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



Descent of the Holy Spirit

Newsletter 28 May 2023

28 MAY: PENTECOST SUNDAY

Monday: The Blessed Virgin Mary, Mother of the Church

Wednesday: THE VISITATION OF THE BLESSED VIRGIN MARY Thursday: OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST, ETERNAL HIGH PRIEST

Friday: St Marcellinus and St Peter, Martyrs

Saturday: St Charles Lwanga and Companions, Martyrs

MASS

Monday 10.00am, Tuesday to Friday 8.00am

Saturday: 10.00am, 6.30pm

Sunday: 10.00am, 11.00am, 12.15pm, 6.30pm

Confessions: Saturday 5.30pm to 6.00pm **Morning Prayer:** Monday to Friday 7.45am Saturday 9.45am Sunday 9.30am

Donations to the Parish can be made via: HSBC, Sort code: 40-05-20, Account no: 91094386 Account name: Holy Redeemer Church, Chelsea.

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CONGRATULATIONS!

Our congratulations go to Philip Ideh, whose ten years of volunteering have been recognised by CAFOD. Over the years Philip has faithfully helped to publicise the great overseas development work of CAFOD and assisted in the organisation of the Lent Fast Day and Harvest collections in this parish. To find out more about CAFOD, see cafod.org.uk

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION and CONFIRMATION

Please pray for our young parishioners who are preparing to make their First Holy Communion. Congratulations those who received the sacrament of Confirmation on Friday evening at St Mary's or have been confirmed elsewhere. We are very grateful to the catechists who volunteer to help our young parishioners to make these important steps in their development as Christians.

CHILDEN'S LITURGY

To take part, please bring your children to the Monckton Room before the start of the 10.00am Mass. They re-join the congregation at the Offertory, when they bring their work to the steps of the sanctuary.

LONDON DIVINE MERCY RETREAT

The Divine Mercy Apostolate is holding a retreat at the Sacred Heart Church in Quex Road, Kilburn London NW6 4PS, on Saturday 17 June from 1.30pm to 4.30pm led by the Marian Fathers. This Retreat will include teachings on the Message of Mercy, Stations of the Cross, Holy Mass, Hour of Mercy with Adoration and Benediction, and Veneration of the Image of Merciful Jesus. All are welcome. Please call Millie on 07957594646 for more information.

ACN - AID TO THE CHURCH IN NEED

Syrian Christian families who found a safe haven in the port city of Lattakia, after fleeing from Idlib and other north-eastern cities held by jihadist rebels, suffered again when earthquakes struck in February. Hundreds of them saw their homes damaged or destroyed. ACN is providing help to those suffering after these earthquakes caused such massive destruction in Turkey and Syria. To learn more about the work of ACN, see acnuk.org.

NATIONAL GALLERY – SAINT FRANCIS OF ASSISI

Come face-to-face with one of history's most inspirational and revered figures in the first major UK art exhibition to explore Saint Francis of Assisi's life and legacy. Presenting the art and imagery of Saint Francis (1182–1226) from the 13th century to today, this exhibition looks at why this saint is a figure of enormous relevance to our time due to his spiritual radicalism, commitment to the poor, and love of God and nature, as well as his powerful appeals for peace, and openness to dialogue with other religions. The exhibition will continue until 30th July, in the Ground Floor Galleries of the National Galley in Trafalgar Square, WC2N 5DN. Free entrance, but please book a free Gallery entry ticket. You are encouraged to book ahead of your visit. For details and tickets, see "exhibitions" at nationalgallery.org.uk

WEDDINGS

Couples who are thinking of getting married at Holy Redeemer Church should contact Canon Paschal at least six months before their wedding. They should also remember to notify their local authority and bear in mind that it sometimes takes longer than expected to obtain certificates or other paperwork.

WORLD YOUTH DAY

This summer a small group of young adults from Pimlico parish are going to World Youth Day and few places remain. It will be held in Lisbon, Portugal, from Monday 31 July to Monday 7 August, and Pope Francis is the host. World Youth Day is for young people between 18 and 30. The cost is £570. It includes return flights from Gatwick to Lisbon, all meals, accommodation, insurance, and the World Day Package (maps, t shirt, full programme, etc.) For further details or to book, please contact sarah.harcher@rcdow.org.uk.

VISIT OF THE MOTHER OF BLESSED CARLO ACUTIS

Antonia Salzano, the mother of Blessed Carlo Acutis, will be visiting the Church of Corpus Christi, Maiden Lane, on Thursday 1 June at 6.30pm. Following a Sung Mass, Antonia Salzano will give a talk about her recentlybeatified son, his life and his relationship with Our Lord. There will also be the opportunity to venerate a relic of Blessed Carlo. On Friday 2 June, Antonia Salzano will speak during the 6.30pm Mass at Our Lady of Dolours, Fulham Road. After the Mass there will be refreshments and an opportunity to meet her. Please see notice for details and, if attending, inform fulhamroad@rcdow.org.uk.