

MASS INTENTIONS

4th March – 11th March 2018

Sunday 4 th Mar: Third Sunday of Lent (p. 158)	9.30am 11.00am 5.15pm 6.30pm	First Holy Communion Candidates People of the Parish <i>Stations of the Cross</i> Private Int.
Monday 5 th Mar:	9.30am 12.30pm	Margaret Barry RIP Funeral for Nancy McDonnell
Tuesday 6 th Mar:	9.30am	John Wenham
Wednesday 7 th Mar:	9.30am 1.15pm	William & Mary Hogan Funeral for (Michael) Tony Maguire
Thursday 8 th Mar:	Church and Office Closed	
Friday 9 th Mar:	9.30am 10.00am	Christine Head Adoration
Saturday 10 th Mar:	9.30am 10.15am 11.30am	Ed & Clare Bellasis First Confession (Grp 1) First Confession (Grp 2)
Sunday 11 th Mar: Fourth Sunday of Lent (p. 166)	9.30am 11.00am 5.15pm 6.30pm	Private Int. Kenya ffield RIP <i>Stations of the Cross</i> People of the Parish

Stations of the Cross during Lent

Each Sunday at 5.15pm during Lent Parishioners are invited to pray the Stations of the Cross in Church.



Parishioners and Friends who are sick:

Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick, especially, Stuart Howse, Pamela Raggett, Jamie Gilmour, Manuel Campello, Nory Tennant, Anna Cleary, Mario D'Souza and Josephine Edward

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Sunday Masses: 9.30am,
11.00am and 6.30pm.

Confessions (Reconciliation):
Saturdays 10am-10.30am
& 5pm-5.30pm

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At The Heart of Lent

At the heart of Lent is the opportunity to have an honest look at our relationship with God and God's community, the Church.

As with any relationship, there are strengths and good things that need acknowledging and building upon. Finding ways of doing this is not always easy, hence the need to give extra time to God during Lent. Also when looking at our lives with God we are aware of when things go wrong, the need to say sorry and be forgiven – reconciled. No relationship of real meaning, including with God, survives long without saying sorry and knowing that we are forgiven and can move on. Even small things can clutter up a relationship. Most of us need to seek God's forgiveness in the Sacrament of Reconciliation, particularly during Lent.

Parish & Local News

25th February:

Collection £394.40 + Standing Orders £400

CAFOD Fast £247.10

Total Offertory: £1,041.50

Children's Liturgy:

4th March: Group 7 Good Friday

11th March: Group 1 Mothers Day

Altar Servers rota:

Sunday 4th Mar: 9.30am, 11am, 6.30pm Masses: **Team 1**

Sunday 11th Mar: 9.30am, 11am, 6.30pm Masses: **Team 2**

Cleaners rota:

Saturday 10th Mar: **Team 3** Saturday 17th Mar: **Team 4**

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Parish Lenten Talks

Led by Canon Francis at St Mary Magdalen

Easter is early this year so Lent begins this coming week! During Lent Canon Francis will lead **four Sunday afternoon sessions** on different aspects of our Faith. These are for adults who want a refresher of some of the background to our Faith. The format will be a talk followed by the opportunity for questions/discussion.

The 3rd (March 4th) will be on the Sacraments, focusing in particular on the Mass/Eucharist. The 4th (March 18th) is on Easter and the Mystery of Christ-the heart of all Christian Faith.

Each session will start at 4pm and end by 5pm. All are welcome to attend one or more. Maybe a way to deepen our Faith and knowledge as a personal/parish Lenten "penance"?

First Confessions/Reconciliation

Please keep in your prayers, the children preparing for Holy Communion as they make their First Confession next Saturday.

Red Mission Boxes

Red Mission Boxes will be out for collection next Sunday from the back of Church. Our apologies for the delay

Altar Servers: New Servers

Details of any young person who has made their 1st Communion and would like to join our servers' rota should be sent to the parish office by their parents. Training will begin in a few weeks' time. Please give in full names, school year and 1st and 2nd choice of Sunday Mass time preference for rota.

Confessions: Morning of Saturday 10th March

As the children are having their Penitential Service and First Confession next Saturday morning, there will **be no Parish Confession**. There will be the usual confessions in the afternoon from 5-5.30pm.

1st Communion Parents

A meeting for the parents of all First Holy Communion Children will take place on Tuesday 6th March at 8pm.

Richmond Irish Society

The Richmond Irish Society is hosting a St Patrick's Eve Dinner and Dance on Friday 16th March 2018 at London Welsh Rugby Ground, Kew Road, Richmond. Cost is £75 per person to include a three course meal and Guinness Reception. Smart dress please: dancing until 1am. All profits go to the local Spear Charity. To book or for more info please contact Seamus Joyce on 07969 065 009 or seamusjoyce@yahoo.co.uk

Lourdes Pilgrimage August 10th – 17th 2018 with HCPT Group 543

HCPT Group 543 will be travelling to Lourdes (by plane from Stansted) and staying at the lovely Hosanna House in nearby Batres, fully catered by the in house chefs. If you would like more information or to join the Lourdes Pilgrimage please contact Maggie Barker on 07725 551923 or thebarkers72@hotmail.com

Penitential Service open to the Mortlake Deanery

Penitential Service open to the Mortlake Deanery in Ham, St Thomas Aquinas Parish, Ham Street, Ham Common, Richmond, TW10, 7HT on Friday 9th March, there will be a Penitential Service, open to the Mortlake Deanery, from 7.30pm – 8.30pm with various confessors coming from the different parishes. This will be followed by tea and cakes. All are welcome.

St Francis Ramblers 10th March

St Francis Ramblers invite you to join them on their walk on Saturday 10 March. Meet Richmond station (walkers' train due in at 10.47am). Distance 9 miles with lunch stop (at The White Hart, The Terrace, Barnes), finishing at Putney. Please call Paul on 07847 282626 for more details.