

# NEWSLETTER

## SACRED HEART R.C. CHURCH

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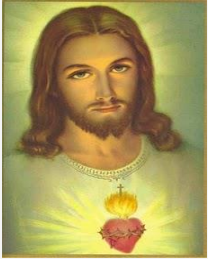
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5<sup>th</sup> SUNDAY OF THE YEAR

Day of prayer for victims of trafficking

8<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY 2015



### MASS TIMES, INTENTIONS & SERVICES

#### FEBRUARY 2015

8 <sup>th</sup>	Sun	09.30	Jesmi Peiris Intentions
		18.00	Pro Populo
9 <sup>th</sup>	Mon	09.00	Peter Taylor +
10 <sup>th</sup>	Tue	09.15	JOHN FISHER WHOLE SCHOOL MASS
		19.00	HOLY ROSARY
		19.30	Florrie Murphy + (ann) <i>St Scholastica</i>
11 <sup>th</sup>	Wed		NO MASS
12 <sup>th</sup>	Thu	18.30	EXPOSITON & BENEDICTION
		19.00	Noel McLean + (ann)
13 <sup>th</sup>	Fri	09.00	Joy Thomas +
14 <sup>th</sup>	Sat	10.00	Gertie Culligan ( <i>get well</i> ) <i>Feast of St Cyril &amp; Methodius</i>
15 <sup>th</sup>	Sun	09.30	Jim Culligan
		18.00	Mrs Early +

**CONFESSIONS** Confessions this Saturday 10.30am to 11am or any day after Mass or by appointment with Fr Naz.

#### **PLEASE PRAY FOR THOSE WHO ARE SICK OR**

**RECOVERING:** Minnie Rowse, Alison Byard, Jean Collard, Pat Barfield, Dennis Thompson, Tanta Henry, Philomena Little, Sally Muhuta, Anna Ingelton, Ann Holden, Mary Jordan, Paddy Meridith, Michelle Iverson, Major Bartolome Giron, Vera Cooper, Bernadette Samworth, Natasha Anderson, Sr. Rose, Julio Arquimbau, Kate Surman, Val Smith, Steven Bradley, Johannes Baptista Klau, Bozena Pastuszka, Lucas Randall, Mama Njenga, Jacqueline East and all who care for the sick.

**BAPTISM:** Clara Mary Gaughan: daughter to Thomas Gaughan & Georgina Fraser was baptised yesterday, 31<sup>st</sup> January

**ANNIVERSARIES:** Fr Matthias Brady, Bridget Culhane & Mary Thompson.

#### **FINANCES LAST WEEK:**

- Offertory: £255.94
- Catholic Education: £83.47:

**HALF & HALF** Please keep buying tickets for the next draw which will take place on Sunday, 22<sup>nd</sup> February.

#### **MUSIC AT THE 9.30AM MASS**

- TODAY: Main Choir
- NEXT SUNDAY: Timores Choir

**CONFIRMATION MEETINGS** Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> February from 4.30 to 5.30pm.

**FIRST HOLY COMMUNION MEETING** will take place this Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> February from 4.30pm to 5.30pm.

**MEETING OF ALL CHOIRS.** Today, Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> February soon after the 9.30am Mass to rehearse hymns for the Confirmation.

**JOURNEY IN FAITH MEETING:** This Tuesday, 10<sup>th</sup> February from 6pm to 7pm. For those who would like to be baptized or received into the Catholic Faith this Easter.

#### **YOUTH EVENTS**

- ❖ Today, Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> February: Cake Sale after the 9.30am Mass
- ❖ Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March: Inter Parish Youth Quiz at Sacred Heart: from 7pm to 9pm

**FINANCE MEETING:** Today, Sunday, 8<sup>th</sup> February soon after the 6pm Mass.

**PARISH COUNCIL:** Sunday, 15<sup>th</sup> February soon after the 6pm Mass

**40 HOURS EUCHARISTIC ADORATION:** In Newman's Chapel at Littlemore Friday 13<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2015 with special prayers for vocations to the priesthood and Religious life and for Christian Families. Further details on the poster in the porch

**ASH WEDNESDAY:** Next week, 18<sup>th</sup> February. Two Masses, one at 9am and the other at 7pm.

**THE LEYS COMMUNITY MARKET AWARD:** Best New Group award was won by the organizer of the Leys Community Market. A big thank you for all who support this Community Market.

**PAT KING'S FUND RAISING INITIATIVE:** A big thank you to Pat King for raising £195.00 for Sacred Heart church. Different prizes have been won as follows:

- Meal for two at Jam Factory: **Nuala**
- Trim and Finish: **Erin Doule**
- Manicure: **Erin Doule**
- Cake baked to order: **Andrew Duffy**
- 400g pack of smoked salmon: **Maggie Durkin**
- Vase: **Anne-Marie Griffin**
- 2 Ceramic base table lamps: **H. Surman**
- A day at the races: **Dorothy**
- Tea for two at Christ Church: **Nuala**
- Golfing umbrella (**Tel361 487**)
- Box of chocolates: **Rachel**

**CATHOLIC TODAY:** for the month of February is available with Maise at 50p a copy

**BIBLE ALIVE** offering daily reflections for Lent and Easter is also available with Maise at £2.25