**Monthly Hour of Devotion: Sat 2<sup>nd</sup> November at 2pm.** Dedicated to the Holy Souls in Purgatory and followed by 30 minutes by Silent Adoration and benediction

Our 10.00 am Family Mass Choir is ready to recruit new members, adults and children. There is a practice on Sundays at 9.15 am. Contact the Director of the Choir, Laurence Carroll after 10am Mass. See also poster in the porch.

Music at 10am Mass for the following Sunday can be found on our website.

Our volunteer Christmas Concert Choir is meeting on Mondays in Church, 7.00 – 8.00 pm. You do not need to belong to the Family Mass Choir to join the concert choir. Please contact Laurence to show your interest in joining.

#### Music at 11.30 am Solemn Mass

Today: A. Lotti, Missa Brevis in E flat. Motet – Tallis, Verily verily Next Sunday: Victoria – Requiem a 6 voces. Motet – Victoria, Versus est in luctum

**Prayer Workshop:** on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> November at 2pm at Nazareth House. All welcome.

Holy Trinity Cine Club: for children in Year 7 to Year 9, and Year 10 to 12 on a Friday evening once a month. Quality 'surprise' movie followed by discussion and pizza. All are welcome, suggested donation of £5 towards running costs. Contact <a href="mailto:cineclubbg@gmail.com">cineclubbg@gmail.com</a>. See poster in the church porch.

**Preparation for the Sacrament of Baptism:** If you have a child for **Baptism** under 5 years old please email us for an application form. You will be contacted once the form has been received. A copy of one of the Catholic parents' baptism certificate will be required. Baptisms can only take place on Saturdays at 11am.

Glass Door Women's Night Shelter from Tuesday 5th November until Easter in the parish centre. If you are interested in helping please contact Heather Alston by email hja@rawspace.co.uk or 07966233581.

Cardinal Vaughan Memorial School is hosting a Senior Citizens' Christmas Tea Dance, Friday 6th December, 4-6 pm. 12 places available to our parishioners. If you would like one of these, please by Thursday 7th November send our parish office your name, address, phone, and whether you need the school to provide transport, or if you have mobility issues, and we will forward your request to the school.

If you wish to request a Certificate of Catholic Practice because you are applying for a place in a Catholic School for your child, please email the parish office for a priest information form.

### Holy Trinity Catholic Church

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# 31<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the Year 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2024

Today's Readings p. 622-625 Deut 6:2-6; Heb 7:23-28; Mk 12:28-34



Office Hours: Mon-Fri 10am-1pm and 2pm-4pm

Please note the change in our phone number: 020 7603 0814

Times of Mass and Devotions for the week beginning Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November

Saturday 9.30am Requiem Mass

All Souls 6.00pm Requiem Mass followed by Confessions

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 8.30am Mass

31<sup>st</sup> Sunday of the Year 10.00am Family Mass

11.30am Solemn Mass followed by Confessions

6.30pm Mass

Monday 6.00pm Mass

St Charles Borromeo followed by Adoration and Benediction

**Tuesday** 6.00 pm Mass followed by Rosary

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Wednesday 6.00pm Mass

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**Thursday** 9.00 am Mass followed by Rosary

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Friday 9.00 am Mass

feria followed by Divine Mercy Prayers

Saturday 9.30am Mass

Dedication of the Lateran 6.00pm Mass followed by Confessions

Basilica

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November** 8.30am Mass

*32<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the Year* 10.00am Family Mass

11.30am Solemn Mass followed by Confessions

6.30pm Mass

#### **Today's Bible Readings**

The Old Testament reading tells the beautiful story of Elijah the prophet being fed in a time of famine by a widow who used the last of her flour and olive oil to bake him bread, rather than keeping it for herself and her son. At the intercession of Elijah, the flour and oil miraculously did not run out until the famine was over. In the psalm we acknowledge 'It is the Lord who gives bread to the hungry.

**In the Gospel** Jesus observes the self-sacrificing act of another widow, who puts two small coins into the collection box in the Temple. But it is all she had to live on, and so she is far more generous than those who made larger financial contributions.

The second reading from the Letter to the Hebrews describes Jesus the High Priest who, (unlike the repeated but ineffective annual action of the Jewish High Priest in the Jerusalem Temple,) enters the presence of God in the heavenly sanctuary once and for all at his Ascension, with his own atoning blood which has done away with human sins through his sacrificial death on the cross.

**Youth 2000:** Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November 7-8.30pm in church. Prayers, worship, adoration benediction and pub!

#### **November is the Month of the Holy Souls**

Remembrance Sunday, 10th November: 11.30 am Solemn Requiem Mass



There will be regular Requiem Masses throughout the month. You are invited to take a form from the back of church on which to write the names of your own beloved deceased for whom prayers are requested. Return them through the presbytery letterbox in the envelope also available, along with an offering if you are able to. The lists will be assembled in a book, which will be placed near the main altar throughout the month of November.

## THREE DAYS OF ADORATION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT BREAD OF HEAVEN, FEED ME

Thursday 21st and Friday 22nd November 9.30 am – 9.00 pm

Saturday 23rd November 10.00 am – 6.00 pm

Thursday & Friday at 9.00 am Mass

Saturday at 9.30 am Mass

#### Saturday 6.00 pm:

Sung Mass with Bishop James Curry, Auxiliary Bishop of Westminster followed by Shared Supper in Parish Centre

Please take an Information sheet from back of the church

From Sunday 3rd November, please sign chart in porch to offer the time you will come and pray, and list to offer what food you can bring on Saturday evening.

**Planned Giving Appeal:** Thank you so much to all who have contributed to the success of the appeal by through filling in the form to offer your time and talents to the Parish, and to pledge your financial commitment. It is still not too late to receive further forms. Copies of the leaflet with the form can be taken from the back of church or requested in the parish office.

Adults who would like to enquire into the possibility of becoming Catholics, or adult Catholics hoping to be confirmed, please speak to one of the clergy or contact us by email.

Please pray for the sick especially: Fr David Barnes, Martin and Shirley Foster, Breda Cleary, Mary Lavery and Francis Brady. We commend to God those who died recently: Bridget O'Donnell, Rosemary Davies, Francis Michael Lavery, Paul Bailey and those with anniversaries around this time: Vincent Chute, Thomas Flaherty, Christine Monico, James Bogue and Maureen O'Sullivan.

Funeral of Rosemary Davies: Wed 13<sup>th</sup> November at 12.15pm. May she rest in peace.

**Funeral of Francis Michael Lavery:** Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> November at 11am. May he rest in peace.

