

Mass Intentions for this Week			
Sat	28 th Oct	6:30pm	Deceased members of the Le family
Sun	29 th Oct	10.15am	80th Birthday Blessings for Bridie
		12.00noon	Father Jim Kirby - Celebration of Life
Mon	30 th Oct	10:00am	Mass
Tue	31 st Oct	10:00am	Tess Gannon RIP
Wed	1 st Nov	10.00am	Solemnity of All Saints – Holy Day of Obligation
		7:00pm	
Thurs	2 nd Nov	10:00am	Holy Souls
Fri	3 rd Nov	10:00am	Thanksgiving for Marie-Danielle's birthday
Sat	4 th Nov	9.30am	Eucharistic Adoration & Healing Mass
		6:30pm	Good Health for Omotayo's family
Sun	5 th Nov	10.15am	Thanksgiving for God's goodness to the family of John Nonyelu
		12.00noon	People of the Parish

Collection for 21 st /22 nd Oct	
1 st Collection	£293.08
2 nd Collection	£170.01 Mission Sunday

28th/29th Oct – No 2nd collection
 4th/5th Nov – Hall Fund

The donation to the parish from the 100 club in Sep was £392. MANY THANKS



**St Joseph's
Catholic Church**
SHOOTERS HILL

30th Sunday in Ordinary Time
 Sunday 29th October 2023
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THE POPE'S MONTHLY INTENTION - NOV

We pray for the Holy Father; as he fulfills his mission, may he continue to accompany the flock entrusted to him, with the help of the Holy Spirit.

LITURGY OF THE WORD

1st reading	Exod 22:20-26	<i>If you are harsh with the widow, the orphan, my anger will flare against you.</i>
Psalm	Ps 17:2-4. 47. 51. R.2	<i>I love you, Lord, my strength.</i>
2 nd reading	1 Thess 1:5-10	You broke with idolotry and became servants of God; you are waiting for his Son.
Gospel Acclamation	cf. Acts 16:14	<i>Open our hearts, O Lord, to accept the words of your Son.</i>
Gospel	Matt 22:34-40	You must love the Lord your God and your neighbour as yourself.

FIRST SATURDAY EUCHARISTIC ADORATION & HEALING MASS

On the 1st Saturday of each month, we will have Eucharistic Adoration and Healing Mass in our parish. Activities will include Eucharistic Adoration, Sacramental Confession, Anointing of the Sick and Holy Mass. Please come with your written prayer intention.

Next service will be on **Saturday, 4th November**

FROM OUR SAFEGUARDING TEAM

Please be reminded that children are to be accompanied by an adult when using the toilets.

No child should go to the toilet alone.

Please try and avoid using the toilets during the readings, the homily and especially during the consecration.

Please supervise all children lighting candles at all times.

CHILDRENS LITURGY

The Children's Liturgy will not take place over the summer holidays. The next session will take place on **Sunday, 5th Nov** during the 10.15am Mass.

We are looking for one more person to assist with the Children's Liturgy – if you can help, please speak to Father Hyacinth. We wish all the children a happy summer.

OCTOBER DEVOTION

Please join us in this month of October as we say the rosary every morning in the church at 9.30am. You can also say the Holy Rosary at home with your family.

COFFEE MORNING

Tea and Coffee are available after the 10.15am Mass in the Parish Hall. It is a wonderful time to meet other parishioners

CATHOLIC UNIVERSE

The Catholic Universe Newspaper is now available, if you would like to buy one on a regular basis, please send an email to the parish office.

100 CLUB

The 100 club is a parish lottery where people pay £10 per month and, at the end of each month, one lucky winner is drawn and wins 1/3rd of the total draw money – 2/3rds of the draw money goes back to the parish.

Please consider joining the lottery - the more people who join – the bigger the prize money!

Please contact Jake Tran 07506 855666 for further details or give your name and details to Fr. Hyacinth

September's winner was Maggie Rea - CONGRATULATIONS!

HOLYDAY OF OBLIGATION

Wednesday, 1st November is the Solemnity of All Saints and a Holyday of obligation. Our masses are 10am & 7pm. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

BRIDIE 80TH BIRTHDAY

Bridie would like to thank everyone who donated to her justgiving page for her 80th birthday to HCPT – Greenwich 506. HCPT is a registered charity offering pilgrimage holidays to Lourdes. It helps people with disabilities or life limiting conditions to enjoy a week at HCPT's Hosanna House in Lourdes.

You can still donate online:

<https://www.justgiving.com/page/bridiedunbar-hcpt506>

PARISH CHRISTMAS

BAZAAR

The Christmas Bazaar will be on the

26th November 2023

Volunteers & Donations will be needed to make this event a success

Please speak to Fr Hyacinth, Lyn (07936534578) or Angela (07985411054) for more information.

CHURCH GROUND CLEANERS

Volunteers are needed to help clean our Church grounds. Please speak to any of the clergy if you can assist.

MASS INTENTIONS

We need Mass intentions for our weekday Masses. Please speak to any of the clergy if you would like to book some Masses.

PARISH MEMORIAL MASS

Our Parish will celebrate a Memorial Mass for our deceased parishioners and loved ones on **Thursday, 16th November at 7pm.** Please use the envelopes at the back of the church to write the names of those you would like to pray and light a candle for at this Mass.

FIRST HOLY COMMUNION

The call out for the programme of preparation for the sacraments of Reconciliation and Holy Communion continues during the month of October until the 12th November. You will be able to register your child for the programme after any of the weekend masses, i.e. Saturday 6.30pm, Sunday 10.15am & 12noon during this period. Further details for the programme will be given to you when you



register. This programme is for any baptised Roman Catholic child who belongs to this parish and attends Sunday Mass regularly here and who will be 8 years old or older by August next year (2024).

WANT TO BECOME A CATHOLIC?

To all who feel called to join the Roman Catholic Church and to anyone who would like to learn more about the Catholic faith, come and join the RCIA (Rite of Christian Initiation for Adults) sessions of faith sharing, study and prayer. We will explore and discuss the teachings of the Catholic Church and its traditions. The RCIA programme will commence in the first week of December 2023. If you would like to join this programme, please contact us through the parish email or speak to any of the clergy.

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