

# NEWSLETTER

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**Monday 17<sup>th</sup> February – Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2020**

*Monday* 10:00am Ann Reidy R.I.P  
*Tuesday* 10:00am Holy Souls  
*Wednesday* 10:00am Liturgy of the Word  
7:00pm The People of Syria  
*Thursday* 10:00am Kathleen Doherty R.I.P  
*Friday* 10:00am Torre Manuel de Freitas R.I.P  
*Saturday* 6:00pm The Lonely

*Seventh Week in Ordinary Time*

**Sunday**

8:30am People of the Parish  
10:00am Thomas O'Regan R.I.P  
12 noon The Unemployed

**Confessions 2 – 4pm every Saturday,  
but can be organised anytime.  
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**LENT..... ASH WEDNESDAY 26th Feb.**

Every Friday of Lent we will have  
Benediction at 4pm. (During Lent this  
will replace the Holy Hour on the last  
Friday of the month.)

The school will be coming and hopefully  
many parishioners.

**PALMS**

**Please bring back last years' palms ASAP.  
Need them for Ash Wednesday.**

**APPS.**

Many good Apps on your phone for Sunday  
readings, Stations of the Cross, prayer, etc.  
Just found a very good one for lent - **SACRED  
SPACE** and another good one is **HALLOW**.

**BOX ON THE TABLE**

Remember the family who never sit down to eat  
until they put something in the box for the  
poor? Have you got your box?

*Cor et Lumen Christi Community*

**Grace & Glory 2020**

22 -23 February at City of London School for  
Girls, Barbican EC2Y 8BB.

£15 registration cost, pre booking required.  
[www.coretlumenchristi.org](http://www.coretlumenchristi.org)

**Fr Jack**

Chapter five of Matthew is a great  
chapter to help us understand the make-  
up of the Bible.

Revelation (understanding of God) is  
something that must be going on all the  
time in the life of the Church as a whole  
and in our individual lives, otherwise we  
are stagnant/dead.

We must continue to read, pray and  
grow.

Jesus says, "You were told," ("thousands of  
years ago") "But I say to you." The  
fulfilment of the Law is the icing on the  
cake, moving on and growing.

The third commandment says, "Keep holy  
the Sabbath day."

But I say to, "Come to mass on Sunday  
because you love me, not only because  
you have to."

Because you want to grow in your  
relationship with me, you want to know  
me as your Lord and saviour, as a friend  
and you want to build my Church here in  
Peckham, "so that the community may  
believe." This is adult faith.

*If you can find a path with no obstacles,  
it probably doesn't lead anywhere.*

**Special Seminar**

Sacred Heart Parish, Camberwell, presents a  
**special seminar on society, community and  
family on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2020 from  
10.30am to 1.00pm at Sacred Heart School,  
Camberwell New Road SE5 0RP.**

The seminar is particularly directed at parents,  
to build awareness and understanding of the  
problems our young people face and looking to  
find solutions to youth violence, focusing on  
prevention.

*Are you finding it hard to meet your soul-mate?  
'Friends First' is the UK's largest off-line  
Christian singles community. Call Jo or Sacha  
on 0121 4050417*

*Pax Christi and the London Catholic Worker*

Present an evening with Kate Hennessy  
speaking about her grandmother, Dorothy Day  
at 7pm on Wednesday 4th March 2020.  
Bloomsbury Baptist Church, 235 Shaftesbury  
Ave, WC2H 8EP.