

**Music at 11.30 am Solemn Mass:** Today: Lassus - Missa octavi toni (Venatorium)  
Motet: Isaac - Passer invenit

**Music at 10.00 am Family Mass:** There is now a button on the parish website, which allows parishioners to listen to and practice the Sunday hymns ahead of time.

**Preparation for the Sacrament of Baptism:** If you have a child for **Baptism**, under 5 years old please email us for an application form. A copy of one of the Catholic parents' baptism certificate will be required. Baptisms can only take place on Saturdays at 11am.

There is a **New Parking Meter in the church porch** where you can register your car and pay a reduced parking rate. Sadly, the council will not agree to free parking on Sundays but this meter will at least make the pay to park fee a bit less painful. Times are unrestricted, the 90 minute parking restriction does not apply.

**Prayer workshop** 23<sup>rd</sup> July at 2pm at Nazareth house. All welcome.

**Holy Trinity is part of the Glass Door Night Shelter circuit**, which runs from November to March. We host around 30 women a week in the Parish Centre, serving hot drinks, a three-course meal including fresh fruit, cheese and homemade cakes. Each year Glass Door organise a **Sleep Out** to raise money to support their services which include the Night Shelters and other services, this year it is on Friday 9th October in Duke of York Square, Chelsea and we are organising a Holy Trinity Brook Green Team. If you would like to join us please go to the Glass Door website - [glassdoor.org.uk](http://glassdoor.org.uk) and search for sleep out to register. There are several of us already signed up and others would be very welcome. I know that the ground will be hard, that it can be cold and damp or even raining and that even though there are people there to keep everyone safe you do feel vulnerable and don't get much sleep, but it is for a good cause. If you would like to volunteer at the Night Shelter next winter or have any questions do please contact me by WhatsApp or email Heather Alston, 07966233581, [hja@rawspace.co.uk](mailto:hja@rawspace.co.uk)

**Please pray for the sick especially:** Maria Billson, Richard Mawson, Breda Moloney, Mike Collins, Nancy Hurley, Mia, Bobbi-Jo Fryer, Nancy Roeser Smith, Zofia Dan, Gilbert Brown, Michael Chute, Joe Gibney, Andrew Wingfield, James Stourton, Jacqueline Spears, Cornelius Murphy, Caroline Keating, Gesa Cosby, Christopher Freeman, Gloria Mantilla, Dermot Molloy, Seamus Malone, Shirley Foster, Michael Ruggins, Caitlin Brown, Francis Jordan, Phil Unwin and Graig Scanlan. **We commend to God those who died recently:** Abi Man, Rita Connell **and those with anniversaries around this time:** Margaret Gibson, Mgr Canon Williams and Malcolm McNeill.

## Holy Trinity Catholic Church

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## 15<sup>th</sup> Sunday of the Year 12<sup>th</sup> July 26

Today's Readings p. 523-527

Is 55:10-11; Paul: 8:18-23; Mt 13:1-23



**Office Hours: Mon-Friday 10am-1pm and 2pm-4pm**

**Times of Mass and Devotions for Week beginning 12<sup>th</sup> July 2026**

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|------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------|
| <b>Saturday</b>                    | 9.30 am Mass                                 |
| <i>St Benedict</i>                 | 6.00 pm Mass<br>followed by Confessions      |
| <b>Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> July</b> | 8.30 am Mass                                 |
| <i>15<sup>th</sup> Sunday</i>      | 10.00 am Mass                                |
|                                    | 11.30 am Solemn Mass followed by Confessions |
|                                    | 6.30 pm Mass                                 |

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| <b>Monday</b><br><i>feria (Wk15,Yr2)</i>                            | 6.00pm Mass followed by Adoration& Benediction<br>until 7.00 pm                               |
| <b>Tuesday</b><br><i>feria</i>                                      | 6.00 pm Mass followed by Rosary                                                               |
| <b>Wednesday</b><br><i>St Bonaventure</i>                           | <u>6.30pm</u> Mass (Larmenier School Yr 6 Leavers)                                            |
| <b>Thursday</b><br><i>Our Lady of Mount Carmel</i>                  | <u>9.30 am</u> Mass (St Mary's Yr 6 Leavers)<br>followed by Rosary                            |
| <b>Friday</b><br><i>feria-of the Precious Blood</i>                 | 9.00 am Mass followed by Divine Mercy Prayers                                                 |
| <b>Saturday</b><br><i>feria-of The BV Mary</i>                      | 9.30 am Mass<br>6.00 pm Mass<br>followed by Confessions                                       |
| <b>Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> July</b><br><i>16<sup>th</sup> Sunday</i> | 8.30 am Mass<br>10.00 am Mass<br>11.30 am Solemn Mass followed by Confessions<br>6.30 pm Mass |

### Today's Bible Readings

**In the Old Testament Reading** God speaks through the prophet Isaiah to say that no word that comes out of his mouth shall return to him empty, without achieving its purpose.

**In the Second Reading** St Paul tells us that the sufferings of the present time cannot be compared to the glory that is to be revealed to us. Creation itself will be set free from its bondage to corruption and will give birth to the new creation. But already we possess the first fruits of the Spirit.

**In the Gospel** Jesus tells his well known parable of the sower to the crowds and later explains to his disciples the application of the parable. The seed that is sown is the word of the kingdom, and its fruitfulness depends on the type of soil on which it falls. That sown on the path is snatched away by the evil one, that sown on rocky ground has no depth of soil and so easily withers away. That sown among thorns is choked by the cares of the world and the pursuit of wealth. That which is sown on good soil bears fruit. The listener is challenged to recognise what type of soil he is.

**At the 11.30 am Solemn Mass today** we have the joy of celebrating the Reception into the Catholic Church, and the Confirmation, of Brian Masters. We congratulate him, and assure him of our prayers.

### Changes in Mass times this week:

**Wednesday** will be at 6.30 pm, not 6.00 pm. It is the Yr 6 Leavers' Mass for Larmenier & Sacred Heart School.

**Thursday** will be at 9.30 am, not 9.00 am. It is the Yr 6 Leavers' Mass for St Mary's School. Parishioners are warmly welcome to attend both these Masses.

**TODAY: Collection of Non-Perishable Foodstuffs for the Hammersmith and Fulham Foodbank** .Please bring your gift with you to Mass this weekend, (no later than Sunday 6.30 pm,) and place it in the Foodbank box in the porch. Biscuits are especially needed.

### Applying to be registered for the First Communion Programme, 2026-7

In order to do this you are asked to speak to Therese, our Catechetical Coordinator, at the back of church after one of the Sunday Morning Masses on Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> or Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> September. It is not possible to apply by email, phone, or in the parish office. Therese will then arrange a time to meet with you to explain what commitment the programme involves. The programme is intended for those children who will be beginning Year 3 or older, and who already regularly attend Sunday Mass with their parents in our parish.

### Safeguarding Training for Parish Volunteers at Holy Trinity

As part of the role of volunteering at Holy Trinity Parish, **all volunteers are now required by the Diocese to undertake safeguarding training**, or update it if you have done it a while ago. Most importantly those who have a DBS in place, but also all those who have any volunteering role in parish life. This is to help us all play our part in ensuring the safety of children and vulnerable adults in all our parish activities.

The training is not long, and is attractively presented. It can be easily accessed through <https://training.catholicsafeguarding.org.uk/course/Westminsterarchdiocese>.

The Level 3 Training, which is the one we need to complete, is the one which has a picture of the Cathedral as the course back drop.

The training is online, can be completed within an hour, does not require a 100% to pass, and can be repeated if volunteers are not happy with their results. After completing the training, volunteers will immediately receive a certificate on line. We ask you to show it to our Parish Safeguarding Representative, by handing a copy of it into our Parish office, marked 'To Holy Trinity Parish Safeguarding Representative.'

We hope that as many volunteers as possible will undertake the training before the summer holidays. (A special training opportunity will be arranged in due course for any volunteers who are not on line.)