

# 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 Sat 9.10am followed by Mass: 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.*

## 24<sup>TH</sup> SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME YEAR C

**Sunday readings:** Exodus 32:7-11. 13-14; Psalm 50:3-4. 12-13. 17. 19. R Lk 15:18; St Paul to Timothy 1:12-17; Luke 15:1-32

### Mass Intentions

w/c 10<sup>th</sup> September 2022

	Date	Mass Time	Intentions
Saturday (Vigil)	10 <sup>th</sup>	6.30pm	Francis Xavie Nghiem - RIP Diallo Dos Santos - RIP
23 <sup>rd</sup> Sunday in ordinary Time	11 <sup>th</sup>	9am 11am 6.30pm	Anna Than - RIP People of the Parish Souls of orphans
Monday	12 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Maria Phan - RIP
Tuesday	13 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Nelita Palce - RIP
Wednesday The exaltation of the Holy Cross	14 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	George Alfred Willmott - Anniv
Thursday	15 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Lucy- Rita Oloko - Safe delivery
Friday	16 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Esther Shaw - RIP
Saturday	17 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	Holy Souls

## PARISH NOTICES

**First Holy Communion and Confirmation 2023.** Parents can register their children in the parish office.

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

**Ghanaian Association** – meets today in the Church after the 11am Mass. New members are welcome. For more information, please contact Mr. Sylvester on 07904006800.

**World Youth Day 2023** - Catholic youth gathering from around the world with Pope Francis - will take place in Lisbon, Portugal.

**Book Mass intentions** in the parish office. There are special envelopes at the back of the church for this purpose. The suggested fee is £10.

**Home Mission Appeal** - is next Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2022. There will be a second collection.

**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 is Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2022.

**The Rosary is prayed daily** after Morning Masses, Monday to Saturday 10am, and on Sunday immediately after the 9am Mass.

**Parish Youth ministry (11-16 year-olds)** – meets every Saturday in the priory’s basement at 4pm for prayer.

**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.

**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.

### **Weekly Reflection with St Augustine...**

#### **The One Vow All Must Make**

Do not make vows and then neglect to keep them. What vow are we all expected to make without distinction? The vow of believing in Christ, hoping for eternal life from Him and living a good life in keeping with the ordinary norms of good conduct.

As for any other vows, let each of us make any we wish. But let us also take care to observe the ones we have made! – **Commentary on Psalm 75,16**

**Prayer:** Lord, all that I am I am with Your mercy–**Sermon 16A,6**