



The Parish of the MOST PRECIOUS BLOOD

a Catholic Parish in the Archdiocese of Southwark
in the Pastoral Care of the Ordinariate of Our Lady of Walsingham



DOMINICA III IN QUADRAGESIMA 24th March 2019

Welcome to Mass today!

If you are new to the area or this church, please make yourself known to one of the priests after Mass. There is tea and coffee available after the Solemn Mass in the Rectory, we hope you'll come through.

In the gospel reading today, we hear that God, the creator of all things is faithful to his word. He is the one who acts, intervenes in our lives, so that we turn to him in repentance. Despite God's goodness to the Jews in the desert, many of them fell away from their unbelief. The events that happened to them in the Old Testament are a warning to us lest we make the same mistakes.



Sunday School at the 11.00am Mass is for Children of Primary School age, but will be suspended this week due to the disruption.

The Lights are being fitted this week and will take three weeks (it's not quick this, is it?); as does preparation on the baldachino which will be sanded and stripped. They promise to use a machine with a vacuum, a strong vacuum!

Wedding Anniversaries. Are you celebrating a significant one this year? Silver, Golden, Ruby? The Archbishop would like to invite you to a celebration. See FrC for more into.

As part of the restoration, many of the fixtures and fittings are being replaced and/or restored. A comprehensive list is being compiled.

Norman Hegarty is to be received into Full Communion of the Catholic Church today. A welcome to his family and friends and a particular welcome to him!

The Annunciation of the Lord is celebrated tomorrow, it's a Solemnity. There are four categories of days: feria, memoria, feast and solemnity. Tomorrow's the top!

Theresa McGuinness' funeral is still being arranged. More news soon, meanwhile keep her in your prayers. *Requiescat in pace*

Stations of the Cross, each Friday at 6pm during Lent. Blanché and Heryck will lead this seasonal devotion. *All welcome!*

Lent denials: how are you getting on? And don't forget the Prayer and Giving too. Stick with it!

Evensong and Mass will resume this week 6pm & 6.30pm in the Ordinariate Use.

The Dowry Tour is at Warwick Street this week. Friday till Sunday. Come and visit the Holy House near Piccadilly. Ecumenical Evensong and Benediction on Saturday at 3.30pm.

Home visits during Lent. Would you like a visit from the pp? Invite him during Lent.

The Intention Board for the floor is about to be fabricated. Check the list overleaf. If you donated, you will receive a email later today with an image of the final Board. Please check. If FrC does not hear from you, it's assumed it's correct. Last chance.

Spring forward, Fall back. Don't forget the clocks change on Sunday. Don't be late.



The Solemnity of the Annunciation of the Lord is celebrated tomorrow, nine months before Christmas. We celebrate the mystery of Our Lord taking on human flesh through Mary's, also her profound role in the Kingdom of God. The Annunciation is the beginning of the fulfillment of all that God promised redemption.

Mariology. A great deal about Mary can be found in the words, "Hail, full of Grace! The Lord is with you." Elizabeth refers to Mary as "blessed among women". It is clear that Mary enjoys a special place in the order of creation and God's plan. The Church defines Mary's status as full of grace in the Immaculate Conception. At her conception, Mary already shared in the salvific and sanctifying grace of her Son. She is blessed because she was preserved from original sin and its effects for her entire life. She is the chosen one and the sign to the world of God's desire for communion with all of mankind. At the Annunciation Mary is already full of God's grace, which is why she is addressed in this manner. Mary has already been saved by her Son through the profound glories and grace given her by the Holy Trinity.

Christology. The Annunciation is the announcement that Christ has come to his people and God will dwell among us. Mary is not only "full of grace" because of her Immaculate Conception, but also because she will bear the fullness of grace who is Jesus Christ in her womb. Mary is to be the Mother of God, the Son of God, the Second Person of the Holy Trinity. In her co-operation Mary agrees to submit and follow God's mission and plan for humanity and that means giving herself entirely to her Son's mission. Mary can only be understood in the light of Christ. By God's election, she will give humanity to the Son of God so that his divine Person of the Son can be unite his divine nature to a human nature. The Annunciation is the announcement of the God-

man entering history for the salvation of his people.

Ecclesiology. Mary is the example to the Church as the Church journeys towards her End. By her fiat at the Annunciation, Mary shows perfect faith in God and his mission. So too does the Church turn to her Saviour, Jesus Christ, in complete faith and dependence on him. The Church looks to Mary for a deeper understanding of its role in the world and her response in the Annunciation is one of the Church's starting points for reflection. Mary is the model for bringing sons and daughters to a new life in Christ and she is the model and figure of the Church. Mary is the example of maternal love for the Church. If the Church is the sign and instrument of intimate union with God, she is so by reason of her motherhood, because, receiving life from the Spirit, she 'generates' sons and daughters of the human race to a new life in Christ. It is precisely through Mary's role as Jesus' mother that she becomes the mother of the Church. Her spiritual motherhood is transformed and she is united to her Son's mission of bringing all peoples to the Father as adopted sons and daughters.

The Annunciation begins to reveal the salvific plan God has for his people in announcing the coming of the God-man. Mariology begins to take shape and dogmas such as the Immaculate Conception guided by tradition are understood through the fullness of Christ's grace which dwells in Mary from her conception. God's plan to become incarnate and take on human flesh, which will be united to his divinity, is demonstrated and a Christological aspect of St Luke is better understood. Mary's faith at the Annunciation and her obedience and love for God are the guiding principles for the Church's mission. Mariology, Christology, and Ecclesiology are all intertwined through the actions of the Annunciation. As we celebrate this solemnity during the season of Easter, let us grow in a deeper understanding of Christ and His Mother, as we continue our own journey to communion with the Most Holy Trinity.

Hail full of Grace!

The Floor was installed in 2018 by donations

Salvation of Family Ake and Friends
Protection over Anthony & Augustine
Anthony Andrades +
Damien Arnold
Margaret Banister +
Holy Life for Bernadette
Christine Brooksby +
Shirley Bryant
Ronald Bryant +
Suzanne Bryant-Aldred
Buglass family
Kenn & Matthew Burrows
Maria Caldeira +
Ronald Carpenter +
Carneiro & Nunes families
Carr & Walsh families +
Mary Chapman +
Christina & family
Nicholas Cleere +
Colago family
Mary Crisp +
Diana & Dario D' Amo
Denis & Mary Daley
Kazimiera Dembowska +
Egbuna family
George Clifford Etherington +
Priscilla Etherington +

Fallon family
Sister Marie Farrell
Fenton & Kelly families
W Fleming & Siblings +
Fr Christopher
Francis family
Gasatan family
Liberio Gatti +
Gaze & Simpson families +
German Beltran
Giannano & Evelina
Gosnell & West families
Percy & Violet Green +
Philip Hamilton +
Hanafin family
Patrick & Mary Hanafin +
Martin Hardy
Enid Hartley +
Tony Hartley +
Holy Souls in Purgatory +
Edna Hughes +
A beloved Husband & Grandson+
JMB & family
Maureen Keeley
Violet Lambert +
Christopher Lowe CR +

Joan & Laurence MacCallum +
Mackenzie family
Blanca Martinez & Victor Cleves
Kathleen McDermott +
Eileen McDowall +
Fiona & Melvyn Mendes
Mendes & Pereira families
Donald Minchew priest +
Apolline Molami Mukandwa +
Murphy Family
Nyeya & McCleary families
Dan & Ita O'Gorman +
Oruorah family
Anna & Joe O'Shea +
Beloved Parents & Sister +
PEB-g priest +
Guillermo Pedraza
Juan Diego Beltram Pedraza
George Pennington +
Martha May Pennington +
Marriage of Philip & Angela
Pope family
Frederick Charles Reed +
Mary Elizabeth Reed +
Liesette B Reynolds +
Vijay Rodrigues +
Aida Rodrigues & Aruna Roy +

Rose Dique
Lara Sangrà
Sharland family
Betty Sheanon
John Sheanon +
Sheanon family
Gwynneth Vaughan Simons +
Alfred William Smith +
Ethel Smith +
Jean Smith +
David Ayodele Sokoya +
Soriano family
Strobino family
Zula-Ula Summer +
John Towner +
Maria Wagrodzka +
Warwick family
Welfare of families
Whitbread family
Elizabeth Wines +
Teshay Zewdie +
Conversion of England & Wales
Democratic Republic of Congo
Family Unity
God's work
Most Precious Blood
OU Newman Society Past Presidents +
Two little ones lost to miscarriage +

Holy Mass is offered for these intentions each 2nd July until 2029



Ecumenical Evensong
part of the Dowry Tour of the
Statue of Our Lady of Walsingham.

Evensong & Benediction
Saturday 30th March, 3.30pm
Our Lady of the Assumption
Warwick Street WC1

Preacher: The Rt Rev'd Robert Ladds,
Anglican Bishop and Superior-General
of the Anglican Society of Mary.



“ The ultimate GOAL of fasting is
to help each one of us
to make a COMPLETE gift of
SELF to GOD.
Benedict XVI ”

Ordinariate of Our Lady of Walsingham
A series of open meetings to discuss aspects
of the Catholic Church

at
St. Thomas Aquinas Church, Ham,
Tuesday 26th March 2019
at 7.30pm

Music and Meditation

led by
Sylvia Clayton

Mass in the Ordinariate Use, 7pm

A meal and refreshments will be served

*Travel - St. Thomas Aquinas Church, Ham, Ham Street,
Richmond TW10 7HT . Train to Richmond Station: District
Line or South West trains from Waterloo. Then get bus -
371 to Ham Street or 65 to Ham Gate Avenue*

All are welcome.

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This Week: Mass & intentions

Day	Time	Intention
Today 3rd Sunday in Lent	8.30am 11.00am	Mary Ryan ✕ Parishioners
Mon 25th <i>ANNUNCIATION</i>	1.05pm	Peter Kelly ✕
Tues 26th <i>feria of Lent</i>	1.05pm	
Wed 27th <i>feria of Lent</i>	1.05pm	
Thurs 28th <i>feria of Lent</i>	1.05pm 6.30pm	Canonisation of Bl JHN
Fri 29th <i>feria of Lent</i>	1.05pm	Merle Walker ✕ <i>d. 1992</i>
Sat 30th <i>feria of Lent</i>		
Next Sunday 4th Sunday in Lent	8.30am 11.00am	Parishioners

Next Week's Readings Joshua 5:9-12 2 Corinthians 5:17-21 Luke 15:1-3.11-32

Sacrament of Confession. Sunday 10.30-10.50; Mon-Fri 12.30-12.55

Evensong each Thursday 18.00 during term time.

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament resumes soon each Friday till 15.00 Divine Mercy

Last week: £11,373.37 inc Standing Orders and Card payments

Safeguarding. The parish is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and vulnerable adults and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. Safeguarding Officers: Kate Pope, Richard Hughes, Justina Onuorah. 0800 0935063

Holy Father's Intention for March. *Evangelisation – Christian Communities*

That Christian communities, especially those who are persecuted, feel that they are close to Christ and have their rights respected.

Ordinariate Weekly Intercession: Fr Christopher Pearson and the London (South) Group.

For your prayers:

Those preparing to join the Church: Norman, Patricia

Those in formation for Ministry, Dn John Waters, Br Philip novOP (Jeff Gerlomes)

The Sick & Housebound: David, Dora, Jo, Geoffrey, Paula, Holly, Mary, Ada, Fr John, Wilma, Ryan, Fr Gerald

Recently Departed: Mary Ryan, Theresa McGuinness

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