THIS WEEK:

Mon — Sat: 10am Mass **Exposition and Confessions to** 

11am.

Monday: 6.30pm Mass Day Chapel

Friday: 6.30pm in the church

**Retiring Collection next week for** the Jesuit Refugee Service

SUNDAY OFFERTORY/TITHES

MAY: £13.077.71

Week average: £3,269 Clergy Training - £571.95 Jesuit Missions - £965.90

Catholic Communications - £194.46

Thank you for your generosity.

Readings: Ezekiel 17:22-24, 2 Corinthians 5:6-10, Mark 4:26-34

**NEW Painting: "Emmaus" by Andrew** White. On display in the St Joseph Chapel. Great thanks to the donor for her generous gift of this beautiful painting.

Thank you for sponsoring the new lectionaries.





## **NORMAL CHURCH TIMES**

Saturday Evening 6.30<sup>pm</sup> (Vigil);

Sunday Mass: 8, 9:30, 11

Polish (po polsku): 12.30<sup>pm</sup>, 6:30<sup>pm</sup>

Mass in Spanish: 4.30<sup>pm</sup>

Monday—Saturday: 10am Mass **Evening Mass Monday and Friday at** 

6.30<sup>pm</sup>

Padre Pio/Divine Mercy Mass: 2nd and 4th Tuesday at 6.30pm Sacrament of Reconciliation:

in the church after 10am Mass each weekday, after the 6.30pm Mass on Friday, 6pm Saturdays, or by appointment at the Presbytery. Rosary: 11am each weekday

**PARISH STAFF & TEAM** 

Contact them on: 020 8800 2121

Parish Priest: Fr. Andrew Cameron-Mowat SJ. Assistant Priests: Fr. John McCabe SJ,

Fr. Piotr Kropisz SJ

Resident Jesuits: Fr. Harry Elias SJ, Fr. John Moffatt SJ (LJC), Fr. Jean Nyembo SJ (Congo), Fr. Michael Smith SJ (JRS).

Music: Ann Bennett

Sunday Sacristan: Kevin De Souza Parish Secretary: Judy Bronson.

Tel: 020 8800 2262 . M-Th 9am — 1pm Catechetics: Aga Wiecek 020 8800 2202

If you have any concerns about safety of a child or vulnerable adult in the parish, please contact our Safequarding Representatives: Angela Anyanwu, 07979047550 or Bernadeta Dymek stamfordhillsg1@safeguardrcdow.org.uk



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## Day for Life

[Message for this year's Day for Life from Bishop John Sherrington, Bishop Kevin Doran, and Bishop John Keenan]

There has been much discussion in the media recently about 'assisted suicide', whereby people who feel they are overburdened by suffering will be facilitated in bringing their lives to a premature end by a change in legislation.

The Catholic Church opposes this.

As Catholics, along with many people of other faiths and none, we share a different vision about what it is to be fully human, especially when we are suffering and approaching death in the hope of eternal life. People who are coming towards the end of their lives can feel vulnerable, and recent research shows that many consider themselves a burden on their loved ones and wider society. Jesus shows us that life always has dignity and that there is no such thing as a useless life.

We are called to defend this gift of life to its natural end and to protect vulnerable citizens from a culture that could pressure them into assisted suicide. We support people with the companionship of a listening ear, appropriate treatment, and the best of care, so that their last days can be times of grace, intimacy and love.

Jesus did not send the sick away. Our Lady remained at the foot of the Cross to the very end as Her Son, Jesus, died. Mary is the model of compassionate presence and prayer whom we are called to imitate. People close to death and their loved ones, often go through similar darkness and pain but can come to a more complete acceptance and find peace in those treasured last moments accompanied by spiritual care.

Responsorial Psalm: It is good to give you thanks, O Lord.

#### DAY FOR LIFE.

There will be a retiring collection today for the diocesan ministry to protect human life.

### WASTEGROUND DEVELOPMENT

I was asked this week to remove the information about the wasteground from the website because further details about the development are still forthcoming, and it is important not to give incorrect information. Apologies for the confusion caused by this change!

What we do know is that it is proposed to include garden and landscaping areas, an area for gathering for celebrations, and a prayer space, as well as some additional parking, and proper fencing. The project has been fully costed by the British Province of the Jesuits who are actively seeking to move forward with the project. It is important that parishioners are aware of the plans and also the entire project will need to be proposed to Haringey Council for prior approval.

**SOCIAL APOSTOLATE: Finsbury Park Run Today. Good luck to all the runners** at the 5 km charity run, at Finsbury Park today!!

We ask for donations: these can be made via the link: https://tinyurl.com/2n4arvdp, scanning the QR code on the poster or through a bank card reader after Sunday Mass. Thank you for all the donations so far.

## POPE'S PRAYER INTENTION JUNE:

# **For Those Fleeing Their Own Countries**

Let us pray that migrants fleeing from war or hunger, forced to undertake journeys fraught with danger and violence, may find welcome and new living opportunities in their host countries. We invite all parents who wish their children to receive their **First Holy Communion in 2025** to an informational meeting, which will take place on **June 23**, **after the 11:00 Mass** in the Parish House. During the meeting, we will present details of the programme and answer any questions you may have.

We are pleased to announce a meeting for the upcoming registration for **Confirmation 2025**. We invite young people currently in years 9 to 12, along with their parents, to join us on **June 30 at 12 noon** in the Parish House.

During the meeting, we will present the Programme, explain the sign-up process, and outline our requirements and expectations. We will also answer any questions. Please note that the programme is conducted in English only.

THE KNIGHTS OF ST COLUMBA INVITES YOU TO THIS YEARS'S AYLESFORD PILGRIMAGE ON SUNDAY 30 JUNE2024. THE COACH LEAVES ST FRANCIS DE SALES CHURCH AT 9AM PROMPT. HOWEVER IF WE HAVE MANY FROM ST IGNATIUS CHURCH TO FILL A COACH WE MAY PROVIDE AN ADDITIONAL COACH FROM STAMFORD HILL. COST: ADULT £20.00 CHILD:£15.00. YOU CAN REGISTER AND PAY IN ADVANCE AT THE BACK OF THE CHURCH AFTER EVERY SUNDAY MASS.

YOU CAN PHONE BRO. GEORGE ON 07794600486 OR BRO. JULIUS ON 07883011240

**CONTACTLESS MACHINE**: If there is a problem with the machines please use this QR code and enter payment information to make your donations. Many thanks.



ANNUAL ST IGNATIUS PARISH FIESTA: Sunday 14th July from 12.30pm. All Welcome! Bring food to share with everyone.