



# The Rosary Shrine

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**Fourth Sunday of Easter (C) • 8 May 2022**

**READINGS:** Acts 13:14,43-52; Ps 99; Apocalypse 7:9,14-17

**PSALM RESPONSE:** We are his people, the sheep of his flock.



Photograph by Fr Lawrence Lew OP of 'The Good Shepherd', c.300-350 from the Vatican Museum. It is believed to be the earliest surviving statue of Christ.

**J**esus said: 'The sheep that belong to me listen to my voice; I know them and they follow me. I give them eternal life; they will never be lost and no one will ever steal them from me. The Father who gave them to me is greater than anyone, and no one can steal from the Father. The Father and I are one.'

- John 10:27-30

**QUOTE OF THE WEEK: from St Cyril of Alexandria's Commentary on John**

**T**he mark of Christ's sheep is their willingness to hear and obey, just as the sign of those who are not his is their disobedience. We take the word "hear" to imply obedience to what has been said. People who hear God are known by him. No one is entirely unknown by God, but to be known in this way is to become his kin. Thus, when Christ says, "I know mine," he means, "I will receive them, and give them permanent mystical kinship with myself." It might be said that inasmuch as he has become man, he has made all human beings his kin, since all are members of the same race; we are all united to Christ in a mystical relationship because of his incarnation. Yet those who do not preserve the likeness of his holiness are alienated from him. "My sheep follow me," says Christ. By a certain God-given grace, believers follow in the footsteps of Christ.

## DOMINICAN PILGRIMAGE TO WALSINGHAM

The coach for the Walsingham Pilgrimage is now full. We depart from the front of the church at 8am on **Sunday 15 May**. Please bring a packed lunch for a picnic in the grounds of the Walsingham Shrine after Mass. Do please arrive in good time as we must leave promptly at 8am.

## 800th JUBILEE FINALE WEEKEND (21/22 MAY)

Join us in celebrating and thanking God on the occasion of the 800th anniversary of the English Dominican Province.

There will be a special concert on **Sat 21 May at 7:30pm**. The award-winning Scottish professional vocal ensemble, *Cappella Nova* will present highlights from their critically acclaimed new recording 'Consecration' of choral works by Sir James MacMillan. *BBC Music Magazine* said: "The Scottish-based choir once more brings a rare beauty and depth of sound to MacMillan's radiant music."

On this special occasion, the Master of the Dominican Order, Fr Gerard Timoner III is coming from Rome, and the composer, Sir James MacMillan will also be in attendance and will give an interview afterwards and will sign CDs etc. See poster in the porch, and book online: <https://bit.ly/MacMillanConcert>. Tickets will also be available on the door.

On **Sun 22 May** the Master of the Order will celebrate the **Solemn Mass at 12 noon**, at which he will award the Order's *bene merenti* to a long-serving helper of the parish. After Mass, all are invited to a Filipino Fiesta reception in the Parish Hall and front garden.

### PUBLIC LITURGICAL SCHEDULE

#### Monday - Saturday:

Adoration 5:00-5:45pm  
Holy Mass 10am (SAT ONLY); 6pm\* (Vigil on SAT)

#### Sunday:

Holy Mass 8:30am; 10am; 12 noon\* (Solemn Mass); and 6pm\* (Dominican Rite Sung Mass)  
Adoration 5pm (with Vespers & Benediction at 5:30pm)

**Confessions:** Daily, Mon-Fri, 5-5:30pm  
Saturdays, 5-6pm; and Sundays from 9:45am, and from 11:45am

FOR MORE INFORMATION: [rosaryshrine.co.uk](http://rosaryshrine.co.uk) or  
[fb.com/RosaryShrineUK](https://fb.com/RosaryShrineUK)

Masses marked (\*) are live-streamed on:  
[youtube.com/c/RosaryShrineUK](https://youtube.com/c/RosaryShrineUK)

## OTHER EVENTS FOR YOUR DIARY

**11 June:** Rosary Garden 'RGS Open Day'.

**2 July:** Parish Summer Fair in the Parish Hall and the front garden. Pray for good weather!

## MAY WEEKLY ROSARY PROCESSIONS

During the month of May, there will be **weekly candlelit Rosary Processions at 7pm on the Saturdays** of May (*EXCEPT 21 MAY due to the 800th Jubilee Concert*). Please join us in praying the Rosary for peace.

## LADY CHAPEL PORCH

A glass door has been installed in the Lady Chapel porch that is accessed from Alan Cheales Way, next to the Rosary Garden gate.

The intention is that the porch will be renovated and made into a 'Day Chapel' with a clear view of the Rosary Altar. This will allow you to come into a sheltered space to pray when the rest of the church is not open to the general public. An extra CCTV camera has been fitted for your security, and we will be improving the lighting and appearance of this part of the church to make it more welcoming.

## ROSARY GARDEN OPENING

Weather permitting, the Luminous Mysteries Rosary Garden is now open at scheduled times from May onwards. There is a sign with the times at the garden gate. Supervised garden openings are only possible with the generous help of volunteers. If you'd like to help, please speak to a priest or sister, or contact Iroma <[secretary@haverstockhill.org.uk](mailto:secretary@haverstockhill.org.uk)>

## OFFER A MASS FOR A PERSONAL INTENTION

**We now have capacity to take on many more Masses until 2023.** Masses can be 'booked' at the Repository on Sunday morning, or during Parish Office Hours (see below), or by emailing the Parish Secretary ([secretary@haverstockhill.org.uk](mailto:secretary@haverstockhill.org.uk)) or online: <https://rosaryshrine.co.uk/donate/mass-offerings/>

## THANK YOU FOR YOUR DONATIONS!

Offertory last week: £815.68

Gift Aided: £577.00

TOTAL: £1392.68

## CHURCH OPENING HOURS

Weekdays from 3-7pm

Saturday: 9am-11am; and 5pm-7pm.

Sundays: 8am-1:30pm; and 5pm-7pm.

**Parish Office Hours:** Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri: 11:30am-3pm. Please ring the intercom at the Priory Gate.

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