

Trinity Bell



Newsletter of the Most Holy Trinity Church, Dockhead

16th Sunday of the Year

in the year of Matthew

25th / 26th July 2020 (30/20)

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During the easing of lockdown, the obligation to attend mass on Saturday / Sunday is still suspended. You may attend on any day in the week.

If you are shielding and unable to attend, please join one of the live streamed masses in the Diocese www.rcsouthwark.co.uk/streaming.html

GOOD NEWS!

Our church has now re-opened for mass!

Tuesday to Friday mass at 9:30am

Saturday at 6pm and
Sunday 9:30am, 11am and 6pm

SAINTS & FEASTDAYS

Saturday 25 Jul	St James, Apostle
Sunday 26 Jul	17 th Sunday of the Year (A)
Monday 27 Jul	Feria
Tuesday 28 Jul	Feria
Wednesday 29 Jul	St Martha
Thursday 30 Jul	Feria
Friday 31 Jul	St Ignatius of Loyola
Saturday 01 Aug	St Alphonsus Liguori
Sunday 02 Aug	18 th Sunday of the Year (A)

Message from Canon Alan

Hi Everyone

These last two weeks have given me great joy as the community have slowly come back to mass and expressed their joy at being back to celebrate Mass. The feeling has been completely mutual.

I am delighted that so many have expressed that the redecorating has made the church look so wonderful. We are now as the original architect wanted the church to look. The simplicity of the design truly enhances the shapes of our very special church.

I wish to express my thanks to John and Simon at Albins, who contributed half of the cost of the redecoration. Without their generosity we would not have been able to do the refurbishment during lockdown. I am also very grateful to Dominic and his team who did the work at a greatly reduced price. Over the years they have been extremely generous to us. The Sacristy and many jobs in the house have been down to them. With a few loans, the whole thing has cost twenty-one thousand. The last estimate I got four years ago was thirty-one thousand pounds. If anyone wants to contribute to the redecoration, I would be most grateful.

I am very grateful to those who have offered to be stewards, readers, servers and Eucharistic Ministers during this unlocking stage. Without your help our church would not be open. We have still a number of parishes who are not able to open. During the month of August, we will not have weekday masses but only at weekends. I know that some of you will be disappointed but as the situation ref. Coronavirus will go on for some months, I want to give those who have been very generous as stewards a break.

Thank you to all who have continued to contribute to the parish at this difficult time. At one point we were losing over £1,000 a week in the cash collection. Things have got a little better. Yesterday one of our parishioners handed me a bag that contained all the weekly envelopes for the weeks they were not at mass. So many of you have been so generous in changing the way you give to the parish or have made special donations. Even the Hall Fund has been growing due to your support. Thank You, Thank You, Thank You.

As we come to this so-called summer recess, I hope that in some strange way you will be able to get a break or things will slow down for you. Please keep in your prayers all those who are bereaved and all who are sick.

WE HAVE SOME IN OUR COMMUNITY WHO NEED SOME VERY SPECIAL PRAYERS.

Please keep the Dockhead miracle going. I would love to think that our prayers have in some way contributed to the finding of a vaccine for this dreadful virus.

If you can get a break, enjoy. If not keep safe and keep going. I know it's not easy.

Every day you are in my prayers. Much Love and KEEP SAFE.

Canon Alan

18th Week in Ordinary Time, ferial cycle 2, psalter week 2

Anniversaries

Saturday	25	Jul	Edward Cottrell, Annie Barber
Sunday	26	Jul	Julia Walsh, Alfred George Carter, Helen Fullbrook, Wayne Higgins, Patrick Joseph Cunningham, Janet Alice Mahoney, Marie Edith Smith, Sylvia Boissiere
Monday	27	Jul	Ellen Bradley, Vincent de Silva, Eileen Donnelly, Lancelot Leonard Jackson, Elizabeth Jennings, Katherine Holland, Philomena O'Connell, Michael Leahy
Tuesday	28	Jul	Margaret Mary Board
Wednesday	29	Jul	Mary Conway, Colleen Anne Owen
Thursday	30	Jul	James Thomas Bull, Thomas Gray
Friday	31	Jul	Margaret Hassett, Julia Ann Collins, Biddy Ann Aves, Michael Greesley
Saturday	01	Aug	John Patrick Leahy, James Cownley
Sunday	02	Aug	Richard Hurley, Pasquale Giuseppe Cella

Please keep in your prayers those who are sick in our Parish

Linda Lawler Jo Brennan Frank Harding Fr Graham Preston Fr John McGory Julie Wilson Sr Jean Parkes Martin Parry Pauline Marshall Mary Marshall Eva Shepherd June Rowland Bernadette Hutton Rosemary Mahendron Veronica Olorun-Rinu Patrick O'Gorman Mary Amoah - Mensah Erdvilas Chodosevicius	Gordon Marriott Fr Pat Maloney Andy Tigag Martha McTernan Eileen Sullivan Alma Paktiene Andrew Swords Oliver Britten Martha Lawson Isatu Mansaray Maebh Glemser Eunice Eunuson Bernard Brown Richard McCluney Anne Ward Susan Isa Grace Kamara	Jean McDonagh Alison Fox Trevor Lynch Loran Prentice Ruth Lake Aaron Mullen Sue Gilbert Paul Haughey Ham Ngo Fred Walsh Piotr Dolata Justina Ofodu Lou Larrinaga Emma Kilkaed Simon Gilbert Geraldine Bird Fr Kevin St Aubyn
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PRAYERS

Please pray for those who have died since March and their families:

Alf Caffin	Philip Ould
Cecilia Gustave	Maureen Murphy
Jacqueline Whitaker	Margaret Sutton
Dierdre Ratnayake	Margaret Griffin
Pat (Steve) McNulty	Patsy Madigan
Andrew Shelly	Margaret Steers
Neil McGibbon	Michael Walsh
Chris Devereux	Marie Ravelini
Mollie Boyes	Mary Doyle
Raymond Nagle	Begona Larrinaga
Frederick Collins	Dennis Niemogha
Philip Llenbaremenen	Patricia Healy
David Casey	Maureen Adamson
Babette Rose	

This is the last week we will publish this list

MASS INTENTIONS this week:

Saturday 25 th 6:00pm	Danny Evans
Sunday 26 th 9:30am	Sr Perpetina & family
11:00am	Bernard Mahoney
6:00pm	People of the Parish
Tuesday 28 th 9:30am	Mary Chambers
Wednesday 29 th 9:30am	Sr Catherine's Intention
Thursday 30 th 9:30am	Cornelius, Henry & Mary Hutchings
Friday 31 st 9:30am	Julia Collins
Saturday 1 st 6:00pm	Margaret Steers
Sunday 2 nd 9:30am	Sr Vianney's Intention
11:00am	People of the Parish
6:00pm	Nora O'Donovan

WEEKLY OFFERINGS

We would like to say a big thank you to those who have continued to make contributions either online or by sending in an envelope. This is helping a little with meeting our general running costs – heat, light, phone etc for the Priest's House!

A NEW WAY OF MAKING YOUR OFFERTORY DONATION:

There is now an additional way you can make a donation to the church for your offering. You can go to the website front page <https://dockhead.com/> . Half way down is the message 'Click here to make your regular offertory donation' – just click on the picture below of the Church and follow the instructions.

Thank you for your continued generosity!

When love for parents and children is inspired and purified by love for the Lord, it then becomes wholly fruitful and produces good fruits within the family itself and well beyond it

Pope Francis

