

ST MARGARET'S PAGE



3rd Sunday of Lent - 12 March 2023- Year A

In Peter writes:

Mass Times & Liturgical Services		
Weekend Mass	Saturday	10.00 am & 6.00 pm
	Sunday	8:30 am, 10:30 am & 6.30 pm
Weekday Mass	Mon, Tue & Fri	10.00 am
Eucharistic Service	Wed & Thur	10.00 am
Rosary	Mon, Tue, Wed, Thu & Fri	9.30 am
Confessions	Saturday	10:30-11:00am
	Sunday	10.00 – 10.20 am

St Margaret of Scotland Catholic Church

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Parish Priest: Canon Peter Newby. Deacon Joseph Estorninho; Parish Administrator: Cynthia Souza; Bookkeeper: Ann Edes
Office Hours: Monday to Friday (9.30 am - 12.30 pm) Emails are not checked out of office hours.

Mass Intentions Sat 11 Mar – Sun 19 Mar

11/03	Sat	10.00 am	For the FHC children receiving the Sacrament of Reconciliation today	
12/03	Sun	8.30 am	Jo Heffernan RIP anniversary	Su Slattery
		10.30 am	Bessie Slattery RIP	Peter & Su Slattery
		6.30 pm	For you the people	
13/03	Mon	10.00 am	Ukraine, and all who are suffering	
14/03	Tue	10.00 am	Intentions of the Secular Clergy Common Fund	
15/03	Wed	10.00 am	Eucharistic Service	
16/03	Thu	10.00 am	Eucharistic Service	
17/03	Fri	10.00 am	Helen McLeish RIP anniversary	Winter
18/03	Sat	10.00 am	Jane Gallagher RIP	Mary Gallagher
		6.00 pm	Emma Cousins RIP	Philip Graney
19/03	Sun	8.30 am	Margaret O'Donoghue Recently deceased	Peter Slattery
		10.30 am	Angela Burkenshaw	Daughter of Olga McLaughlin
		6.30 pm	Private intentions	Maria Sharratt

PRAYERS FOR THE SICK

Cathy McKendry, Rose Blackman, Rachel Rose, Arthur Mathewson, Pat Friel, Mary Regan, Pauline Slawson, Ben, Carol Samba, Colin Bartram, Gerry McEntee, Rose Williams, Peter Coughlan, Hilary Sudell, Rose Lorden, William Hamilton, Mary Arnold, Cesar Juan Urrutigoity, Mary Ethel Arnolda, Sydney Parkes, Christopher Browne, Antonella Sesta, Margaret Masterson, Carmen Ruibal, Chris McLoughlin (son of Olga), Judith Thomas, Allan de Souza, Tony Tucker, Dr Christopher Khoo, John Wood-Collins, Eleanor Drew & Jim Polland.

Anniversaries - Eric Bonnici, James Distelhurst, Mark Gapper, Louisa Tobback, Pat Kennedy, Elizabeth Cowell, Marie Ashford, Fr. Desmond Swan

May their souls and the souls of all the faithful departed through the Mercy of God rest in peace. Amen

Baptism - God's blessings to Aarvi Anne Malhotra, Aarav Andrew Malhotra & Aarish Xavier Malhotra who were Baptised last week. May the light of Christ burn brightly within them and guide and protect them always. Congratulations to the family.

Entrance Antiphon:

My eyes are always on the Lord,
for he rescues my feet from the snare.
Turn to me and have mercy on me,
for I am alone and poor.

Response to the Psalm:

O that today you would listen to his voice:
"Harden not your hearts."

Sacramental Programmes

Sacramental preparations are open for parishioners and those who attend Mass regularly at St Margaret's.

Baptism

Should you wish to have your child baptised in this parish, attendance at our Pre Baptism course is compulsory. Please either speak to Fr Peter after Mass or contact the parish office. Dates for future courses—May 2nd & 9th, July 4th & 11th, Sep 5th & 12th and November 7th & 14th.



Marriage Preparation

St Margarets will hold a marriage preparation course on Saturday 1st April 2023. Kindly contact the parish office for more information.



Holy Hour

Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament will take place on Friday evenings at 8:00 pm -9:00 pm and all are welcome to attend. For those not able to attend we will be starting a book of intentions in which you are welcome to write your intentions. Those attending Adoration will present your intentions before the Blessed Sacrament.



Annual Mass of Thanksgiving for the Sacrament of Matrimony

Westminster Cathedral, Saturday 13th May 2023 at 2:30pm.

The Cardinal 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) wedding anniversary of Catholic marriage in 2023. If you are celebrating an anniversary, please give your parish clergy the following details: husband and wife's names, wedding date, full postal address and email (or telephone number, if no email).



LENT AT ST MARGARETS

• Lenten Faith Formation

- Lenten Companions course, Monday's

commencing 27th Feb at 7:30 pm

• Lenten Devotions

⇒ Stations of The Cross - Fridays 7:30 pm

⇒ Holy Hour - Fridays 8:00 pm

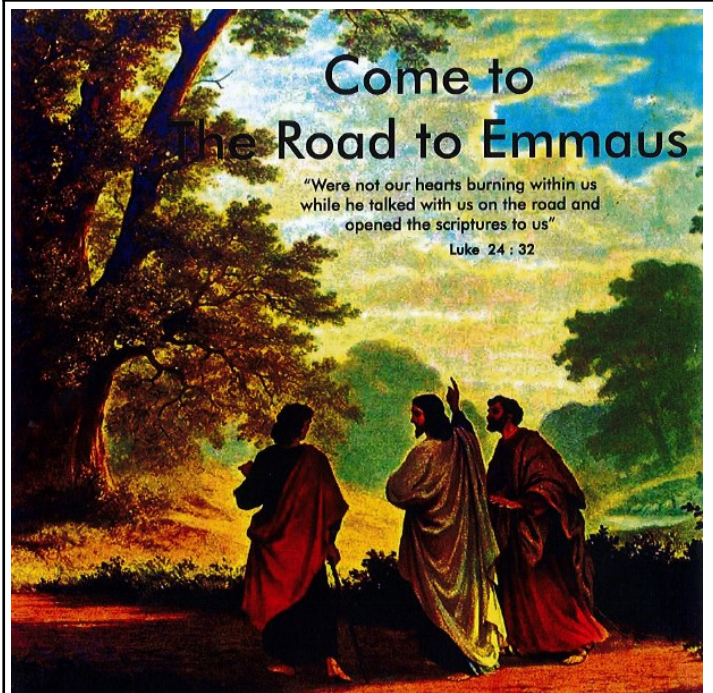
⇒ Penance & Reconciliation service – Wed 29th March at 7.00 pm

⇒ Live Way of The Cross (A live enactment of the final hours of Jesus' journey until his crucifixion - Saturday April 1st 6:00 pm

• Almsgiving

⇒ SPEAR (Local charity, helping the homeless)

⇒ School Santa Teresa Del Nino Jesus, Madagascar (International charity, funds to provide lunch to the very poor children at school)



VII Men's Retreat

24th, 25th & 26th March 2023

The Oratory School, Reading. For more information, contact: Diego 07715 799 404 or Luis 07890 849 430



LIVE WAY OF THE CROSS

An enactment of the passion of our Lord Jesus Christ

**at St Margaret's Church
Saturday 1st April at 6 pm**

You are invited to experience this moving, dramatic and vivid production of the betrayal, trial and crucifixion of our Lord Jesus Christ.

A staged performance with lights, sound and dramatization brought to you by the Sports & Cultural Society of Ss. Michael & Martin Church on Saturday 1st April at 6 pm at St Margarets. Save the date. More details to follow shortly.

Bereavement café



2.30 - 4.00 pm on the
3rd Saturday of every month.

Bereavement Café St Margaret of Scotland Church Hall

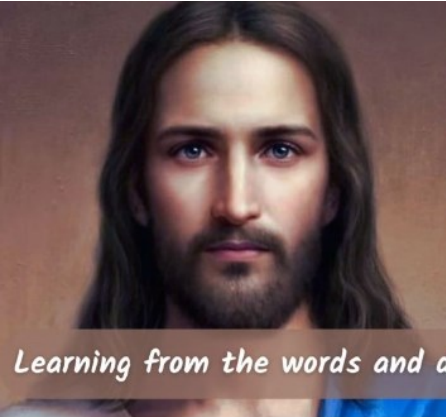
2.30 - 4.00pm on the 3rd Saturday of every month.

Our next one is on Saturday 18th March 2023

Other dates - April 15th, May 20th & June 17th

Everyone experiences grief in a unique way. The Bereavement Cafe is a place to meet others who have had similar experiences to your own. It is somewhere you can speak freely and share stories with others coping with losing a loved one. All are welcome

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MARCH
15
10.00 - 12.30
Join us!

Learning from the words and deeds of Our Lord

MORNING RECOLLECTION FOR WOMEN

A monthly break to pray and meditate on various aspects of Christian life.

**Recollection for Women
15th March 2023 10.00—12.30 at St Margarets Church Hall**

10.00 – Holy Mass
10.30 – First Meditation
11.15 – Rosary
11.45 Examination of Conscience
12.00 – Second Meditation

The priest will be available for confessions from 11.00 – 12.00
Join us !

Foundation Governor Vacancy



St James's
Catholic Primary School
"Put out into the deep"

Would you like to serve the local Catholic community in an important and strategic way, ensuring that our children benefit from an education that reflects a Catholic vision and ethos?

St James's Catholic Primary School, Twickenham, has a vacancy for a Foundation Governor. St James's is an outstanding school and Governors play a strategic role in the school's development. Governors need to be willing to work as part of a team, read papers, attend meetings and ask constructive questions. There is free training available from the Borough and the Diocese.

For this vacancy, we are particularly seeking applicants who either have a background in finance or accountancy. This vacancy is open to Catholics who are not parents of children currently attending the school. Governors are appointed for a four-year term of office, which can be renewed.

If you would like to learn more about being a school governor please email Hilary O'Sullivan, Vice Chair of St James's Governing Body via aileen.sharp@st-james.richmond.sch.uk

**Twickenham
REPAIR CAFE**

Next Twickenham Repair Cafe:

Saturday 18th March 10:30 to 13:00

Get there early as we'll be super busy. There will be lashings of cake, fresh coffee, happiness and lots of hearty repairs going on!

Be part of a winning team

Our Twickenham Repair Cafe is really taking off with over 60 repairs each session. So we are looking for more support volunteers for jobs such as: help with set up, welcoming visitors, serving coffee, tea and cakes and allocating repair jobs.



Somebody needs to bake those lovely cakes for us as well! If you have a few spare hours once a month just contact one of us at info@twickenhamrepaircafe.org
Thanks. Pat, Gavin, David, Cliff, Colin

Our next Mustard Seed

is on

Saturday 25th March 7:45 p.m.



The speaker will be Charles Whitehead. Charles is a renowned Christian scholar and speaker.

Mustard Seed is Charismatic Prayer group that meets regularly on the fourth Saturday each month. We start with praise and worship, have inspirational speakers and an opportunity for prayer. Come along and be uplifted.

Lent Retreat for Young Adults (18-30s)

led by the Assumption Sisters on **Saturday 18th March 2023 in Kensington.**

Young people are invited for a day retreat (10.30am- 5pm) including talks • Mass • Stations of the Cross • confessions • adoration • faith sharing and social.



Venue: Our Lady of Mount Carmel & St Simon Stock Church Hall, London W8 4BB. Donations only. Register: tramy@assumptionreligious.org

"Tea & Chat"

*Our next one will take place on
Wednesday 15th March from*

1:45 - 3:15 pm

A warm welcome to everyone.

