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



St. Mary Magdalene

Newsletter 16 July 2023

# *16 JULY : FIFTEENTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME*

Thursday: St Apollinaris, Bishop and Martyr Friday: St Lawrence of Brindisi, Priest and Theologian Saturday: ST MARY MAGDALENE

## MASS

Monday to Friday 8.00am (From 24 July to 1 September, the Weekday Mass will be at 10.00am) 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

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#### **MISSIONARY SISTERS APPEAL**

Next weekend, 22 and 23 July, Sr Cecilia Essien and Sr Theodora Oti HHCJ, on behalf of the Missionary Sisters, will make an appeal at all Masses.

#### FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

Applications for our 2024 First Holy Communion programme are invited from parishioners who have children in Year 3 or above in the academic year 2023-2024. The number of places available is limited. In the first instance, applications should be made to the Parish Office.

## **CATHOLIC CERTIFICATE IN RELIGIOUS STUDIES**

The Catholic Certificate in Religious Studies (CCRS) provides parishioners with knowledge and understanding of theology and the Catholic faith. Over 80% of the participants recommend the course to others. Learn in person, by distance learning or online. Centres (in person learning) brs-ccrs.org.uk/index.php/course-centres, Life-Light Home Study Courses distance learning) info@studylifelight.com or 01844 351 514, CCRS Online: ccrsonline@hope.ac.uk or 0151 291 3055

## **CCP – CERTIFICATE OF CATHOLIC PRACTICE**

Members of this parish who attend Mass here and require a CCP to accompany an application for their child to be admitted to a Catholic school are advised to contact the Parish Priest.

## **OCTOBER FUNDRAISER**

We will be holding our second Autumn fundraiser in October this year. If there are any parishioners who would like to donate a prize for the auction, please contact Claudia Battistel at battistelc@hotmail.com The prizes which raised the most last year were tickets to Masterpiece Art Fair, Arsenal v Spurs tickets, Royal Ballet in rehearsal tickets, dinner for 4 at the Phene. Our thanks to those who have already offered donations.

#### A DAY WITH MARY

At Westminster Cathedral on Saturday 29 July, from 9.45am to 5.30pm. Procession of Our Lady, Mass, Rosary, Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction. Preachers: Fr Slawomir Witon and Fr Lawrence Lew OP.

#### FOOD DONATIONS

Please don't forget the people in this neighbourhood who need our support. Tins and packets of food can be left in the box at the back of the church, to be distributed to through the SVP or the Food Bank at St Luke's Church.

#### HOLY LAND PILGRIMAGE

The annual Westminster Diocese Pilgrimage to the Holy Land will take place from Sunday 19 November to Monday 27 November, led by Bishop John Sherrington and Fr John Farrell OP. It will include visits to Galilee, Jerusalem and Bethlehem. Flights will be from Heathrow Airport. Costs are £2,265 per person sharing, £682 single room supplement; travel insurance essential. Booking forms are available now from Tangey Tours, tangneytours.com, or from Elizabeth Uwalaka elizalbethuwalaka@rcdow.org.uk.

#### CATHOLIC CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

While many of us will be going away for the holidays, please remember that there are children in London who have never even seen the sea, and some have never been out of the borough in which they were born. Through its holiday programme at St Francis Family Centre, the Catholic Children's Society helps some of these children. To see more about this work, visit cathchild.org.uk.

#### THE MAGNIFICAT

The July issue is now available, with readings, reflections and devotions.

#### STREET PROCESSION

At St Peter's Italian Church, 136 Clerkenwell Road EC1R 5DL, on Sunday 16 July, starting at 3.30pm. This procession continues a tradition started in 1883 of holding an annual procession in honour of Our Lady of Mount Carmel. There will be a walking group of children who have recently made their First Holy Communion, dressed in their communion clothes. Should any parents of First Communicants wish their children to participate, they should bring them to the Italian Church no later than 3.00pm on Sunday 16 July.

#### WEDDINGS

Couples thinking of getting married here at Holy Redeemer Church should contact Canon Paschal at least six months before their wedding. Their local authority should also be notified.

#### MASS INTENTIONS

To arrange for a Mass to be celebrated for a particular intention, or for a Mass Card to be signed, please contact the Parish Office.