

**Our Vision:** We are a community brought together by God's love. Our baptism calls us to respond to that love by following Christ and serving our neighbours. We strengthen our union with Christ, with one another and with the Catholic Church through our celebration of the Eucharist. We foster works that promote the spirit of the Gospel including its relevance to social justice.

## CORPUS CHRISTI PARISH BRIXTON HILL

### NEWSLETTER



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#### Weekend Supply Priests:

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## FOURTH SUNDAY OF EASTER

**21 April 2013**

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### Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confessions)

with exposition of The Blessed Sacrament  
Saturday 12: 00 p m – 1:00 p m  
and after Saturday Evening Mass.

### Mass Times:

Daily Mass: 9:30 am  
Sat: First Mass of Sunday: 6:00 pm  
Sun: 9:00 am, 10:30 am,  
12:00 pm and 6:00 pm

#### Sat20th/Sun 21st

Vigil 6.00pm  
9.00am  
10.30am  
12 noon  
6.00pm

#### Fourth Sunday of Easter

Breda Fowles (Welf)  
Parish  
Helen Dymkowski - b'day (anniv.) Maeve Fitzpatrick & Maud Matley  
Ramasawmy RIP  
Cunden RIP

#### Readers

Sharon Flannery  
Francis Robinson  
Marion Kilkenny  
Agnes Ziebarth

22nd 9.30am

23rd 9.30am

24th 9.30am

25th 9.30am

26th 9.30am

27th 9.30am

Barnetche RIP

Annie & Peter Kelly (Wedding Anniversary)

John Kirwan RIP

Meirion Roberts RIP

Private Intention (A)

Remo Mencatelli RIP (anniv)

#### Sat 27th/Sun28th

Vigil 6.00pm  
9.00am  
10.30am  
12 noon  
6.00pm

#### Fifth Sunday of Easter

Int Annie Kelly  
Noel Chaverra Pino RIP  
Jerry Multra (Welf)  
Parish

#### Readers

Virginia Galloway  
Gabby Dawnay  
Heather Angel & Namusisi Riley  
Maria Delgado  
Janet Cleeve

***Our prayers go out to those who are sick, and to those who care for them, especially:***

Wigberto De Souza, Lena Sylge, Maria Grant, Sonia Miller, Violet Wilson, Silas Pullen, Brian White, Alfred Owusu, Joan Weber Tom Glennon, Martin Leahy, Nia Williams, Eithne Fitzgerald, Kathleen Whelan. Patricia Bellamy, Mary Conroy, William Gormley, Francis Bernard, Anna Lourenco, Adeola Fashola, Jane Willcox, Magdalene Pooe, Irene Leslie, Pearl Harvey,

*.If you know of anyone who is sick, going to hospital or in need of prayers or a visit, please let us know. We sometimes, sadly, only discover someone has been in hospital or housebound long after. If you have a neighbour, friend or family member whom you think might welcome a visit or need a visit, please let us know. Also if someone goes to hospital it is important to let the staff know on admission that he/she is Catholic, otherwise the chaplain or parish might not know.*

***Please pray for the Repose of the Souls of all those who have died recently:*** Beverley Young, William Gormley (Father of Claire Gay); Meirion Roberts.

***Also for:*** John Murray, Ann Murphy, Brian Poole, Claudius Bramwell, John Anderson. ***whose anniversaries occur about now.***

**Justgiving website for donations to the memory of Fr Tom**

Many thanks for all the donations so far. For those wishing to make a donation a just giving website has been set up in the hope of raising funds to build the altar he had so looked forward to having at Corpus Christi:

[Justgiving.com/FatherTomHeneghan](http://Justgiving.com/FatherTomHeneghan)

Donations can also be made by cash or cheque made out to RCAS Corpus Christi, Brixton Hill and left at the Priest's House. Please state on the envelope that it is for Fr Tom's memorial fund.

**Priest-in-Charge**

Fr Barry Hughes, a friend of Father Tom Heneghan and member of the same priests' support group, has come out of retirement to take charge of Corpus Christi parish until the Archbishop appoints a new Parish Priest. Until that time all items which would have been raised with Fr Tom will now be dealt with by Fr Barry who will be residing at the Priest's House.

**Legion of Mary Pilgrimage** to Aylesford on Saturday 11th May 2013. Coach leaves Brixton Water Lane at 9am and leaves Aylesford at 4.30 pm. The cost is £12. To book please contact Mary Boakye on 07950496841 or speak to Joseph after Mass in the repository. Please note that bookings with payment in full will be taken. Thank you.

**Health & Safety**

Please leave buggies and prams in the hall during services. The number of prams and buggies in church could potentially cause a hazard if the church needed to be vacated rapidly. Wheelchair users are also disadvantaged because there is no place for them with all the prams in church.

Subsequently we ask that you park buggies and prams in the hall. Thanks.

In the winter months sales of salt have soared by up to 400% in our supermarkets. At least we haven't faced the scarcity crisis of three years ago.

Salt is something we can't do without. The human body carries on average about 250 grams of salt. Without it, we would die.

Salt lends a title to many places. Salzburg is on a salt vein. In Anglo-Saxon the word for salt was 'witch', giving us the place names Greenwich and Norwich. The Celtic word for salt 'gal' is seen in Galway and Galicia.

There was a famous history don who hid his ignorance of other matters by saying that his speciality was the 'salt tax'. This caused smiles because of the narrowness of scope. Yet the salt tax was a major cause of the French Revolution and Britain's insistence on a salt tax helped Gandhi to gain support for Indian Independence.

St James also makes use of salt when he complains of people using the tongue both to bless the Lord and curse humans.

'My brothers, this must be wrong - does any water supply give a flow of fresh water and salt water out of the same pipe?'

Politicians facing the May elections, please note!

### **School Playground**

It is with regret that the school playground will have to be closed permanently on a Sunday morning. This is due to the lack of supervision and the difficulty in finding more than one adult to take responsibility for the playground and to enforce the few rules imposed on us.