

Our Lady of Lourdes - Parish Newsletter

Sunday 9th May 2010

No. 72 of 2010

6th Sunday of Easter – Divine Office Week II – Year C

Presbytery: 5 Berrymead Gardens, Acton, London W3 8AA
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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

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Mass Intentions 8th May – 16th May 2010

Saturday 8th May

10.00am Holy Souls
12.00pm Nathan Louis – (Ann)
7.00pm Margot Gallen – (RIP)

Sunday 9th May

9.00am Eileen Keane – (RIP)
10.30am Agnes & Carol Phillips – (Ann)
12.00pm Nora O'Connor – (Ann)
6.00pm Neil Panting – (Intention)

Monday 10th May

7.00am Billy Boyce – (RIP)
10.00am Brennan - Special Intention

Tuesday 11th May

7.00am Daniel McCarthy – (RIP)
10.00am Siobhan Jameson – (Intention)

Wednesday 12th May

10.00am Auta D'Sa – (Ann)
7.00pm Anne Rose - (Intention)

Thursday 13th May

7.00am Pat Conlin – (Intention)
10.00am Kieran Lehane – 1st Anniversary

Friday 14th May

10.00am Fernandes Family – (Intention)
7.00pm Jim Hughes – (RIP)
Michael Morgan – (RIP)

Saturday 15th May

10.00am Rosanna & Thomas Johnson – (Ann)
12.00pm Siobhan Panting – (Intention)
7.00pm Margaret Roach – (Ann)

Sunday 16th May

9.00am Dan Horan – (RIP)
10.30am Eileen Ward – (Ann)
12.00pm Esther O'Donoghue – (Ann)
6.00pm Denis Buckley – (Get Well)

Reconciliation (confession):

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:

Today: Acts 15:1-2.22-29 Apocalypse 21:10-14.22-23 John 14:23-29	Thursday: Acts 1:1-11 Hebrews 9:24-28;10:19-23
Monday: Acts 16:11-15 John 15:26-16:4	Friday: Acts 1:15-17. 20-26 John 15:9-17
Tuesday: Acts 16:22-34 John 16:5-11	Saturday: Acts 18:23-28 John 15:9-17
Wednesday: Acts 17:15.22-18:1 John 16:12-15	Next Sunday: Acts 1:1-11 Hebrews 9:24-28;10:19-23 Luke 24:46-53

Feasts for the coming week:

Wednesday - St Pancras, Martyr
Thursday - Our Lady of Fatima
Friday - St Matthias, Apostle
Sunday - Ascension of the Lord

Please pray for peoples anniversaries that occur at this time, including: Kathleen Harrison, Teresita Caucan, Jean Hockey, Marie Griffin, Bernard Campbell, Michael Hoare, Tony Hoare, Jack Johnson

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Please pray for those who have died recently, including: Kathleen Murtha, Beatrice Manufor, Tony Ramm, Bernadette Clerkin, Denis O'Halloran, Henry Nelson, Jerry Minehane, Roselyn Lawrence

Please pray for those who are sick in our parish, including: Frank Comiskey, Patrick Hayden, Kathleen O'Brien, Paddy Doyle, Ruben Noel, Geraldine Powell, Ralph Lurshay, Mona Questier, Eddie Phelan, Michael Murtagh, Rosaleen O'Brien, Clifford Thomas, Christian Ract, Reg O'Byrne, Anne McHale, Josephine Kennelly, Angela O'Herlihey, Esther Lacrette, Maureen Courtney, Kathleen McLoughlin, Patrick Horan, Jean Bernard, Vida Labastade, Alistaire George, Beryl Hayes, Pamela Melliti, Michael John Rafferty, Mary McLoughlin, Siobhan Hennelly, Bernadette O'Donovan, Michael Baron, Jennifer Lawrence

The bishops in their statement on the abuse of children ask that the four Fridays of May 2010 be Days of Special prayer for Prayers of Reparation and Atonement.

Even when we are lost for words, we can place ourselves in silent prayer. We invite Catholics on these days to come before the Blessed Sacrament in our parishes to pray to God for healing, forgiveness and a renewed dedication. We pray for all who have suffered abuse; for those who mishandled these matters and added to the suffering of those affected. From this prayer we do not exclude those who have committed these sins of abuse. They have a journey of repentance and atonement to make. We pray also for Pope Benedict, whose wise and courageous leadership is so important for the Church at this time.

The Marine Shrine of London – Shrine of Our Lady of Willesden, Nicoll Road, NW10 May procession, Sunday 9th May 3.30pm. Preacher Fr Mark Powell OAR. Please see notice board for further details. All welcome.

Emmaus House are urgently looking for volunteers to help out on Sundays, Mondays and Tuesday. Please contact Ian Breen on 020 8992 5768. **Clothes** – Size 32 and Size 34 men's trousers and any size socks urgently wanted.

Please leave at the Presbytery

Repository – The Repository will be open today after 9.00am and 10.30am masses, in the Church Hall Oldham Terrace

If you know of anybody who is in hospital or sick and you would either like someone to visit them or have them added to the prayer list please call the parish office

We occasionally have young men and women looking for accommodation some whom would prefer living with a family. Would you have a room available in your house ? Please call Father John on 020 8992 2014

A local Acton small business – is looking for a seamstress for part-time work from home. Please call Katie on 07876 204926

A Day with Mary – on Saturday 22nd May at the Monastery Our Lady & St Joseph, Ellesmere

Please see notice board - for other notices

Offertory

The offertory collection for Sunday 2nd May amounted to £***
There will be a second collection next Sunday for Catholic Communications

Many thanks for your contributions.

Information from Westminster Cathedral:

Pope Benedict XVI visit to Britain – for more information on the forthcoming visit to the United Kingdom of His Holiness Pope Benedict XVI in September. Please look at the following website (www.thepapalvisit.org.uk)

Vacancies in the Diocese of Westminster – Please look at the following link if you are interested in applying for vacancies in the Diocese. (www.rcdow.org.uk)