

## THIS WEEK:

**Mon — Sat: 10am Mass**  
**Exposition and Confessions to 11am.**

**Monday: 6.30pm Mass.**

**Thursday: 10am Mass for the Feast of St Ignatius Loyola, followed by a Reception in the parish hall.**

**No weekday evening Masses in August**

READINGS: Genesis 18:13-32;  
Colossians 2:12-14; Luke 11:1-13

### SUNDAY OFFERTORY/TITHES

**JUNE Total:** £ 13,816.91

Online and Contactless: £5521.33

Per week average: £2,763

Good cause fundraising (homeless) -  
£786.52

Peters Pence - £278.07

Day for Life - £204.09

Catholic Communications - £327.05

Thank you so much!

**Please pray** for the repose of the soul of **Josie Adegoroye**, who has died after a short illness. RIP



## 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**

### Sacrament of Reconciliation:

after 10am Mass each weekday, after the 6.30pm Mass on Friday, 6pm Saturdays, or *by appointment*.

**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:** Axel Rejas

**Parish Secretary:** Judy Bronson.

Tel: 020 8800 2262 . T-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 Safeguarding Representatives:*

**Angela Anyanwu, 07979047550 or**

**Bernadeta Dymek**

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**17th Sunday Year C**

**27th July 2025**

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### PRAY FOR PEACE!

[From the Vatican News official website]

Pope Leo XIV has expressed his “deep sorrow” over the recent Israeli attack on the Catholic parish in Gaza, and called for “an immediate halt to the barbarity” in the Strip. After the Holy Family church was struck on Thursday morning, three of the approximately 600 Gazans sheltering there were killed, and several others, including the parish priest Fr Gabriel Romanelli, were injured.

Speaking on Sunday after reciting the Angelus prayer at his summer residence in Castel Gandolfo, the Pope named the three victims and said he was “close” to them and their families.

Pope Leo then stressed that the attack “is just one of the continuous military attacks against the civilian population and places of worship in Gaza”. The Pope appealed for “an immediate halt to the barbarity of the war” and for “a peaceful resolution of the conflict”. He urged the international community to observe humanitarian law and respect the obligation to protect civilians, “as well as the prohibition against collective punishment, indiscriminate use of force and forced displacement of the population”.

Pope Leo brought his appeal to a close with a message to “our beloved” Christian communities in the Middle East, saying he understood they felt they could “do little, in the face of this tragic situation”. “You are in the heart of the Pope and of the whole Church,” he said. “Thank you for your witness of faith.”

Earlier in the day, speaking to journalists as he returned from celebrating Mass in the nearby town of Albano, Pope Leo stressed the need to “pray for peace, and try to convince all parties to come to the table, to dialogue and to lay down their weapons”.

“The world can’t take it any more”, the Pope said. “There is so much

Responsorial Psalm: On the day I called, you answered me, O Lord.

conflict, so many wars”.

Cardinal Vincent Nichols joins the Pope in praying for an end to the destruction of innocent lives in Gaza: “I condemn this appalling strike on the Holy Family Church in Gaza, pray for the dead and injured, and stand in solidarity with Fr Gabriel Romanelli and the people sheltering in the compound – Christians and Muslims alike. “For twenty months, the Church of the Holy Family has managed to be a place of sanctuary and spiritual support amidst the horrors of war, feeding and protecting hundreds of people.

“I add my voice to Pope Leo’s call for a return of hostages, and an immediate ceasefire to end the suffering in Gaza and bring peace to the region. I encourage you, in your homes and parishes, to pray for peace and an end to this war.”

### **POPE’S PRAYER INTENTION JULY:**

#### **For formation in discernment**

Let us pray that we might again learn how to discern, to know how to choose paths of life, and reject everything that leads us away from Christ and the Gospel.

**ST IGNATIUS DAY: Thursday, 31st July.** Come join us to celebrate our Feast Day. Followed by a reception in the parish hall. All are invited. The flags of all of our countries will be displayed during August.

#### **Accompaniment Prayer: three parish sessions**

**Purpose:** to deepen our spiritual lives and to become aware of the movement of the Holy Spirit as we journey in faith and hope as a parish community, seeking to welcome new people who are also searching for God in Christ.

These sessions are a follow-up to the presentation from Mr Danny Curtin two months ago. They are open to parishioners, catechists, readers, extraordinary ministers of Holy Communion, all who serve or volunteer in any way in our parish, and especially if you are interested in the ministry of accompaniment of people seeking God and faith.

There will be an opportunity for prayer, reflection and discussion.

**When: Fridays 22<sup>nd</sup> August, 29<sup>th</sup> August, 19<sup>th</sup> September, 6pm to 7pm**

There will be an introduction by Fr. Andrew each time.

Each session will explore a different aspect in the ministry of accompaniment:

Session I: Expect the Holy Spirit’s Presence

Session II: Stand Aside

Session III: Tune into the Divine

**ALPHA COURSE: Please see the posters and handouts for information about this exciting programme.**



**Teenage Confirmation Course: please click on the link if you want to register for this parish preparation course. [Age 14—17 only]. Registration open until the end of August.**

#### **First Holy Communion 2026 – Registration**

We invite parent and carers of eligible children to sign up for our next First Holy Communion Preparation programme. You can find all the



information and the forms to complete by clicking on the link