

CHURCH OF ST JAMES

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CALENDAR

THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER

Saturday Vigil	6pm	<i>Bob McManus RIP anniversary</i>
	7.30pm	<i>Recital by Carl Bahoshy</i>
Sunday 4 th May	8am	<i>people of the parish</i>
	10.30am	<i>Steve Lennon RIP</i>
	12.15pm	<i>Christening of Logan Gonzales: Nora Griffin RIP</i>
Monday 5 TH May	10am	
Tuesday 6 th May	9am	<i>Sister Sheila Burke intention</i>
Wednesday 7 th May	10am	<i>Eucharistic Service</i>
Thursday 8 th May	9am	
	5.30pm	<i>Reception of the body of Bridget Luckham</i>
Friday 9 th May	12pm	<i>Funeral of Bridget Luckham</i>
Saturday 10 th May	9am	
	9.45-10.45am	CONFESSIONS
	12pm	<i>Christening of Celestine Harmel</i>

FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

Saturday Vigil	6pm	<i>Peter Jenkinson RIP [Thomas]</i>
Sunday 11 th May	8am	<i>people of the parish</i>
	10.30am	<i>Mary Wallace RIP</i>
	12.15pm	<i>Hughie Bredin RIP</i>
	2.30pm	<i>Christening of Freya MacMillan</i>

TOTAL £1,747 (Cash £483.10, Envelopes £365.90; Standing Orders £898); Building Fund £25

THANK YOU FOR YOUR FINANCIAL SUPPORT OF THE PARISH

HAVE A BIG BREAKFAST WITH US! On Sunday 11th May in the Emmanuel Centre from 9am. Organised by this year's RCIA candidates on behalf of our building fund.

IN YOUR CHARITY please pray for the repose of Bridget Luckham of Stanley Road. Her funeral is at St James's at 12 noon this coming Friday.

TOILETS- PLEASE BE CAREFUL HOW YOU FLUSH THE TOILET IN THE TORCH. The handle requires only very gentle pressure and should not BE forced. If your child needs to use the toilet please remember that there are toilets in the Emmanuel Centre at the end by the Radnor Road exit. Parents - please supervise your children to prevent breakages.

ST RICHARD REYNOLDS CATHOLIC COLLEGE are recruiting for a Data Manager and Caretaker for September 2014. Please refer to our website for details and a copy of the application form - www.strichardreynolds.org.uk - closing date for all applications is 14th May.

LEGION OF MARY PILGRIMAGE TO AYLESFORD leaves from St James Church at 9am on Saturday 10th May.

Contact Anne on 0208 894 0056 or Patty on 0208 892 7521.

'GROWING IN FAITH' Many thanks to those who attended the meeting on Tuesday evening about the Cardinal's fundraising programme. This will be starting shortly in the parish. Your support will be greatly appreciated in whatever capacity. A letter from the Cardinal is printed on the back of the mass sheet. We would be grateful if you would take it home and read it. If you want to learn more about this important initiative please take a brochure from the Finance table as you leave today.

THE PARISH GAMES this year will take place on Saturday 12th July in St Catherine's School.

IS THERE MORE TO LIFE THAN THIS? ... an Alpha course, exploring the questions of life, will held in the Emmanuel Centre in the summer term. All are invited to 'Come and See' on this coming Friday 9th May at 9.30am. This will be a relaxed, no obligation get together and a light lunch will be provided. All welcome. Further details and offers to help to kymrichards@hotmail.com Please let Kym know if you are coming on Friday 9th.

CARL BAHOSHY organist at St Elizabeth's Richmond will be giving a recital at St James's next Saturday at 7.30pm on behalf of ICIN [IRAQI CHRISTIANS IN NEED.] 10% of proceeds will go towards the parish.

NEW BOXES OF ENVELOPES These are available. The purpose of these is to give your offering using using each numbered envelope on a weekly basis. Please go to the table on the left hands side of the porch as you enter the church. This is also a chance to take out a standing order to the parish or join the box system for the first time. Boxes and standing orders enable us to claim gift aid back from the Revenue and is an important source of our revenue. Existing members will receive the box number they used last year.

RICHMOND FOOD BANK [at the Vineyard]. PLEASE CONTINUE TO SUPPORT THIS PROJECT BY PLACING YOUR DONATIONS IN THE CONTAINER IN THE CHURCH PORCH. Especially needed at the moment are tinned fruit and vegetables. Contact: danielrmcnamara@hotmail.co.

WHAT HAPPENS IF I GO INTO HOSPITAL? The hospital chaplaincy service is there to care for the spiritual, pastoral and religious needs of all patients, relatives and staff whatever their faith or belief. On admission to hospital please ensure that your religion is registered and confirm that this information has been passed on to the Chaplaincy. Chaplains visit the wards during the week, and provide an on-call service in case of an emergency. If you want a chaplain to visit you should ask ward staff to arrange this. If you or your relative is admitted to hospital please notify the chaplain. At West Middlesex Hospital the Chaplain is Sr Daniella Billo. Local clergy provide a rota for each day of the week.

NEW BENCHES for the church. As you can see some of the benches are of different designs. We are looking forward to replacing these and the chairs [at the back] with uniform benches. It is proposed for reasons of cost that these will be made in Poland. We are looking for sponsorship from parishioners for part or whole of a bench. It is estimated that they will cost £750 each. If you are at all interested in being involved please speak to Fr Ulick. We hope that the new benches will be ready by the beginning of June.

WHAT IS HOSPICE CARE? This gives you the chance to about the way hospice care has developed, and what is done at Princess Alice Hospice Care to support patients and families. Thursday 8th May 1.30pm-4.30pm. Contact 01372 461844 or education@pah.org.uk

'CONSCIENCE AND THE NHS' 17TH May at Ealing Abbey, Charlbury Grove. Details - www.catholicmedicalassociation.org.uk

'THE LONDON CATHOLIC WORKER' is in need of new volunteers including kitchen workers, befrienders, cleaners, gardeners, drivers and artists. Contact; Giuseppe Conlon House 0208 348 8212. Or Br Johannes on 074 3685 4544.

23 YEAR OLD STUDENT from Northern Ireland starting a PGCE in Primary Education at St Mary's University is looking for home environment accommodation. Please ring Graeme Smyth on 0284 2728521 or 07443568074 or e-mail gsmyth90@gmail.com