

Parish

Fr Ivano has received a new appointment. He will be leaving Holy Rood Parish in September to become assistant priest in Brook Green, London. Fr Kim Addison, at present in Hounslow parish, has been appointed the new assistant priest in Holy Rood. He will arrive in September.

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

Dignity & Equality of Each Person	30/31 May
Call to Community and Participation	6/7 June
Preferential Option for the Poor	13/14 June
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 / Saturday 11th July 12—3pm

Exhibitions & Presentations in Parish Centre

Saturday & Sunday 12th & 13th September

Ascent: Bring & Share Lunch this Tuesday 2nd June in the Parish Centre, after midday Mass. Everyone is welcome to come along.

Outing to Squires' Garden Centre, Stanmore Tuesday 9th June. Meet, after midday Mass, in the church. Tel: Winnie 01923 334998 for more details. Please sign up on list at back of church.

Catholic Women's League: Tuesday 2nd June at 8pm in the Parish Centre. A business meeting followed by refreshments. Please come and find out about the work of the Catholic Women's League.

SVP First Friday Mass and Lunch 5th June. The Mass is to honour Ralph Kent for his long and faithful service of over 50 years to the SVP. All invited for lunch in the Parish Centre afterwards.

Annual Mass with Holy Anointing: On Sunday 7th June at 4pm with those who are ill or are usually unable to attend Mass. Anyone who is preparing for an operation or those of advanced age are also very welcome to receive anointing with holy oil. If transport is required phone 01923 224085 or email: watford@rcdow.org.uk.

Malaria No More: Fundraising breakfast on Sunday 7th June, following the 8am, 9.30am and 11am Masses. The menu will be bacon butties, Danish pastries, cakes, tea, coffee and squash. No charge, any donation to **Malaria No More** will be accepted. (£5 is enough to buy, deliver and hang a mosquito net, to protect a mother and her child from malaria.) All Welcome.

Diocese

A Foyer de Carite Retreat will be held at the Sion Community, Brentwood from Sunday 12th July (6pm) - Saturday 18th July (2pm). The theme is God's Plan for the Fullness of Time. These retreats are mainly held in silence. Contact: Mgr Bartrop: 07879 953953. keithbartrop@rcdow.org.uk

Westminster - Summer Volunteering: Would you like to be a Volunteer Guide in Westminster Cathedral this Summer? You need to be over 18. Full training will be given. Hours to suit. For more details please contact: Anne Marie Micallef on 020 7931 6067 annemariam@rcdow.org.uk

Local Events

Praise at the Palace: 7.30pm this Friday 5th June. Book now and be part of an inspiring evening of united worship and prayer. Contact: The Palace Theatre Box Office. Tel: 01923 225671

Flourish: Live, Love, Laugh next **Saturday 6th June 2015.** An inspiring day for women at Watford Palace Theatre. Tickets including brunch bag £20. Tel: 01923 225671 Tickets £4.

Watford & Three Rivers Refugee Project: Annual Garden Party at Cheslyn Gardens next **Sunday 7th June 2015** from 2.30pm - 4.30pm. Refreshments & cream teas, & a beautiful garden to explore! RSVP appreciated. Tel: Joy Hobbs on 01923 228171. Donations very welcome to WTRRP

Catholic Worker Farm OPEN DAY JUNE 20TH 3PM - LATE: Snacks 3pm, International Buffet 6pm, live music and poetry, bonfire, networking, face painting badminton and trampolines. www.thecatholicworkerfarm.org Lynsters Farm, Old Uxbridge Road, West Hyde. Tel: 01923 777201 or 07983477819.

St Joan of Arc School - Party in the Arc Saturday 27th June 3 - 6pm: Stalls, music & dance, tombola, cake stall, beauty tent, BBQ + other fun activities.

Adoramus 2015: A Musical Odyssey: Saturday 4th July at 7.30pm in The Alban Arena, St Albans. An exciting orchestral and choral journey featuring guest choirs including St Anthony's Catholic Primary School. Tickets: £22, £19 and £16. Ticket Hotline: 07816 998308. Arena Box Office: 01727 844488

**Last Weekend's Collection: Envelopes: £1,012.76 Loose: £ 732.73
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