

**BAPTISM:** baptisms should take place as soon as possible, preferably within weeks of the birth. Those wishing to have their child baptised, please contact the parish office to register for the course of instruction.

**VACANCY** Ealing Abbey Monastery require **Kitchen Porter** for weekends and holiday cover. Applications, please Email [cateringmanager@ealingabbey.org.uk](mailto:cateringmanager@ealingabbey.org.uk)

**NEW ALTAR SERVERS NEEDED:** Would your daughter or son like to become an Altar Server? New Altar Servers are needed for the 6pm Saturday Mass. An Altar Server training session for new Servers or those wanting to refresh will be held in the Abbey Church on Sat, 5 October, 10.30-11.30am. Parents will need to accompany their child. Please contact the parish office to register for training and to register your child to become an Altar Server.

**INTERESTED IN CHORAL SINGING?** You are warmly invited to come along to an Ealing Choral Society rehearsal, at Ealing Green Hall on Mondays 7.35-9.45pm starting on Monday 9<sup>th</sup> Sep. The term's programme includes Britten St. Nicolas, Holst Psalms and Christmas music. Call Chris on 07932 460388 for more details.

**BOOK CIRCLE** next meets at 8.15 pm on Wednesday 18 September in the Coffee Lounge to discuss *Milkman* by Anna Burns. All are welcome.

**EALING NEWMAN CIRCLE** –The first talk in this season's series, with the theme of *Communicating Belief in Today's Society*, will be given by Jean Harrison, a specialist in the teaching of religious education. She will outline the principles and ideas involved in successfully communicating belief, based on her thirty years of experience as an educationalist. Thursday 26<sup>th</sup> September 8pm, in the Bulbeck Room. Everyone welcome, free admission with optional retiring collection.

**BAPTISED AND SENT** – Autumn Faith-Sharing Season, Prepared by Fr. Philip Knights, in response to the Holy Father's invitation to keep October 2019 as an *Extraordinary Month of Missions*. In this month we are called to honour the 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Apostolic Letter *Maximum Illud*. 'Baptised and Sent' seeks to deepen our understanding of mission and to widen our horizons. To join a small group please email [juliamberry@btinternet.com](mailto:juliamberry@btinternet.com) with your contact details and preferred meeting time.

**DIOCESAN MASS FOR ALTAR SERVERS** in Westminster Cathedral on Saturday 5 October at 2.30pm. Principal Celebrant Bishop Paul McAleenan. Servers should bring their vestments to the Cathedral Hall, Ambrosden Ave, (entrance by the rear door) and be ready to process into the Cathedral by 2pm. Concelebrating priests are requested to bring an Alb and vest in the Sacristy. Chasubles will be provided.

**RECYCLED CHRISTMAS CARDS** will be sold after all Masses on Sun 3 November, for earlier purchase phone 020 8998 0816

**FLOWERS:** to arrange for flowers in memory of loved ones or in thanksgiving, please contact the parish office.

**EALING ABBEY COUNSELLING SERVICE:** a non-denominational counselling service offering 1:1 and couples' counselling at 1a Montpelier Avenue. For appointments call 020 8998 3361 or email: [counselling@eacs.org.uk](mailto:counselling@eacs.org.uk)

**BEREAVEMENT SUPPORT:** our parish offers a confidential bereavement support service for anyone who would like help in their grief. Please telephone 020 8862 2167 or 0208 8622160 where you can also leave a message from the parish office.

**DAYS OF RECOLLECTION FOR READERS  
& EUCHARISTIC MINISTERS**

Saturdays 12<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> October and 9<sup>th</sup> November 2 - 5.30pm  
in the Newman Chapel: please let the parish office know when you wish to attend.

8<sup>th</sup> September 2019



23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the Year  
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Ealing Abbey  
Church of St Benedict  
Charlbury Grove  
London W5 2DY

**Parish Office** – 020 8862 2160  
(Monday–Friday, 9.30am – 12.30pm)  
**Emergency Sick calls** – 07702 886276

**E-mail:** [parishoffice@ealingabbey.org.uk](mailto:parishoffice@ealingabbey.org.uk)  
**Parish Priest:** Fr. Ambrose McCambridge

**Chair of Pastoral Council** –  
Ms. Ibi Abasi  
**Safeguarding Representatives** -  
Jim Welsh

Susanne Nunn  
**Ealing Abbey Web Site:**  
[www.ealingabbeyparish.org.uk](http://www.ealingabbeyparish.org.uk)

**Divine Office**

The Monastic Liturgy of the Hours

	Sunday	Weekday	Saturday
Matins		6.00 am	6.30 am
Lauds	7.35 am	7.35 am	7.35 am
Terce		9.00 am	
Vespers	6.00 pm	6.35 pm	5.30 pm
Compline		8.00 pm	
Vigil			7.30 pm

**Reconciliation (Confession)**

Saturday:	10-11am, 4-5pm, 7-7.25pm
Thursday:	8.00-8.30 pm

**Rosary**

After 9.15am Mass  
Monday-Saturday

**Sunday Mass**

8.00 am	(Latin 1 <sup>st</sup> Sunday of the month)
9.00 am	(with children's liturgy)
10.15 am	(Family Mass in Abbey Hall)
10.30 am	(Choral Mass)
12 noon	(Sung Mass)
7.00 pm	(Young People's Mass)

**Weekday Masses**

7.00 am	with the Monastic Community
9.15 am	(8.45am Friday in term-time)
6.00 pm	

**Saturday Mass**

7.00 am	With Monastic Community
9.15 am	
6.00pm	(Vigil Mass of Sunday)

**ABBOT DOMINIC'S ABBATIAL BLESSING**

will take place at 12 noon on Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> September:  
all parishioners are welcome to attend.

Dear Parishioner,

We have all experienced the fresh start that September brings. Every year September sees the start of a new school year. If like me you're getting on a bit in age, then perhaps it's more of a distant memory. But for children and parents in our community the start of the new school year last week will have generated a wide range of emotions from worry and concerns to maybe even a little bit of excitement!

Have you ever thought that 2,000 years ago Our Lady, Mary, as the mother of Jesus may well have gone through the same experiences as parents have this week? Jesus would have undertaken some form of education; Mary would have been getting him ready for his first days as he went off for his first lessons. I wonder what thoughts and feeling she had.

So if you have found this week emotional, as a parent or child, teacher or someone else involved in the start of the school year, you may well be feeling you are carrying a heavy cross of worry. These changes, tentative steps making new friends, entering another year at school, worrying about how you or your child will settle into another school year can feel burdensome and unsettling. Jesus is there with you ready to help carry your cross, ready to help you with your concerns. All you have to do is reach out to him and ask for help..... Jesus is ready and waiting!

Yours in Christ,

*Deacon Ian*

***Please pray for those who have died recently, including:***

***and for those whose anniversaries occur at this time, including:*** Jack O'Hare, Gerard Callaghan, Michelle MacGregor, John Hastings, Anne King, France Boule, Kathleen O'Hare, Rose Johnson, Eileen Kinsella, Annick Harvey, Carolyn Shaw, Annalise Heidler, Matti Elia, Janine Lukianowicz, James Murray, James Kelly, Brian Cooper, Grazyna Seydlitz, Winifred Rossieter, Irene Pauls, Robert Fahy, Pauline Marshall, Rebecca Sabbagh, Lal Shorey, Jim Cousin, Peter Geraghty, Cosmas Andall, Walenty Szczyglowski, Majiec Swietichowski and Ginige de Silva.

***Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September – 23<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of the Year***

***Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September***

BRIDGE CLUB AT 6.30 pm in the Bulbeck Room.  
BINGO at 8.30 pm in the parish hall  
TAIZE GROUP meets at 8.30pm in the Newman Chapel.  
All are welcome.

***Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> September***

TODDLERS' CLUB at 9.45 am in the parish hall.  
SENIOR CITIZENS' SOCIAL resumes today at 1pm in the coffee bar.  
MEDITATION GROUP at 6.30 pm in the Bulbeck Room.  
FIRST HOLY COMMUNION parents evening 8-10pm in the hall.

***Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> September***

CARE MASS at 11am in the Newman Chapel, followed by refreshments in the coffee bar.  
EALING ABBEY LAY PLAINCHANT CHOIR meeting at 6.30pm for 6.40pm in the Bulbeck Room.  
CONFIRMATION parents & Candidates evening at 8pm in the hall.

***Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September***

TODDLERS' CLUB at 9.45 am in the parish hall.  
LECTIO DIVINA at 10 am in the Bulbeck Room  
MEDITATION GROUP meets at 11.15 am in the Bulbeck Room.  
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT 8.15-9pm

***Friday 13<sup>th</sup> September – St. John Chrysostom***

MASS in term time with St. Gregory's School at 8.45am.  
EXPOSITION OF THE BLESSED SACRAMENT 9.45-12.30pm

***Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September – The Exaltation of the Holy Cross***

CATHOLICISM for seekers and those wishing to join the Catholic Church meets from 10.30 am in the Parish House, 2 Marchwood Crescent.

***Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September – 24<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year***

SECOND COLLECTION for Home Mission Sunday.  
FOOD BANK COLLECTION: please leave goods in the bookshop porch by 1pm. See notice boards for most needed foods.