

Our Lady of Lourdes - Parish Newsletter

Sunday 8th November 2009

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

No. 46 of 2009

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MASS TIMES: (Vigil Saturday 7.00pm) – Sundays – 9.00am, 10.30am, 12.00pm, 6.00pm
Weekdays: Monday, Tuesday, Thursday – 7.00am and 10.00am
Wednesday and Friday – 10.00am and 7.00pm
Saturday – 10.00am and 12.00pm



Acton Homeless Concern

Ian Breen 020 8992 5768 Emmaus House 020 8992 5768 Damien Centre 020 8993 6096

Mass Intentions

7th November – 15th November 2009

Saturday 7th November

10.00am Daniel & Bridget McMullen – (Anniversary)
12.00pm Charles & Agnes O'Donnell
7.00pm Edward Connelly – (RIP)

Sunday 8th November

9.00am Patrick Daly – (RIP)
10.30am Murtagh Family – (RIP)
12.00pm Agatha & Anthony Atrib – (RIP)
6.00pm Joe Potter – (Anniversary)

Monday 9th November

7.00am Holy Souls
10.00am Deborah West – (Get Well)

Tuesday 10th November

7.00am Peter Kenny – (RIP)
10.00am Thomas Kevin Fitzgerald – Requiem Mass

Wednesday 11th November

10.00am Bridget Wood – (Anniversary)
7.00pm Eileen Foynes - (RIP)

Thursday 12th November

7.00am Holy Souls
10.00am Peter Ward – (RIP)

Friday 13th November

10.00am Eileen Redican – (RIP)
7.00pm Mass for Father Damien

Saturday 14th November

10.00am Paul Sheehan – (RIP)
12.00pm Teresa, Olinda, Nochad – (intention)
7.00pm Edward Connelly – (RIP)

Sunday 15th November

9.00am James Scully – (Anniversary)
10.30am Catherine McLoughlin – (Intention)
12.00pm Faride Nakle Helou – (RIP)
6.00pm John and Mary Bradley – (Anniversary)

MONTH OF THE HOLY SOULS -The annual November

Mass at South Ealing Cemetery Chapel will be celebrated
on Sunday 8th November at 3 pm

Confessions:

Saturday 10.30am, 12.30pm and 6.00pm

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament

There will be Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
for one hour on:

Monday: 11.45am - 12.45pm
Tue, Wed, Thurs and Sat: 10.30am - 11.30am
Friday – (All Day): 10.30am - 6.30pm
Sunday: 7.00pm - 8.00pm

Readings for the week:

Sunday 8 November

1 Kings 17:10-16
Hebrews 9:24-28
Mark 12:38-44

Monday 9 November

**Dedication of the
Latern Basilica**
Ezekiel 47:1-2.8-9.12
1 Corinthians 3:9-11.16-17
John 2:13-22

Tuesday 10 November

Wisdom 2:23-3:9
Luke 17:7-10

Wednesday 11 November

Wisdom 6:1-11
Luke 17:11-19

Thursday 12 November

Wisdom 7:22-8:1
Luke 17:20-25

Friday 13 November

Wisdom 13:1-9
Luke 17:26-37

Saturday 14 November

Wisdom 18:14-16;19:6-9
Luke 18:1-8

Next Sunday's

readings:

Daniel 12:1-3
Hebrews 10:11-14. 18
Mark 13:24-32

**Please pray for peoples anniversaries that occur
at this time, including:** Sean Campion, Ned
Duggan, Daniel McGilligan, Sita Peiris, Gresha
Schulling, Lizzie & Willie Nolan, Mary Shane, The
Broderick family, Cathy & Denny Broderick, John
Codrington, Simon Henry, Rosaleen Garvey, Cecilia
Delika, Teresa Doherty

**Please pray for those who have died recently,
including:** Patrick (Amby) Whymys, Ollie McKeown,
Roger Stafford, John Moen, Evelyn Benjamin,
Thomas Fitzgerald, Julie Gibbons, Juliet Emily
Fernando, May Byrne, Sister Mary Gilbert Mahan,
Rita Palmer,

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Please find the Sunday Plus leaflet that will have the Sunday mass printed on the reverse. The newsletter will be separate. Please ensure that you pick up the two at the back of the church

Our new Archbishop of Westminster Vincent Nichols will be celebrating thanksgiving mass in Honour of our St Damien of Molokai on Friday 13th November 2009 at 7.00pm.

There will be light refreshments served in the church hall after mass.

We are needing volunteers to bring sandwiches and finger food for this evening. If you can help please contact Avril in the Parish Office.

Next Sunday will be day of prayers for prisoners and their dependents.

Prisoner week starts 9 – 15 November.

Volunteers are needed - to help with the tea and coffee after 9.00am and 10.30am mass on Sunday. Can you please contact the parish office with your details if you can help.

Emmaus House – still needs volunteers for the mother and toddlers groups on Wednesday mornings. Please contact Ian Breen if you can help on 020 8992 5768.

Acton Homeless Concern are urgently needing volunteers to help with the annual street collections on Saturday 12th and 19th December. This is one of the major annual fundraisers for Emmaus House and the Damien Centre. If you feel you have some spare time on these days to help raise money for this charity. Please put your names in the folders at the back of the church for the days you can do.

Repository – The repository will be open on Sunday after 9.00am and 10.30am mass

Visiting Group – Our 12th Annual meeting will take place on Monday 16th November at 7.30pm. It will be held at 13 Meon Road. New members most welcome.

The Family of the late Tom O'Connor would like to thank everyone who attended his mass, sent cards and offered condolences. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass will be offered for your intentions. Thank you

First Friday Devotion requirements – those who honour Our Lord in his Sacred Heart by attending Mass and receiving Communion for nine consecutive First Fridays would receive many graces from the Heart of Jesus and would not die without receiving the Sacraments.

First Saturday Devotion requirements – Our Lady promises to assist at the hour of death with all the graces necessary for the salvation all those who, who the First Saturday of five consecutive months, confess, receive Holy Communion, recite five decades of the rosary and keep Our Lady company for fifteen minutes meditating on the mysteries of the Rosary, with the intention of making reparation to Our Lady.

Please see a leaflet at the back of the church.

This Sunday is Remembrance Sunday

Remembrance Sunday is just not to remember those souls who lost their lives in the First and Second World War. It is also about remembering those who have lost their lives in all wars and conflicts of every time and place.

Please pray for them and their families

St Joseph's Parish Centre - Hanwell are holding a 25 card drive on Friday 13th November at 8.30pm. Prize money is £500. All are welcome.

National Youth Sunday 2009 – will take place on Sunday 22nd November 2009. Please find more details on www.nationalyouthsunday.org.uk

South Acton – South Acton Safer Neighbourhood Team are holding a coffee morning on Saturday 14th November at All Saints, Bollo Bridge Road from 10am to 12 noon.

Cardinal Wiseman – to celebrate their 50th anniversary, the governors wish to produce a 50 year history of the school. So if you have any memories or photos, can you please contact Mr Holt at stevholtvictory1805@btinternet.com

Offertory Collection

If you do not use Offertory envelopes each week, please consider doing so. For every £1.00 you give Our Lady of Lourdes, we can claim 25p tax back from the government. This can be done either by envelope or direct debit. Last year we were able to claim £13945.80 back in tax, but there was approximately £11000.00 that we were unable to claim for. If you can help, please contact Avril in the parish office on 020 8992 2014.

Offertory

The offertory collection for Sunday 1st November amounted to £1957.91

The second collection for the Sick and Retired Priests amounted to £1058.23

Many thanks for your contributions.