



Church of the Most Sacred Heart

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Mass times

Sunday-8.30am, 10.00am
11.30am, 6.00pm

Mon-Friday 10am

Saturdays – 10.00am,
6.00pm (Vigil Mass)

Saturday: Sacrament of
Reconciliation:
10.30-11.00am

Exposition of the Blessed
Sacrament & Rosary:
Mon - Fri: 9.00 – 9.45am

General Surgery

Fr. Sean's next surgery will be on **Monday 8th April** at **5-7pm** in the presbytery for anyone who would like to see Fr. Sean without an appointment.

First Friday Lunch

As the parish car park is being resurfaced in the first week of April, there will be no First Friday Lunch in April. The next lunch will be on **Friday 3 May**.

Easter Envelopes

These are available in the porch. Please take an envelope and return it with your offering. It is the Easter and Christmas offerings that make up the annual salary of our priests. Many thanks.

Jubilee Social Group - April Meeting

Will take place on **Thursday 18th April**. Students from Douay Martyrs will be visiting us to help with any IT difficulties.

Parish Website: parish.rcdow.org.uk/ruislip

Parish E-mail: ruislip@rcdow.org.uk

Parish Priest: Fr. Sean Carroll

Assistant Priest: Fr. Jose Netto

Seminarian Student: James Boyle

Parish Administrator: Anne O'Connor

Catechetical Coordinator: Daniela Bourke

Pastoral Youth Worker: Siobhan Denny

Parish Safeguarding Rep: Yvonne Hillier

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Easter Sunday & Second Sunday of Easter

Dear Parishioners

Today is Easter Sunday when we celebrate the joy of the Resurrection. Having endured the sufferings of the passion for love of humanity, Jesus rises to a new life and raises us up to a new life with him. This has been a great week here in our parish, there have been good attendances at all the Easter Triduum services. It is through our efforts, that we receive so many blessings for ourselves, for our families and for our parish.

I would like to thank all those who have worked hard in so many different ways with our Holy Week and Easter Services and with the preparations in the church: the choir; the folk group; the altar servers; the flower arrangers, the church cleaners, the collectors, the readers, the special ministers, and many, many others who helped to make our Holy Week and Easter so special and so prayerful in our parish. Thank you all for your generous help and support. May the Risen Christ bring you and your families many blessings during this Easter Season and throughout the coming year.

ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA! ALLELUIA!

May the blessings of the Risen Christ be with you all this Easter.

Fr. Sean, Fr. Jose, Fr. Sebastian and James.

First Holy Communion Preparation

Session 9 for Group 1 (**5pm-6pm**) and Group 2 (**6.15pm-7.15pm**) will take place in the coffee lounge on **Monday 15th April**. Group 3 (**5pm-6pm**) and Group 4 (**6.15pm-7.15pm**) will take place on **Monday 22nd April**.

Confirmation

Next Session 'Holy Spirit' will be held in the coffee lounge on **Tuesday 16th April** for Group A and **Tuesday 23rd April** for Group B

CAR PARK RESURFACING – ADVANCE WARNING

Please be advised that the Church car park will be closed after Mass on **Wednesday 3rd April** until **Saturday 6th of April** for resurfacing. Any vehicles still found to be in the car park at that time will be towed away.

Jubilee Social Group Outing - 20th June 2024

There are still a few tickets available for this trip for the Matinee of Mama Mia. The full cost is **£50 pp** & includes a coach to and from the Church. Deposit of **£30** are needed by **5th April**, you can leave payment in an envelope marked "Mama Mia" at the Priest's House or in the Collection plate. Please speak to Ann-Maria if you have any queries (**07941 589445**).

Annual Mass Of Thanksgiving For The Sacrament Of Matrimony

Westminster Cathedral, **Saturday 25th May**, at **2.30pm**. Our Cardinal Archbishop is inviting to this Mass all couples in the diocese, who are celebrating their **5th 10th, 25th, 30th, 40th, 50th and 60th** (and every year over 60) anniversary of Catholic marriage in 2024. If you are celebrating an anniversary, please email Anne in the office by **Monday 15th April**, giving the following details: husband and wife's names, wedding date, full postal address and email (or tel. no.).

Parish Council Meeting

The next parish council Meeting is on **Monday 8th April** at **7.30pm** in the coffee lounge.

Planned Giving Boxes

Thank you to all those who have collected their new boxes of planned giving envelopes. If you have not collected your box, they are available again this weekend. Contact Anne in the office if you would like to start planned giving/gift aid. Many thanks.

Youth Club

The youth club dates for after the Easter break will be published on the parish website:: [Youth Groups – Roman Catholic Parish of Ruislip \(rcdow.org.uk\)](https://youth.rcdow.org.uk)

Older Youth Group

The older youth group are working on an environmental project thinking about energy usage, recycling and reusing. Please complete their questionnaire to support their project: <https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=24d0Rvyl2Eiol9ljngvITqXvD6fEhTxllHLGUmObDz5UQ05ISUdERVQ1MDBTRjk1WFNSU0hXTklITS4u>

Resonate

The next youth ministry event for young adults will take place on **Thursday 25th April** from **7-9pm**. Places can be booked on this link: <https://youth.rcdow.org.uk/events/resonate-hallowed-bethy-name/>
Join us on our exciting new series of RESONATE in preparation for the Jubilee Year in 2025! **RESONATE** is the essential preparation course for the global Catholic celebration in 2025, and what better way than to prepare with Westminster Youth Ministry! The keynote speaker in this session will be Dr Pia Matthews.

AND FOR THOSE WHOSE ANNIVERSARY OCCURS ABOUT THIS TIME:

Raksha Pandya, Kieron Crosby, Joseph Corrigan, Veronica Connelly and Teresa Skinner.

Mass Intentions for the next 2 weeks

THE PASCHAL TRIDUUM

Thursday 28th March
Maundy Thursday

20.00 Evening Mass of the Lords Supper *(folk group)*
Watching at the Altar of Repose after Mass until midnight.
23.45 Night Prayer of the Church

Friday 29th March
Good Friday

09.30 Children's Stations of the Cross & Veneration of The Cross.
(Confessions available for the families during the Stations)
15.00 Celebration of the Lord's Passion.
19.30 Stations of the Cross & Veneration of The Cross.

Saturday 30th March
Holy Saturday

10.30 Traditonal Blessing of Easter food baskets
20.00 The Easter Vigil
23.30 Malayalam Mass

Sunday 31st March
Easter Sunday

08.30 For all the Parish
10.00 Sick & Housebound of the parish *(folk group)*
11.30 For You the People
18.00 NO EVENING MASS

Monday 1st April
Easter Monday Solemnity

10.00 Frank Gooding Williams, RIP
Deceased members of the Killoran Family, RIP

Tuesday 2nd April
Easter Tuesday Solemnity

10.00 Finian O' Connell, RIP
Tony McGovern, RIP.

Wednesday 3rd April
Easter Wednesday Solemnity

10.00 Ida Houlden Intentions
Scott Family Intentions

Thursday 4th April
Easter Thursday Solemnity

10.00 Luke Durkan & Family, RIP.
Maria Keady Intentions

Friday 5th April
Easter Friday Solemnity

10.00 Hilda Finnerty, RIP.
Aggie De Souza Intentions

Saturday 6th April
Easter Saturday Solemnity

10.00 Patrick Stapleton, RIP.
18.00 Raksha Pandya, RIP. (Ann.)

Sunday 7th April
Second Sunday of Easter

08.30 Anne & Jim Moran, RIP.
10.00 Kieron Crosby, RIP. (Ann.) *(children's Mass)*
11.30 Joseph & Mary Corrigan, RIP, (Ann.)
18.00 For You the People

Monday 8th April
Annunciation of the Lord

10.00 Ann Connors, RIP
Peter O'Brien, RIP

Tuesday 9th April

10.00 Breda O'Driscoll, RIP
Mary Maguire, RIP.

Wednesday 10th April

10.00 Tom & Mary Allen, RIP
Archie & Sheila O'Brien, RIP

Thursday 11th April
St. Stanislaus

10.00 Peter Clancy & Anne Faraday, RIP.

Friday 12th April

10.00 Mother of Stéphane Maikousky

Saturday 13th April
St. Martin

10.00 Sarah Gilliant-Smith, RIP.
18.00 Tom Kelly, RIP. (Ann.)

Sunday 14th April
Third Sunday of Easter

08.30 Stankslav Fundak, RIP.
10.00 Paddy O'Brien, RIP. *(folk group)*
11.30 Mary Ruddy, RIP
18.00 For You the People

PLEASE PRAY FOR THE SICK AND HOUSEBOUND:

Susan Acton, Bernadeta Herrera, Daniella Ciacchio, Livia Emmanuel, Pauline Walsh, Edward Vivier, Janet Smith, Sheila Morrison, Andrew Wilson, Barbara Steadman, Theresa Jefferson, Kevin Horner, Eileen O'Higgins, Rosetta Roach, Edward Barrett, Gerry Jarrett, Barbara Elliott, Tom de Souza, Ron Leonard, Sarah Vincent, Joyce Turner, Celine Edwards, Bill Neylon, Adrian Cunningham, Mark Jordan, Caterina Spano, Nora Ahearne, Mary Kilcommon, Judy Stapleton, Irene Leonard, Sarah Anstiss, Mary O'Neill, Lesley Spearing and Alwin Benjamin.