

St Monica's Catholic Church

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Under the care of the Augustinians (www.theaugustinians.org) in the Archdiocese of Westminster
Parish Priest: Fr Gabriel Hassan OSA; Prior: Fr Anthony Zabbey OSA; Bursar: Fr Jacob Choi OSA

Mass Times: Saturday 6.30pm (Vigil) Sunday 8.30am, 10.30am, 12noon & 6.30pm

Morning Masses: Mon to Sat 9.30am; Bank Holiday 11am

CONFESSIONS: Saturdays 5.00 – 6pm, and on request

PARISH OFFICE HOURS: Tuesday to Thursday 10.00am to 3pm

If you are new to the parish, you may like to register by filling in a Parish Registration Form at the back of the church and return it to the Parish office.

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Sunday readings: Acts of the Apostles 5:27-32.40-41; Psalm 29:2. 4-6. 11-13 R v.2; Book of the Apocalypse 5:11-14; John 21:1-19

Mass Intentions

w/c 30th April 2022

	Date	Mass Time	Intentions
Saturday	30 th	9.30am 6.30pm	Esther Masterson & Family - RIP Francis Xavie Xuan - RIP
Sunday	1 st May	8.30am 10.30am 12noon 6.30pm	Lai Hoang - Family int Marie Nhan - RIP People of the Parish Maria Xoan - RIP
Monday	2 nd	11.00am	Esther Shaw - RIP
Tuesday	3 rd	9.30am	Peter O'Connor - RIP
Wednesday	4 th	9.30am	Jason O'Connor - RIP
Thursday	5 th	9.30am	Luc Nguyen – Family - int Francesca Bergonzi - Anniv
Friday	6 th	9.30am	Nancy Dunne - int
Saturday	7 th	9.30am 6.30pm	Sarah Boyd – RIP Mary McCooey- RIP

Parish Newsletter

Bank Holiday (Monday, 2nd May) – Church opens at 10am while Morning Mass will be at 11am.

Infant Baptism Interview & Course - Interviews, Thursday 5th May at 6.30pm in the Parish office while the course is the following Thursday, 12th May at 6.30pm in the church. Baptism course is required for all parents with children to be baptised. One parent must have been baptised.

Sunday collection - The contactless machine (Digital collection plate) is available at the back of the church. You can also donate online through the Parish website – www.stmonicaschurchhoxton.org.

Good Shepherd Sunday – is next Sunday 8th May, the day we pray for priests and for vocations to the priesthood. The annual collection for the Priest Training Fund will take place next weekend. This fund pays for the priestly formation of men for the Catholic priesthood. There are currently 58 men studying at Allen Hall seminary, 17 of whom are from our own Diocese, and two men are studying in Rome, also from our Diocese. Last year four men who studied at Allen Hall were ordained to the priesthood to serve as our future priests. This fund also supports the ongoing enrichment and formation of our ordained priests. Your generous donation helps ensure we can support these men who are called to be like Christ the Good Shepherd. Donation envelopes are available in the back of the church. Please take one home, read the information, and bring it back next weekend with your donation. Please continue to pray for vocations and for our priests. You can use the QR code to make your donation online or visit www.rcdow.org.uk/donations. Thank you for your generosity.

Knights of St Columba meeting – is a men's group that meets every first Thursday of the month in the church at 7pm. This meeting is for prayer and faith sharing. Next meeting is Thursday, 5th May 2022.

Mother of Good Counsel Pilgrimage – Claire Priory Suffolk CO10 8NX, Sunday 8th May 2022. For further information, see the poster at the back of the church or call Kathy 01787277326.

Legion of Mary – meets every Sunday after the 8.30am Mass in the back room of the church. New members are welcome.

Ghanaian Association – meets every first Sunday of the month in the Church. New members are welcome. For more information, please contact Mr. Sylvester on 07904006800.

The Rosary is prayed daily after Morning Masses, Monday to Saturday 10am, and on Sunday immediately after the 8.30am Mass.

Prayer Group for young adults+ - every Wednesday, 7.30pm – 9.30pm in the basement of the priory. The Shalom Catholic Community invites you to grow in the faith and meet new people as you build your spiritual life with Jesus. We meet weekly in the basement room of the priory. **Info:** 07432501250

Birthdays – The Parish rejoices and prays for all those celebrating their birthdays in the month of May. May God bless you with joy, peace and good health. Happy birthday!