

Our Lady of Mount Carmel, Kensington

Parish Newsletter

11 November 2012 – 32nd Sunday of the Year



Remembrance Sunday

Our 11.00am Mass today, **Remembrance Sunday**, will be a Requiem Mass for all those who gave their lives in two world wars and in other conflicts of our time. We pray also for the families who have been bereaved and we pray for peace.

Faith Matters – Autumn 2012

The third of four Lectures on **Faith Matters** will take place at Westminster Cathedral Hall on Tuesday next 13 November at 7.00pm. The title is “*Faith and the Psychologists*” given by Professor Rachel Blass. These are public lectures to which all are welcome, but you are requested to register to guarantee a place. Tel: 020-7911-6078, or email faithmatters@rcdow.org Suggested donation per lecture is £3.

Collection for the ‘Sick and Retired Priests’ Fund

There will be a Special Collection after all Masses today Sunday for the **Sick and Retired Priests Fund**. The number of sick and elderly priests who need our support is growing and we need your help. 50% of the money that you give goes to Westminster Diocese and 50% to the Carmelite Order. We ask you please to be as generous as you can towards this very worthy cause.

Mass for our Departed Relatives and Friends

During the month of November a Mass will be said in our Church every day in memory of our **departed relatives and friends**. Names and donations will be accepted at Reception Desk. Special forms and envelopes are available at the back of the Church for you to complete.

Year of Faith : Call to Marriage?

A Retreat Day for *Dating Couples* and *Singles* searching. A day to explore the riches of the Church’s vision of marriage, with testimonies, talks, silence and prayer at our Carmelite Priory on **Saturday 1 December from 10.00am – 4.00pm**. Couples and singles already walking this path will share their own testimonies, and we will explore the great riches of Catholic teaching on marriage. The day will begin with Mass and end with Adoration, and include some good food and live music to help open our minds and hearts to God’s deepest will for our lives. It is essential to register in advance. Email Fr Richard at richardnesbitt@rcdow.org.uk

A Piano Recital in aid of “Poor Christians in the Holy Land”

Marie-Claire Kaminski will give a Piano Recital on Friday next 16th and Saturday 17th November at 7.30pm at her home in support of *Friends of the Holy Land, Kensington*. She will perform classical pieces by composers from Bach to Rachmaninov. For full details and to book, contact Marjory on: 07746-847126 email: fhlkensington@hotmail.co.uk Suggested donation £20. See also poster on Church notice-boards.

Christmas Carols in our Church

A date for your diaries: Our Carmelite **Christmas Carol Concert** will take place here in our Church on Sunday 2nd December after the 6.00pm Mass. A very special programme is promised. Entrance is free, but donations towards the *Catholic Children’s Society* will be very welcome.

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Feasts/Memorials

Monday	12	St Josaphat, Bishop & Martyr
Wednesday	14	Feast of all Saints of the Carmelite Order
Thursday	15	Commemoration of all Souls of the Carmelite Order
Friday	16	St Edmund, Bishop
Saturday	17	St Elizabeth of Hungary, Religious/St Hilda, Abbess