

# St Monica's Catholic Church

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**Mass Times:** Saturday 6.30pm (Vigil) Sunday 9.00am, 11.00am & 6.30pm  
Morning prayer: Mon to Fri 9.10am followed by Mass: Mon to Fri 9.30am, Sat 11am; 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.*

## 31<sup>ST</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

**Sunday readings:** Wisdom 11:22 – 12:2; Psalm 144:1-2. 8-11. 13-14. R v. 1; the second letter of St Paul to the Thessalonians 1:11 – 2:2; Luke 19:1-10

**Response to the Psalm:** *I will bless your name forever, O God my King.*

## Mass Intentions

w/c 30<sup>th</sup> October 2022

	Date	Mass Time	Intentions
Saturday (Vigil)	29 <sup>th</sup>	6.30pm	Holy souls
31 <sup>st</sup> Sunday in ordinary Time	30 <sup>th</sup>	9.00am 11.00am 6.30pm	Jacob Nguyen - RIP People of the Parish Vincent Khan - RIP
Monday	31 <sup>st</sup>	9.30am	Souls of orphans
Tuesday All Saints	1 <sup>st</sup> Oct	9.30am 7.00pm	Bernadette Hoey - int Philomena Treacy - int
Wednesday All Souls	2 <sup>nd</sup>	9.30am 12noon 7.00pm	Roberto Rubio Gonzales -RIP All Souls All Souls
Thursday	3 <sup>rd</sup>	9.30am	Souls of orphans
Friday	4 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Peter Dong & Peter Phoi - RIP
Saturday	5 <sup>th</sup>	11.00am	Holy Souls

## PARISH NOTICES

**Solemnity of All Saints** – Tuesday, 1<sup>st</sup> November 2022. There will be two Masses at 9.30am and 7pm.

**All Souls' Day** – Wednesday, 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2022. There will be Masses at 9.30am, 12noon and 7pm.

**Sick and Retired Priests collection** – is next weekend. This collection will be for our sick and retired priests of our Diocese. Envelopes and the digital collection plate are available at the back of the back for your donation. Thank you for your generosity.

**St Monica's Food Shop** – The parish is running a food shop every Sunday between 10am-2pm. Seniors and pensioners get priority. More information on the notice board. Please spread the word!

**November Dead list envelopes** - are available at the back of the church. Please make a donation as you return these envelopes with the names of your deceased loved ones. Novena Masses for the dead: 16<sup>th</sup> – 24<sup>th</sup> November 2022.

**Legion of Mary** – meets every Sunday after the 9am Mass in the back room of the church. New members are welcome.

**Parish Women's group** meets every last Friday in the priory basement. For more information: 07440031519

**RCIA Registration** - a course for adults wishing to become Catholics or know more about their faith. Please register your interest in the parish office or speak to Fr Gabriel.

**Confirmation 2023** - Parents can register their children in the Parish office. Confirmation candidates should be in Year 9.

**Ghanaian Association** – meets on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November in the Church after the 11am Mass. New members are welcome. For more information, please contact Mr. Sylvester on 07904006800.

**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, faith sharing and Social Actions based on the Church's Catholic social teaching. Next meeting 3rd November 2022.

**Parish Youth ministry (13-17 year-olds)** – meets every Saturday in the priory's basement at 4pm for prayer.

**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

**Holy Communion to the sick, housebound and hospital** – parishioners are encouraged to let Fr Gabriel know of family members or friends who need Holy Communion and prayer at home.

**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](http://www.stmonicaschurchhoxton.org). Thank you for your kind donations to the parish.

**Fr Jacob Choi OSA** – has returned to South Korea. He will be involved in pastoral work with the Augustinians while supporting his parents. We wish him the very best and thank him for his time with us in St Monica's Parish, Hoxton.