



NEWSLETTER

Sunday 18 February – 1st Sunday of Lent

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Stations of the Cross

Fridays during Lent 12-12:30pm in Holy Name church

Evening Prayer (*starting 20 Feb*)

Tuesdays during Lent 5.30pm in Holy Name church

This afternoon **Rite of Election of our catechumens and candidates**, with those from the rest of the diocese, and our Bishop at St Patrick's church. Frs Philip and Dushan have accompanied them since October and judge them ready for this final preparation for baptism or reception and confirmation at Pentecost. The Church makes its 'election,' that is, their choice and admission, founded on the election by God in whose name the Church acts. Please pray for them.



Our Lent retreat

Longing for Home

is a week of guided prayer starting today and you can still register! 18-23 February

An opportunity to take time out to deepen your relationship with God, to explore new ways of praying, to



find help with any kind of decision... Find out more and register using QRcode or at tinyurl.com/Longing-For-Home

Workshops This Week - part of our retreat, but open to everyone

Monday 7-8.30 pm **Ways of Praying**

Tuesday 7-8.30 pm **Discernment**

Wednesday 7-8.30 pm **Making Good Decisions**

Please note that most other weekly activities (*Monday Scripture Workshop, Tuesday Talk, Book Club, Bible Study, Learning to Sign, Zeteo*) are cancelled this week due to the retreat.

MASS TIMES

Sundays
11am and 7pm

Mon – Sat
12.30pm

CONFESSION & ADORATION

Mon – Sat
12noon-12.25pm

CHAPLAINCY OPENING TIMES

Mon – Fri
10am – 7pm

CathSoc Weekend Retreat

Faith Rekindled

Fri 1-Sun 3 March at Savio House near Macclesfield. *Places are limited!*



For more information speak to a CathSoc committee member or one of the chaplains, or sign up using the QR code.



The Chaplaincy Team



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Join the CathSoc students
WhatsApp Group



CathSoc invites... Sunday Social for students every Sunday after the 7pm Mass. Join them in the Chaplaincy building for drinks and nibbles. Bring your friends... meet your friends...

Postgraduate Group Monthly evening meal & sharing, arranged via postgrad WhatsApp group. Ask one of the chaplains or email Fr Dushan dcroossj@jesuit.org.uk if you want to join.

Rosary 6pm, Wednesdays in the Church. Join us even if you are not familiar with the rosary.



Litter Picking Tuesdays 1.30pm

Meet at the Chaplaincy. Come and do your bit for the city of Manchester by helping on our weekly clear up of Whitworth Park

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All donations go to the upkeep of Holy Name Church.

Volunteering Corner

On Fridays during Lent we will have Stations of the Cross in the church 12-12:30pm. Would you like to help on any of the Fridays? Please contact Sr Alicia aperez@jesuit.org.uk

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Manchester Universities Catholic Chaplaincy

MUSCC Community (closed group for uni students, faculty and staff)



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Ite inflamate omnia!

We're inviting young adults (18-35) from Europe and other places who're interested in Ignatian spirituality to participate in our summer programme.

It begins with 5-day experiments in small groups in 25 places in Poland, Slovakia, and Czech Republic. It ends with a 3-day festival in Croatia.

20-27.07.2024

details and registration:
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18-25 AUGUST 2024

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Exploring the **common good** in the heart of Venice

A week of personal development for **young Europeans (20-35)** reflecting on public life as a **Christian calling**.

With **expert** input: from leading figures in **European political life**, peer support, and **Ignatian spiritual formation**.

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