



Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Week 4

15th February 2026

Year A(II)

Sat 14: Sts Cyril & Methodius

5-5.45pm: Confessions (church)
6pm: Tom Monaghan (ann RIP)

Sun 15: Sixth in Ordinary Time

ST JOSEPH ALLAMANO (1926-2026)
(No 8.30am Mass today)

10.30am: Don Doherty RIP
6.00pm: Eileen Fitzpatrick RIP

Mon 16:

9.30am Morning prayer
6.00pm: John & Peter Gibbons RIP

Tues 17:

9.30am Morning prayer
10am: Bunty Flynn RIP
10.30am Rosary in Church

Wed 18: Ash Wednesday

10.00am: Joscelyn & Daniel (ints)
7.30pm:

Thu 19:

9.30am Morning prayer
10am: Bunty Flynn RIP
10.30am Rosary in Church
10.30am Tea & Coffee in JP II Room
6pm Adoration & Confessions (Church)

Fri 20:

10am: George Jordache RIP
10.30am *The Way of the Cross* in Church
2pm Christian Meditation in Church
6.00pm *The Way of the Cross* in Church

Sat 21:

5-5.45pm: Confessions (church)
6pm: Jacqui Kelly RIP

Sun 22: 1st Sunday of Lent

8.30am: Lena Duarte RIP
10.30am: Mary McGrath ann RIP
6.00pm: Pro Populo (ints)

Centenary birthday of St Joseph Allamano in heaven

(1926 -2026)

His dies natalis in eternal life is 16 February 1926. Tomorrow will be exactly 100 years!

Physically he is not with us, but in reality he is more with us than ever. He once said that when he would be in heaven, he would be our intercessor — and he has kept his word. Around the globe, how many people have received graces thanks to his intercessions? Many. Just one example is the miracle for Sorino Yanomami in the Amazon, which led to his canonisation only two years ago.

We thank God for having used him to give the Church the charism of the Consolata. He wanted the Good News to reach all corners of the earth: “Go into all the world and preach the gospel to every creature” (Mk 16:15). Go and console my people. Consolation is nothing other than the person of Jesus Christ himself.

Celebrating the centenary is a time, among other things, to thank God for the gift of St. Allamano, now present also in our community. We thank him for the charism God worked through him. His desire was that consolation reach all corners of the earth and that all humanity come to know Jesus. He wanted to go on mission himself, but fragile health did not allow it. God used him to found two missionary institutes for this purpose. He first founded the Consolata Fathers (priests and brothers) in 1901. Facing challenges in mission and encouraged by Pope St. Pius X, he founded the Consolata Sisters in 1910. These missionaries, who hail from over 30 different countries, are scattered and work as one family in many parts of the world, especially where Christ is not yet known. They serve in Asia (South Korea, Mongolia, Taiwan); the Americas (USA, Canada, Mexico, Brazil, Venezuela, Colombia, Bolivia, Argentina, Ecuador); Africa (Kenya, Tanzania, Uganda, South Africa, Mozambique, Eswatini, Democratic Republic of the Congo, Ivory Coast, Guinea-Bissau, Ethiopia, Madagascar, Eritrea); and Europe (Italy, Spain, Portugal, Poland, and the United Kingdom). In the UK they are present in London with four missionaries. High Barnet is the only parish where we work in the UK

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NOTICES

Sunday 15 February

Centenary Feast of Birth in Heaven St Joseph Allamano, 1926-2026: Principal Mass: 10.30am (please note there is no 8.30am Mass). Please join us in continuing our celebrations after Mass today in the hall at 12 noon

It is with great sadness we announce the passing of **Rowena Flaherty**. Please keep her family and friends in your prayers at this sad time. May she rest in peace.

The annual diocesan pilgrimage to Lourdes 17th to 24th July 2026. Express your interest in joining the pilgrimage now: <https://pilgrimages.rcdow.org.uk/> Prices & booking package options for travel are available now. Those who express an interest in joining the Pilgrimage will be the first to be sent the link to register officially with the Pilgrimage. After registrations has been approved, a booking can be made and deposits/payment in full can be made to our tour operation Tangney Tours. Visit above website for information.

LENTEN SEASON

Ash Wednesday: 18th February

Mass at 10am and 7.30pm.
Distribution of Ashes will take place at both Masses.

The Way of the Cross:
Every Friday during Lent
starting Friday 20th February
after the 10am Mass and at 6pm in the evening
(led by parishioners/groups).

Saint Patricks Celebration: Saturday 14th March 7pm in the parish hall. We are delighted to welcome back Sinead Brooke's Irish dancers. Once again the music will be provided by Dinah O'Brien. Come along and enjoy a wonderful evening. Tickets on sale at every Mass 28th/1st / 7th/8th March.

MUSIC LITURGY 10.30 MASS:

Gathering: 458 All are welcome
Psalm 95 R/ Proclaim the wonders of the Lord among all the peoples.
Gospel Acc: Vs: Go and make disciples of all nations, says the Lord; behold, I am with you always, to the close of the age.
Offertory: 924 Brother sister let me serve you.
Communion: Your words are spirit and life, O Lord: Richer than gold, stronger than death. Your words are spirit and life, O Lord, life everlasting.
Going Forth: 871 Lord, you have come to the seashore

ASH WEDNESDAY

Gathering: 180 Led by the Spirit
Psalm 51 (50): Have mercy on us, O Lord, for we have sinned.
Gospel Acc: R/ Glory and praise to you O Christ (x2)
Verse: Harden not your hearts today, but listen to the voice of the Lord. R/
Distribution of Ashes: Turn my heart, O God, turn my heart, O God. Take my pain and brokenness; shape my life for you. Come and turn my heart, O God. Copyright© 2002 by GIA Publicati Inc. All rights reserved.
Communion: 779 O God you search me and you know me.
Going Forth: 206 Forty days ad forty nights (verses 1,3 and 6)



Please remember in your prayers the sick, their families and all who care for them: David Kelly, Shawn Kelly, Rosemary Chester, Lorraine Norrie, Catherine Evans, Janine Kelly, Louie Sheehy, Stephen Mealy, Martin Harrison, Victor Annan, Mary Spearman, Alice Power, Carlotta Brunelli, Nula Mole, John Thompson, Linda Quilter.

Recently Died: Rowena Flaherty

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OFFICE HOURS: TUESDAY, THURSDAY & FRIDAY: 10.30am-12 noon AND 4.00pm-5.30pm
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY & WEEKENDS: CLOSED

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