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Registered Charity Number 233699*

WEEKLY GIVING

Sunday 9th September 2018
Loose collection £687.36
Envelopes £95.00

*Thank you for your continued
generous support*

THE LAMPS ARE BURNING FOR:**SANCTUARY LAMPS**

Reparation for sins against
chastity

LADY CHAPEL

Conversion of England

*To have the lamps burning for your
intentions, use an envelope at the back of
the church or visit the website.*



CORPUS CHRISTI

THE DIOCESAN SHRINE OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

SEPTEMBER - MONTH DEDICATED TO
THE SEVEN SORROWS

✠ HOLY MASS FOR THE WEEK – SUNDAY 16TH SEPTEMBER 2018

✠ 24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME

SUNDAY 16TH**✠ 24TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9.30am Mass
11.30am Solemn Mass

*(Ps. Week 4)
Josie Monaghan – RIP
Pro Populo*

MONDAY 17TH**ST ROBERT BELLARMIN, BISHOP & DOCTOR**

1.05pm Mass
6.30pm Mass – Extraordinary Form

Foundation Mass

TUESDAY 18TH**FERIA**

1.05pm Mass

Edna May Giles – RIP

WEDNESDAY 19TH**ST JANUARIUS, BISHOP & MARTYR**

1.05pm Mass

Oliver Family – Ints.

THURSDAY 20TH**SS ANDREW KIM TAE-GÖN, PRIEST, PAUL CHÖNG HA-SANG, AND COMPANIONS, MARTYRS**

1.05pm Mass

Brian Davidson – sick

CENTENARY OF THE VISIBLE STIGMATA OF PADRE PIO

WITH THE VENERATION OF A RELIC OF ST PIO OF PIETRELCINA

6.30pm Solemn Mass

Private Intention – P.M.

FRIDAY 21ST**ST MATTHEW, APOSTLE & EVANGELIST**

1.05pm Mass

Bernadette Davidson – Ints.

SATURDAY 22ND**FERIA**

9.00am Church Cleaning
6.00pm Vigil Mass

Pro Populo

SUNDAY 23RD**✠ 25TH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME**

9.30am Mass
11.30am Solemn Mass

*(Ps. Week 1)
Anne Barnet – RIP
Antoinette M.N. Bell – RIP*

EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT: 12 – 1pm weekdays*

SACRAMENT OF CONFESSION: 30 mins before Mass*

** except Tuesdays*

REGULAR PARISH GROUPS:

Sodality of the Blessed Sacrament: First Thursday of the Month, 6:30pm, Mass, Adoration and Benediction with a different guest preacher each month. All welcome!

Mass in the Extraordinary Form (Missal of 1962): 6.30pm Mondays & Bank Holidays; 6:30pm Second Friday of the month (Contact Latin Mass Society Tel: 020 7404 7284)

Youth 2000 Prayer Group: Young Adults Prayer Group each Wednesday 7pm in Church with Eucharistic Adoration and Rosary - Mass first Wednesday of the Month

CaAPA (The Catholic Association for Performing Arts) 020 7240 1221

St. John Paul II Prayer Group (Fraternity of St. Genesis) 7.00pm on 2nd Thursday of each month – Mass, Benediction and Blessing with First Class Relic of Pope St. John Paul II.

Novena to Our Lady of Perpetual Succour Saturday evening after the Vigil Mass.

SECOND COLLECTION TODAY

There will be a second collection today for the Home Mission Appeal. This Appeal is used to help promote the Faith in England and Wales, so please be generous.

GIFT AID ENVELOPES

At last, we now have new envelopes that comply with the GDPR regulations, so that you can Gift Aid any donation you make to the Shrine. If you use these – and I hope you will – you'll need to complete the tear-off slip and then seal it inside the envelope along with your donation – cash or cheque. Please Gift Aid your donation if you can: if you pay tax in the UK, we receive a further 25p for every £1 you give, at no cost to yourself.

SODALITY OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT

The next Sodality Mass is at 6.30pm on **Thursday 4th October** and our guest preacher will be **Fr. John Hemer, MHM**, a Mill Hill Father and Formation Advisor at Allen Hall Seminary. The confraternity meets on a monthly basis for Mass, Adoration and Benediction, adoring Jesus truly present in the Blessed Sacrament and the Mass is offered for the intentions of members. Leaflets containing application forms are available at the back of the church, or you can join online at sodality.co.uk

OUR LADY OF SORROWS

The month of September is dedicated to Our Lady of Sorrows and we contemplate Mary sharing her Son's compassion for sinners. As Saint Bernard declares, the Mother of Christ entered into the Passion of her Son through her compassion. At the foot of the Cross, the prophecy of Simeon is fulfilled: her mother's heart is pierced through by the torment inflicted on the Innocent One born of her flesh. Just as Jesus cried, so too Mary certainly cried over the tortured body of her Son. Her self-restraint, however, prevents us from plumbing the depths of her grief; the full extent of her suffering is merely suggested by the traditional symbol of the seven swords. As in the case of her Son Jesus, one might say that she too was led to perfection through this suffering, so as to make her capable of receiving the new spiritual mission that her Son entrusts to her immediately before "giving up his spirit": that of becoming the mother of Christ in his members. In that hour, through the figure of the beloved disciple, Jesus presents each of his disciples to his Mother when he says to her: Behold your Son.

Today Mary dwells in the joy and the glory of the Resurrection. The tears shed at the foot of the Cross have been transformed into a smile which nothing can wipe away, even as her maternal compassion towards us remains unchanged. The intervention of the Virgin Mary in offering succour throughout history testifies to this, and does not cease to call forth, in the people of God, an unshakable confidence in her. Mary loves each of her children, giving particular attention to those who, like her Son at the hour of his Passion, are prey to suffering; she loves them quite simply because they are her children, according to the will of Christ on the Cross. Our Lady of Sorrows, Pray for us.

Our sick parishioners and friends

Bernadette & Brian Davidson, Anthony Stanes, Peter Noakes, Tony Pearce, Mgr Frederik Miles, Francis Bodis, David Jordan, Bill Tomlinson, Fr. Michael Durand, Christopher Browne, Margaret Griffith, Pascal James, Jean Bernard, Brian Keenan, Sid Shepherd, Terry Miles, John Hughes, Warren Peterson, Nicholas Pollock, Jack Ward, Traute Pollock, Noël Tobin, Geoff Smale, David Michael Barrett, Christopher Browne, John Lynch, Peter Georgeson, Colin Folan, Ann Gorman, Janet Seeley, Margaret Hopley DGCHS

Of your charity – please pray for those who have died recently: Fr. Michael Durand, Fr Philip Mathias, Jean-Louis Cardinal Tauran, Rosa Silvester, Fr James Minogue, Marie Fe Loreno Ruiz, Fr Patrick Sammon, Dennis Gunn, Bishop Francis Walmsley, Joan Cook, Sergio Alves, Julia Teresa Morgan,

THIS WEEK – PADRE PIO CENTENARY

Thursday 20th September 2018 is the Centenary of Padre Pio receiving the visible Stigmata. We will be celebrating a **Solemn Mass at 6.30pm**, and this will be followed with Benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament. Our guest preacher will be **Fr Stephen Morrison, O.Praem.** Sub-Prior of the Norbertine Priory, Chelmsford. There will also be the opportunity to venerate one of Padre Pio's mittens. Come along, and ask for the intercession of this great saint.

MASS INTENTIONS

There are Masses available in the Mass Book - please use the envelopes at the back of the church or visit the website. "Put all the good works in the world against one Holy Mass; they will be as a grain of sand beside a mountain." – St. John Vianney

EXTRA-PAROCHIAL GROUPS

Now the work to the sacristy has been completed, the **Latin Mass Society** has returned for Mass in the Extraordinary Form on Mondays at 6:30pm. The **Youth 2000 Prayer Group** will return from Wednesday 19th September at 7pm. The **Fraternity of St Genesius** meets next on the Thursday 11th October at 7pm. The Good Counsel Network has Mass in the EF on the second Friday of the month at 6:30pm.

SACRAMENTAL PREPARATION

If you would like to prepare for any of the Sacraments of the Church, please contact us in the Parish Office.

SEVEN DAY LAMPS

Seven Day Lamps are available from the Presbytery for £5. You can also have the Sanctuary Lamps burning for a particular intention of yours for a week. Envelopes are available at the back of the church. Why not leave a prayer intention burning throughout the week?

LATIN AT THE 11.30AM MASS

Those of you who come to this Mass regularly will know that much of it is in Latin, both sung and spoken parts. As from 7th October, the first Sunday of the month, we are going to celebrate the whole of this Mass in Latin – excepting the Homily! We have books from the CTS which have the whole rite in both Latin and English for you to use. Or you could even get a copy for yourself from the bookshop on the cathedral piazza, just £2.45 a copy, and bring it to Mass.

VESTMENTS FOR THE SHRINE

We will soon be receiving the next shipment from Rome of some more of the beautiful vestments which you have so generously purchased in memory of loved ones. Each set of vestments has stitched inside it the name of the person in whose memory they were donated. Please join your prayers with the intention of the priest, praying for that person. If you would like to donate some vestments, or anything else, full details can be found on our Shrine website: have a look at

<https://corpuschristimaidenlane.org.uk/donate/vestments/>

HOLY DAYS OF OBLIGATION

As from 1st November, the next Holy Day of Obligation to fall on a weekday, there will be an Extraordinary Form Mass celebrated here at 8.00am. This means that on that day, there will be FIVE Masses when you can fulfil your Obligation. #justsaying