every donation made to the Mary's Meals Double the Love Appeal will be matched, up to £1.6million! Funds raised will enable Mary's Meals to reach hungry children around the world. Mary's Meals already feeds more than two million children every school day. With your help, they could feed even more! To donate to this amazing charity, see marysmeals.org.uk/donate or the poster in the church porch.

A NIGHT UNDER THE STARS

The Passage, a Christian Charity working with homeless people, is holding a fundraising concert at the Royal Festival Hall on Thursday 25 November, on the theme Bohemian Rhapsody and featuring popular works by Dvořák, Mahler and Smetana. The performers include Andrei Ioniță, Cello; Anush Kovhannisyan, Soprano; Streetwise Opera; Toby Purser, Conductor; and the Orion Orchestra. Full details and booking at passage.org.uk/night-under-the-stars-2021/ or telephone 020 75921856.

ST VINCENT DE PAUL SOCIETY

The SVP are distributing 11,500 "Vinnie Packs" containing cold weather essentials to the homeless this winter. Please could you consider sponsoring packs at a suggested donation of £3.70 per pack?

Donations can be sent to Vinnie Packs, PO Box 72264, London SW1P 9EZ with cheques made out to SVP or by bank transfer to Nat West sort code 60-60-04, account no. 4608 8237

SAYING GOODBYE

'Saying Goodbye' provides comprehensive information, advice, support and much more to anyone who has suffered the loss of a baby, at any stage of pregnancy, at birth or in infancy: sayinggoodbye.org

CATHOLIC TEACHERS

The Diocese of Westminster Education Service is hosting an evening to engage with Catholic teachers currently working outside Catholic education on 23 November from 6.00pm to 7.30pm. It will provide help about how best to prepare for a role in a Catholic school and an opportunity to meet with current Catholic school leaders. There will also be an opportunity to register for a mentoring programme which will support those on their journey into Catholic education. To book, visit courses.rcdow.org.uk/event/callingall-catholic-teachers-event-23rdnovember-2021/

CONFIRMATION 2022

As in previous years, we are joining with a neighbouring parish, St Mary's, Cadogan Street, for the Confirmation programme.

Applicants for this programme should be in Year 9 at school. For an application form, please see stmaryscadoganstreet.co.uk under "Sacraments", and scroll down to the Confirmation section. The completed form should be returned to St Mary's. Adult candidates for Confirmation should contact Canon Paschal Ryan.

CATHOLIC HISTORY WALK

23 November "The Strand and Blackfriars". Meet at St Patrick's, Soho Square W1D 4NR at 6.30pm on the Feast of St Clement. Walk to St Clement Danes and discover the historical links with the Royal Air Force, Fleet Street and Blackfriars.

Cost £5 (special post-pandemic price). No need to book, simply come along. Contact: 07945 205 568, chwalkslondon@gmail.com or catholichistorywalks.com

PARISH NEWSLETTER

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