

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SOULS OF THOSE WHO HAVE DIED:

Bridie & Josie McNelis; Masline Joseph
Barbara Earner; Jeanne Mullane
and all the faithful departed.

**OUR SATURDAY MORNING MASS IS OFFERED FOR
THE SICK AND THE HOUSEBOUND**

**THE MOST HOLY BODY & BLOOD OF CHRIST
(CORPUS ET SANGUIS SHRISTI) 2026**

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Saturday 6th June

	6.00 pm	Bridie & Josie McNelis (RIP - anniv)
SUNDAY 7th	8.30 am	Intentions of Pope Leo
THE MOST HOLY	10.00 am	Jeanne Mullane (RIP)
BODY & BLOOD	12 Noon	Ints of the Mariano family (Thanks)
OF CHRIST	6.00 pm	The people of the Parish

Monday 8th 9.30 am Ints of the Lopuch family

Tuesday 9th *No Mass today. Church opens at 11.00am*

Wednesday 10th *No Mass today. Church is closed.*

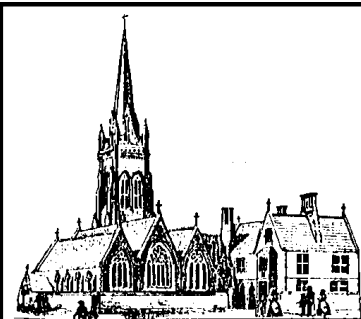
Thursday 11th 9.30 am Jeanne Mullane (RIP)

Friday 12th	9.30 am	Ints of Fr James
THE SACRED HEART	11.30 am	Funeral Mass of Barbara Earner (RIP)
OF JESUS		

Saturday 13th	10.00 am	The sick and housebound
The Immaculate Heart	10.30am	<i>Exposition and Adoration</i>
Of Mary		

**CONFESSIONS: SATURDAY 10.30 - 11.20AM ; 5.00 - 5.40PM
OR BY ARRANGEMENT**

**THE PARISH OFFICE IS OPEN MONDAY, TUESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY
11AM - 3PM, (Closed on Wednesday except Holy Days)**



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This Sunday will see Jesus Christ, in the Blessed Sacrament, processed through the streets of central London. From Corpus Christi Church in the heart of Covent Garden, after 11am Mass the procession will begin. The group will process to Our Lady of the Assumption and St Gregory in Warwick Street. On arrival, there will be a period of Adoration. Then on to the Ukrainian Catholic Cathedral and then concluding with Benediction at St James, Spanish Place at around 5pm. Bishop Paul Mason, Bishop of the Forces, comments: "It's an opportunity for Catholics to show their faith and show the importance and centrality of the Blessed Sacrament in the life of the Church. The Blessed Sacrament is something of a North Star. It gives us light, it gives us direction, it gives purpose, and without that we can end up a bit lost. Simply being able to spend time before the Blessed Sacrament ensures that we don't spin off on a frolic of our own pursuing do-goodery. Being able to spend time – some say wasting time with Almighty God before the Blessed Sacrament – is so important to feed our souls and give us that sense of where we're going and what we're supposed to be doing. The real presence of Christ lies at the heart of our faith. Moreover, Eucharistic Adoration enabled the saints during their time on Earth to stay close to the Lord. To pick one, let's say, Mother Teresa. We all know the great good she did, it didn't just come from her own promptings. She would spend hours before the Blessed Sacrament. From there she got her confidence and her inspiration to know what God was calling her to do."

The procession is always well attended and it is normal to see members of the public drop to their knees in prayer when the procession passes. Even curious non-Catholics seem moved by what they see. Bishop Mason sees this as a sign of hope: "Some might think, 'What are these people up to? There may be many thinking, 'How odd is that?' But I hope it does raise questions in people's minds."

Also visit carloacutis.com and follow to www.miracolieucaaristici.org for descriptions of Eucharistic Miracles modern and ancient. Fr James

THANK YOU FOR YOUR GENEROSITY IN GIVING

Don't forget you can also make an offering via the 'Touch & Tap' at the door. For details of methods of Planned Giving, see the leaflet at the door of Church. Parish bank account details are below, and on the website *Donate* page.

PARISH BANK DETAILS: HSBC

Sort code: 40-05-20 Acct. No.: 11263137

Acct name: WRC DT ST THOMAS OF CANTERBURY FULHAM

NEW "TAP-TO-DONATE" TABLETS: As you will see we now have new Contactless Payment terminals at both doors of church. These have many advantages over the old version **BUT** if you had registered for *Gift Aid* on the old machine you will need to register again. Sorry! No way round that one.

We are one of the first parishes to have these terminals and there are clearly some teething troubles. Please report any problems or issues with using them to Fr James. The old terminal will also remain in use for the time being whilst any issues remain. Thank you for your patience, as well as your generosity!

S.V.P.(SOCIETY OF St VINCENT DE PAUL): The next meeting of our new SVP Conference is on WEDNESDAY 17 JUNE at 7.30pm in No. 62.

- We are seeking to know if there are people with mobility issues who would get to church if a lift was available. Know anyone in this situation? Please contact the office or Fr James
- One project now starting is to support the "Food Hub" in our Deanery based at White City Parish. We will be Since 2017, Our Lady of Fatima Church, White City has organised the 'White City Community Food Hub'. This project also offers one-on-one advice sessions for further help & signposting regarding benefits, housing, debt and employment. Following strong demand, because some regular sources of donations are ending, our conference of the SVP here in St Thomas's is partnering with Our Lady of Fatima to provide additional food. *You can help by making donations of specific items as advertised, or even as a delivery driver. See the poster in church.*

Currently the contact telephone number for any calls to the SVP is the Parish Telephone: 020 7385 4040

MASLINE JOSEPH RIP: The family of Masline Joseph have let us know of her death on 23 May and ask to pass that news on to those who knew her and to ask for prayers for her soul. *May she rest in peace.*

VISIT TO THE PARISH FROM MARY'S MEALS: NEXT WEEKEND: Mary's Meals, well known to many from previous visits, will be with us next weekend. The charity, based in Scotland, serves nutritious school meals to children living in some of the world's poorest countries. The promise of a good meal attracts these hungry children into the classroom, giving them the energy to learn and hope for a better future. Mary's Meals will also have a special announcement to make.

"WEBELIEVE" FESTIVAL OF CATHOLIC LIFE 24-27 JULY: Notice has come rather late for this year's festival (started last year at Sy Mary's Seminary, Oscott, Birmingham). A couple of our parishioners attended and raved about it. *WeBelieve Festival* brings the Church together in England and Wales. It is an opportunity to discover the traditions and charisms that flow through the Church, to experience the joy of community, and to encounter personally the Lord Jesus, our salvation. Poster in church and info at webeliefefestival.com

SACRED HEART SCHOOL HAMMERSMITH CONCERT: In aid of "one of Europe's rarest organs". Friday 19 June at 7pm. Recently discovered to be a precious survival from Paris, removed from a Sacred Heart house at a time of repression of the Church. See poster, and come to hear and see this fascinating bit of history.

St MICHAEL'S CATHOLIC GRAMMAR SCHOOL, FINCHLEY OPEN EVENING: For Secondary Transfer - Weds 24 June. Parents and girls interested in entrance tests are invited to visit the school that day between 5 - 7pm. Headteacher talks will be held at 5pm and 7pm. Priority for up to 32 places is given to girls who are registered as Pupil Premium with their primary school and meet the Catholicity criteria. Full details of the Admissions Policy can be found on the School's website St Michael's Admissions 2027-28. www.st-michaels.barnet.sch.uk See poster in church.

THE ALUMNI AND FRIENDS OF LARMENIER & SACRED HEART CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL: Calling all former pupils, parents or carers of former pupils and current or former members of staff or governors – See poster for QR code to register as a member and reconnect with our community! Join us for our inaugural event on Friday 12 June from 7:00pm until 9:30pm! Please spread the word!

DIOCESAN YOUTH MINISTRY (AGES 18-35): NEXT YOUNG ADULTS MASS: Tuesday 9 June 7pm at Westminster Cathedral Crypt, Victoria St, London SW1P 1LT. "Join us for our monthly diocesan Young Adult's Mass, situated in the sacred and historical crypt hidden beneath Westminster Cathedral. Come along to celebrate Holy Mass led by our youth chaplain Fr Francis, and for the opportunity to meet like-minded young Catholics and to participate in the Sacred Liturgy together.

"INCLUSIVE MASS" FOR THOSE WITH ADDITIONAL NEEDS: FAMILUES AND FRIENDS: At Holy Cross, Parsons Green, invites you to a Mass for children and adults with additional needs, to be celebrated by Fr Bernard Akoeso on Saturday, 27 June 2026 at 2:00 p.m., followed by light refreshments. All are most welcome, particularly parishioners and visitors with additional needs, together with their families, friends and carers. *There's a similar even in Hounslow parish soon. See poster in church.*