

Our Lady of Lourdes - Parish Newsletter

Sunday 14th February 2010

No. 60 of 2010

6th Sunday in Ordinary Time – Divine Office Week II – Year C

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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

13th February – 21st February 2010

Saturday 13th February - Our Lady of Lourdes Feast Day

10.00am Breda Lynch – (RIP)
12.00pm Larry, Sheila Kelly & Family – (Intention)
7.00pm Eileen Redican – (Anniversary)

Sunday 14th February

9.00am Tommy Cummings – (RIP)
10.30am Veronica Duff – (RIP)
12.00pm Anthony Thompson – (Anniversary)
6.00pm Dela & Roy Panting – (Intention)

Monday 15th February

7.00am Bobby Collins – (RIP)
10.00am Patrick McEvoy – Funeral Mass
(Please note Mass booked for this day has been moved to the next available date)

6.00pm Eileen Keane – Reception of the Remains

Tuesday 16th February

7.00am Mr O'Connor – (Anniversary)
10.00am Eileen Keane – Funeral Mass
(Please note Mass booked for this day has been moved to the next available date)

Wednesday 17th February

10.00am Maureen & Des Shirren – (Anniversary)
7.00pm Emily Fernando – (RIP)

Thursday 18th February

7.00am Holy Souls
10.00am Eileen Foynes – (RIP)

Friday 19th February

10.00am Jimmy Haydn – (Intention)
7.00pm Bridget Hulatt – (RIP)

Saturday 20th February

10.00am Special Intentions
12.00pm Ruby Roche & Family – (Anniversary)
7.00pm Mrs Rose Francis – (Anniversary)

Sunday 21st February

9.00am Cooney Family – (Intention)
10.30am Jimmy Traynor – (RIP)
12.00pm Micheal Conlon – (RIP)
6.00pm Mary O'Gorman & Family – (Intention)

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:

Jeremiah 17:5-8
1 Corinthians 15:12. 16-20
Luke 6:17. 20-26

Monday:

James 1:1-11
Mark 8:11-13

Tuesday:

James 1:12-18
Mark 8:14-21

Wednesday:

Joel 2:12-18
2 Corinthians 5:20-6:2
Matthew 6:1-6.16-18

Thursday:

Deuteronomy 30:15-20
Luke 9:22-25

Friday:

Isaiah 58:1-9
Matthew 9:14-15
Mark 8:1-10

Saturday:

Isaiah 58:9-14
Luke 5:27-32

Next Sunday:

Deuteronomy 26:4-10
Romans 10:8-13
Luke 4:1-13

Please pray for those who have died recently,

including: Billy Boyce, Peter (Barney) Skelly, Doreen Walshe, Hazel Baker, John McAviney, Jose de Sa, Sister Nuala Croake, Elsie Williams, Patrick McEvoy, Tom McCormack, Eileen Keane, Ronald Hingley, Mary O'Shea, Sam De Zoysa

Please pray for peoples anniversaries that occur at

this time, including: Anne Mary McLoughlin, Gladys Bashford, Leslie Beale, Mary Rose, Kenneth Tregidgo, Louis Wims, John Hehir, Brendan Keenan

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Please pray for those who are sick in our parish, including: Frank Comiskey, Patrick Hayden, Beatrice Manufor, Kathleen O'Brien, Paddy Doyle, Liam Rooney, John (Connie) O'Sullivan, Ruben Noel, Geraldine Powell, Denis Buckley, Ralph Lurshay, Mona Questier, Eddie Phelan, Michael Murtagh, Gerry Meenahan, Rosaleen O'Brien, Clifford Thomas, Christian Ract, Reg O'Byrne, Anne McHale, Eamonn McGuinness, Tony Bull, Josephine Kennelly, Angela O'Herlihey, Josephine Connelly, Esther Lacrete, Maureen Courtney, Kathleen McLoughlin, Patrick Horan, Jean Bernard

The visiting group – There will be a meeting on Monday 22nd February at 7.30pm in 13 Meon Road.

Repository – will be closed this Sunday 14th February after 9.00am and 10.30am mass

Catholic Newspapers - are available on the table at the back of the church. Please put money into the box in the porch. The Universe price £1.20. The Catholic Times price £1.20.

The Westminster Record 20p

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

Red Boxes – If there are anymore boxes that need to be counted. Please hand them into the parish office during opening hours.

Please see notice board - for other notices

Baptismal Preparation Course – Please contact the Parish office during open hours to book a place on March's course 020 8992 2014.

Offertory

The offertory collection for Sunday 7th February amounted to £2098.80

Many thanks for your contributions.

Lent Programme

Please note that Lent begins on Ash Wednesday, 17 February. Ash Wednesday is a day of fasting and abstinence.

Masses – There will be masses at 7.00am, 10.00am and 7.00pm

Stations of the Cross – will be said each Wednesday during Lent at 3.00pm

Living as One – the diocese's faith-sharing booklet will be arriving during the next week, please be sure to pick up your copy next Sunday. The theme of Living As One is Christ's Church and what we mean when we say we believe that the Church is 'one, holy, catholic and apostolic'. Starting on the First Sunday of Lent (21st February), the booklets contain 42 daily meditations and 6 group sessions, enabling you to share your faith, experiences and thoughts with others. Booklets priced at £1.

Walk with Me booklets – A Lenten Journey of Prayer for 2010. These booklets are designed for individual reflections and now available at the back of the church for £1.00. There are also Walk with Me Calendar's for Children for 50p.

What To Do For Lent ?

How about "doing nothing?" That is a serious questions.

How often do we hear : "I'm just so busy"

"You're doing too much"

"I need a break"

"Where does the time go ?"

Imagine: 'Doing nothing'

'Being able 'to do nothing'

One way of seeing contemplative prayer is "doing nothing" or "learning to do nothing".

For Lent, Father Chris McAney is offering an introduction to the practise of contemplative prayer. If you would like more information or like to take part.

Please call Father Chris on 020 8992 5941

Information from Westminster Cathedral:

Pilgrimage Office – Please see the poster in the porch about a trip to Lourdes in 2010. There are also some brochures in the parish office if you would like one.

Day of inspiration for Catholics - working with Young People will be held on the 27th February. Full details can be found at www.cymfed.org/congress.html

Rite of Election - for the Ealing deanery will take place on 20th February at 3.00pm

Thanksgiving for the Sacrament of Marriage – A mass for Couples celebrating 10th, 25th, 40th, 50th and 60th+ wedding anniversaries at Westminster Cathedral on Saturday 22nd May 2010 at 3.00pm. If you would like to attend this ceremony can you please contact Avril in the parish office with the following information: Names, wedding date, full postal address and email or phone number. This will need to be done by Monday 22nd February 2010.