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Welcome !

Welcome to our Spring Newsletter. Since our last edition, our pre-Lent Quiet afternoon took place at St Alphage, Burnt Oak and we were delighted that two dozen people appreciated the chance to step aside for a while from the busy-ness of life and enjoy some worship, quiet and encouragement in faith.

There are a number of forthcoming events listed in this edition. Do make a particular effort to support the ordination of deacons and priests. For the first time, candidates for the diaconate in the Diocese of London who are 'of The Society' will not be ordained by the Bishop of London in St Paul's Cathedral.

Last year's decision to move the London Diocesan Assembly back to a weekday evening seemed to meet with general approval. This year's Assembly will take place at St Pancras Old Church on Wednesday 18th July. After Mass at 6.30 p.m. the Business Meeting will take place at 7.00 p.m. After the meeting there will be a chance for guided tour of the churchyard.

Thanks to Fr Elston, the Team Rector of Old St Pancras for agreeing to host our Assembly this year.

Fr Rayner Wakeling
Clerical Chairman

Forthcoming Events

Feast of St Augustine



St Augustine, Kilburn :
Saturday 26th May
10.30 a.m. Rosary
Procession & Solemn
Mass. Preacher : Fr Colin
Patterson (Vicar, St
Andrew, Willesden Green).
The church is in Kilburn
Park Road NW6 5XB
(Stations : Kilburn
Park/Kilburn High Road)

Oak Apple Day

The Society of King Charles the Martyr will observe Oak Apple Day (to celebrate the Restoration of Church & State 1660) on **Saturday 26th May.**

Noon : High Mass at St Magnus the Martyr, London Bridge, followed by refreshments
Preacher : The Revd Canon Jeremy Haselock

The church is on Lower Thames St EC3R 6DN (Tube : Monument or Bank)

CBS National Festival

The National Festival for the Confraternity of the Blessed Sacrament will take place on **Saturday 2nd June** at St Stephen, Gloucester Road, SW7 4RL (Tube : Gloucester Road)

12 Noon Concelebrated Mass

Principal Celebrant :

Bp Roger Jupp

Superior General of CBS

2.00 p.m. Annual Meeting of Associates

3.00 p.m. Exposition, Procession of the Blessed Sacrament and Benediction



Ordinations

We look forward to welcoming two new Deacons to the Diocese of London this Petertide. They are :

Aidan Bartlett, to serve in the parish of Holy Redeemer, Clerkenwell

& James White, to serve in the parish of St Martin, Ruislip

Please pray for them and the parishes in which they will serve.

The ordination of these two deacons by the Bishop of Fulham will take place at Our Most Holy Redeemer, Clerkenwell on **Saturday 30th June** at 11.00 a.m.

Holy Redeemer is in Exmouth Market EC1R 4QE (Station : Farringdon or Angel)

The Ordination of Priests will take place at St Mary, Tottenham on **Sunday 24th June** at 5.00 p.m. Fr Matthew Topham will continue to serve at St Mary's. Fr Nigel Palmer will continue to serve at St Benet, Kentish Town. The church is in Lansdowne Road, N17 9XE (Buses from Seven Sisters – 476 stops outside)

Glastonbury Pilgrimage

This year's Glastonbury Pilgrimage will take place on **Saturday 7th July**, with Mass at 12 Noon. Theme : Our Vocation & Ministry. Preacher at Mass : Fr Damian Feeney, Catholic Missioner in the Diocese of Lichfield.

Feast of Our Most Holy Redeemer

Friday 13th July : 7.00 p.m. at Holy Redeemer, Clerkenwell : High Mass, Procession of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction. Preacher : Fr Philip Barnes

St Silas, Pentonville : Patronal Festival

The Feast of St Silas will be celebrated on **Sunday 15th July**. 6.00 p.m. Festival Mass. Preacher : Fr Simon Morris, Vicar of St Mary, Tottenham.

Refreshments after Mass.

The Church is in Penton St N1 9UL (Tube : Angel, or bus from Kings Cross)

**Forward in Faith London
Annual Diocesan Assembly
Wednesday 18th July
St Pancras Old Church
beginning with Mass at 6.30 p.m.**

7.00 p.m.

Annual Meeting

Agenda

1. Apologies for absence
2. Minutes of last Annual Meeting
3. Matters Arising
4. Clerical Chairman's remarks
5. Secretary's Report
6. Finance Report
7. Appointment of National Assembly Delegates
8. Any Other Business

There will then be an opportunity to have a tour of the churchyard.

Apologies to

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Pilgrimage to the Shrine of Our Lady of Willesden

The annual pilgrimage to the ancient shrine of Our Lady of Willesden takes place this year on **Saturday 21st July**.



11.00 a.m. Pilgrims gather at St Matthew, Willesden – St Mary's Rd NW10 4AU. – and will then walk the Holy Way to St Mary's.

12 Noon : Mass at St Mary, Willesden - Neasden Lane, NW10 2TS.

Principal Celebrant : Bp Peter Wheatley.

Preacher : Fr Philip Barnes (Vicar, St Stephen, Gloucester Road)

Summer Fayre in the afternoon.

3.30 p.m. Benediction

Richborough Festival at St Albans

The Bishop of Richborough's annual festival at St Albans Cathedral takes place on **Saturday 4th August**. Mass at 12 Noon followed by picnic lunch in Bishop Norman's garden (close to the cathedral). Bring your own sandwiches – drinks provided. Optional Choral Evensong in the Cathedral at 4.00 p.m.

Bishop of Fulham's Lay Congress

This will now take place on Saturday 15th September at St Alban, Holborn. Details to follow.

Contributions & Contacts

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