



Parish Contacts

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Intercessions

For the sick and those in need who have asked for our prayers.

For the recently departed:

Richmond Otoo.

Anniversaries of death:

Estelle Robinson, Alan Chidwick (priest),

Kay Poulastides, Alexander Renwick,

Macdonald Attoh, Dorothy Kallaway.

To preserve privacy, the names of the sick and those in need, and sometimes of the recently departed, are omitted from the version of the news sheet published online. They are all, however, prayed for at the service in Church.

11am Parish Mass Hymns:

Entrance 376 Draw nigh, and take the Body of the Lord
(tune: Ellers, 351)

Offertory 404 We pray thee, heavenly Father (2nd tune)

Communion 401 Sweet Sacrament Divine

Procession: 368 Alleluya, sing to Jesus

Benediction: 196 (Part 2) Therefore we before him bending

Recessional: 195 (Refrain only, sung three times)

Blessed and praised be Jesus Christ

Mass setting: 681 A New People's Mass (Gregory Murray)

Parish Notices

Thursday this Week

There will be no Morning Prayer at 8.30am on Thursday this week (the Feast of St Barnabas). Mass will however be celebrated as usual at 9am.

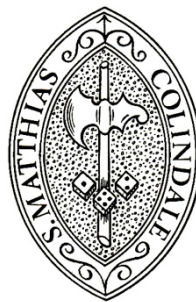
Edgware Abbey Summer Festival

Edgware Abbey's Summer Festival will be on Saturday 13th June, celebrating the 160th year of its foundation, and the Golden Jubilee of Profession of Mother Abbess.

Festival Eucharist 12.00 Noon, 94A Priory Field Drive, Edgware HA8 9PU. Celebrant: The Rt. Revd. Peter Wheatley, Visitor to the Community of St Mary at the Cross. Preacher: Revd. Dom Francis Hutchinson OSB. RSVP on 020 8958 7868 or info@edgwareabbey.org.uk.

Induction of the Vicar

The Institution and Induction of Fr Matthew as the Vicar will take place during a sung Mass on Thursday 30th July at 7pm. The principal celebrant and preacher will be the Archdeacon of Hampstead, as Commissary of the Bishop. The service will be followed by a party (in the Vicarage garden, if fine).



The Parish of Colindale Saint Matthias

Corpus Christi 7th June 2026



Mass Times and Readings for Morning and Evening Prayer

Readings and psalms for Morning and Evening Prayer are given for use with Common Worship Daily Prayer or the Book of Common Prayer. MP = Morning Prayer; EP = Evening Prayer. For a shorter version of the Office, use one psalm and one reading. For the same services online see tinyurl.com/jusdp. (* = a long Psalm, part of which may be omitted. Where there is a choice of two sets of Psalms, the first is for the season, the second follows the ordinary cycle.)

Sunday 7th June Corpus Christi

10.15am Eucharistic Adoration 11am Parish Mass, Procession and Benediction

MP: Psalm 147; Deuteronomy 8.2-16; 1 Corinthians 10.1-17
EP: Psalms 23, 42, 43; Proverbs 9.1-5; Luke 9.11-17

Mon 8th June

No services

Memorial: Thomas Ken, Bishop of Bath & Wells

MP: Psalms 27, 30; Joshua 14; Luke 12.1-12

EP: Psalms 26, 28, 29; 2 Chronicles 33.1-13; Romans 7.1-6

Tues 9th June

12.30pm Mass

Memorial: Saint Columba, Abbot of Iona, Missionary

MP: Psalms 32, 36; Joshua 21.43 - 22.8; Luke 12.13-21

EP: Psalm 33; 2 Chronicles 34.1-18; Romans 7.7-end

Weds 10th June

10am Mass (Morning Prayer at 9.30am)

MP: Psalm 34; Joshua 22.9-end; Luke 12.22-31

EP: Psalms 119.33-56; 2 Chronicles 34.19-end; Romans 8.1-11

Thurs 11th June

9am Mass (N.B. no Morning Prayer today)

Feast: Saint Barnabas, Apostle

MP: Psalms 100, 101, 117; Jeremiah 9.23, 24; Acts 4.32-end

EP: Psalm 147; Ecclesiastes 12.9-end or Tobit 4.5-11; Acts 9.26-31

Fri 12th June

9am Mass (Morning Prayer at 8.30am)

Solemnity: The Most Sacred Heart of Jesus

MP: Psalm 31; Joshua 24.1-28; Luke 12.41-48

EP: Psalm 35; 2 Chronicles 35.20 - 36.10; Romans 8.18-30

Sat 13th June

10am Mass (Morning Prayer at 9.30am)

Memorial: The Immaculate Heart of Mary

MP: Psalms 41, 42, 43; Joshua 24.29-end; Luke 12.49-end

EP: Psalms 45, 46; 2 Chronicles 36.11-end; Romans 8.31-end

Sunday 14th June

10.15am Eucharistic Adoration

2nd Sunday after Trinity 11am Parish Mass

MP: Psalm 45; Deuteronomy 10.12 - 11.1; Acts 23.12-end

EP: Psalms [42] 43; 1 Samuel 21.1-15; Luke 11.14-28

First Reading (Genesis 14.18-20)

A reading from the Book of Genesis

King Melchizedek of Salem brought out bread and wine; he was priest of God Most High. He blessed Abram and said,

'Blessed be Abram by God Most High, maker of heaven and earth; and blessed be God Most High, who has delivered your enemies into your hand!'

And Abram gave him one-tenth of everything.

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

**Psalm 116.10-17****Response:**

**I will walk in the presence of the Lord
in the land of the living.**

How shall I repay the Lord
for all the good things he has done for me?

I will lift up the cup of salvation
and call upon the name of the Lord.

I will fulfil my vows to the Lord
in the presence of all his people. **R**

Precious in the sight of the Lord
is the death of his servants.

O Lord, I am your servant;
I am your servant and the child of your handmaid;
you have freed me from my bonds. **R**

I will offer you the sacrifice of thanksgiving
and call upon the name of the Lord.

I will fulfil my vows to the Lord
in the presence of all his people.
In the courts of the Lord's house,
in the midst of you, O Jerusalem. Alleluia! **R**

Second Reading (1 Corinthians 11.23-26)

A reading from the first letter of Paul to the Corinthians

For I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, 'This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me.' In the same way he took the cup also, after supper, saying, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.' For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

This is the Word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Those who eat my flesh and drink my cup
have eternal life, says the Lord,
and I will raise them up on the last day.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Gospel (John 6.51-58)

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ
according to John

Glory to you, O Lord

Jesus said to the Jews, 'I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever; and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.'

The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?' So Jesus said to them, 'Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live for ever.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, O Christ