

## MASS INTENTIONS

2<sup>nd</sup> June – 9<sup>th</sup> June 2019

Sunday 2 <sup>nd</sup> Jun:	9.30am	People of the Parish
<b>Seventh Sunday of Easter</b>	11.00am	Holy Souls
(p. 281)	6.30pm	George and Alice RIP
<i>World Communications Day collection</i>		
Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> Jun:	<b>Church and Office Closed</b>	
Tuesday 4 <sup>th</sup> Jun:	9.30am	Richard Wellman RIP
Wednesday 5 <sup>th</sup> Jun: (St Boniface)	9.30am	For Hall Missionaries (Fr Graziano's Int.)
Thursday 6 <sup>th</sup> Jun: (St Norbert)	9.30am	Holy Souls
Friday 7 <sup>th</sup> Jun:	9.30am 10.00am	Holy Souls Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament
Saturday 8 <sup>th</sup> Jun:	9.30am	In honour of Our Lady of Lourdes
Sunday 9 <sup>th</sup> Jun:	9.30am	People of the Parish
<b>Pentecost Sunday</b>	11.00am	Holy Souls
(p.294)	6.30pm	John & Eileen Goggin RIP (Daniel & Patricia)
<i>Catholic Trust for England and Wales collection</i>		



**Parishioners and Friends who are sick:**  
Please remember in your prayers all those who are sick, especially Baby Ria Moreno, Stuart Howes, Jamie Gilmour, Manuel Campello and Mario D'Souza.

# St. Mary Magdalen Roman Catholic Church



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Saturdays 10am-10.30am

& 5pm-5.30pm

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## Forgiveness

The paschal mystery calls us to die to ourselves so we might be lifted up by and with Christ. One way we die to ourselves is to seek forgiveness when we do something wrong. Simply asking for forgiveness is a sign of humility, and it is something not often done. Not only are we to ask for forgiveness, but we are to forgive when someone wrongs us. Rather than hold a grudge our role as disciples is to forgive, in imitation of Jesus who set the example for us. If he can forgive those who wronged him, how much more must we forgive those who wrong us. To be a disciple requires nothing less. An admirer will certainly respect and praise the forgiveness Jesus effects, but a follower will seek to do the same, and forgive. As disciples, followers of Jesus, let us forgive as he forgave.

## Parish & Local News

### **26<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

Collection £613.38 + Standing Orders £400  
Total Offertory: £1013.38

### **Children's Liturgy:**

2<sup>nd</sup> June Team 1 "Jesus goes to Heaven"  
9<sup>th</sup> June Team 2 "Pentecost"

### **Altar Servers rota:**

Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> Jun 9.30am, 11am and 6.30pm Team 1  
Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> Jun 9.30am, 11am and 6.30pm Team 2

### **Cleaners rota:**

Saturday 8<sup>th</sup> June – Team 4 Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June – Team 1

### **World Communications Day: Today Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> June**

Today's collection supports the work of all Catholic Communications Network (CCN), the media office of the Bishop's Conference of England and Wales. The CCN seeks to be of service both to the Church and the world in offering professional channels of communication, and provides support for the Bishops of England and Wales and the wider Church in promoting the Gospel through the media on current issues. Its office is the focus for media enquiries on national matters, and seeks to develop the public profile of the Church and its teaching. The CCN provides up-to-date news releases, features and podcasts, information from the Bishops' Conference of England and Wales, and trains spokesmen and women.

### **Thank you to all who applied: Office Manager**

Thank you to all those who applied for the post of Office Manager here at St Mary Magdalen Church. We will be in touch with everyone over the course of the coming weeks.

### **Missio Boxes available for collection in Sacristy**

Missio boxes are ready for collection from the Sacristy today. Please can all those who need to pick up their Missio box do so after Mass today. Thank you

### **Gift Aid Reminder**

As a reminder if you currently support Gift Aid there are still a number of Gift Aid envelope boxes for the new tax year which starts this Sunday waiting for collection at the back of church.

### **World Environment Day: 5<sup>th</sup> June 2019**

"The Mend of the World Is Near..."

This World Environment Day we are asked:

- What's the number one thing you are doing to tackle climate change?
- What one extra thing could you do to help tackle climate change?
- What's stopping you?

Today is an invitation to us all to do one extra thing to mend the world.

### **Pope Francis's Prayer Intention for June 2019**

This month's prayer intention is aimed at the mode of life for priests in committing to solidarity with the poor, but in fact this is a commitment we all need to adopt. Firstly, we need to learn something about ourselves and our own attitudes. It is hard to have empathy for the poor, if we cannot really understand what it is like to walk in someone else's shoes. It is hard to have empathy with the poor if we cannot ditch the instinct to sit in judgement. It is hard to have empathy for the poor if we cannot let go of some or all of our privileges. This month we are asked to join in Pope Francis's prayer intention, "... That priests, through the modesty and humility of their lives, commit themselves actively to a solidarity with those who are poorest."

### **News from the Vicar General**

Please be vigilant to the following couple who appear to be doing the rounds of Churches in the Tooting/Streatham/Battersea area, but may well target other churches in South London. Please be alert for white female 5'8" slim build, late 20s-early 30s, long mousey hair tied back in a ponytail, dark anorak with hood, trainers and usually carrying a bag/rucksack. There is also a white man 5'6" smaller and stocky build,

### **St George's Cathedral: Mass for New Catholics**

In association with the Centre for Catholic Formation, the Cathedral will host the annual Diocesan Mass for New Catholics on Saturday 8th June at 12.30 pm. Archbishop Peter Smith will preside. All who recently entered the Church are warmly invited to attend with their friends and family.

### **Christian rower, Debbie Flood, speaks about her faith 11<sup>th</sup> July 2019**

Former rowing world champion, Debbie Flood will speak about her sporting career and Christian faith at the London Rowing Club, Putney on Thursday 11 July at 7pm. Tickets £15 include drinks reception and goody bag worth £30. All proceeds support SPCK's prisoner literacy programme. Visit [bit.ly/spckdebbieflood](http://bit.ly/spckdebbieflood) or phone Richard Scott at SPCK on 020 7592 3900.