

PARISH

Calling anyone who wishes to become a member of the Catholic Church, and all adults, already baptised Catholic but haven't yet been Confirmed or received First Holy Communion. An information meeting will be held on Wednesday 15th July at 8pm. Please show this notice to anyone who you think might be interested.

Ascent Outing to the English Martyrs Church at Goring by Sea, Sussex this Tuesday 23rd June. Please add your name to sign up list at back of church. All welcome. Contact: Winnie 01923 334998

Free Concert at St Mary's Church, Watford this Tuesday 23rd June from 1pm to 2pm. Featuring St Michael's School musicians.

African / African Caribbean Association will meet next Sunday 28th June at 2pm to 3.30pm in the Parish Centre.

Love in Action Themes at Mass / Children's Liturgy / Parish Groups

Dignity and Rights of Workers 20/21 June

Solidarity among Peoples / Peace 27/28 June

Care of Creation 4/5 July

Workshops in Parish Centre

Wednesday 8th July 7pm -9.30pm **OR** Saturday 11th July 12pm-3pm

Exhibitions & Presentations in Parish Centre

Saturday & Sunday 12th & 13th September

Parish Camp: Friday 21st to Monday 24th August at Lees Wood, Watford. Enquiries to Jackie 01923 230643 (note not bank holiday w/e)

Walking the Way of Discipleship led by Sister Regina McGarry OP & Monika Cleaver. Wednesday 24th June 10am to 1pm. Also **Garden Retreat** with Sister Laurentia Carroll OP & Sister Anne Walsh Monday 6th July 10am to 3pm. Please bring packed lunch. Suggested donation £12. Venue: Niland Centre, Rosary Priory, 93 Elstree Road, Bushey. Register on 020 8950 4000 or bookings-finance@nilandcentre.co.uk

Bethany Group: If you have experienced a bereavement and would like to come to a support group, our next meeting will take place on Wednesday 24th June at 2.30pm in the Parish Centre. You will be most welcome. For more details, please call Liz on 01923 243658.

LOCAL EVENTS

St Joan of Arc School - Party in the Arc next Saturday 27th June 3 - 6pm: Stalls, music & dance, tombola, cakes, beauty tent, BBQ + more

Adoramus : A Musical Odyssey Saturday 4th July at 7.30pm at The Alban Arena, St Albans. An exciting orchestral and choral journey featuring St Anthony's Catholic Primary School. Tickets: 07816 998308

Garden Party for Parkinson's Disease Sunday July 5th at 131, Hempstead Road, Watford from 2pm till 5pm. All are welcome

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Vocation Discernment Group for Adults (18-30's): meets on Friday 26th June, 7-9pm in the Hinsley Room next to Westminster Cathedral. Fr Matthew Power, SJ and Sr Lynne Baron, FCJ, on the Jesuit charism. For more information contact Fr Richard at richardnesbitt@rcdow.org.uk

Office Manager required at St Michael's Catholic High School, Garston. 37 hours per week, 52 weeks per year. Closing date Monday 29th June. Telephone Viki Baker for an application pack 01923 673760

Summer Accommodation in London. Allen Hall Seminary in Chelsea offers comfortable rooms in July and August. Beautiful gardens and chapel. Rooms from £50 per night (incl breakfast) allenhall@rcdow.org.uk Tel: 020 7349 5600 (option))

Summer Volunteering as a Guide at Westminster Cathedral. Full training given. Hours to suit. Tel: Anne Marie Micallef 020 7931 6067

St John Bosco Children's Summer Camp. An exciting, action packed camping holiday in the Essex Countryside. Boy's camp 25th July to 1st August or 1st to 8th August. Girl's camp 8th to 15th August. £145 for a week of fun. bookings@svpboscocamp.org.uk Tel: 01708 509790 6to 9pm only.

Youth 2000 Summer Festival, Walsingham 27th to 31st August. A 5 day prayer festival with dynamic talks, live-band worship, fun social activities, creative workshops and loads more. info@youth2000.org Tel: 020 7221 2124

Special Needs Mass Sunday 13th September 2.30pm at St Dominic School, Harpenden. Followed by a picnic in school grounds. Contact: 01582 769754

Funeral:

Michael Cahill Friday 26th June 12 noon.

**Last Weekend's Collection: Envelopes: £960.79 Loose: £ 717.03
Standing Orders: £ 474.46. Thank You**